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Big Spring, Coahoma council races slated for Saturday

By **ROBERT BARLOW**
 Staff Writer

Saturday is Election Day in Howard County and the last chance for residents to get their votes for city elections. Tuesday wrapped up the early voting for residents which was relatively slow. The courthouse finished up with a total of 65 votes. "It's not really a highly con-

tested race," said Jodi Duck, election administrator. "We just cannot get the voter turnout that we wanted." Eligible voters will have this Saturday, May 6 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum to vote in the Big Spring District 1 race. Residents who are eligible will vote in the East Room of the coliseum, 1001 Birdwell

Lane. Coahoma City Council voting will take place at the Coahoma Community Center for residents located in Precinct 207c. "Be sure to bring your voter ID, and we would love to see people at the polls," added Duck. Linda Burchett of the Big Spring Food Truck Association will also be located out-

side the coliseum offering some incentive to help get people out to vote. Burchett will be offering a complimentary hot dog or snow-cone to those who voted and received their 'I voted' sticker. There is currently only one position on the Big Spring City Council that is up for grabs. The two candidates are incumbent Raul J. Mar-

quez Jr., and Tracy Parker. There will also be two seats for the Coahoma City Council on the ballot with four potential candidates running; Jay Holt, Brandy Manning, both incumbents, as well as T.J. Rueda, and John Mulkey. To be eligible to vote residents primary address must See **VOTE**, Page 3

Lifting up a prayer



HERALD photo/Roger Cline

Local people attending the 2017 National Day of Prayer ceremony Thursday in Heart of the City Park bow their heads in prayer. Local civic and religious leaders prayed for the people and leadership of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and the United States.

Dr. Koch to close his practice in Big Spring

Special to the Herald

Family Medical Center General Surgeon Dr. Eric Koch will be closing his practice effective May 15. He will be relocating to a sister facility in Alpine to serve as the sole general surgeon for the area.

"It is with mixed emotions that I announce the closing of my practice," Koch said. "It has been a great pleasure providing your healthcare needs over the past few years. It is not easy for me to give up, however, for the greater good, I will be moving to our sister facility in Alpine and be serving an underserved area."

Patient records will be kept at the Family Medical Center office - 1605 W. Eleventh Place - and made available to all Family Medical Center providers. All records will be kept confidential. Dr. Ladd Hoffmann will be taking over Dr. Koch's practice.

"I am pleased to have the opportunity to choose such a dedicated and skilled physician. I have peace knowing I am leaving my patients in good hands," Koch said.

All current patients have the option to relocate to the provider of their choosing. If the provider should be outside of the Family Medical Center group, a medical record release form can be filled out and the records will be sent to the patient's provider of choice. If the patient chooses

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Founder of All Creatures Sanctuary finds her rescue

By **AMANDA ELSTON**
 Managing Editor

You've got cat people and you've got dog people, but then you've got Melanie Gambrell. Founder of the local All Creatures Sanctuary and Rescue, Gambrell currently gives a home to over 20 dogs, a couple cats, a handful of horses, a steer, and a parrot.

One room in her home is dedicated to nothing but kennels. While most of the animals are being cared for until they can be relocated, some of them have made the cut into the permanent Gambrell family. One could guess that she is definitely an animal person.

"Because of where I live, it's a sanctuary," said Gambrell of her personal home/animal sanctuary. "They don't have to go anywhere. They can live with me until they die. I've got several

are 12 - 15 years old." While her animal population ranges in age from young to old, it was always Gambrell who did the rescuing. That is, until recently.

Richard, a young Catahoula who was recently adopted into Gambrell's sanctuary, decided to go on a bit of an adventure a few weeks ago. Catahoula are known runners and when Richard teamed up with another new rescue dog, off they went. Gambrell went into crisis mode posting flyers around town and at vets' offices, placing photos of Richard on Facebook, and spending long days searching around her property.

"I really needed a drone to look," laughed Gambrell.

Over a week later after posting a lost dog ad in the *Big Spring Herald*, Gambrell finally received the call she had been waiting for.

"We got a call from Dusty and Patty Choate and they said, 'We think we have Richard,'" said Gambrell.

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Courtesy photo

Melanie Gambrell (front) poses with her dog Richard. Richard was missing until Dusty and Patty Choate (back) saw an ad in the newspaper for the missing dog and recognized him as a dog they noticed close to their property.



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Obituaries

Peyton Ross Jennings



Peyton Ross Jennings, 19, of Big Spring passed away Sunday, April 30, 2017, in Martin County, Texas, as a result of a motor vehicle accident. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, May 6, 2017, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Rosewood Chapel.

The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Friday, May 5, 2017, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home. All are welcome to attend the celebration of Ross Jennings' life.

He was born Dec. 29, 1997, in Austin, Texas, the son of Gina Rae Jennings.

Ross graduated from Forsan High School in December 2016, where he was a member of the varsity football team as a lineman, linebacker and on special teams. Ross greatly enjoyed the outdoors, where he spent much of his time hunting, fishing, riding horses, and spending time with his family and friends.

Ross was a charming young man, known for his friendly, outgoing personality and his charismatic

heart. His beautiful smile and loving nature could light up a room, making him a great friend to everyone, especially kids and animals. Ross had a playful demeanor and a goofy sense of humor that always made everyone laugh, while his fun-loving and adventurous spirit made him a great dance partner and a dependable friend. Ross was resourceful and resilient, determined to persevere, and a dreamer in every sense of the word.

Ross is survived by his mother, Gina Rae Jennings; sister and brother-in-law, Hali Rae and Ricky "Buddy" Nelson; nephew and niece, Talon and Penelope Nelson; grandfather and grandmother, Joseph and Elizabeth Jennings; and many loving aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Glynda Gale Pace; great-grandmother and great-grandfather, Georgia and Homer Jennings; great-grandmother and great-grandfather, Dorothy and J.L. Ford; and his cousin, Reid Matthew Jennings.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home and Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences may be made at www.npwelch.com.

Paid obituary

Wallace Gene Spraberry



Wallace Gene Spraberry, 84, passed away peacefully on May 2, 2017, at his residence. He was the widower of Mary Lee Spraberry. They shared 60 years together.

Born in Dickens County, Texas, he was the son of V.C. and Alma Spraberry. He was retired from Sid Richardson Carbon Company after working for them for 28 years as an operations supervisor.

He was a member of Life Church. He enjoyed playing dominoes, watching Cowboys and Rangers games, and spending time with his grandkids. He will be remembered for his work ethic, determination, and his giving heart.

He is survived by his daughters Rhonda Sanders and husband Randy, and Sherre Davis and husband Robby, both of Big Spring; seven grandchildren, Josh Jones and wife Christy of Joshua, Texas, Stephanie Bissonnette and husband Joe of Big Spring, Michael Carr and wife Rose of Sherman, Texas, Ashley Keener of Chino, Calif., Sherrean

Jones of Big Spring, Garry Keener and wife Cristi of Big Spring, and Sloan Hohensee and husband Sterling of Big Spring; four stepgrandchildren, Dawn Holzapfel and husband Kent of Big Spring, Belinda Shiplett and husband Kyle of Moore, Okla., Karyl Ward and husband Adam of Austin, Texas, and Laura Lipham and husband T.J. of Big Spring; numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, his parents, and five siblings.

The family would like to thank the staff at Marcy Place Senior Living for their outstanding care.

The graveside service will be held on Saturday, May 6, 2017, at 10 a.m. at the Trinity Memorial Peace Chapel. The visitation will be held on Friday, May 5, 2017, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Myers and Smith Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial donations be made in his name to the Alzheimer's Association at alz.org/donate.

Arrangements are by Myers and Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersand-smith.com.

Paid obituary

Kenneth J. Dunwoody

Kenneth J. Dunwoody of Olathe, Kan., formerly of Big Spring, died at age 65 on Dec. 21, 2016.

A celebration of his life will be held at the Vietnam Memorial at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 6, 2017.

Ken is survived by his wife of 33 years, Darcel; sons, Robert and James; daughters, Alicia, Bobby

Jo, Laura French, and Kaylee Dunwoody. He also leaves 11 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Helen Dunwoody; brother, Jim; and sister, Jeri.

He proudly served his country in the Navy from 1969 until 1973. He was a charter member of the Vietnam Memorial Committee of Big Spring.

