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*Blessed is the nation whose God is the
LORD; and the people whom he hath
chosen for his own inheritance.
Psalms 33:12*



The Day The Cricket Preached

As a youth, I squirmed through many a worship service. This particular Sunday was to have an added distraction. As soon as the preacher got up to deliver his sermon, a cricket walked out onto the stage. He probably came from one of the cracks that were to be found most anywhere in the old building. Everyone in the first three rows saw the cricket. He looked dazed, and stumbled near the edge of the pulpit area. Our eyes followed his every step. We could see that he had to come to the other edge again, and we shouted to ourselves, "Jump! Jump!" But alas, the cricket did not jump. Time after time he walked back and forth. I don't know if the sermon was any good that day, but the cricket was sure fun to watch. When the invitation song began, we all stood up and watched the cricket run. He almost got stepped on when the song leader walked toward the microphone, and we all laughed. Then my laughter turned to amazement. Someone had gone forward! My dad. He wasn't a Christian, and my mom and I had been trying for years to get him to come to church with us, to no avail until today. Now the preacher was taking him back to baptize him. "Dad," I asked later. "What made you want to be baptized today?" Dad asked, "Didn't you hear how Jesus gave His life for us so that we could be saved?" I hung my head in shame. The beautiful message of the Bible did not reach me that day. I had been watching the cricket. To this day, I believe that cricket was preaching to me. He was saying, "Watch me! Jesus isn't important. I'm more fun!" Since then there have been many more crickets walk across the stage: fretful babies, sneezes, coughs, etc. A lot of things will tend to distract a person from worshiping God. But I learned my lesson. God is more important than anything. Every time God's Word is being preached, the devil is nearby! Jesus said, "And these are they by the way side, where the word is sown; but when they have heard, Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word that was sown in their hearts." (Mark 4:15).

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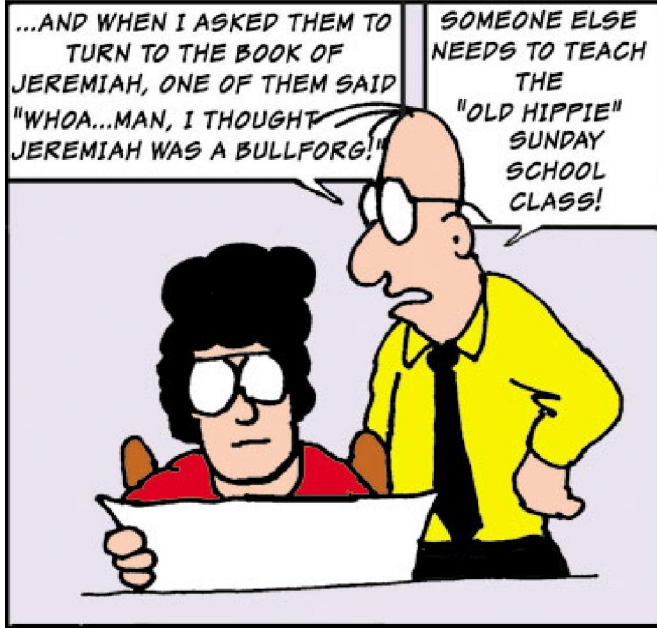
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EVERYONE WELCOME



CHURCH OF THE COVERED DISH by Thom Tapp



Cousin Leroy

Finding Leroy jr. making faces at others on the playground, Ms. Hobblesnoppin stopped to gently reprove him. Smiling sweetly, the School teacher said, "Now now Leroy, when I was a child, I was told that if I made ugly faces, it would freeze and I would stay like that forever." Little Leroy looked up and replied, "Well, Ms Hobblesnoppin, you can't say they didn't warn ya!"

