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<u>Too Busy</u> Too busy to read the Bible, too busy to wait and pray

Too busy to speak out kindly to someone by the way!

To busy to care and struggle, to think of the life to come

Too busy building mansions, to plan for the heavenly home.

Too busy to help a brother who faces the winter blast.

Too busy to share his burden, when self in the balance is cast.

> Too busy for all that is holy on earth beneath the sky;

Too busy to serve the Master, but not too busy to die.



Don't wait for the Hearse to take you!

"Follow Me....Today"

"And another also said, 'Lord, I will follow Thee; but let me first go bid them farewell which are at home at my house.'And Jesus said to him, 'No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God'" (Luke 9:61-62)

"I will follow You, Lord, but first let me see if my parents approve."

"I will follow You, Lord, but first let me go to a few more parties. And as soon as I get that out of my system, I will settle down."

"I will follow You, Lord, but first let me get married. As soon as I establish a home, I will follow you."

"We will follow You, Lord, but first let us raise our children. They are so small now, and it is difficult to carry them along while following You."

"We will follow You, Lord, but first let us get our children through high school. We have to work six days a week to pay the bills, and the children are so busy with school activities that there just is not time to follow You."

"I would like to follow You now, Lord, but I must first see if my husband will come, too. I do not want to follow You alone."

"I will follow You, Lord, but first let me retire. Then I will have time to follow you."

"I would like to follow You, Lord, but it is too late now. I have not done it all these years, and You cannot teach an old dog new tricks."

Death comes at last, and the day of salvation is over. One is separated from God eternally because one put off following Christ until it was too late.

For he saith, I have heard thee in a time accepted, and in the day of salvation have I succoured thee: behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation. 2 Cor 6:2



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Church of the Covered Dish



The End Is Near!

A local pastor and one of his deacon's stood by the side of the road holding up a sign that said, "The End is Near! Turn yourself around now before it's too late!" They planned to hold up the sign to each passing car. "Leave us alone, you religious nuts!" yelled the first driver as he sped by. From around the curve they heard a big splash. "Do you think," said one clergy to the other, "we should just put up a sign that says 'bridge out' instead?"

A Leroy was waiting for his wife to come out of the grocerv store. As he waited, he was approached by a man who asked, "Sir, can you tell me where the post office is?" "Sure nuff" Leroy replied, "Just go straight down this street a couple blocks and turn to your right." The man thanked Leroy kindly and said, "I'm the new pastor in town. I'd like for you to come to church on Sunday. I'll show you how to get to Heaven." To which Leroy replied with a chuckle. "Awww, come on now preacher; you don't even know the way to the post office."

For Better AND For Worst

A man placed some flowers on the grave of his dearly departed mother and started back toward his car when his attention was diverted to another man kneeling at a grave. The man seemed to be praying with profound intensity and kept repeating, "Why did you have to die? Why did you have to die?" The first man approached him and said, "Sir, I don't wish to interfere with your private grief, but this demonstration of pain is more than I've ever seen before. For whom do you mourn so deeply? A child? A parent?" The mourner took a moment to collect himself, then replied, "My wife's first husband."

A couple drove several miles down a country road, not saying a word. An earlier discussion had led to an argument, and neither wanted to concede their position. As they passed a barnyard of mules and pigs, the husband sarcastically asked, "Relatives of yours?" "Yep," the wife replied, "In-laws."

One night at the dinner table, the wife commented, "When we were first married, you took the small piece of steak and gave me the larger. Now you take the large one and leave me the smaller; You don't love me any more..." "Nonsense, darling," replied the husband, "you just cook better now."

A man went to the doctor because he was concerned about his lessening level of energy. He told his doctor that he wasn't able to do all the things around the house that he used to do. When the examination was complete, he said, "Now, Doc, I can take it. Tell me in plain English what is wrong with me." "Well, in plain English," the doctor replied, "you're just lazy." "Okay," said the man. "Now give me the medical term so I can tell my wife."

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How's Life Treating You?

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II Sam. 22:26-28 "With the merciful Thou wilt show Thyself merciful, and with the upright man Thou wilt show Thyself upright. With the pure Thou wilt show Thyself pure; and with the froward Thou wilt show Thyself unsavoury. And the afflicted people Thou wilt save: but Thine eyes are upon the haughty that Thou mayest bring them down."