Winona Jean Fincher



Winona Jean Fincher, 85, died April 28, 2017, in Midland, Texas.

She was born September 2, 1931, to Dalton and Mamie Hamby. She graduated from Knott High School in 1949.

After graduation she began administrative work and then later bookkeeping. On June 24, 1949, she married Kenneth Fincher.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dalton and Mamie Hamby, her husband Kenneth Fincher, two sisters, Marie Whit and Edith Mandry, one brother, Elton Hamby and all of their spouses; as well as two brothers-in-law.

She is survived by two sisters, Euneta McAnally of Pecos, Texas, and Myrna Unbehend of Temecula, Calif., and one brother, Darel Hamy and wife

Brenda of Purmela, Texas; her four children, Darla Farrington and husband Nolan of Brownwood, Texas, Gail Fincher of Midland, Trcsd, Kevin Fincher and wife Annie of Midland, Texas, and Tina Coleman and husband Kelly of Midland, Texas; eight grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren; plus numerous nieces and nephews.

Her service was Monday, May 1, at 2 p.m. at Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home in Midland.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials be directed to Blessings for Obedience Ministry, P.O. Box 2315, Midland, Texas; or the charity of your choice.

Funeral services were under the direction of Lewallen-Garcia-Pipkin Funeral Home and Chapel. Family messages and condolences may be emailed to pipkin@nts-online.net, or submitted at the funeral home website at www.lewallengarciapipkinfh.com.

Demetrio "JR" Mireles



Demetrio "JR" Mireles, 70, of Big Spring died Wednesday, May 3, 2017, at Parkview Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Vigil service will be at 7 p.m. Friday, May 5, 2017, at Myers and Smith Chapel. Funeral mass will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

He was born March 11, 1947, in Sterling City, Texas, to Petra Beltran Mireles and Pablo Mireles. He married Mary Rodriguez on Dec. 18, 1965 in Sterling City. He was a pumper for SAGA Oil Company, retiring in 2005 due to ill health. He was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Mireles of Big

Spring; two daughters, Jeannie Canales and husband Lee, and Jamie Trevino and Ramon Gomez, all of Big Spring; two sons, Gerald Mireles of Big Spring, and Joe Garza and wife Lisa of Mesquite; two brothers, Paul Mireles and wife Vicki of San Angelo, and Hector Mireles and wife Peggy of Sterling City; three sisters, Rosie Zapata and husband Willie of Sterling City, Mary Trevino and husband Paul of Midland, and Virginia Ledesma and husband Raul of San Angelo; 11 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, March Gonzales, Rick Garcia, and Basilio Mireles; and one sister, Irene Medina.

Arrangements are by Myers and Smith Funeral Home. Pay your respects online at www.myersand-smith.com.

Evangelina Arenivaz

Evangelina Arenivaz, 70, of Big Spring died Thursday, May 4, 2017, at her home. Services are pending at Myers and Smith Funeral Home.

Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **ISA RENE PENA**, 19, of 1003 E. 14th St. was arrested on warrants for no driver's license and failure to appear; and on another outstanding warrant.

- **VERONICA HILARIO MARTINEZ**, 34, of 1003 E. 14th St. was arrested on warrants for theft of property (\$100 to \$750); theft of service (\$500 to \$1,500); and on several other outstanding warrants.

- **JOSEPH EDWARD TESTER**, 29, of 865 E. Ash Lane Apt. #1005 in Eules was arrested on outstanding warrants.

- **ST. JOHN GARCIA**, 53, of 1011 Stadium Ave., was arrested on warrants for expired registration and failure to appear.

- **DOUGLAS EDWARD BAILEY**, 49, of 1508 Bluebird was arrested on warrants for accumulated items/weeds/rubbish, and failure to control rodents.

- **DEANNE MARIE THOMPSON**, 43, of 1600 S. Lancaster Street Apt. #409 was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

- **JOE C. TORRES III**, 40, of 1103 Runnels was arrested on a warrant for credit card or debit card abuse.

- **MAJOR ACCIDENT** was reported in the 800 block of Comanche Park Road.

- **MINOR ACCIDENT** was reported at the intersection of Third and Owens streets.

- **THEFT** was reported in the 3600 block of West Highway 80, the 2700 block of Lynn Drive, and the 500 block of South Benton Street..

- **DISTURBANCE** was reported in the 700 block of East Third Street, the 700 block of East 13th Street, and the 1100 block of Sycamore Street.

- **BURGLARY OF A BUILDING** was reported in the 1600 block of Cardinal Street.

Sheriff

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following activity:

Note - Officials with the Howard County Jail reported having 76 inmates at the time of this report.

- **PATRICIA BACON**, 44, was booked by HCSO on warrants for theft of service (\$100 to \$750); wrong, altered, or obscured registration; failure to maintain financial responsibility; possession of drug paraphernalia; and failure to appear; and on a charge of theft of property (\$2,500 to \$30,000).

- **MELVIN WILLIAM BIDDLE**, 54, was booked by BSPD on a charge of public intoxication.

- **SARAH D. HEFFINGTON**, 33, was booked by HCSO on warrants for theft of property (\$20 to \$500) by check and forgery of a financial instrument; and on a charge of theft of property (\$2,500 to \$30,000).

- **KRYSTAL KAY HENDERSON**, 31, was booked by BSPD on warrants for bail jumping/failure to appear, theft (less than \$50), and unauthorized use of a vehicle.

- **ERICA DAWN JUAREZ**, 35, was booked by BSPD on warrants for failure to yield right of way at a stop intersection and failure to control speed.

- **DANIEL JESUS LEMON**, 49, was booked by BSPD on warrants for criminal mischief (\$50 to \$500) and assault by contact.

- **VERONICA HILARIO MARTINEZ**, 34, was booked by BSPD on warrants for parents contributing to non-attendance, theft of service (\$500 to \$1,500), and theft of property (\$100 to \$750).

- **TRACY LEE PATTERSON**, 54, was booked by HCSO on a warrant for burglary of a building.

- **ISA RENE PENA**, 19, was booked by BSPD on warrants for bail jumping/failure to appear, no driver's license, and failure to appear.

- **ALLAN LEE SMITH**, 47, was booked by BSPD on a warrant for failure to appear.

- **THOMAS HUNTER STEINHOFF**, 23, was booked by HCSO on a charge of theft of property (\$2,500 to \$30,000).

- **JOSEPH EDWARD TESTER**, 29, was booked by BSPD on warrants for operating an unregistered motor vehicle and operating a vehicle over weight group limits.

- **DOUGLAS EDWARD BAILEY JR.**, 49, was booked by BSPD on warrants for weedy lot, lack of rodent control, and accumulated items.

- **MICHAEL ANTHONY CARRILLO**, 24, was booked by BSPD on a motion to revoke probation for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.).

- **ST. JOHN GARCIA SR.**, 53, was booked by BSPD on warrants for expired registration and failure to appear.

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VOTE

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be located in District one, or precinct 11 for the Big Spring City Council ballot, and Coahoma residents must be located in Precinct 207c to be eligible.

In order to vote, you must show one of seven valid forms of ID: a Texas driver license issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS); Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS; Texas personal identification card issued by DPS; Texas license to carry a handgun issued by DPS; United States military identification card containing the person's pho-

tograph; United States citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph; and United States passport.

With the exception of the U.S. citizenship certificate, the identification must be current or have expired no more than four years before being presented for voter qualification at the polling place.

If you do not have the listed forms above and still want to vote, contact county election's office at 432-264-2273 for more information.

Contact Staff Writer Robert Barlow at (432) 263-7331 ext. 234 or by e-mail at reporter@big-springherald.com

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to stay within the Family Medical Center group, the records will be transferred within the group to the

provider with no need for a medical record release form.

For current patients with question, please contact Family Medical Center General Surgery, at 432-263-6018.

California family with 2 toddlers booted from Delta flight

By DAVID KOENIG and CHRISTOPHER WEBER

AP Airlines Writer LOS ANGELES (AP) — Delta Air Lines is offering refunds and compensation to a California family that says they were forced off a plane and threatened with jail after refusing to give up one of their seats on a crowded flight.

A video of the April 23 incident was uploaded to YouTube on Wednesday and added to the list of recent encounters on airlines that have gone viral, including the dragging of a bloodied passenger off a United Express plane.