The Secret To Wealth

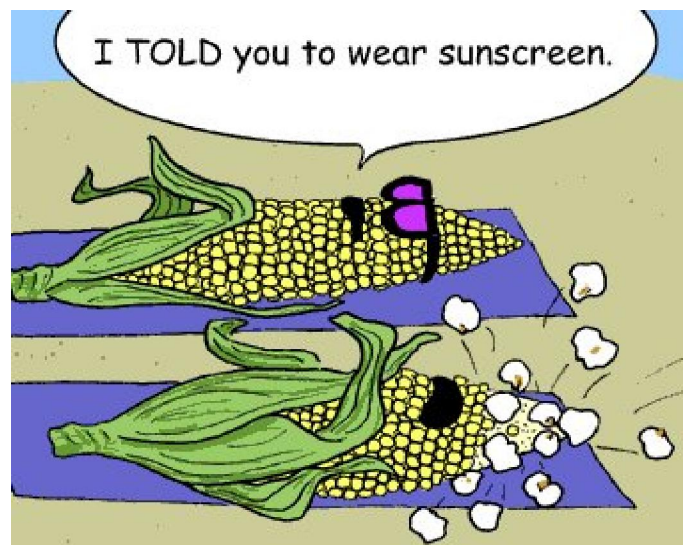
A young man asked an old rich man how he made his money. The old guy fingered his worsted wool vest and said "Well, son, it was 1932. The depth of the Great Depression. I was down to my last nickel. I invested that nickel in an apple. I spent the entire day polishing the apple and, at the end of the day, I sold the apple for ten cents. The next morning, I invested those ten cents in two apples. I spent the entire day polishing them and sold them at 5:00 pm for 20 cents. I continued this system for a month, by the end of which I'd accumulated a fortune of \$1.37. Then my wife's father died and left us two million dollars."

You Might be a Preacher if...

1. You've been asked, "What's so hard about preaching?"
2. Others say they wish they only had to work one day a week! (oh, if they only knew!!!)
3. If you have ever said "I'm NEVER going to be a preacher!"
4. You wear your new shoes to church and someone comments "We are paying you too much money!"
5. Women call up and say they want you to marry them.
6. You keep relating movies you've seen or books you've read to sermon topics.
7. You name your bed "The Word." - (You tell everyone that you "Stay in the Word")
8. You jiggle all the commode handles at the church before you leave.
9. Instead of being "ticked off," you get "grieved in your spirit."
10. You've ever dreamed you were preaching only to awaken and discover you were.

Follow Me

Dr. Brown and her four-year-old daughter were on the way to preschool, the doctor had left her stethoscope on the car seat, and her little girl picked it up and began playing with it. "Be still, my heart," thought the doctor, "My daughter wants to follow in my footsteps!" Then the child spoke into the instrument: "Welcome to McDonald's. May I take your order?"





“Your Condition IS NOT Your Conclusion”

In those days was Hezekiah sick unto death. And the prophet Isaiah the son of Amoz came to him, and said unto him, Thus saith the LORD, Set thine house in order; for thou shalt die, and not live. Then he turned his face to the wall, and prayed unto the LORD, saying, I beseech thee, O LORD, remember now how I have walked before thee in truth and with a perfect heart, and have done that which is good in thy sight. And Hezekiah wept sore. And it came to pass, afore Isaiah was gone out into the middle court, that the word of the LORD came to him, saying, Turn again, and tell Hezekiah the captain of my people, Thus saith the LORD, the God of David thy father, I have heard thy prayer, I have seen thy tears: behold, I will heal thee: on the third day thou shalt go up unto the house of the LORD. And I will add unto thy days fifteen years; and I will deliver thee and this city out of the hand of the king of Assyria; and I will defend this city for mine own sake, and for my servant David's sake. 2nd Kings 20:1-6