The way you treat others on a day to day basis directly effects your ability to receive from the Lord. Like it or not, your actions toward others are mirrored back to you from the Father. If you are kind and courteous toward others the Lord will show Himself kind and courteous toward you. If you extend mercy to others, you will receive mercy from the throne. If you forgive (Mark 11:25-26) the Lord will forgive you, but if you treat people with disdain and a judgmental attitude, guess what kind of treatment will be coming back to you. The Word says, "Judge not, that you be not judged. For with what judgement ye judge, you shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again." Matt. 7:1-2 I want my measure from the Father to be full of kindness and compassion. I want it to be full of forgiveness and help. He is truly full of those things, but according to these scriptures, our own actions create the measure that is used back toward us. Pro. 29:13 says, "Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry himself , but shall not be heard." This truth of receiving back what we give out is repeated time and again throughout the Word of God. No wonder He urges love. No wonder He cautions us to be kind. No wonder He commands us to treat others as we would like to be treated. It is a law of God and like the law of gravity it will work even if we scoff at it. Jesus said we are to love even our enemies and to do good even to those who would use us and abuse us. Why? Because this law we are discussing is always in effect. You may never receive one kind word from someone you have helped, but the law is still in motion and God's law will guarantee help for you when needed. So, how is life treating you? If you find your life filled with hurt and anger and you feel that your prayers are going unnoticed by the Father then check up on your treatment of others. Are you kind and considerate? Are you helpful and courteous? If so, then don't hesitate to use your faith to believe God for help in your situation. But if you've been harsh and judgmental and if you've refused to forgive someone who has hurt you or you can think of other incidences where love was not exactly your motivation, then repent and ask the Lord to help you to change. He will you know, when you are sincere in your request, and you can begin to receive good things of the Lord from this day forward as you strive to live in His commandment of love.

CORNERSTONE

Create In ME A Clean Heart

REV. BILLY R DOUGLAS

Have you ever wondered why you do what you do? One former Navy pilot tells how he was living a wilder life than he knew he should live. He decided his problem was that he was being led astray by his friends in flight training. So he arranged to finish his work in the program early and be transferred to another field nearby. Yet, it wasn't long, he said, before he was back in the same old bars, with the same girls. just with different friends. You see we spend so much time pointing our finger at things or people around us, saying "It's their fault I do what I do." When in reality you do what you do because of YOU! Saul blamed the people for the reason he disobeyed God when in reality it was because of the rebellion that was in him that he had not dealt with (1 Sam 15). David could have tried to blame Bathsheba or at least say some of it was her fault that he committed adultery BUT he said "Against you (God) and you alone have I sinned (Ps 51:4). He realized that the problem was in him when he prayed "Create in me a clean heart, and renew a right spirit within me" (Ps 51:10). It is not so much what happens to us that is important but rather how we react. We react because of what is within us. So the next time we get angry let us not say "They made me mad" BUT rather "God help me to overcome this anger that is inside of me." Let us also go to the root of the problem and pray "Create in me a clean heart and renew a right spirit within me!"