Brian and Brittany Schear of Huntington Beach, California, told KABC-TV in Los Angeles that they were returning from Kahului Airport in Maui, Hawaii with their two toddlers. They wanted to put one of the children in a seat they had bought for their 18-year-old son, who instead flew home on an earlier flight.

Delta says on its website that tickets cannot be transferred and name changes are not allowed. Federal regulations do not bar changing the name on a ticket as long as the new passenger's name can be run through a data base before the flight, according to a Transportation Security Administration spokesman.

By late Thursday afternoon, Delta still had not explained why the Schears were removed

from the plane. A spokesman said the flight was not overbooked.

On the video, Brian Schear can be heard talking with a person off-camera — it is not clear whether that person is a Delta employee, a security officer, or somebody else.

After Schear says that he won't leave — the airline will have to remove him — the person off-camera replies, "You and your wife will be in jail ... it's a federal offense if you don't abide" by an airline crew's order.

"I bought that seat," Schear protests.

Schear then suggests that his wife could hold one of the toddlers during takeoff and then put the youngster in the car seat. Another person, who appears to be a Delta supervisor, tells him that federal rules require that children under 2 must stay in a parent's lap throughout the flight.

That is false. The Federal Aviation Administration "strongly urges" that infants be in a car seat, although it permits those under 2 to be held in a parent's lap.



Richard poses with owner Melanie Gambrell outside of the Big Spring Herald.

RESCUE

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She, along with her roommate, who got to Richard first, raced over to the Choates' home where they discovered a tired, skinny, but alive pup. Richard had seen Gambrell's ad in the newspaper and recognized Richard as the dog who had been wandering around his home.

While Gambrell's experience losing Richard was tough, she insists that it is all worth it in order to take care of needy animals.

"My dogs all come off from the streets, abandoned in the country," she said. "A dog we picked up in September was rattlesnake bit and dumped."

While some animals she finds herself, others are brought to her by neighbors, friends, and people who have heard about her animal sanctuary around town. Because of Gambrell's extensive background with working with animals, she also is able to direct people towards specific breeds or ages of animals to best fit the person's lifestyle.

"A lot of the time, I like to educate people and not just have them come out and pick whatever they want," she said. "The bird dog that I got? She won't stay home. She will run so if you live in town, you don't need that dog or if you don't have time. A lot of times we pick or we choose the dog just on looks. We don't research. We don't think

about our lifestyle."

Gambrell also encourages owners to spay and neuter their animals once they adopt them into their family.

"If people become more responsible we are not going to need people to do rescues," she said. "We are aren't going to need animal control. Everyone makes animal control to be the bad guys. They're not. They're there to do a service because the community warrants that service because we aren't responsible."

All in all, Gambrell's ultimate goal is to give animals like Richard a chance at a happy home.

"I give as much attention as I can, but for them to have their own family, that is the ultimate goal," she said. "They can live with me until the end but to see them go to someone who as gone through the hoops and the screenings and then to see them bond or to bring their other dog with them... you still can bawl and cry when they drive away...but you're happy."

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2 McMurry football players indicted in Fort Worth killing

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — Two NCAA Division III McMurry University football players have been indicted on capital murder charges in the January killing of a man in Fort Worth, but the grand jury declined to indict another.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram reports a Tarrant County grand jury indicted 20-year-old Dontrell Dock of Conroe and 18-year-old Brodrick Ross of Bryan on April 13 in the shooting death of 29-year-old Chris-Dion Russell.

The indictments said Dock and

Ross killed Russell while robbing him at his apartment.

The grand jury declined to indict 21-year-old Ryan McBeth of Fort Worth, who also had been arrested.

The three played for the small Methodist school in Abilene in 2016 and were enrolled when arrested in January.

School officials didn't respond to a request to update their enrollment status.

Information from: Fort Worth Star-Telegram, <http://www.star-telegram.com>



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Demetrio "JR" Mireles, 70, died Wednesday. Vigil service will be at 7 p.m. tonight at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral mass will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Evangelina Arenivaz, 70, died Thursday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Raymond V. Gonzales, Jr., 37, died Thursday, April 27, 2017. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home. A fund has been established at Myers & Smith Funeral Home to help the family with funeral expenses.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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May 19:
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For more information contact
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June 9:
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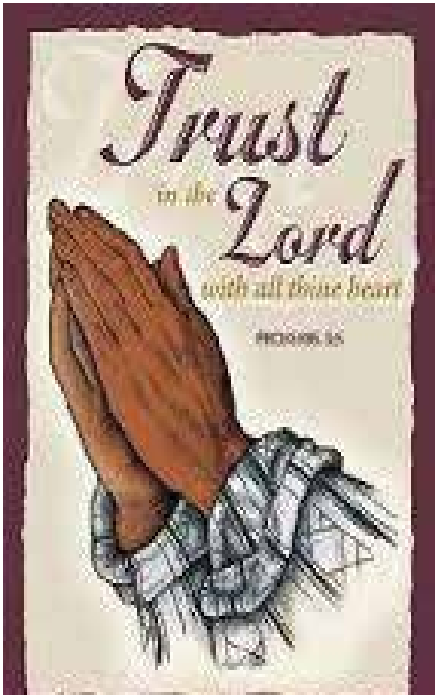


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1 John 4:18



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1 John 4:18

The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name. When they call on me, I will answer; I will be with them in trouble. I will rescue them and honor them. I will satisfy them with a long life and give them my salvation."
Psalm 91: 14-16



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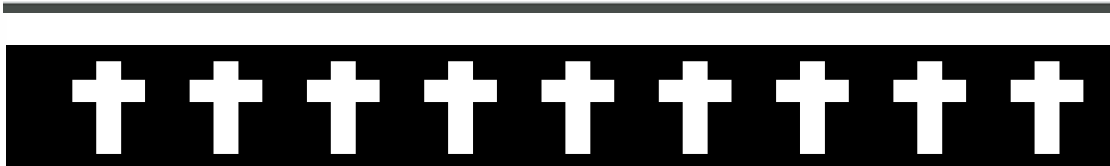
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(Joel 2:23)

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Reflections: Did Jesus do dishes?

Did Jesus do dishes? The very question sounds sacrilegious. That might be the point. Sometimes our "religion" prism causes us to miss the real miracle about Jesus. The whole idea of "religion" tends to confine our thinking to "church" related activities and theological conversations. To most people, Jesus never enters day-to-day conversation because to do so is to introduce "religion," and daily life is uncomfortable with religion.



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Those who knew Jesus, who met him, heard him, saw him, ate with him and walked with him were struck by his humanity. He was real,

but, as some say, "not real religious." He went to the synagogues and spoke there, but it was the religious people who had difficulty with him. He ate with tax collectors, visited with prostitutes and befriended lepers, violated religious laws by healing the sick and allowing his disciples to harvest grain on the Sabbath.

Jesus' divinity was there for all to see: He made the blind see, caused the deaf to hear, lifted the lame to walk and raised the dead. Even the wind and the sea obeyed him. But, as important as all those things were, especially to the individuals who experienced them, he elevated the mundane to the miraculous.

John described him like this: "That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands

have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life" (1 John 1:1). "The Word became flesh and lived among us and we saw his glory, glory as the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth" (John 1:14). The writer of Hebrews wrote: "For we have not a high priest who is not touched with our infirmities but was tempted in all ways like as we are, yet without sin."

The Bible never says that Jesus did the dishes. It does say that he washed feet. Which, it seems to me, required a great deal more humility than washing dishes. I expect dishes were prized possessions in most homes of Galilee. They weren't cheap. You could not pick up dishes at the local Walmart or the Dollar store. They were all handcrafted and often passed down from generation to generation. Most homes likely had

little more than the bare essentials when it came to dishes. They did not pile up in the sink waiting for someone to unload the dishwasher. But I wouldn't be surprised if Jesus helped his mother out, or even lent a hand to Martha in the kitchen at Bethany, and washed dishes.

I always think my wife will be most impressed when I buy her flowers. She does appreciate them and she likes them. But what she really seems to like is the times that I do the dishes. It may be that the most spiritual thing you may do today is to do the dishes. It could be a God thing.

Bill Tinsley reflects on current events and life experience from a faith perspective. Visit www.tinsleycenter.com. Email bill@tinsleycenter.com.

