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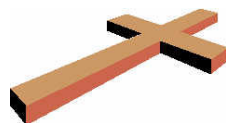


Undoing Gossip's Harm

There was a peasant with a troubled conscience who went to an old preacher for advice. He said that he had circulated a vile story about a friend, only to find out the story was not true. "If you want to make peace with your conscience," said the preacher, "you must fill a bag with chicken feathers, go to every yard in the village, and drop at each of them one fluffy feather." The peasant did as he was told. Then he returned to the preacher and announced he had done penance for his folly. "Not yet," replied the preacher, "Take your bag, make the rounds again and gather up every feather that you have dropped." "But the wind must have blown them all away," said the peasant. Words are easily dropped, but no matter how hard you try, you can never get them back again.

*The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly.
Proverbs 18:8*

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**BLOOD BOUGHT
OUR FREEDOM**

Remember Our Troops
in Your Prayers



Prayer of Thanks for
FREEDOM

Dear Lord,

There is no greater feeling of liberation than to experience this freedom from sin and death that you have provided for me through Jesus Christ. Today my heart and my soul are free to praise you. For this I am very thankful. On this Independence Day I am reminded of all those who have sacrificed for my freedom, following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ. Let me not take my freedom, both physical and spiritual, for granted. May I always remember that my freedom was purchased with a very high price. My freedom cost others their very lives. Lord, today, bless those who have served and continue to give their lives for my freedom. With favor and bounty meet their needs and watch over their families. Help me to live my life in a way that glorifies you, Lord. Give me the strength to be a blessing in someone else's life today, and grant me the opportunity to lead others into the freedom that can be found in knowing Christ. Amen

*With a great sum obtained I this
freedom... Acts 22:28*

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CHURCH OF THE COVERED DISH by Thom Tapp



Taxi Driver

A taxi passenger tapped the driver on the shoulder to ask him something. The driver screamed, lost control of the car, nearly hit a bus, went up on the footpath, and stopped centimeters from a shop window. For a second everything went quiet in the cab, then the driver said "Look friend, don't ever do that again. You scared the daylights out of me!" The passenger apologized and said he didn't realize that a little tap could scare him so much. The driver replied "Sorry, it's not really your fault. Today is my first day as a cab driver - I've been driving hearses for the last 25 years."

CHURCH KIDS

A mother looked out a window and saw Johnny playing church with their three kittens. He had them lined up and was preaching to them. The mother turned around to do some work. A while later she heard meowing and scratching on the door. She went to the window and saw Johnny baptizing the kittens. She opened the window and said, "Johnny, stop that! You'll drown those kittens." Johnny looked at her and said with much conviction in his voice: "They should had thought of that before they joined my church."

A father took his 5-year-old son to several baseball games where The Star-Spangled Banner was sung before the start of each game. Then the father and son attended a church on a Sunday shortly before Independence Day. The congregation sang The Star-Spangled Banner, and after everyone sat down, the little boy suddenly yelled, "PLAY BALL!!!"



Cousin Leroy



Leroy filled his truck up with gas at a self-service gas station. After he had paid and driven away, he realized that he had left the gas cap on top of his truck. He stopped and looked and, sure enough, it was lost. Well, he thought for a second and realized that other people must have done the same thing, and that it was worth going back to look by the side of the road since even if he couldn't find his own gas cap, he might be able to find one that fit. Sure enough, after only a short time of searching, he found a gas cap. He carefully wiped it off and slipped it into place with a satisfying click. "Great," he told his wife as he climbed back into the truck, "I may have lost my gas cap, but I found another one that fits and it's even a better cap than the one I had, This one locks..."



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"For as he (a man) thinketh in his heart, so is he:" Prov. 23:7a

Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things. Phil. 4:8

Have you ever had "one of those days", when everything just seems to go wrong and nothing looks like it's working out right? I had one of those about the time the Lord was teaching me about how important it is to guard my thoughts, to purposefully turn my mind away from magnifying a problem and instead to think on His Word and the solutions that He could bring. I remember stomping across the yard that day, trying not to be mad at the world. I was trying to keep worry; fear and frustration at bay and casting about in my mind for something I should be thinking on that would help instead of hinder me. Hard as I tried, I could only think of one word from the above verse. I thought of the word lovely. "Something lovely, something lovely", I said to myself, " Paul said to think on something lovely, but what in the world is lovely about today?!" Then, "Just calm down Lynn, and think of one thing that is lovely. Just anything will do! Find something lovely right now and think about it!" Finally my eyes focused and I saw the grass. "Yes!" I thought in triumph. "The grass! The grass is lovely! It's so green and velvety and it smells good after it's mowed. Yes, the grass is lovely!" Then another voice spoke inside my head. "Yea, it's lovely alright," the other voice sneered. "It's lovely till it rains, then its gets all wild and messy looking and somebody has to mow it and you know what a fun job that is." "Shut up!" I told the other voice firmly. Then my eyes fell on a weed. "A weed! Even weeds are lovely. They are green and full of life and some of them even flower! Flowers!" I was really on a roll by now. "Flowers are really lovely. They brighten up even the darkest day and they permeate the air with fragrance. Flowers are lovely." The other voice broke in again. "Sure, flowers are alright till they quit blooming and get all brown and ugly." This time the voice was easier to quiet. Soon enough my whole outlook began to change, as I forced myself to focus on the lovely things in life. The problems began to lose their heaviness and solutions steadily became easier to come by. Now, I laugh about that little incident. It has even become a standing family joke. My sister came in to Bible Study one day, held her hands out, looked toward the ceiling and exclaimed, "The grass! The grass is lovely!" Everyone roared with laughter and we all knew that Sis was having "one of those days", but it's a principle that really works. The Bible says to be doers of the Word and not hearers only. When we begin to study the Word and determine to focus and meditate on what the Lord tells us to, our minds become renewed and enough of that right kind of meditation will ultimately lead you into prosperity and good success. (See Joshua 1:8-9) When you determine to turn your thought processes away from the worlds way of thinking (on the negative) into God's way of thinking (always on the positive) worry will eventually turn into hope. Fear will be defeated by faith. Depression will give way to joy! And if you're ever having "one of those days" just remember the grass, because as you know... the grass is lovely!

"FREEDOM"

Greetings again to each and every one of you in the name of Jesus! It's already July and this time of year is when people are getting ready for their "4th of July" celebrations with BBQ's, fireworks, family gatherings, vacations and so on...During this time of year, we reflect back on the "Freedom" that we have because of the sacrifice that our U.S. Veterans put out to help us be a free country that we are today. We sometimes forget the sacrifice that they did. Thank God for these men & women who were willing to go forth and stand up for this country and each person (man, woman & child) that resides in it. Likewise as those men and women went to battle for us for our freedom, so did another Man who came to this world to set the captive free from the curse of sin. They called the Man, JESUS! As war raged on many years ago for "FREEDOM," Satan tried everything he could to bring people down and not see, hear or touch Jesus because Satan knew, He (Jesus) was the one to set the captives free. Each step Christ took up to the cross, all the rejection, beatings and so on, He did it for you! If you were the only one, then He would have come to go to the Cross, so our lives could be changed for the better. If you have not accepted Jesus into your heart, then make today your day that you will let Him change you and come into your heart as it states in: Revelation 3:20 - "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me." Romans 10:13 - For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved Please Thank Him today for your "Freedom" from your sins and bondages.

"Remember Freedom has its cost!"

In The Master's Service, Evangelist Michael W. Heltsley

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4. Chosen Generation - Michael Decker
5. Good News - Mike Vaughn
6. The Old Gospel Ship - Billy R Douglas
7. The Voice of the LORD Broadcast - Billy R Douglas
8. The Sonrays Music Program - Ray Owens
9. The Singing Preacher - Bobby Grove
10. Heavenly Sonshine - The Helms

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And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16:15



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1. I'm Gonna Be Heavenbound
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2. Special Lady
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3. Jesus Signed My Pardon
True To The Call
4. In My Heart
Larry Massey
5. The Hero's On The Hill
Billy R Douglas
6. I'd Love To Go Home
Billy R Douglas
7. The Old Country Church
Billy R Douglas
8. The Old Way
The St. Cyr Family
9. Dont Look Back
Nathan & Debora Sullivan
10. You Don't Have To Move That Mountain - The Helms

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REESIE'S RECIPES



Frozen Banana Salad

Ingredients

- 1/2 cup pineapple-orange juice
- 2 bananas, peeled and chopped
- 1 orange, chopped
- 8-oz. can crushed pineapple, drained
- 1 small bowl cool whip

In food processor or blender, combine first four ingredients. Process until smooth. Fold into softened cool whip. Pour into 1 cup custard cups. Cover and freeze until firm, about 3 hours.