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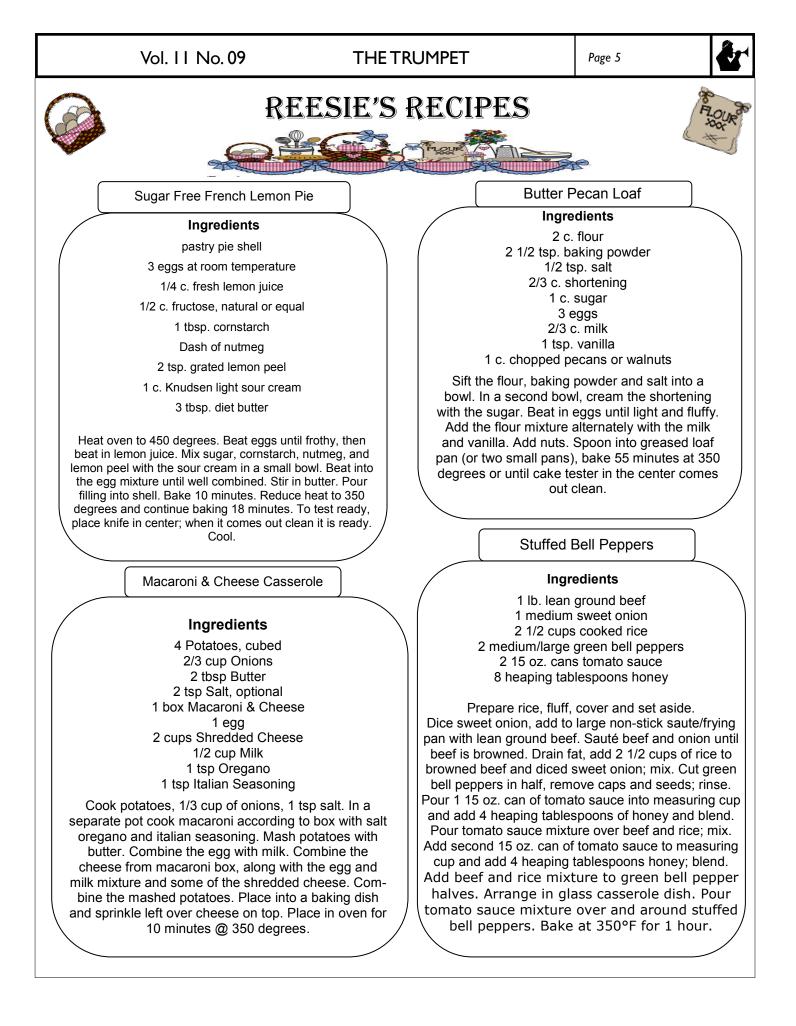
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Butterscotch - hops

Ingredients

1 1/4 c. softened butter 1/4 c. brown sugar 1/2 c. granulated sugar 1 egg 1 tsp. vanilla 1 tsp. salt 1 1/2 c. all-purpose flour 1 tsp. baking soda 1 tsp. salt 3 c. oatmeal 1 (6 oz.) pkg. chocolate chips 3/4 c. chopped nuts

Directions

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Beat together butter and sugars until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Gradually add combined flour, baking soda and salt, mixing until thoroughly blended. Stir in oats, chocolate pieces and nuts. Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls onto ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 9-11 minutes. Cool 1 minute on cookie sheet. Remove to wire cooling rack.



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<u>"Good News Wont Wait"</u> Sister Nancy Willis

2 KINGS 7:9 Then they said one to another, We do not well, this day is a day of good tidings, and we hold our peace, if we tarry till the morning light, some mischief will come upon us, now therefore come that we may go and tell the Kings household.

We have all read about the 4 lepers, that instead of sitting there till they died, then got up and moved. They discovered the deserted camp and realized their lives had been spared. At first they kelp the good news to themselves forgetting about their fellow brethren who was sleeping in the city. Then they began to think how they should share their good news with them, even if it would awake them from their sleep., it

would awake them from their sleep., it would be LIFE from the dead to them. Because they too was in need. We must also share our good news about Jesus Christ, we must not forget how people are dieing without him, we must tell people how Jesus is life, not just life but LIFE MORE ABUN-DANTLY.

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"The Old Country Church



"Once Upon A Time..."

Once Upon A Time The Loneliest Walk In History The Hero's On The Hill I Know A Man Who Can That's Why I Call It Grace You Can Have It All When I Lay My Isaac Down Yesterday And Today I'd Love To Go Home Who Would Have Dreamed So Much To Thank Him For Altarless



"I'm Already Here"

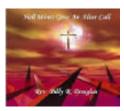
Is There A Mountain? I'm Already Here Not The Great I was There's No Doubt Knowing You'll Be There I Found A Treasure Bible And A Bus Ticket Because Of The Blood Till You Start Walkin Second Hand Rose The Shape I'm In How Could It Be?