All of us have a condition, and no matter how long you have lived we all have had a condition. The word Condition as defined by Webster's dictionary means: "A mode of being or form of existence of a person or thing, a state at a particular time." Now what we need to understand as Christians is that whatever condition you or I may have God has a remedy for, it's not what you have but what he can deliver you from and bring you into. We all look at life and wonder how did we end up here and what can we do to get out of this and into our destiny. Let me give you 3 points that will move you from your condition into your God given conclusion. 1. Understanding Your Condition I need to first understand that God has declared my end from my beginning. Isaiah 41:26 - Who hath declared from the beginning, that we may know? and beforetime, that we may say, He is righteous? yea, there is none that sheweth, yea, there is none that declareth, yea, there is none that heareth your words. Now knowing that he has declared my beginning it helps me to understand what Jeremiah 29:11 - For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. This declaration gives me the peace to know that my condition is not the end but just the beginning. Understand that God has a plan for your life and in that plan he wants you to know that, that condition is your release to your conclusion. Understand that the condition does not kill you but helps you use the faith God gave you to overcome. Now let look at two more scriptures that release the hope in knowing that God did not make a mistake in choosing you to deal with this condition. 1. Isaiah 54:17 - No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and their righteousness is of me, saith the LORD. Understand that a condition is a weapon that the enemy forms against you but the scripture says it can not prosper. What is the condition that the enemy has formed against you that has you back stepping into fear and oppression? Let the condition form just don't give it power over you, you take the power that is given to us in the Word and know that it's not your conclusion. 2. Romans 8:28 - And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose. Understand that the bible declared to us that no matter what the condition is it is working for my good. It was formed leaving a condition but it all worked for my good, understand you have to know that this condition is for the glory of the Lord. Paul said in 2nd Corinthians 12:9 - And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. Talking like even in his condition (infirmities) he had grace that gave him the ability to stand and count it as joy. 2. Prayer Condition Now in point two, I want to explore how to approach God in the middle of your condition, your approach to God is going to be important in the responds that you hear from him. The condition of your prayer is going to open and or close doors; I must have first gotten the statement in order to release my faith to believe that my condition is the opening for my conclusion. According to the prayer that Hezekiah prays in 2nd Kings 20:2-3 - Then he turned his face to the wall, and prayed unto the LORD, saying, O LORD, remember now how I have walked before thee in truth and with a perfect heart, and have done that which is good in thy sight. And Hezekiah wept sore. , he appeals to God as a son who has not finished he work and bends on the grace of his father to grant him the time that is needed to become complete in Him. Take note that Hezekiah did not allow this condition of death to distract him from his prayer of faith. I want you to know that you condition does not control you, you control it...don't baste in the words of the doctor, lawyer, or bill collector... they don't have the conclusion, they just have a condition that God says in Proverbs 21:1 - The king's heart is in the hand of the LORD, as the rivers of water: he turneth it whithersoever he will. So as we close out this point let's look at James 5:16b where the Bible declares "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." Condition yourself to pray effectually (sufficient to produce a result). 3. Expectation It is said that expectation is the breeding ground for miracles. Hezekiah did not pray just to hear himself but he prayed with expectation. He did not know when God would answer but he knew that it had to be before his death, as only as God can does he gives answers even before you are done praying. I want to declare to all of you that God is answering your prayers and dealing with your conditions as you read this today. Hezekiah was not the only one that had conditions as you check the bible log, you will find many others that suffered from conditions and because they had expectation their conclusion was great. What is expectation nothing more than having faith to believe God for a testimony. For the bible declares in Revelation 12:11 - And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death. Overcoming conditions by the blood of the lamb and Romans 4:17b - and calleth those things which be not as though they were. Now in my conclusion let's start by saying no matter what your condition may be it is not your conclusion. Your condition may be: Drugs, Alcohol, Smoking, Sex, Lust Pain, Abuse, etc...God says that it's not your conclusion, it's just a trick of the enemy to make you feel that you will always be bound by you condition. I am here as a witness to let you know that it is not over until God says it is over. Remember God said through the mouth of the apostle Paul in 2nd Corinthians 4:17 -For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding [and] eternal weight of glory; (affliction=conditions) Moses had a condition he was a murderer: Exodus 2:12 -And he looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand. It was his condition but not his conclusion, he became the savior to the Jews, being an instrument to deliver them out of Egypt. Naamman had a condition he was leper: 2nd Kings 5:10 - And Elisha sent a messenger unto him, saying, Go and wash in Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean. It was his condition but not his conclusion, after he washed in Jordan he became clean.