Strawberry Angel Dessert

Ingredients

- 1 (10 inch) angel food cake
- 2 (8 ounce) packages cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup white sugar
- 1 (8 ounce) container cool whip, thawed
- 1 quart fresh strawberries, sliced
- 1 (18 ounce) strawberry glaze

Crumble the cake into a 9x13 inch dish. In a medium bowl, cream cream cheese and sugar until light and fluffy. Fold in whipped topping. Mash the cake down with your hands and spread the cream cheese mixture over the cake. In a bowl, combine strawberries and glaze until strawberries are evenly coated. Spread over cream cheese layer. Chill until serving.

Sweet & Tangy Cole Slaw

Ingredients

- 1 cabbage, finely shredded
- 1 medium red onion, quartered and thinly sliced

- Dressing:
- 1 cup sugar
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1 teaspoon dry mustard
 - 1 teaspoon celery seed
 - 1 cup vinegar
 - 2/3 cup vegetable oil

Combine shredded cabbage with sliced onion. Combine dressing ingredients and bring to boil. Pour over cabbage and toss. Cool, then refrigerate.

Cheesy BBQ Casserole

Ingredients

- 11 ounces uncooked ziti or penne pasta
- 1 pound ground beef
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1/4 cup parsley, divided
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup BBQ sauce
- 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1 1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese, divided

Heat oven to 350F. Grease a 2 qt. casserole dish. Cook pasta as directed. Cook beef and onion, drain. Mix pasta and beef and 3 Tbs. parsley, milk, BBQ sauce, mozzarella, and 1 cup cheddar cheese. Spoon into dish. Sprinkle with remaining cheddar. Bake uncovered 30-40 minutes.

TEXAS-STYLE BAKED BEANS

- 1 pound ground beef
- 4 (16 ounce) cans pork n beans
- 1 (4 ounce) can canned chopped green chile peppers
- 1 Small Vidalia onion, peeled and chopped
- 1 cup barbeque sauce
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1 Tablespoon chili powder
- 1 Tablespoons hot sauce or to taste

Directions

In a skillet over medium heat, brown the ground beef until no longer pink; drain fat, and set aside. In a 3 1/2 quart or larger slow cooker, combine the ground beef, beans, green chiles, onion and barbeque sauce. Season with brown sugar, chili powder and hot pepper sauce. Cook on HIGH for 2 hours, or low for 4 to 5 hours.



The Cookie Jar



Peanut Butter Chip Cookies

Ingredients

- 1 cup butter
- 1 1/2 cups white sugar
- 2 eggs
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 2/3 cup unsweetened cocoa powder
- 3/4 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups peanut butter chips

Directions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease cookie sheets. In a medium bowl, cream together the butter and sugar. Stir in the eggs and vanilla. Combine the flour, cocoa, baking soda and salt, stir into the creamed mixture. Finally, fold in the peanut butter chips. Drop cookies by heaping teaspoonfuls onto the prepared cookie sheets. Bake for 8 to 10 minutes in the preheated oven, until set. Cool on wire racks.



Kids Corner



Kangaroo Kabobs

Ingredients

- Bright-colored, sturdy plastic straws to use as kabob skewers
- Any type of fruit, precut in hunks (oranges, watermelon, strawberries, bananas)
- Rainbow marshmallows, large size
- Pretzels (loops, not sticks)

Directions

Put a large rainbow-colored marshmallow at one end of your straw skewer to keep the goodies from sliding off one end while you load up the other end. Add the fruit and pretzels, mixing up the order for a more interesting kabob. Put the other large marshmallow on the end of the kabob and nibble on the goodies in between!



Consequences of Sin

Sister Nancy Willis

Some people think as long as you repent of your sin that's all there is to it. When David committed his sin with Bathsheba, he broke four of the commandments, in just that one act of sin. They was, *THOU SHALT NOT KILL, THOU SHALT NOT STEAL, THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY, and THOU SHALT NOT COVET YOUR NEIGHBORS WIFE.*

David repented of his sin, and got forgiveness, but he still had to suffer the consequences. His son died, the sword would never depart from his house, evil would come from his own family, and his wives would be shamed. In Genesis chapter 49 it tells us how Jacob's son Reuben, stood to receive a double portion of the families inheritance, and a place of leadership among his people. But because of his sin all that was taken away from him. Reuben may have thought he had gotten away with his sin, but on his death bed his father Jacob, remembered and took Reuben's inheritance and gave it to another. The important lesson to learn from this is that even the best of men can sin. Also, true repentance does bring forgiveness from God, but does not eliminate the consequences of sin.