"The Old Gospel Ship"



"Mercy's What I Need" Mercy's What I Need Don't Be Fooled Almost Persuaded When I Grow Up One More Time My Great Loss Today When We Sang The Glory Down. What If You Had Died Last Night? Something I Can Feel - 2. Flow Through Me - 3. Where The Roses Never Fade
I'll Never Be The Same - 5. Wayfaring Stranger - 6. House Of Gold - 7. The Old Gospel Ship - 8. He Touched Me - 9. Jesus Hold My Hand - 10. The Lighthouse - 11.
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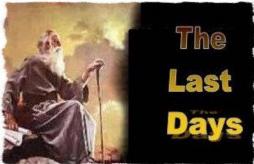


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"ABRAHAM AND THE REVELATION OF EL-SHADDI"

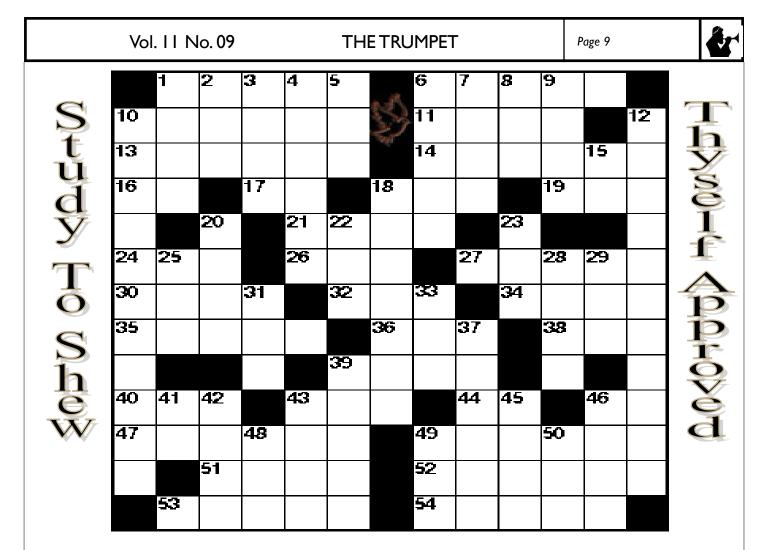
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"And when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before Me, and be thou perfect" (Gen. 17:1). It had been twenty-four years since the Lord had promised Abraham a son, and thirteen years since the Lord had last spoken to Abraham. No doubt, during this time, Abraham felt alone and isolated. So many of us today would not know what to do in light of so many years of silence. So, the question must be asked, why so many years of silence? I think the answer comes down to two things: Faith and self. In regards to Faith, in all of God's dealings with us, Faith is the foundation. Do we believe the Lord, or do we not? Do we hand on to His Promises, or do we begin to doubt? Self has to do with the Lord bringing Abraham to the place where "self" was laid aside and total dependence upon the Lord was once again Abraham's foundation. "EL-SHADDI" Through Melchizedek, Abraham has received a Revelation of God as "El Elyon," which means "Most High God, possessor of Heaven and Earth." Through Hagar, he had learned of God as "El Roi," which means "Thou Art a God who permits Himself to be seen." Now comes a great Revelation of God, the Revelation of God as "El Shaddi," "Almighty God," which means "strong so as to overpower." This Revelation of God to Abraham was God saying to Abraham, that in spite of his age and the deadness of Sarah's womb, "the Almighty God" was still able to bring forth a son. "El Shaddi" was saying, that in spite of Abraham's sin, folly, and shame, a son would come forth. "WHAT THIS MEANS FOR YOU!" This great Revelation of God as "El Shaddi, the Almighty God" is still working on behalf of His people. He is still able to bring forth miracles no matter the time or circumstances. In spite of our failures, in spite of the hindrances that Satan places in our paths, we have "El Shaddi" working on our behalf. Beloved, don't despair on the past failures and detours into Egypt, "the Almighty God" is still on the throne, and is still working miracles "WALK BEFORE ME AND BE THOU PERFECT" With these words, the Lord was telling Abraham, and us, two things: 1. He must be perfect in his Faith. It must not waver as it had done regarding Hagar, but rest completely in Almighty God. 2. There is no way that one's "walk" can be as it should, without the Power of Almighty God, which we now have through the Power of the Holy Spirit. His job is to lead us, help us, and empower us. For us to have His Help, we must "walk after the Spirit." "WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO WALK AFTER THE SPIRIT?" Walking after the Spirit simply means that the Believer places his Faith exclusively in the Cross of Christ, understanding what Jesus did for us on the Cross, thereby placing one's Faith in nothing else. To place your Faith anywhere else is to "walk after the flesh." To have a proper understanding of what it means to "walk after the Spirit," one must go to Romans 8:2, "For the Law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the Law of Sin and Death." A perfect walk, or "walking after the Spirit" is placing one's Faith in Christ and what He did on the Cross every day of one's life, understanding that all Spiritual Blessings come to us strictly upon what Christ accomplished on the Cross. When we do this, the Holy Spirit can then do His desired Work in our lives.