Let me give you some good news... you are not at your end; you are just at the beginning.

Until next time, let your light shine for Jesus! Evangelist Mike Heltsley - Preaching The Truth Ministries

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The Face of God in Forgiveness

And Jacob said, Nay, I pray thee, if now I have found grace in thy sight, then receive my present at my hand: for therefore I have seen thy face, as though I had seen the face of God, and thou wast pleased with me. Genesis 33:10

In the above passage of scripture we find Jacob coming face to face with his brother Esau for the first time in more than twenty years. This was not a normal reunion due to the fact of the way they had parted company years before. Esau had sold his birthright to Jacob for no more than a bowl of beans simply because he thought so little of his birthright at the time. However, later when his belly was full and his hunger had passed he was angry with Jacob when Jacob received what he felt was rightfully his even though he had agreed to sell it to his brother. After fleeing from his angry brother Esau, Jacob found himself some years later once again fleeing from someone...this time it was Laban who was angry with him. So Jacob finds himself running from Laban but not only that...he finds himself heading right back toward his brother who he was sure was still full of anger...hate and unforgiveness towards him. To make a long story short Jacob sent gifts and present before him with others in hopes that it might soften the heart of his brother Esau...what he didn't realize was that God had already dealt with Esau's heart. When he finally sees his brother in the distance his fear no doubt became even more real...then as they came closer to one another the Bible says that "Esau ran to meet him"...this probably didn't help Jacobs fear any...for all he knew his brother was running to him in anger to take his life. But this is not what he finds...no, just the opposite. His brother begins to weep and embrace him...and he doesn't see the hatred that he expected...the unforgiveness that he dreaded facing. He sees "forgiveness" in the face of his brother. Then he makes this powerful statement..."for therefore I have seen thy face, as though I had seen the face of God" What did he see in the face of his brother? Forgiveness! And in seeing that...he saw the face of God! I wonder today if we realize what this really means. Let me ask you this question. If looking into the face of forgiveness Jacob saw the face of God...whose face would he have seen had he looked into his brothers face and saw the face of anger, wrath, unforgiveness and hate? It sure would not have been the face of God. Let me ask you another question...when people look at you and they see unforgiveness whose face are you showing them? How is it that we who have been forgiven of so much find it so hard many times to forgive others of what in comparison amounts to so little? When Peter asked Jesus about forgiving others in Matthew the 18th chapter...he told them the story of a King who had a servant that owed him an amount that some scholars say was at least A TRILLION DOLLARS by today's standards. And when this King called the servant and demanded that he pay what he owed the servant fell down and begged for mercy. The King was moved with compassion and forgave ALL OF HIS DEBT and set him free. Then the story goes on to tell how that this same servant who had been forgiven of so much went and found a man who owed him "\$15.00" and demanded that he pay him! And when the servant said that he couldn't...he fell down before this man who had been forgiven of so much and pleaded for mercy. Did he forgive him as he had been forgiven? NO! Can you imagine this man who had been forgiven of a debt that in a hundred lifetimes he could never repay NOW refuses forgiveness to a man who owes him so little when compared to that. Why do we who have been shown so much grace have such a hard time forgiving others of so little? How did the story end you ask? Well after the King heard of what happened he called for the first servant who had been forgiven of so much...Matthew 18:32-35 Then his lord, after that he had called him, said unto him, O thou wicked servant, I forgave thee all that debt, because thou desiredst me: Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow-servant, even as I had pity on thee? And his lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all that was due unto him. So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses. I don't think the message can be much plainer than that...when we harbor unforgiveness we not only harm ourselves...but also the one that we hold the anger and resentment toward. Remember what Jacob said he saw in Esau's face? He saw the face of God in forgiveness...that's exactly what people in your life will see. Oh they can understand anger...they can understand unforgiveness...but when they see you forgive they see something supernatural...something miraculous...something outside the realm of our carnal mind...they see GOD! And only when they see in you something that they do not have...then AND ONLY THEN will you make them want what that is! **Christ in you the hope of Glory!!** Until next time may the LORD bless and keep you is my prayer and may the Lord help us all to forgive others as we ourselves have been forgiven! Pastor Billy R. Douglas