Church News

Alive in Christ Lutheran Church LCMS

Alive in Christ is located at 2805 Lynn Drive in the Kentwood neighborhood in Big Spring. For more information call (432) 264-7818, or e-mail us at aliveinchristtx@gmail.com.

Bible Study and Sunday School begin at 9:30 a.m. and our Sunday Service begins at 10:30 a.m. If you are new to the area or haven't been to church before or in a while, you're invited to join in worship with the congregation this Sunday.

Bo Vizcaino will present the scripture readings this week.

Tune in to KBYG on 106.3 FM or 1400 AM between 6:45 and 6:50 every morning for a devotional, entitled "Morning Meditation Thoughts" sponsored in part by the Lutheran Hour. Also tune in every Sunday morning at 8:30 to listen to the Lutheran Hour.

First United Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry streets in downtown Big Spring. Each Sunday morning, the 9 a.m. Traditions service features the church's pipe organ, the Celebration Choir, and classic hymns of the faith. The Bridge at 11 a.m. is led by the church's worship band and includes contemporary, upbeat music. Worship at The Bridge is led by Adrian Calvio, and many others. The Bridge is broadcast live each Sunday on radio station KXCS-105.5 FM.

Sunday's message in both worship services is entitled "Eternal Security." The message is taken from John 10:1-10.

Next Wednesday, Pastor Ivins will conclude his overview of the Bible as the group examines the Book of Revelation and the nature of apocalyptic literature in the Bible. Lunch is served at 11:50 a.m. for a small fee.

The church's Wednesday night schedule will be altered slightly for the next few Wednesdays as the children's choir makes final preparations for its Mother's Day musical. Kids will rehearse in the Sanctuary at 6 p.m. The adult Celebration Choir will also rehearse in the Music Suite at 6 p.m. until the Wednesday after Mother's Day. The Bridge worship band will rehearse in the Sanctuary at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday will be the last opportunity to purchase roses for Mother's Day. Roses may be purchased in honor or in memory of those special Moms in someone's life. Costing \$5 each, the roses will be gathered in a beautiful arrangement to decorate the pulpit platform on Mother's Day. All proceeds will be donated to Food2Kids. Roses may be picked up following the 11 a.m. worship service on Mother's Day.

Congregation members are also invited to submit photos of those special Moms to the church office. The photos will run on the media system on Mother's Day in honor and in memory of those Moms.

Congregation members are asked to submit Mother's Day photos in electronic format. For help doing that, please contact the church office.

For more information on any activity, please visit the website at www.fumcbs.com, or phone the church office at 267-6394.

Blessed Hands Deaf Church

Pastor Jim Walterhouse, wife Debbie, and the congregation of Blessed Hands Deaf Church invite you to worship with them Sunday at 10:50 a.m. or 2 p.m. Choose the service time that fits your schedule, and praise and celebrate the world's Savior, Jesus Christ. Currently, Blessed Hands Deaf Church meets inside First Baptist Church at 705 W FM 700. For detailed information about BHDC, contact Pastor Jim at: jwalterhouse@gmail.com.

First Baptist Church

"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life" John 3:16.

Join the people of First Baptist Church Sunday at 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. as they gather in worship of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords, Jesus Christ. Music Minister Alan Schantz will lead worshippers in a blend of contemporary praise and worship songs and classic hymns. Pastor Mark Lindsey will bring the message from Scripture that continues the focus of "Discovering the God of the Universe." The sermon will encourage listeners to examine their relationship with God, coming to Him through faith in Jesus, and in turn,

express that love to others throughout their daily lives.

If unable to attend, you can join the service through the livestream on the website at fbcbigspring.org. If you have mobility issues, use the west circle drive and someone will be glad to assist you inside and park your vehicle.

At 9:30 a.m. each week, Sunday School groups meet throughout the building with children gathering on the first floor in the Good News Garage; and teens, college students, and adults coming together in second-floor classrooms. Greeters are available to help you find a class. Come early to enjoy a time of fellowship.

A prayer walk will take place Sunday evening from 6 to 7. The purpose is to join together in prayer for FBC's upcoming Vacation Bible School. Participants should meet at 6 in the chapel. Those unable to take part in the walk can join together with others in the chapel for a time of prayer.

The Mission Center/Food Pantry will be open Thursday, May 11, at 9 a.m. It is located on Lancaster one block behind H-E-B.

All area women are invited to attend the Women of Joy conference in San Antonio Sept. 22 to 24. Cost per person is \$254, and you can sign up with a \$25 deposit. The remaining balance will be due by Aug. 1. For more information call the church office at 267-8223.

Vacation Bible School will be June 5 to 9 from 6 to 9 p.m., and all area children are welcome. You may sign up your youngsters through the church website at fbcbigspring.org or call the church at 267-8223.

Wednesday evening activities begin at 6, and include adult Bible study and prayer time, adult choir practice, Real LYF for children, and Saturday Youth group for teens.

FBC is located at 705 W FM 700. There is always a place for you at First Baptist Church.

First Christian Church

First Christian Church is located at 911 Goliad St. Big Spring. Sunday mornings begin with a fellowship hour beginning at 9:15 a.m. Sunday school begins at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor. Sunday morning worship is at 10:50 a.m.

This Sunday, May 7, Pastor Sandy Sandlin will preach a sermon called "Heads I Win... Tails I Win" taken from Philippians 1:21. Assisting Pastor Sandlin in worship will be Shirley Burgess, who will serve as the Liturgist. Serving at the Lord's Table will be Wanda Brock and Shirley Burgess. Greeter will be Mrs. Cora Beth Baker.

Helping to enhance worship with their music are Choir Director Tara Trowbridge and Music Director Lawrence Thibeault. A few selections they are presently working on are "He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought!" "Standing On The Promise," and "Just As I Am."

If you are interested in the goings on at First Christian Church, or have questions regarding service times call 432-517-4821.

Spring Creek Fellowship

Ladies, do you need a "time-out" from your regular routine? If you do, you are invited to our "Women's Time-Out Weekend," scheduled May 19 to 21 at Camp Butman at Merkel, Texas. All women are invited. Spaces are still available. For more information, contact Adriana Kocak.

The next Connect Four class meets on May 7 right after services. This class is for new members, and those who want to know more about the church and its beliefs. It is a two-hour session, and dates will be announced. Lunch and childcare will be provided for those attending.

A Deacon Ministry Class is scheduled for May 7 at 5 p.m. If you are interested in finding what the responsibilities of being a Deacon are, please join this class. This is a four-week course to introduce the men of the church to what being a Deacon really means.

We will have annual Mother's Day Baby Dedications on May 14 during the 10:45 Worship Service. If you have a new baby or child you would like dedicated, please contact Donna Wennik or Jim Billings.

Two Spring Creek church family members have set up "GoFundMe" accounts. Carla Mosely is requesting help with funds for a kidney transplant she needs soon. Leela Schooler is looking for funding to help pay expenses for a Study Abroad opportunity at the University of Oxford in England.

She will be studying the works of C.S. Lewis. Any help, including prayers for these members, would be greatly appreciated.

If you are interested in participating in the "Our Daily Bread" Food Pantry ministry, would like to make a donation, or need more information, please contact Kay Pittman.

Spring Creek has set a goal of 90 percent participation in church ministries, and will be focusing on two ministries each Sunday morning to get the word out about what is available. Stop by the Connections Table in the garden area to get more information. Join the "90% Club" by getting involved.

The Nursery needs workers on Sunday mornings. If you have a heart for children and would like to give some of your time loving on Spring Creek's smallest members, please contact Donna Wennik.

The Youth and Family Camp will be heading back to Colorado this summer. Ask a youth member about their current fundraiser. Tickets are \$20 each. Contact Lloyd Wells for more information.

Parents who want to share in their children's Sunday Bible Lessons can go to the website at www.springcreekfellowship.org. Just click on "Kid Connect" for past and current lessons.

"People Caring for People" is a ministry serving local widows with small projects and "honey do" kinds of things. This ministry has no operating budget, so repairs are made with donations. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, either in a "hands on" way or by donation, please contact Bob Abendschan at 432-528-7397.

Wednesday Night Kid's Activities are back in session from 6 to 8 p.m. in the children's areas. A small snack will be served at 7:30. The schedule is set for parents that are participating in Missional Communities or youth. Drop off is at 5:45. We will be including children from babies through fifth grade. Please let Donna Wennik know if you are interested in bring your kids or helping out.