<u>Silent Sermon</u>

A member of a certain church, who previously had been attending services regularly, stopped going. After a few weeks, the pastor decided to visit him. It was a chilly evening. The pastor found the man at home alone, sitting before a blazing fire. Guessing the reason for his pastor's visit, the man welcomed him, led him to a comfortable chair near the fireplace and waited. The pastor made himself at home but said nothing. In the grave silence, he contemplated the dance of the flames around the burning logs. After some minutes, the pastor took the fire tongs, carefully picked up a brightly burning ember and placed it to one side of the hearth all alone. Then he sat back in his chair, still silent. The host watched all this in quiet contemplation. As the one lone ember's flame flickered and diminished, there was a momentary glow and then its fire was no more. Soon it was cold and dead. Not a word had been spoken since the initial greeting. The Pastor glanced at his watch and realized it was time to leave, he slowly stood up, picked up the cold, dead ember and placed it back in the middle of the fire. Immediately it began to glow, once more with the light and warmth of the burning coals around it. As the pastor reached the door to leave, his host said with a tear running down his cheek, "Thank you so much for your visit and especially for the firey sermon. I will be back in church next Sunday."

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ACROSS

- _, and of a fair countenance (1 Sam 17:42) 1 he was but a youth, and
- 6 In that day will I _____ up the tabernacle of David (Amos 9:11)
- 10 Brethren, my heart's _____ and prayer to God for Israel is (Romans 10:1)
- me not wander from (two words) (Ps 119:10) 11
- 13 and he was numbered with the ____ apostles (Acts 1:26)
- _____ be taken and destroyed (two words) (2 Pet 2:12) 14 brute beasts,
- 16 words ea to be understood (partial word)(1 Cor 14:9)
- 17 abbr. for each
- 18 And the Word made flesh, and dwelt among us (John 1:14)
- 19 they were baptized, both men and en (partial word)(Acts 8:12)
- _ time, when there were gathered together (Luke 12:1) 21 In the
- 24 a large nasty rodent
- on him had a bow (Rev 6:2) 26 behold a white horse: and he that _
- 27 and her maidens walked _____ by the river's side (Exodus 2:5)
- 30 with their tongues they have _____ deceit (Romans 3:13)
- 32 the kingdom of heaven be likened unto virgins (Matt 25:1)
- 34 Unto Shem also, the father of all the children of (Gen 10:21)
- 35 For it is easier for a _____ to go through a needle's eye (Luke 18:25)
- 36 The young lions ____r after their prey (partial word)(Ps 104:21)
- 38 eighth letter of Greek alphabet
- 39 FREE WORD "lets"
- 40 came a l___, and a bear, and took a lamb (partial word)(1 Sam 17:34) 43 Dan, and Naphtali, ____, and Asher (Exodus 1:4)
- 44 Abbr. for South Africa
- 46 the ____r, the mariners, and all the pilots (partial word)(Ezek 27:29)
- _(Acts 1:12) 47 from the mount called
- 49 there went out a decree from Caesar _us (partial word)(Luke 2:1)
- 51 FREE WORD "lanes"
- new heavens and a new earth (Isaiah 65:17) 52 For, behold, I
- _, and Andrew his brother (Matt 4:18) 53 Simon called
- 54 FREE WORD "tests"

