

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,

"America"
I can't express the impact that this national tragedy has had on our great country this past week. My sympathy goes out to the ones that perished and their loved ones. The reason I'm writing this article is to find out why does something like this have to happen to bring so many Americans close together.

As you pass through the country, states and probably the whole nation see American flags flying all over the place and as a matter of fact it is hard to purchase one right now. What I'm trying to say is, we should be proud to fly Old Glory everyday not just when our great nation takes a serious blow. Where is all the support on Memorial Day, Flag Day, Veteran's Day, etc.

Have we lost the love of being a true American and a free nation?
I fly Old Glory everyday at my residence. I guess I'm guilty as a lot of people because you see I'm a Vietnam Veteran and it took the experience of the Vietnam War to show me what it truly means to be an American.

Let us all join together and fly this flag everyday of the year. God bless this great nation we call the United States of America.

Raymond Caldwell
Broadhead, KY

Dear Editor,

At the befall of the High Dry Cemetery funding committee I would like to give a big thanks to Owens Monuments for the recent creation of the engraved marker.

This stone will clearly mark the road to our small community cemetery. So many of our families and friends have been unable to find the cemetery since it is not located directly on the county highway. Now everyone who knows the Sand Springs Road can easily identify the way to the cemetery since we have an engraved marker pointing the direction.

Thanks to the generosity of Marvin and Judy Owens along with Buzz Carlouts for making this come to a reality. We really appreciate the stone.

Sincerely,
Jonet Phelps, Treasurer
Mt. Vernon, KY

Dear Editor,

The U.S. government was created by, and its powers were defined by, the Constitution of the United States. The U.S. government has legitimacy, and it is the proper venue for exercising those powers of government that were delegated to it. For this reason we should encourage that good Americans should run for federal office and participate in the law-making process.

The same cannot be said, however, of the United Nations. The UN has no legitimate authority to impose its will on either the American people or the U.S. government. In fact the UN was not even set up as a world government, but as the framework for what the internationalists hoped would become a more highly developed and powerful One World Dictatorship.

Someday the UN were to declare abortion to be a human right. The only way this pro-death edict would become effective would be if nations

allowed the UN to supplant their own constitutions and laws. The UN can deploy forces of family, but in order to do so it is dependent upon resources provided by still-sovereign nations, particularly the United States.

The solution to the growing UN threat is not to try to channel its deepening and widening policies of global governance in a conservative or benign direction but to GET US out!

To accomplish this solution our citizens must remind our Senators and Representatives in Washington that they have sworn to uphold our Constitution. And ask why do they sit by and do nothing while our free nation is being slowly pushed into a One World UN Dictatorship?

They need to support co-sponsor HR-1146, the American Sovereignty Restoration Act of 2001 which was introduced by Representative Ron Paul on March 21, 2001. If they fail to do so we must vote them out of office during the next election!

Glenda Hoke
Louisville, KY

Dear Editor,

We have an excellent TRP program. I am very proud to be a part of it. We currently have thirty-seven clients taking part in the program. The program is divided into three units: clerical, housekeeping and kitchen.

Clerical takes care of most of the paperwork concerned with the clients (all that is not confidential anyway). Housekeeping does the cleaning for the group. They sweep and mop the dining area, run the sweeper and dust the social area, clean the bathrooms, etc. The kitchen unit does the cooking, helps plan the menus, mop the kitchen and clean the refrigerator, stove and pantry. The units take turn doing the dishes. One week the kitchen unit does the lunch dishes, the next week it's clericals turn, then housekeeping does their work.

Our Daily Schedule is:

8:00-9:00 - Consumers arrive, sign in and socialize.

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10:00-10:30 - Community meeting, goal setting.

10:30-11:30 - unit meetings and work.

11:30-12:30 - Lunch

12:30-1:30 - Continuation of units and unit work - clean-up, dishes.

1:30-2:30 - Exercise, relaxation, sign language and social games.

Once a month we have what we call a social drop-in. During the social drop-in we do different things. Sometimes we do a movie, go bowling or shopping. In July we went to Dollywood. Last year we went to the state fair, the chicken festival and court days. The consumers decide which activities they participate in on the social drop-ins.

In addition to the gateway club we also have C.R.A.M.I. (Cumberland River Association for the Mentally III). The association is run by the consumers for the consumers, the consumers family and caregivers and other interested people. At the C.R.A.M.I. meetings we discuss current events, we read news, discuss issues such as the problems of alcoholism and other addictions, or the stigma attached to the mentally ill and how to alleviate it. We also socialize.