The Worship Team is fundraising for eight wireless/in-ear monitors. If you would be interested in donating to this fundraiser, please contact Clint Bratcher.

"Let the Morning Bring", a downloadable song as well as a few other songs written and performed by the Spring Creek Fellowship Worship Team, is now on iTunes. If you would like to get these songs, go to iTunes and look for the download at <https://itunes.apple.com/us/album/let-the-morning-bring-single/id1176877429>

Men's Bible Study meets on Thursday nights from 7 to 9 p.m. The title of the study is "Ephesians".

With the Spring Creek App, you can use your smartphone to learn about upcoming events, make tithes/donations, leave messages, and send prayer requests. Search your app store for Spring Creek Fellowship and download. Be sure to allow notifications when given the option, those messages are generated by the church office and keep you updated about upcoming events and much more.

Weekly Happenings:

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9:15-10:15 a.m.-Sunday School/Connection Groups

10:15 a.m.-10:45 a.m.- "Holy Grounds Café" is open with snacks and fellowship.

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5 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Tuesday-
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Community Groups-various times and places

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7 p.m.-Study of Ephesians Men's Bible Study

Friday-
7-8 p.m.- Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday-
7:30 a.m.-Weekly Men's Prayer Breakfast & Fellowship

Spring Creek Fellowship meets at the Spring Town Plaza at 1801 E. FM 700 in Big Spring, Texas. Contact the church at 432-714-4584 or visit the website at www.springcreekfellowship.org.

"Every Member a Minister"-1 Peter 4:10 NKJV

A desperate moment

Matthew 9:18-19, "While he was saying these things to them, behold, a ruler came in and knelt before him, saying, 'My daughter has just died, but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live'" (ESV).

Mark and Luke both give us a few more details concerning this man. His name is Jairus and he is a ruler in the synagogue. What is very clear is that desperation has driven this man to Jesus. He has lost his daughter (only daughter according to Luke's account).

On the way to the man's house, Jesus is slowed down by the crowds and has an encounter with another desperate individual. We will address her specifically in our next study.

For now we pick it back up in Matthew 9:23-26, "And when Jesus came to the ruler's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, 'Go away, for the girl is not dead but sleeping.' And they



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laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl arose. And the report of this went through all that district (ESV)."

First of all, Matthew is continuing to give credible testimony for why someone should obey Jesus. Remember at the end of the sermon on the mount "the crowds were astonished at his teaching, for he was teaching them as one who had authority, and not as their scribes (Matthew 7:28b-29 ESV)."

The miracles were signs, and signs point or direct toward something or someone else. If you were traveling to see Mount Rushmore, would you stop and go back home once you had seen the first sign for Mount Rushmore? The miracles were part of the proof that Jesus was sent by the Father and people needed to listen. John 5:36, "But the testimony that I have is greater than that of John. For the works that the Father has given me to accomplish, the very works that I am doing, bear witness about me that the Father has sent me (ESV)."

These scriptures still testify today. They bear witness that Jesus was (and is) more than just a

man – he is the Son of God. He has the power to forgive sins and bring the dead back to life. We need to know and help others to know as well that he can help in our most desperate moments. Because we have the scriptures, we also know that we shouldn't wait until we think things are hopeless.

If and when you submit your will to him through obedience to his commands, there may be people in your life who will laugh at you and think that you are crazy "buying into all this religious stuff." John 3:33-36, "Whoever receives his testimony sets his seal to this, that God is true. For he whom God has sent utters words of God, for he gives the Spirit without measure. The Father loves the Son and has given all things into his hand. Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life; whoever does not obey the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God remains on him (ESV)."

Believe in Jesus and obey him because that moment of desperation may come too late!

Greg Surles is the preacher at Birdwell Lane Church of Christ.

Saturday, May 6, at 9 a.m. at Crispy's Café.

There will be a Ladies' Tea on Saturday, May 6, at 11 a.m. at the church.

On May 7, there will be a youth luncheon fundraiser after morning worship. The proceeds will go toward youth camp.

Children's activities on Wednesdays include a light snack after school, with age-appropriate classes beginning at 4 p.m. for pre-k through fifth grade. A youth meal is served at 5:30, with IM-PACT youth beginning at 6. The Bible study geared toward adults on Wednesday evenings at 6 continues throughout the year.

Forsan Baptist Church is located at 201 Main in Forsan. Sunday School begins at 9:50, with worship services at 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday services begin at 6 p.m. Rides for all youth activities are available if arranged ahead of time. Call the church at 432-457-2342 or Pastor Darren Weaver at 432-213-2348.

Midway Baptist Church

The Midway Baptist Church Women's Prayer and Share Group meets at 9:30 a.m. on Monday. Refreshments are provided and children are welcome.

For more information call 432-263-6274.

Cornerstone Covenant Church

The people of Cornerstone Covenant Church invite you to join them this week at one of the following events:

Sunday May 7: Join the congregation on a radical journey to be radical in worship. In radical wor-

ship there is an openness and honesty that reflects the nature and character of God. In radical worship we see the very glory of God, His power, His majesty, His wonder, His might, His wisdom and His miracles.

Sunday May 7 through June 4: The Holy Spirit, My Best Friend. Would you like to know more about the Holy Spirit? Would you like to have a deeper intimate relationship with him? CCC is offering Biblical classes each Sunday at 9 a.m. starting May 7 and continuing through June 4 in the Academic Resource Center. To get signed up contact the church administrative office at 264-0015

Tuesday, May 9: Fifty and Over. Come on out to Fifty and Over small group. They will gather at 7 p.m. for games and potluck at the Flowers' Residence at 2405 E. 25th St. For more info please contact Faye Flowers at 432-213-3883.

Additional Worship Service: As CCC has grown, they are preparing to add additional Sunday Worship Services. They are also looking forward to adding more parking space by making the west side of the church a temporary parking lot, and possibly the site for a new sanctuary depending on the advice of our architect.

Worship at CCC is every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

CCC is located at 706 East 12th Street. For office hours or other questions please contact the Administrative Office at 432-264-0015, or email Info@cccbigspring.org. You can also visit facebook.com/CCCBigSpring; or www.cccbigspring.org if you would like more information.

Birdwell Lane Church of Christ

Birdwell Lane Church of Christ is located at the southwest corner of 11th Place and Birdwell Lane

Each Sunday, Bible Study starts at 9 a.m. followed by Worship at 10 a.m. Evening worship is at 5 p.m.

On Wednesdays, Ladies Class meets at 9:30 a.m., while Small Group Study is at 7 p.m.

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First Presbyterian Church

On May 7, 2017, the Tardy Bells handbell choir will present a concert at 3:30 p.m. in the sanctuary of First Presbyterian Church. They will be joined in this "Spring Ring" by Laura Holleman, organ, and Donovan Salinas, trumpet. The concert will include a variety of music. Ms. Holleman, organist at First Presbyterian, will play "Prelude and Fugue in F Major" by J.S. Bach. The Tardy Bells will ring music as varied as "Processional" by Martin Shaw and selections from Mary Poppins. To conclude the concert, the handbells and organ will be joined by Mr. Salinas on "This Is My Father's World," by D. Linda McKechnie. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Wednesday Lectionary Bible Study, led by Craig Holstedt, meets at 5 p.m. and the Chancel Choir rehearses at 6 p.m.

The Discovery Class began a study last week by author Philip Yancey, editor of Christianity Today magazine, entitled "The Bible Jesus Read." This week is Session 3, "Job: Seeing in the Dark," to be followed by session 4, "Deuteronomy: A Taste of Bittersweet"; 5, "Psalms: Spirituality in Every Key"; 6, "Ecclesiastes: the End of Wisdom"; 7, "The Prophets: God Talks Back"; and 8, "Advance Echoes of a Final Answer." With Yancey as a guide, participants will journey to the heart of the Scriptures that Jesus himself grew up on, and that laid the foundation for everything he ever said or did.

The Covenant Class begins the final unit of the spring quarter entitled "God's Pervasive and Sustaining Love." These four sessions from the book of Jonah highlight God's unconditional love for humans and the natural world. The story of Jonah depicts God's continuing care and concern for peoples and individuals who are called to love and serve Him in all things.

6:30 Handbell Choir, 7:15 Youth Group.

Paula Farquhar is in charge of Take Ten for this Sunday.