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Oreo Cream Cheese Delight

- 18 oz. pkg. of Oreo cookies
- 1/2 cup margarine
- 8 oz. cream cheese
- 2 (8 oz.) tubs Cool Whip
- 6 oz. (big box) instant Chocolate Pudding

Crush cookies and mix with butter. Put a little aside to sprinkle on top of your desert. Press the rest firmly into the bottom of a 13x9 pan. While this is resting, mix cream cheese with ONE 8 oz container of Cool Whip. Mix until smooth. Spread onto of the cookie crust. Prepare pudding according to directions and pour over cream cheese layer. Refrigerate for 15 minutes. Spread remaining 8 oz. container of cool-whip on top of the pudding layer. Sprinkle the rest of the cookie crumbs on top of the Cool Whip layer. Refrigerate.

Refridgerator Pickles

Submitted by Rita Caylor

- 4 c. sugar
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 1/3 tsp tumeric
- 1 1/3 tsp mustard seed
- 1 1/2 tsp celery seed
- 4 c. vinegar
- 2 to 3 large sweet onions
- 8 to 9 cucumbers

Stir together first six ingredients, bring to a boil and boil until sugar is dissolved: Cool completely. Slice onions, peel and thinly slice cucumbers. Alternate between onions and cucumbers as you fill 6 pint jars. Cover veggies with liquid, cap but (DO NOT SEAL) and (KEEP REFRIDGERATED) Ready to use next day.

Butter Pecan Pound Cake

- 1 Butter Pecan Cake Mix
- 4 eggs
- 1/2 cup oil
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 tub of coconut pecan icing

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Mix all ingredients...including tub of icing. Pour into a bundt pan and bake for 45 to 60 minutes. Turn out on plate. Drizzle with glaze if desired.

Chicken Tortilla Casserole

- 1 (13.5 ounce) package nacho-flavor tortilla chips, crushed
 - 4 boneless chicken breast halves, cooked and shredded
 - 1 yellow bell pepper, chopped
 - 1 red bell pepper, chopped
 - 1 onion, chopped
 - 3 tomatoes, chopped
 - 1 (10.75 ounce) can condensed cream of mushroom soup
 - 1 (10.75 ounce) can condensed cream of chicken soup
 - 1 (10 ounce) can enchilada sauce
 - 3/4 cup water
 - 2 cups shredded Colby jack cheese
- Preheat oven to 350 degrees

Spread the crushed chips in the bottom of a 9x13 inch baking dish to form crust. Layer shredded chicken on top. In a small bowl mix together the yellow bell pepper, red bell pepper, onion and tomatoes and spread this mixture on top of chicken. In a separate bowl mix together the cream of mushroom soup, cream of chicken soup, enchilada sauce and water. Pour this mixture over all and top with cheese. Bake in the preheated oven for 25 minutes, or until cheese is brown and bubbly.

Have a favorite recipe you would like to share with our readers? Please send your recipe to the ministry address on the back page of the newsletter OR email your recipe to reesiesrecipes@juno.com



"Separated to Serve"

*"Paul, a servant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, separated unto the gospel of God,."
Romans 1:1 (KJV)*