DOWN

- 1 because thou didst on the LORD, he delivered them (2 Chr 16:8)
- 2 and pray for them which despitefully ____ you (Luke 6:28).
- 3 Plunge into water
- 4 unto the words of that prophet, or that dreamer of ____ (Deut 13:3)
- 5 Japanese currency
- 6 Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a (Acts 22:25)
- as for the day! for the day of the LORD is at hand (Joel 1:15)
- 8 and found the colt t by the door (partial word)(Mark 11:4)
- 9 Who then is that faithful and wise _____ard (partial word)(Luke 12:42)
- 10 Pride goeth before _____, and an haughty spirit before a fall (Prov 16:18)
- 12 the fig tree, and the , and the olive tree (Haggai 2:19)
- 15 So they two went until they came _ Bethlehem (Ruth 1:19)
- 18 for out of that well they _____ the flocks (Gen 29:2) 20 And there shall come forth a rod out of the _____ of of Jesse (Isaiah 11:1)
- 22 take thine ease, _____, drink, and be merry (Luke 12:19)
- 23 M____ and female created he them; and blessed them (partial word)(Gen 5:2)
- 25 If ye had faith grain of mustard seed (two words) (Luke 17:6)
- 28 We ought to ____ God rather than men (Acts 5:29)
- 29 Peter went up, and drew the _____ to land full of great fishes (John 21:11)
- 31 He lieth in wait secretly as a lion in his (Ps 10:9)
- 33 Lord, lay this sin to their charge (Acts 7:60)
- 37 we are of the truth, and shall _____ our hearts (1 John 3:19)
- 39 FREE WORD "later"
- 41 he was twelve years ____d, they went up (partial word)(Luke 2:42) 42 FREE WORD "nile"
- 43 0 _ration of vipers, who hath warned you to flee (partial word)(Matt 3:7)
- 45 the church by Christ Jesus throughout all _____, world without end (Eph 3:21)
- 46 saith the LORD of h _, Hearken not (partial word)(Jer 23:16)
- 48 FREE WORD "vat"
- 49 Master, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very (John 8:4)
- 50 delivered him to four q___ernions of soldiers (partial word)(Acts 12:4)

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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 . . ." I 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

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AGE

Even In The Darkness

My youngest granddaughter Rachel, age 18, is walking through the darkest "testing time" of her young life. Rachel is a senior in high school and has dreams for the future. Rachel loves Jesus

and is the "apple of her Daddy's eye." A few months ago, due to severe headaches, she was diagnosed with a tumor the size of a golf ball at the base of her brain. The doctors at Vanderbilt University Hospital in Nashville Tennessee removed the tumor. They felt sure the malignancy was contained in the tumor. Rachel came home feeling well and she still had her beautiful long hair. Radiation treatments began and she has become very ill and weak, and has lost weight. So much prayer and fasting is going up for Rachel. There are loved ones who believe, as I do,

that Rachel is healed. Then there are others who love Jesus, but feel the doctors should proceed with chemotherary. I share this valley with you if you should be going through darkness in your family. I have seen the healing power of Jesus Christ many times throughout the years.

(Is your faith and hope in Jesus Christ?) The psalmist David said in Psalm 23, "Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil..." Notice David said, through the valley of the shadow only, I will fear no evil. Isn't it beautiful how the Lord spoke of the little sparrow. A little sparrow has no beautiful colors like the other birds. It has no song like the dove or any other bird. Yet, He saw the little sparrow that fell to the ground today. How much more does He care for you and me? The Lord moves in the dark times of our lives. Thank God there is a resting place in Jesus where we can bathe in the healing stream. David said in Psalm 3:4-54, "I cried unto the Lord with my voice and he heard me out of his holy hill. I laid me down and

slept; I awaked; for the Lord sustained me." Proverbs 3:5 says, "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding." Keep praying and trust in the Lord.

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

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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

You can request a prayer cloth by simply using the enclosed envelope or by writing us today at the address on the back of this newsletter or by email.

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216 Hill St. Livermore, KY (next to the Post Office)

Special Services

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 8TH @ 6 PM BENEFIT GOSPEL SINGING

THE BURDEN FAMILY KEITH PAYTON BILLY DOUGLAS TYLER WILLIS

A Love Offering will be taken and All proceeds will go to benefit Bill & Nancy Willis...Sister Nancy has been diagnosed with Cancer and needs help with her medication and treatments. Also the transmission on their van recently went out and needs repair.

If you would like to make a donation but cannot attend you can send your check to the address below...please make your check out to VOTL Ministries and include a note or write "Willis Benefit" in the memo.



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Please help us take the Gospel to the world. Send a Love Gift TODAY!

Feel free to share any prayer requests, testimonies, comments or suggestions that you might have.

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