The lectionary for the Fourth Sunday of Easter is Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 23; I Peter 2:19-35; John 10:1-10. The Chancel Choir will lead the service with the Introit "Lord, Use Our Song and Music." The Rev. Craig Holstedt, minister, will present the sermon, and he will recognize the 2017 Graduates in the congregation. The anthem will be "Be Thou My Vision" arranged by Hal Hopson.

Please note that the worship service begins at 10:50 a.m. for announcements and parish concerns before the radio broadcast starts at 11.

If you cannot attend worship, you can listen in on KBST 1490 AM, beginning at 11 a.m. If you would like a printed bulletin for Sunday services, call the church office at 263-4211. You can also see what's happening at the church by visiting the website www.fpcbs.org. On

our website, you can find a link to audio of several recent sermons by Rev. Craig Holstedt.

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The message this week comes from Ephesians 4:25-32 and is called "Out with the Old."

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Coahoma leads Early 1-0 in playoff series after 5-4 win

By **MARISSA LOFTIN**
Sports Editor

It was a tight, eight-inning battle for the Coahoma varsity baseball team vs. the Early Longhorns in Thursday's playoff matchup, but the Bulldogs took advantage of Early's many errors and came out on top with a 5-4 win in the first game of the series.

Coahoma kicked things off with an early three-run lead in the top of the first from a score by Zach Holmes on a ground out play

and scores by Fletcher Mashburn and Joe Manning on two separate errors.

Following a scoreless second inning, the Bulldogs extended their lead to four in the top of the third inning with a score by Gaige Hill on Braden Pearson's ground out to first base.

The Longhorns answered back with two runs of their own, their first of the game, thanks to a score by Tristan Horton on a sacrifice bunt and a score by

Christian Alcorta from a balk by Coahoma pitcher Logan Franklin.

After a scoreless fourth and fifth inning, Early tied the game up at four with an RBI single from David Morale in the sixth and an a score on on a wild pitch in the seventh, sending the game into an eighth inning.

Coahoma reclaimed the lead with a score by Franklin on a fielder's

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Gallo, Odor, Andrus HR, Texas tops Astros 10-4 to end skid



AP photo

Texas Rangers' A.J. Griffin pitches against the Houston Astros in the first inning of a baseball game Thursday, May 4, 2017, in Houston.

HOUSTON (AP) — After twice seeing the Houston Astros rally late for wins in this series, the Texas Rangers were determined to pile on runs after getting a lead on Thursday.

They were able to do that, adding four runs in the eighth and ninth innings combined to pad the lead and cruise to a 10-4 victory.

Joey Gallo homered and drove in three runs, Roudner Odor and Elvis Andrus also homered and the Rangers stopped a season-worst four-game skid with the win.

The Rangers went ahead 4-0 in the first inning and used the bullpen to help avoid a four-game sweep.

"You can't have too many runs," Gallo said. "They come in bunches here, popups end up going out. Today was a

little bit different. The wind was kind of blowing in, but you can never have enough runs."

Marwin Gonzalez homered in his fifth straight start for Houston.

Odor's homer off Joe Musgrove (1-3) came with one out in the first. Singles by Nomar Mazara, Carlos Gomez and Gallo made it 2-0 with two outs and Mike Napoli hit a two-run double.

Gallo padded the lead with a two-run homer in a three-run eighth inning and Andrus had a solo shot in the ninth.

"Great challenge for our bullpen ... they continued to grind it out and got the outs when we needed," manager Jeff Banister said. "But the story was that the offense continued to put runs on the board for us."

A.J. Griffin (3-0) picked up the win, yielding one earned run in five innings in his return from the disabled list because of gout in his left ankle.

The Astros had some chances late to

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Spurs' Tony Parker out for rest of playoffs with quad injury



AP photo

San Antonio Spurs guard Tony Parker (9) is carried off the court after being injured during the second half of Game 2 of a second-round NBA basketball playoff series against the Houston Rockets, Wednesday, May 3, 2017, in San Antonio.

By **JON KRAWCZYNSKI**

AP Basketball Writer

One of Gregg Popovich's top priorities in the final weeks of the regular season was making sure the San Antonio Spurs got veteran point guard Tony Parker healthy and in rhythm for the playoff push.

More than seeding or home-court advantage, Popovich said, the Spurs needed Parker in order to stay competitive against the other heavyweights in the Western Conference playoffs.

Now that Parker will miss the rest of the postseason with a leg injury, the Spurs will be tested like they rarely have been before.

The Spurs said Thursday that Parker has a ruptured quadriceps tendon in his left leg. The injury likely will require surgery to repair, meaning the Spurs will have to go through the rest of the postseason without their floor leader.

Next up is Game 3 of their tied second-round series with the Rockets on Friday night in Houston.

"If he's not right or he can't play, we're going to have a tough time staying with the big boys," Popovich told The Associated Press in a late March interview. "When he's been healthy we've had a rhythm, he gets into it defensively and has set a tone on the perimeter for us along with Kawhi (Leonard). His organization of the team is really important, understanding time and score, what's going on the court."

"He's a great source for me to read what we're doing that night in that game and what might be needed."

While the 34-year-old Parker is not the dynamic playmaker he was in his younger days, he is still hugely important to the team. After the Spurs were blown out in Game 1, Parker responded with 18 points in 25 minutes

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Green shows range, leads Warriors past Jazz for 2-0 lead

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Now, the Golden State Warriors want Draymond Green to pack his 3-point shot for the altitude of Salt Lake City.

Green showed Quin Snyder his hot hand and range up close, knocking down five 3-pointers and scoring 21 points before a brief knee scare late in the Golden State Warriors' 115-104 victory over the Utah Jazz on Thursday night for a 2-0 lead in the Western Conference semifinals.

"We love that shot. It gives us a huge lift," Stephen Curry said of Green's perimeter touch. "Hopefully that jumper travels when we go to Utah because

those shots will be open."

Kevin Durant added 25 points with 13 free throws, 11 rebounds and seven assists, while Curry had 23 points, seven assists and played smothering defense as Golden State stayed unblemished through six playoff games.

Gordon Hayward overcame a poor Game 1 and slow start in this one to score 33 points, and Rudy Gobert had 16 points and 16 rebounds before fouling out for a Jazz team missing injured point guard George Hill. He was ruled out earlier in the day because of a sore left big toe.

Game 3 is Saturday night in Salt Lake City.

Green received chants of "Draymond!" when he headed for the locker room with 7:24 to play, then cheers when he returned at the 5:16 mark. He came up awkwardly after hitting the floor on a drive, then grabbed at his left knee — which the team said he "tweaked."

"I knew my knee was just locking up a little bit. I had it before," he said.

Snyder made it clear when the series began he won't be alienating Green again by daring him to let it fly from long range — or saying anything that could be perceived as a slight.

Five months after the

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AP photo

Golden State Warriors' Draymond Green, left, defends Utah Jazz's Shelvin Mack during the first half in Game 2 of an NBA basketball second-round playoff series, Thursday, May 4, 2017, in Oakland, Calif.

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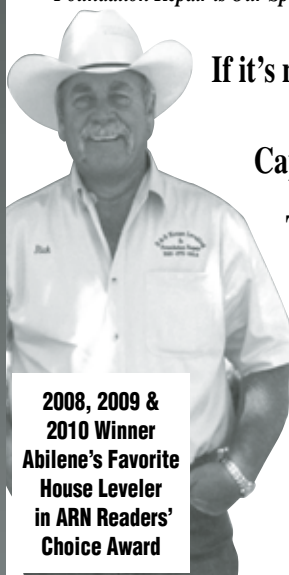


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Cinco de Mayo Stars

Parties are often fun, just not for the host. Everyone who has thrown a successful party knows the main job is to set the stage for (SET ITAL) others (END ITAL) to relax and play. If you accidentally have fun as a side effect (and that's a strong possibility as the Virgo moon angles imaginative Neptune this Cinco de Mayo), consider yourself lucky!

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You can't blame your brain for being skeptical of your gut feelings. Your gut draws wisdom from a mysterious place that your brain has never been to, doesn't know the location of, and doubts the existence of in the first place.

TAURUS (April

20-May 20). There's a lot around that needs to be organized, but if you can organize your priorities first, you'll avoid wasting time on things that won't matter five days from now.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). It's important to do the things that make you "you" on a regular basis.