You might think that to be owned by someone, would be reason enough to serve him. After all, most of us have jobs, that own us for 8-10 hours per day, and we try our hardest to do a good job, in hopes that we will not only keep our jobs, but be afforded the opportunity for raises, and even promotions. But Paul, was arrested by Jesus, while on the road to Damascus: he was caused to lose his eyesight - and faced with some of his most despicable deeds he had perpetrated against the disciples, and the followers of Christ. You would think it would have angered him or turned him even more sternly against this Christ of the Human road. Yet, Paul decided to follow Jesus. Did you ever wonder why? To me, it would be a major event in anyone's life if someone were to come along with such power that they could cause you to literally be blinded for three days: you might become angry too. But let's quickly take a look at that 8th verse found there in the book of Acts chapter 9 that says, "his eyes were opened, but he saw no man." Friend, I can't help it friend, I've got to stop here for a minute. Are you feeling what I'm feeling? Are you seeing in your spirit what I am seeing? Oh that when we stand behind the pulpit to sing, or read scripture or to preach; we would be so surrendered to the Lord, that the audience would be blinded from our performance, and only see Jesus. If we could come to that place of such Holy Surrender before Him, I believe that the church would grow by leaps and bounds. (See John 12:32) Great performances and great music in the church is wonderful when it is birthed by the move of the Spirit of God. Yet, how many times has our "well-meaning" Pomp & Circumstance of "religious programming" taken the show, and Jesus got pushed into the background? We must always remember that "He (Jesus) must increase, we must decrease." John 3:30 The Bible tells us, that Paul spent the next three days and nights on his knees in prayer and fasting. Jesus was dealing with His chosen vessel to bear His name before the Gentiles, Kings, and the children of Israel. He was to take a very prominent place in the kingdom of God then, and for all time. Oh my dear friends in Christ...Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, somewhere along your life's journey has arrested you. He has placed you and I along side the very name of Paul and the other Disciples, as His chosen vessel... yet, it seems as if we're all out on bail! Anything and everything is more important than our commitment to our Savior. Did Jesus Not say that we are to be His chosen vessels? Are we not a royal priesthood, called not just to serve, but to save? We cannot afford to be Part-timers. The cost of one soul is too great! Somewhere during Paul's 3 days and nights of blindness, he discovered that to be a slave (Wednesdays and Sundays) was not enough. He became duolos - the bondservant - "one who gives himself up to the will of another." In this, there was no bondage required. He was not only owned by Christ, but completely surrendered to Him. Which are you? Most of us couldn't even go one day without eating or drinking to rediscover God's will for our lives. There may even be a physical reason that would not permit you to do so, even if you wanted to. But there is nothing to stop you from selecting a time at the altar of your heart to ask God the Holy Spirit to search you, and try you, and see if there is any reservation to service or servanthood in your life today. Actually I think that most of us have an idea already as to how we have failed him and have just never taken the time to set things right. I hope this is your day. Seek Him now. In this day and in this hour...we can ill-afford to just be servants. We must become bondservants - in full surrender to our Lord. Pastor Wayne Clabaugh, I

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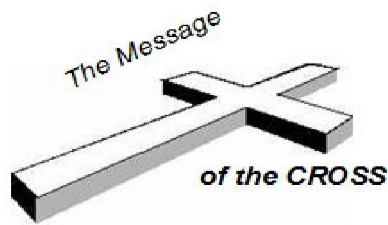
This corner of this months newsletter is dedicated to the loving memory of the parents of Ministry Partner Marteen Kluck...

Oscar Phelps - August 30, 2001

Dulcie Phelps - June 30, 2004

Absent from this world...Present with the LORD

*Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his
saints. Psalms 116:15*



and saw Heaven opened, and a certain vessel descending unto him, as it had been a great sheet knit at the four corners, and let down to the Earth: Wherein were all manner of fourfooted beasts of the Earth, and wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls of the air. And there came a Voice to him, Rise, Peter; kill, and eat (Acts 10:11–13).