Someday our consumers are also interested and involved in local and even statewide issues.

Sincerely,
Diana Secrist
President Gateway Club

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"WHAT SAITH THE SCRIPTURES"

In Matt 28:18, Jesus said, "And Jesus came and spoke unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth." The ASV says all authority is given unto me. Jesus has all authority in religious matters, as Paul affirms, "And all things unto him." Jesus is the head of the church, which is his body, the fullness of him that filleth all in all." Eph. 1:22-23. The head gives direction to the body, not the body giving direction to the head. If we are going to be the body of Christ we must completely submit to his will and authority. The problem with most of the religious world is that they want to do their own thing. They trust their wisdom and think so about how to worship God. Jesus spoke about those religious folks who would practice their lawless deeds in religion, but in the end they would be lost. "Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you; depart from me, ye that work iniquity." Matt. 7:22-23. They failed to honor the authority of the Lord and did their own thing. Let us respect the authority of Christ!

Providence church of Christ

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Time of Services: Sunday 10am Bible Study, Worship 10:40 & 7pm;

Wednesday 7:30pm. Sunday morning, Sunday 8am, 1460 AM

Upcoming Reunions

Barnes-McFerron

Barnes (Baron) - McFerron Reunion October 7th at Quail Park on Hwy. 70. All friends and family are invited to attend. Bring old family pictures and covered dish and enjoy the food and music.

Cowden

Cowden Reunion Saturday, 9-22-01, at the Eubank City Park. Bring a covered dish and eat at 12 noon.

Hayes

All family members, relatives and friends of Thomas C. Hayes, Sr. and Thomas C. Hayes, Jr. invited. The reunion will be held Sunday, October 7th at the Logan-Hubbard Park, located just off Hwy. 27 at the Garrard-Lincoln County Line. Plan on spending a day and enjoying the company of kinfolks.

Robinson-Thomas

Robinson-Thomas Reunion will be Oct. 6th from 12:00 - 5:00 at the Family Life Center. Bring a covered dish. Come out and enjoy. All friends and family welcome.

Bullens

Bullens Reunion will be Sept. 30th at the Acton Folk Center on West Jefferson St. in Berea. All Bullens and friends invited. Bring covered dishes. Pop, plates, utensils furnished. Lunch at 1 p.m. For more info, phone 859-986-8586.

Rader

Rader Reunion will be held Sept. 29th at The Berea Intergenerational Center (across from Berea City Park) from 11:00 - 5:00. Pot luck dinner at 12:30. All relatives and friends are welcome. Good food, fun and fellowship.

Revival

The Conway Baptist Church will be in revival services Sept. 23-28. Services will begin at 6 p.m. on Sunday and 7 p.m. Monday-Friday. Evangelist Bro. Rick Reynolds. Sunday morning breakfast Sept. 23rd. Pastor Bro. Jack Stallworth. Everyone welcome. Special singing nightly.

Singing

Kevin Spencer and friends will be singing at Pine Hill Holiness Church Thursday, Sept. 27th at 7:00 p.m. Love offering will be taken.

Revival

Grace Baptist Church, Sept. 19th - 23rd. Wed. - Bro. Roy Mitchell, Thurs. - Bro. John Clem. Fri. - Bro. Ronnie Wolfe, Sat. - Bro. Bob Jones, Sun. - Bro. Luke Lykins and Sun. night - Bro. Linn Fisher. Everyone welcome.

Free Bible Course

If you would like to receive a free 8 lesson Bible correspondence course by mail, send your name and address to: Bible Course, Rt. 4 Box 297, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

Homecoming

Sandhill Baptist Church Sunday, Sept. 23rd. Everyone welcome! Revival Sept. 27th, 28th and 29th at Sandhill Baptist Church with Bro. Eugene Gentley at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Singing

The Countess Bros. will be singing at Mt. Vernon Nazarene Church Saturday, October 13th at 7 p.m. If you haven't heard them call for them on WBVK and you'll find them. If you have heard them you'll want to be there.

Revival

The Wildie Christian Church will be in revival services Sept. 23-26, 7 p.m. each evening with Bruce Heller, senior pastor of the Jesus Christ Christian Church in Nicholasville. Special music and nursery for all services. Homecoming is Sept. 23. Everyone invited.

