

Church News

Songbooks Available

Pine Hill Holiness Church now has songbooks available. Books may be picked up. Call 256-2535 for more info, or send \$14.00 (\$12.00 plus \$2.00 postage) to: Pine Hill Holiness Church, Rt. 2 Box 85, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

Recipes Needed

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church needs recipes for a cookbook. Please send any recipes to Lisa Carpenter at PO Box 183, Livingston, KY 40445 or email lac1@khi.net. The church is also selling Home Interior candles for \$6 each. All proceeds go to the church building fund.

Jesus to the Rescue

Bible School - Livingstone Pentecostal Holiness Church, June 18-22, 2001, 6 to 8 p.m. nightly. James Miller, pastor. 256-4866.

Singing

McNew Chapel Third Saturday Gospel Singing, Saturday, June 16th at 7 p.m. featuring The Soul Winners from Barboursville. Pastor Jerry Ballinger and church welcome everyone.

VBS

Vacation Bible School will be held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church June 18-22 at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. nightly. Classes will be held for all ages. A puppet show will be presented on Friday night June 22nd with a cook-out following. Everyone is invited to attend.

VBS

Roundstone Baptist Church, June 18th - 22nd, 6:30 to 9:00 p.m.

Singing

Annual Brush Arbor singing, Philadelphia United Baptist Church, Bryant Ridge Rd., Brodhead, July 6 - 8, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Revival

Come join us at Lighthouse Assembly of God for Revival. Gordon Jensen, an outstanding singer, songwriter and speaker will be with us June 17th at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. and then nightly at 7 p.m. thru June 20th. Gordon has been guest speaker on the 700 Club, TBN, and others. He has been highly recommended by Bill Gaither, Tommy Barnett, and the

Billy Graham Association. Come be with us for Revival and see the Lord move powerfully and beautifully! Community Prayer Service Sick of having family and friends destroyed by drugs, alcohol, abuse, etc.? Tired of feeling like there is nothing that can be done? There is something that we can do. "Again I tell you, if two of you on earth agree about whatever [anything and everything] they may ask, it will come to pass and be done for them by my Father in heaven. For whenever two or three are gathered (drawn together as my followers) in my name, there I

AM in the midst of them" Matthew 18: 19-20 AMP. Please join us on June 15th at 7 p.m. hosted by Faith Harvest Fellowship. FHF meets in the sanctuary of Our Lady of Mt. Vernon located on Williams St. across from MVES.

VBS

Pleasant Run Baptist Church will have a kickoff Sunday, June 10th at 10 a.m. for Vacation Bible School. Youth will conduct the services with a cookout afterwards. Games, treats for kids. VBS will follow June 11th-15th at 6 p.m. Bro. Steve Weaver and church welcomes all.



The Family Room

By: Dr. Roy Don Whitehead

How Can I Make Myself Feel Worse

"How can I make myself feel worse?" Have you ever asked yourself that question? Of course not. No one wants to feel worse than he already does but sometimes our actions leave us in worse shape than before. Consider the following scenarios. (All characters are fictitious.) Jim is not happy with his job. He thinks he does not get the same consideration as other employees. His impression is that the boss talks to everybody but him, and he was recently passed over for a promotion that he thought should have been his. He complains to his wife, "I'm afraid I'm going to get fired. I've got to do something."

Jim decided to have a heart-to-heart talk with his boss. Normally this would have been a good idea, but Jim was so angry about the perceived mistreatment that he "went off" on his boss and was fired. Now he is unemployed and feels worse than before.

Marge has not slept in two weeks. Her anxiety is worse than it has ever been. "I worry about my kids, my car; job, just anything!" she told a friend. Her friend suggested that they go out together on the weekend. "A little excitement is just the thing for you," her friend said.

Marge and her friend had a good time Saturday night, especially after Marge had several drinks. "Alcohol always relaxes me," Marge told her friend. On Sunday morning though, Marge felt worse than ever. Not only was she anxious but now she had a hangover.

Sunday afternoon Marge began drinking again. "Just a couple of wine coolers," she told herself. "That will get rid of this hangover." When two drinks did not help she tried

more. When wine coolers did not take care of the problem, she switched to hard liquor. By Sunday night she was very drunk.

"Monday morning she called her workplace," "I'm too sick to work today," she told them and went back to bed. By the end of the week Marge was drinking steadily, had missed three days of work and was in worse shape than ever.

While the alcohol made her forget her anxiety, in the long run drinking made her feel worse.

Bill was not a happy man. His wife had just given birth to their first child. "Shannon used to pay attention to me," he said to himself, "now she has no time for me. The only thing she has time for is that baby."

As Bill grew more depressed, he began talking to a friend at work. Jane was also unhappy in her marriage, and she and Bill loved to talk to each other. Bill invited her to meet him after work "just so we can talk," and the relationship soon progressed into a full-blown affair.

For the first month of the affair Bill felt wonderful. He and Jane spent as much time as possible together. "I have never had a woman I could talk to like this," Bill told her.

After a month or so Bill began to feel guilty. He had never done anything like this before. He began to berate himself that he was being a poor husband and father. He tried to break off the relationship, but Jane was not easily cast aside. He would tell her it was over, and the next day she would call him and they would meet again. His wife suspected even worse than he did before the affair. "How did I get myself in this mess?" he asked.

(Cont. to A7)

In Loving Memory

In Loving Memory Of Our Dear Precious Suzanne, who passed away 2 years ago, June 14, 1999

When Tomorrow Starts

By: David M. Romano
When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not there to see;
If the sun should rise and find your eyes,

all filled with tears for me;
But today you would not cry, the way you did today,
while thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me, as much as I love you,
and each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too;
But when tomorrow starts without me,

please try to understand, that an Angel came and called my name,
and took me by the hand, and said my place was ready, in heaven far above,
and that I'd have to leave behind, all those I dearly love.

But as I turned to walk away, a tear fell from my eye,
for all life I'd always thought, I didn't want to die,
I had so much to live for, so much yet to do,
it seemed almost impossible, that I was leaving you.

I thought of all the yesterdays, the good ones and the bad,
I thought of all the love we shared, and all the fun we had.

If I could relive yesterday, just even for a while,
I'd say goodbye and kiss you, and maybe see you smile.

But then I fully realized, that this could never be, for emptiness and memories, would take the place of me.

And when I thought of worldly things, I might miss come tomorrow, I thought of you, and when I did, my heart was filled with sorrow.



Do You Know Who These People Are?

The one who is standing the tallest and is wearing the black belt is Ella Thomas McCormick Payne. She first married Edd McCormick and her second husband was Tully Payne. They lived at Pine Hill. No one seems to know who the other two ladies are.

This picture was made 1921-22 at Livingston. If you know who they are, please let me know by mail: Marie Payne, 223 McClelland Rd., Cordele, GA 31015-9737. Or you may write to the Mt. Vernon Signal.

I would appreciate your response. Ella Payne was my mother-in-law. I'm trying to get family information for my children.

Thank You,
Marie Payne

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Times: **6-8:30 PM**
Place: **Northside Baptist Church**
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