This great Vision shown to Simon Peter was one of the greatest in human history. All of the different animals represented in the Vision, almost all of them unclean, as represented by the words, “all manner,” proclaims the fact that the Gospel of Jesus Christ, afforded by the Cross, was meant to go to all nations of the world. In other words, when Jesus died on the Cross, He died not only for the Jewish people, but actually for the entirety of mankind (Jn. 3:16). There was to be “one fold,” and only one fold. Jesus said, “And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold (meaning the Gentiles): them (the other nations of the world, the Gentiles) also I must bring, and they shall hear My voice (the Church); and there shall be one fold, and one Shepherd” (that One Shepherd is the Lord Jesus Christ [Jn. 10:16]). This great lesson was hard for Peter and the Twelve to learn. But Christ is “Lord of all” and the Gospel is for “whosoever will” (Acts 10:43). Peter had proclaimed the election of the Gentiles to Salvation in Acts 2:21, 39, but he was, as we are, so dull and prejudiced that this Vision had to be given to him three times to make him realize the fact (Acts 10:16). As stated, the meaning of all this, as would be obvious, is significant beyond comprehension, because it pertains to the Salvation of the entirety of humanity, at least all who will believe, as afforded by the Cross. The great concept is: “Whosoever will ...” (Rev. 22:17). Cornelius and his household were the first to come in under the new order. But thank God this great Vision also included you and me! To know that you and I were in this Vision humbles us, or at least it certainly should!

*“Come ye sinners, lost and hopeless, “Jesus’ Blood can make you clean,
“For He saved the worst among you, “When He saved a wretch like me!”*

Evangelist Jimmy Swaggart - www.jsm.org

ALL THINGS

Sister Nancy Willis

And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose. Romans 8:28

As you know if you have been listening to the news lately, you know our economy is in bad shape. A few weeks ago when the president was talking about the ssi, ss ,retirement checks not coming and so forth. People were getting very uptight not knowing how they were going to make it. My husband made this comment , “well that’s what the president is saying, but lets see what the BLOOD HAS TO SAY.” So I got to thinking about the verse that says.. “ALL THINGS WORK TOGETHER FOR GOOD TO THEM THAT LOVE GOD, TO THEM WHO ARE THE CALLED ACCORDING TO HIS PURPOSE.” So whatever we go through if we belong to God its doing to work out for our good. All of our problems, no matter what they might be is for our good. And remember if you belong to Jesus he will take care of you. And remember he will do what he said he would do.

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But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us. We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; Persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed; 2 Corinthians 4:7-9



“Happy Birthday”

On September 23rd Pastor Billy Douglas will be celebrating his 45th Birthday!

If you would like to send a card letting him know how much you appreciate him it would be a blessing. Also when sending the card if you would prayerfully consider sending a love gift to the Ministry in honor of his birthday that would be much appreciated as well.



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LET US PRAY FOR OUR CHILDREN

Another "Amber Alert" just came on the television news today. Another child abducted at gunpoint from among a group of little children waiting at the school bus stop. America's beautiful children -millions aborted in the womb, and so many in danger who are alive. Jesus loves the little children. Matthew 19:14 says, "But Jesus said, Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven." America was safe when I was a child. We played in the mountains near our home all day without fear of people. I remember the only thing we were afraid of was the little graveyard, because when one of the "younguns" said they saw a "haint" (that is a mountain word for ghost), we would head for the house! Today, we hold our children's hand everywhere we go we even have fear of them playing in the yard. The word says, "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God" (Psalm 9:17). Praise the Lord, I know of a few watchmen on the wall who are warning America. Their message is God's mercy toward us. "Seek the Lord while He may be found, call ye upon Him while He is near" (Isaiah 55:6) He is our Savior, our Great Defender, our Sanctuary praise His Holy Name!

Let us pray for our children, let us pray. Let us pray for our children, let us pray. There's an enemy among us trying to take their souls astray. Let us pray for our children, let us pray. We must fight for our children, we must fight. We must fight for our children, we must fight. There's an enemy among us trying to take our children from us. Let us pray for our children, let us pray. Come and lay them on the altar one more time. Tell Satan, You can't have my children, they are mine. He can't cross that crimson flood, they are covered with Jesus' blood. Come and lay them on the altar one more time. We must pray for our children, let us pray.

Psalm 46:1 says that God is our refuge and strength, a very present (right now) help in trouble. Psalm 42:8 says that the Lord will command His loving kindness in the daytime, and in the night His song shall be with me, and my prayer unto the God of my life.

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