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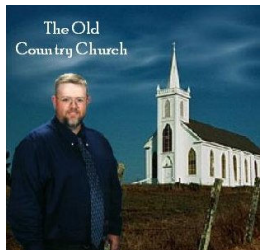
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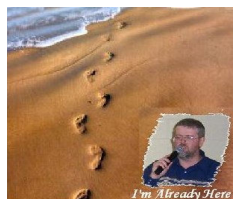
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"I'm Already Here"

Is There A Mountain?
I'm Already Here
Not The Great I was
There's No Doubt
Knowing You'll Be There
I Found A Treasure
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Because Of The Blood
Till You Start Walkin
Second Hand Rose
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How Could It Be?



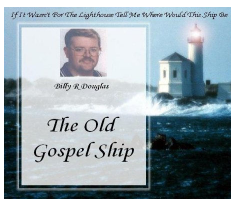
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Grace Again
Granny Did
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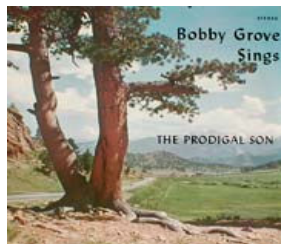
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**"GOING TO PEACES"**

Pastor Wayne Clabaugh I

"And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." Phi 4:7 (KJV)

Did that hit you like it did me? How many of you will actually admit even after the last two devotionals that you still feel at times like you're going to pieces? Well re-read that verse with me again and let's see if you finally get it like I did..."And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." Phi 4:7 (KJV) Oh friend, you don't need to have your own peace, you can lean on God today! Is that awesome or what? All the psychologists will tell you to "get centered" and find your own peace - but here it is in black and white, and "the peace of God, which passes all understanding," even that of the psychologists, will keep our hearts and minds how? Through Christ Jesus! You know I can't think of another word to say that could enhance that - at all! So let's just pray. Father, this is one of the most awesome discoveries you have laid on me in years. I have prayed so many times for you to give me peace, and all I needed to do was to lean on you and to trust you that it would all work out! I am amazed at your provision for me in all things. I love you Lord. In Jesus name I Pray, Amen.

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CORNERSTONE

Rev. Billy R Douglas

In The Fire

"He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver..." Malachi 3:3

The above passage of scripture puzzled some women in a Bible study and they wondered what this statement meant about the character and nature of God. One of the women offered to find out the process of refining silver and get back to the group at their next Bible Study. That week, the woman called a silversmith and made an appointment to watch him at work. She didn't mention anything about the reason for her interest beyond her curiosity about the process of refining silver. As she watched the silversmith, he held a piece of silver over the fire and let it heat up. He explained that in refining silver, one needed to hold the silver in the middle of the fire where the flames were hottest as to burn away all the impurities. She asked the silversmith if it was true that he had to sit there in front of the fire the whole time the silver was being refined. The man answered yes - he not only had to sit there holding the silver, but he had to keep his eyes on the silver the entire time it was in the fire. If the silver was left a moment too long in the flames, it would be destroyed. The woman was silent for a moment. Then she asked the silversmith, "How do you know when the silver is fully refined?" He smiled at her and answered, "Oh, that's easy...when I see my image in it." What a wonderful truth we find in this scripture and story. How many times have you felt like the fire was so hot and the battle so hard that you would never make it through? You may be in that place right now...you may feel like your in the center of the fire and the trial that you are in is going to destroy you. The LORD wants you to know today that he is with you and that he will work EVEN this trial that you think is going to finish you off...HE WILL work it out for your good! The Bible says in Job 23:10 *But he knoweth the way that I take: when he hath tried me, I shall come forth as gold.* Just as the fate of the silver is in the hands of the silversmith SO is our fate in the hands of the Master...he will not allow the fire to destroy us BUT to make us more like him. So that when he looks at us he will see more of his reflection in us!

Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you: But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy. 1 Peter 4:12-13



Study Shows

Thyself Approves

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ACROSS

- 1 ____ of every sort shalt thou bring into the ark (plural) (Gen 6:19)
- 5 eighteenth book of the Old Testament
- 8 and of cattle after their ____, of every creeping thing (Gen 6:20)
- 12 And ____d said, John have I beheaded: (partial word)(Luke 9:9)
- 13 but ____ a little wine for thy stomach's sake (1 Tim 5:23)
- 14 and spread his tent beyond the tower of ____ (Gen 35:21)
- 15 roar together like lions: they shall ____ as lions' whelps (Jer 51:38)
- 16 Let the brother of low ____ rejoice in that he is exalted (James 1:9)
- 17 a variable star
- 18 ____, Jerusalem, thou that killest (two words) (Matt 23:37)
- 21 Jonathan the son of ____ David's brother slew him (1 Chr 20:7)
- 24 and brought him to an ____, and took care of him (Luke 10:34)
- 25 for my natural ____ turned to a deathly pallor (Dan 10:8) (NAS)
- 26 ____s for the day! for the day of the LORD (partial word) (Joel 1:15)
- 27 yea, let God be true, but every man a ____r (partial word)(Rom 3:4)
- 30 And the ____ was upon the earth forty days and forty nights (Gen 7:12)
- 31 as the serpent beguiled ____ through his subtily (2 Cor 11:3)
- 32 clothe, dress, attire
- 33 Deliver me out of the m ____ (partial word)(Ps 69:14)
- 34 For every ____ that asketh receiveth; (Matt 7:8)
- 35 the west border ____ the great sea (two words) (Joshua 15:12)
- 36 large, huge
- 37 I will call on the LORD, who is ____ to be praised (2 Sam 22:4)
- 38 when ye shall see the abomination of ____ (Mark 13:14)
- 42 If ____ die, shall he live again? (two words)(Job 14:14)
- 43 Dan, and Naphtali, ____, and Asher (Exodus 1:4)
- 44 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from ____ (Matt 6:13)
- 48 Of them which thou gavest me have I lost ____ (John 18:9)
- 49 To the Lord our God b ____ng mercies and (partial word)(Daniel 9:9)
- 50 whosoever shall say to his brother, ____, shall be in danger (Matt 5:22)
- 51 thou shouldst be for salvation unto the ____ of the earth (Acts 13:47)
- 52 and there was ____ on all the ground. (Judges 6:40)
- 53 If my ____ hath turned out of the way (Job 31:7)

DOWN

- 1 In the sweat of ____ face shalt thou eat bread (Gen 3:19)
- 2 very small
- 3 All the ends of the w ____d shall (partial word)(Ps 22:27)
- 4 Then sat ____ upon the throne of David his father(1 King 2:12)
- 5 we went into the province of ____, to the house of the great God (Ezra 5:8)
- 6 there is a friend that sticketh cl ____ than a brother (partial word)(Prov 18:24)
- 7 Let no man ____ you of your reward in a voluntary (Col 2:18)
- 8 ____, Mahalaleel, Jered (1 Chr 1:2)
- 9 made a calf in those days, and offered sacrifice unto the ____ (Acts 7:41)
- 10 It shall be health to thy ____, and marrow (partial word)(Prov 3:8)
- 11 Tirshatha gave to the treasure a thousand ____s (partial word)(Neh 7:70)
- 19 abbr. for twenty fourth book of Old Testament
- 20 and the lizard, and the ____il, and the mole (partial word)(Lev 11:30)
- 21 Carry neither purse, nor ____p, nor shoes (partial word)(Luke 10:4)
- 22 a small round thing, as small as the ____ frost on the ground (Exodus 16:14)
- 23 When ____ down, I say, When shall I arise (two words)(Job 7:4)
- 26 abbr. for avenue
- 27 But in the ____ days it shall come to pass, that the mountain (Micah 4:1)
- 28 he saw a man which was blind from his b ____ (partial word)(John 9:1)
- 29 have given ____ for an harlot, and sold a girl (two words)(Joel 3:3)
- 31 who is this that ____ his heart to approach unto me (Jer 30:21)
- 32 The seed is rotten under their clods, the ____ are laid desolate (Joel 1:17)
- 34 thou anointest my head with ____; my cup runneth over (Ps 23:5)
- 35 let them be hewers of ____d and drawers of water (partial word)(Joshua 9:21)
- 36 And Moses took the ____ of Joseph with him (Exodus 13:19)
- 37 there came a certain poor ____, and she threw in two mites (Mark 12:42)
- 38 a native of Denmark
- 39 FREE WORD "demon"
- 40 For though thy people Israel be as the ____ of the sea (Isaiah 10:22)
- 41 we spend our years as a ____ that is told (Ps 90:9)
- 45 FREE WORD "vat"
- 46 He casteth forth his ____ like morsels: who can stand before (Ps 147:17)
- 47 and gathered thereof wild gourds his ____ full (2 King 4:39)