If you have to tone those things down or do less of them for the sake of a relationship, it could point to trouble going forward.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). The person who's talking isn't always communicating, and the person who's hearing isn't always listening. Intentions, on the other hand, can be felt viscerally. Intentions will speak the loudest today.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Just as brevity is the soul of wit (according to Shakespeare) and the soul of lingerie (according to Dorothy Parker), brevity is also the soul of pleasure. Too much of any good thing is a terrible thing.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Your inner self is pulling for

Tomorrow's Horoscope

something your head still isn't sure about. This internal conflict of interests is making it difficult to move forward, but maybe forward isn't the direction you originally thought it was.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Whatever comes at you today, you've seen it before, or something like it at least. Therefore you won't flinch. You suspect this is for the best and highest good, and you'll handle it like the winner you are.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). On many subjects, society's rules are your rules. It doesn't always work for you this way though. There are a few societal trends you simply can't abide by, and you'll prove yourself bigger than society as you do it your way today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Good communication isn't something you can establish and then forget about. It needs to be maintained. Check in with your loved ones to open and strengthen those lines.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).

There's much you will do with your mind -- dream, go back and forth in time, have conversations with people you've never met. Your imagination is your most useful tool to influence and create your world.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). When love is disappointing, you have your friends. And when friends are the trouble, you have your love. But today is different. Today you have both and life is truly wonderful.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There are certain conflicts that will never be resolved because they are too deeply rooted in core differences. Peace can be restored nonetheless when parties agree not to fight and instead focus elsewhere.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 5). Your dreams are coming true. Through the next 10 weeks, it will be as though there's an invisible hand helping you navigate and produce until your business is thriving. Family will connect you with what you need to succeed in all kinds of relationships. A voice

from the past will figure into your future dealings. Cancer and Virgo adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 7, 10, 33, 28 and 18.

WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST: ARIES:

All the love you put into giving will be felt more than the gift itself. (Even though the gift is pretty awesome, too.) **TAURUS:** You're entitled to change your mind, which you'll do repeatedly until you feel safe and secure in your choice. **GEMINI:** Invite the opinions of those who've been through this kind of stage of life and love before. **CANCER:** The strength of your feeling will matter little to your love, who is concerned mainly with the evidence that feeling inspires. **LEO:** You're expanded by charity, but keep it out of your romance. **VIRGO:** When things happen to you, who's the first one you want to tell? That's your number one. **LIBRA:** Your mood shouldn't be dictated by someone else's. If that keeps happening, consider it a red flag. **SCORPIO:** Love and money will have more to do with one another

than you might prefer. **SAGITTARIUS:** The work required to keep a relationship strong will be somewhere along the lines of a part-time job. **CAPRICORN:** Keep the vibes positive. When you feel them going south, change course. **AQUARIUS:** Bottom line: Comfortable love lasts longer. **PISCES:** Adjust your priorities. Inch yourself ever higher on your list.

COUPLE OF THE WEEKEND:

Libra and Taurus have more in common than many air and earth sign combinations, because of their shared guidance from Venus. Libra looks for beauty and artistic refinement in things, and Taurus seeks a sense of quality and luxury -- obviously there's a great deal of overlap there. This couple loves exploring together, but hide the credit cards before they go overboard with lavish mutual interests.

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Turn That Down!

Dear Annie: On a recent out-of-town excursion to do some shopping and planning for a new bathroom installation, we found ourselves in a very annoying predicament.

We stopped for lunch at a very nice restaurant, only to be assaulted by loud music the second we walked in. Thankfully, the waitress honored our request and did turn it down so we could enjoy a nice leisurely lunch.

Then it was on to

the big-box store for a major purchase -- only to be assaulted once again by extremely loud music the minute we stepped inside. Needless to say, the measurements and planning were extremely difficult, as it was hard to think because of the noise. An employee there said it was beyond his control and that there was nothing that could be done. We walked out. That store lost a nice sale because of this.

This never used to be a problem. Can't retailers think and play quiet background

music or none at all? Most people have things on their minds when shopping. Maybe someone reading this letter will "get" it. Noise pollution is not healthy indoors, for sure. -- Nancy

Dear Nancy: I hear you loud and clear. When I walk into a store or restaurant and the music is blasting, I tend to turn right back around. And we're not alone. In a study by consumer marketing blog Triggerpulling, loud music shortened the average consumer's shopping time. Though I have no practical advice to give (short of perhaps keeping some ear-

plugs handy in your purse), I'm printing this as a plea to retailers and restaurateurs alike: Please, keep it down.

Dear Annie: I am a faithful reader of the column and felt compelled to write in because I can really relate to "Deep in Dishes," whose roommate isn't cleaning up after herself in the kitchen.

I shared an apartment with two dear friends during college. Two of us were "clean freaks" and did our dishes daily. Our third, just like the roommate "Deep in Dishes" wrote about, left hers for days, forgot they

were hers and then refused to do them. Plates, frying pans with stuck-on food, etc. -- they'd sit in the sink for days.

Please tell "Deep in Dishes" to put anything left unwashed overnight by "Wendy" in a small plastic tub and leave it on her bed. The kitchen will be clean, and Wendy won't be able to deny they are hers. And if she leaves them in the sink again without washing them, they should reappear on her bed the next day. Worked like a charm for us.

By the way, 30 years later, we are still close friends and

laugh about this! -- Debbie H.

Dear Debbie: I hear so many stories about how living together has caused falling-outs and ruined friendships. It's refreshing to hear from someone who didn't let roommate problems sink a great friendship.

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Annie's Mailbox

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

Bidding quiz

You are South in each of the following bidding sequences, and in each case the question is whether your partner's last bid shows a minimum opening bid (13 to 15 points), an intermediate opening bid (16 to 18 points) or a very strong opening bid (19 or more points). If you think North has indeterminate values that might lie in either of two ranges, classify this as ambiguous.

	North	South
1.	1 ♠	2 ♥
2.	1 ♥	1 ♠
3.	3 ♠	2 ♥
4.	1 ♠	1 ♥
5.	1 ♠	1 ♠
6.	1 ♠	1 NT

1. **Minimum.** Since your two-heart response promised 10 or more points, partner can't be in the 16 to 18 range, because he would have jumped to four hearts rather than raise to three. His three-heart bid is not forcing, although in actual practice it is seldom passed.

2. **Intermediate.** With a minimum opening bid, partner would raise to two spades; with 19 or more points,

he would jump to four. Three spades is highly encouraging but not forcing, and it can be passed with a bare six or seven points.

3. **Intermediate.** Partner's voluntary climb to the three-level in a new suit shows well above a minimum opening bid. With a 13- to 15-point hand, he would either rebid two spades, raise you to three hearts or possibly bid two notrump. Three diamonds is 100 percent forcing.

4. **Ambiguous.** Partner may have anywhere from 12 to 18 points, and there is no way of telling just how many he has at this juncture. He cannot have 19 or more, as he would have jump-shifted to two spades rather than bid just one, which is not forcing.

5. **Intermediate.** Two hearts is a "reverse" and shows roughly 17 to 19 points. The reason for this is that your one-spade response may be based on only six points, and partner, by bidding two hearts, may force you to the three-level if you prefer clubs to hearts and cannot rebid your spades. By bidding in this manner, partner implies that he holds the extra strength necessary to make a nine-trick contract feasible.

6. **Intermediate.** Partner's jump-rebid shows 16 to 18 points and at least a six-card spade suit, but is not forcing.