Women's Conference

Women's Conference 2001 at Light-house Assembly of God, Mt. Vernon (Hwy. 1004 behind Jean's Restaurant) with Terry Connor, September 21-22. Fri. at 7 p.m. and Sat. at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Lunch will be provided following the morning meeting on Sunday. For more information call 256-6299.

Church Services

Winding Blade Holiness Church Services are Sunday at 6:00 p.m. and Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Pastor Bill Carpenter. Pastor and congregation welcomes everyone. Church is located on Winding Blade Road just off Hwy. 490.

Revival

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"Sweet n' Sour"

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Jones, the widow of the late Doc Martin's widow and I, Ma's widow.

Two sisters-in-law were the remnants of the family of ten children and their mates, of the Rome and Louis DeBorde Graves family. I realized the way life does go on, and wonder why we were chosen to be the ones to close the chapter of one section of the Graves name. I am leaving one descendant, Rodney's son, Birch Jerome Graves, to carry on the tradition, "Ma's" part of the Graves heritage. Verna didn't have a son. That leaves the sons of Leonard an Doe to join Birch and, in honor, introduce the name of Jerome Graves offspring to the world. This is about the Rome and Louis DeBorde Graves branch of the tree. The others I couldn't begin to name or trace the who's and what branch (or for that matter - what tree) they came from. One thing I do know, if the name Graves appears at a reunion, he or she will always be greeted warmly and asked to sit down and have a bite with us. Even those of us who married these young men by the names of Graves caught on quickly and opened our hearts and doors and that included the welcome mat. The oldest member of the descendants of the John Graves family was another in-law, Eva Graves. She is 92 and more active than many half that age.

Nonetheless, whether we knew them by name or not, we all enjoyed being able to once again "eat, drink and be merry as a family with the same red blood flowing through our veins or through those whose vows had made us a one. There were many I didn't have a chance to visit with, even though I wanted to. I was ungodly distracted by another guest.

Enclosed is a picture of the last of the 2001 Graves Reunion at Blue Springs Community Center.

Maybe next year, there will be name tags so we, who can't remember names, will know to whom we are speaking.

Till then, May God's richest blessings keep you safe.

P.S. I told you I am no good at this. I never once bragged about all the good food and drinks - soft stuff like Coke - and merriment was everywhere. Never a streak out back for a short did I see. ZG

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Saturday, September 29th

AUCTION #1: HOUSE & LOT - 10:00 A.M.

AUCTION #2: COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - 10:30 A.M.

12195 Highway 150 East, Crab Orchard, KY



Location: Two miles east of Crab Orchard and four miles west of Broadhead on Highway 150. Auction signs are posted.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins have retired and have authorized our firm to sell their property for the absolute high dollar.

Auction 1

MR. AND MRS. DELBERT HAWKINS'

HOUSE AND LOT - 10:00 A.M.

Absolute

The above pictured vinyl siding house has approximately 1,800 sq. ft. of living area and offers living room, dining room, kitchen, family room, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, utility room and basement. Other amenities include: new septic system, deck, storm doors, 220 volt, washer/dryer hookup, and baseboard electric heat.

This nice country lot measures approximately 54/100 of an acre.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: If you like a comfortable country home, then take a look at this one. Remember, this is an absolute auction - bid last and buy.

NOTE: The purchaser of a single family residence, built before 1978, has a maximum of 10 days to inspect the property for the presence of lead base paint. The period for inspection begins September 19th through September 28th, 2001. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10 day post sale inspection period.

Auction 2

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - 10:30 A.M.

Absolute

The main building consists of 2,000 sq. ft. of sales and display area with a restroom, electric heat, oil furnace and well water with city water available. Although it has been used for a building supply store, this property could be utilized for many other types of business or as a residence.

In addition to the main building, there is also four storage buildings. One storage building measures approximately 40x50 with a 17 ft. shed and concrete/wood floor. The brick storage building 1,300 sq. ft. The metal building contains 1,386 sq. ft. of storage area and the last building has 1,250 sq. ft. of storage.

This property has over 500 feet of road frontage on Highway 150.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Hawkins Building Supply has been in this location for the past 56 years. This is truly a wonderful opportunity for someone who needs either a commercial property with storage buildings or is looking for a great investment. Don't forget to mark your calendar and attend this auction on Saturday, September 29th at 10:30 a.m.

TERMS: 20% down day of sale, balance due in 30 days.

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For additional information, contact the selling agents.

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