SALVATION CORNER

We have set aside this corner of THE TRUMPET to show God's Plan of Salvation. If you are unsure where you will go when you die, please listen to what God has said in His Word:

FIRST . . . GOD LOVES YOU!

"For God so loved the world that he gave His only Begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have Everlasting Life" Jn. 3:16

SECOND . . . MAN IS A SINNER, AND SIN HAS SEPARATED HIM FROM GOD!

"For there is not a just man upon Earth, that doeth good and sinneth not" Eccl. 7:20.

"For all have sinned and come short of the Glory of God" Rom. 3:23.

THIRD . . . JESUS CHRIST IS THE ONLY REMEDY FOR SIN!

"For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God . . ." 1 Pet. 3:18.

"Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under Heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved" Acts 4:12

FOURTH . . . YOU MUST RECEIVE JESUS CHRIST AS YOUR PERSONAL LORD AND SAVIOUR.

Jesus calls this experience the "new birth." He told Nicodemus: ". . . Except a man be born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God" Jn. 3:3.

We invite you now to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as your personal Saviour. "But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His Name" Jn. 1:12.

Pray this prayer and mean it with all of your heart:

Dear Lord Jesus, I now realize that I am a sinner. I accept the fact that You died for me on the rugged Cross of Calvary. I now open my heart's door and receive You as Saviour and Lord of my life. Please take Full control of me and help me to be the kind of Christian You want me to be. Amen.

If you prayed this prayer in all sincerity, you are now a Child of God. So that we might rejoice with you, we invite you to fill in the information below and mail it to the address on the back of this newsletter.

TODAY I ACCEPTED JESUS AS MY LORD AND SAVIOUR.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

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DATE OF DECISION _____

AGE _____

A Sound Heard No More

As I have crossed America these many years, I have wondered - when did the church bells stop ringing in America, calling her people to the house of God? I remember growing up in the Kentucky Mountains and hearing that grand old church bell ringing - 6:30, first bell; 7:00, second bell - calling us to come into His house to worship Him. We walked up the mountain and when the moon was full it lit a silver path for us. Oh, how beautiful, with the doors opened in summer and the sound of "Amazing Grace" and other songs from those worn old hymnals. That heavenly sound of the children and the old saints singing would ring across the hills. I'm so glad to say that old church bell where I grew up is still ringing so faithfully after all these years, but now so few are walking up the mountain to church. There is a different sound in America now. Why have a church bell ringing? I have heard where people complained about the chimes in the city churches making noise and making some folks nervous, so they must not ring - it is "disturbing the peace." What peace? There has never been so much noise in my lifetime as now - noise in the air, noise in the streets, noise everywhere - even noise in the church. Even more important than the church bells, where is the cross? It has disappeared from many churches - outside and inside. Could it be that America is rich now and thinks that she does not need God? In Revelation 3:17 & 18, God said concerning the Laodicean church, "Because thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked: I counsel thee to buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich; and white raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes with eyesalve, that thou mayest see." We need only the SOUND OF A MIGHTY RUSHING WIND (Acts 2:2). Do you hear the sound of the church bell? Do you hear the sound of the cross calling you? Revelation 3:20 says, "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: If any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me." Do you hear his voice? It is the most beautiful sound you will ever hear. If you will open the door, HE WILL COME IN!

Until next time, the Lord bless you,
His Handmaiden, Sister Betty Jean Robinson

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VOTL PRAYER CHEST

If you would like to send a picture of a loved one or a special prayer request we will place it in our Prayer Chest. Our Prayer Chest sits on the altar at VOTL Tabernacle and we pray over the requests during our services.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed. Isaiah 53:5

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