Tomorrow: The handwriting on the wall.
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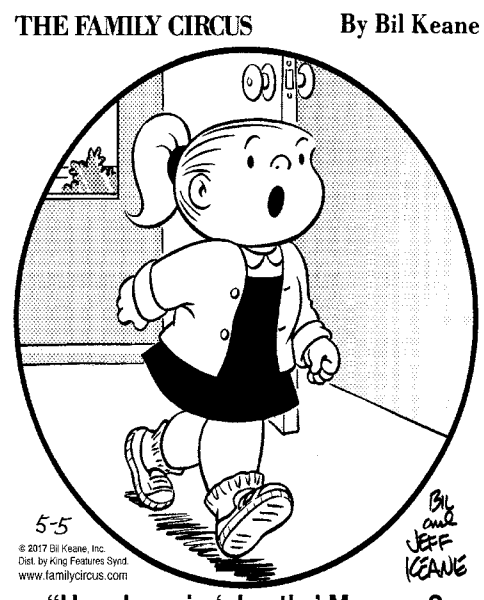
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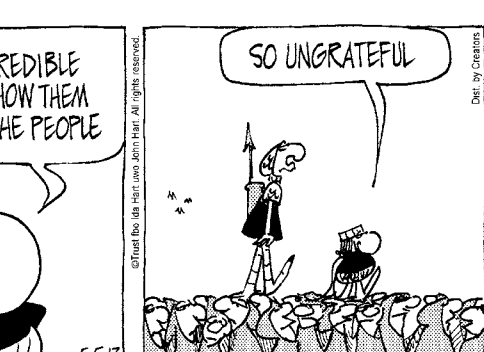
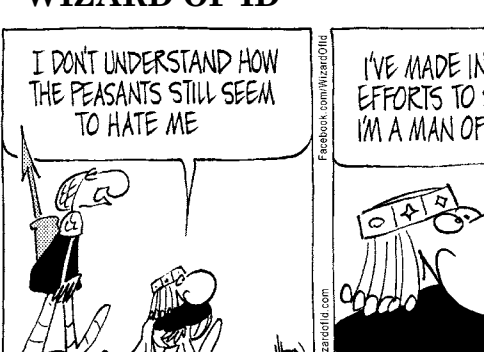


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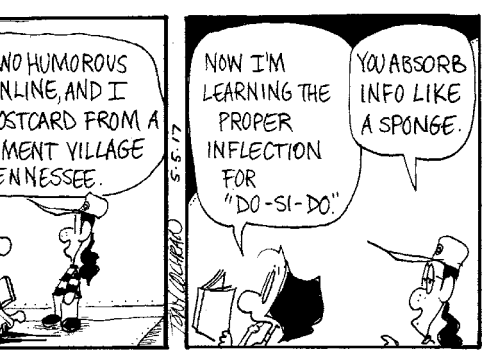
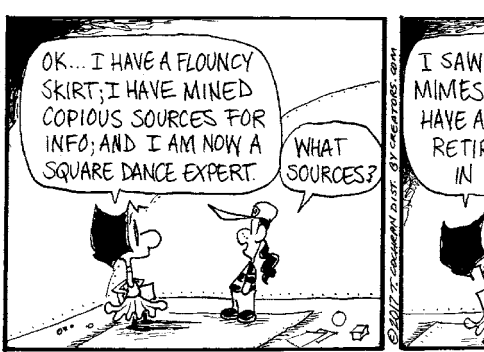
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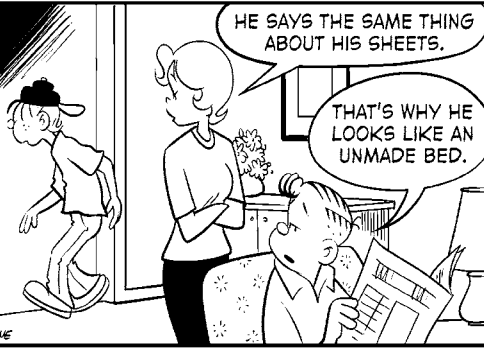
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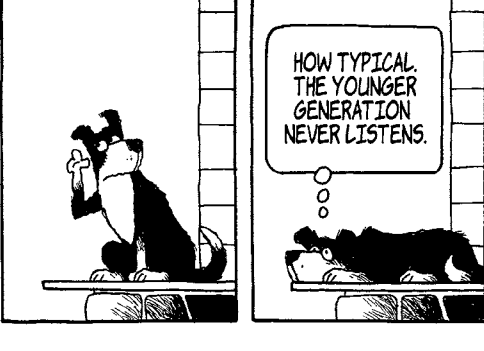
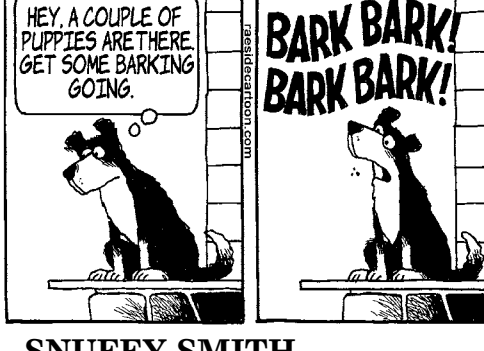
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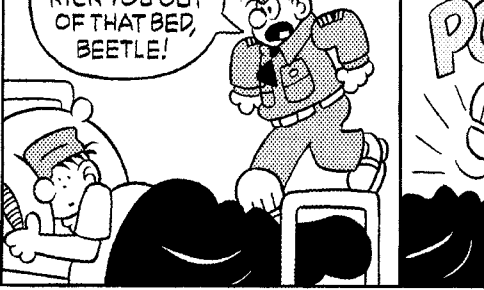
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This Date In History

Today is Friday, May 5, the 125th day of 2017. There are 240 days left in the year. Today’s Highlight in History: On May 5, 1862, Mexican troops defeated French occupying forces in the Battle of Puebla. On this date: In 1494, during his second voyage to the Western Hemisphere, Christopher Columbus landed in Jamaica. In 1821, Napoleon Bonaparte, 51, died in exile on the island of St. Helena. In 1892, Congress passed the Geary Act, which required Chinese in the United States to carry a certificate of residence at all times, or face deportation. In 1927, “To the Lighthouse,” Virginia Woolf’s fifth novel, was published in London. In 1942, wartime sugar rationing began in the United States. In 1945, in the only fatal attack of its kind during World War II, a Japanese balloon bomb exploded on Gearhart Mountain in Oregon, killing the pregnant wife of a minister and five children. Denmark and the Netherlands were liberated as a German surrender went into effect.

In 1955, West Germany became a fully sovereign state. The baseball musical “Damn Yankees” opened on Broadway. In 1961, astronaut Alan B. Shepard Jr. became America’s first space traveler as he made a 15-minute suborbital flight aboard Mercury capsule Freedom 7. In 1973, Secretariat won the Kentucky Derby, the first of his Triple Crown victories. In 1981, Irish Republican Army hunger-striker Bobby Sands died at the Maze Prison in Northern Ireland in his 66th day without food. In 1987, the congressional Iran-Contra hearings opened with former Air Force Maj. Gen. Richard V. Secord (SEE’-kohrd) the lead-off witness. In 1994, Singapore caned American teenager Michael Fay for vandalism, a day after the sentence was reduced from six lashes to four in response to an appeal by President Bill Clinton. Ten years ago: A Kenya Airways jet crashed in southern Cameroon, killing all 114 people on board. Street Sense roared from next-to-last in a 20-horse field to win the Kentucky Derby. Floyd Mayweather Jr. beat Oscar De La Hoya to win the WBC 154-pound title at the MGM Grand Garden in Las Vegas. Five years ago: Five

Guantanamo Bay prisoners, including Khalid Sheikh Mohammed (HAH’-leed shayk moh-HAH’-mehd), the self-proclaimed mastermind of the Sept. 11 attacks, were arraigned in a proceeding that dragged on for 13 hours due to stalling tactics by the defendants. In what his aides described as his first full-fledged political rally of the election year, President Barack Obama, in Columbus, Ohio, tore into Mitt Romney as a willing and eager “rubber stamp” for failed policies. Thousands of Japanese marched to celebrate the switching off of the last of their nation’s 50 nuclear reactors. One year ago: Former Los Angeles trash collector Lonnie Franklin Jr. was convicted of 10 counts of murder in the “Grim Sleeper” serial killings that targeted poor, young black women over two decades.

Answer to previous puzzle crossword grid with letters filled in.

Newsday Crossword

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Newsday crossword puzzle grid with clues and numbers.

SPURS

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before getting injured. He appeared to land awkwardly while taking a shot with 8:34 to play Wednesday night and crumpled to the court. The Frenchman needed to be carried off the floor by teammates, casting a pall over San Antonio's victory. Popovich said after the game that it didn't look good, and the Spurs' fears were confirmed after an MRI on Thursday. The team said there is no timetable yet for his recovery.

"What he brings to their team, I don't know how you replace that," Rockets forward Trevor Ariza told reporters in Houston. "Not saying they don't have good enough players to step in. But what he brought to that team, I think it's unmatched."

With Parker out, backup Patty Mills could move into a starting role and the Spurs likely will give Leonard more ball-

handling responsibility. Rookie Dejounte Murray is another candidate to see more playing time.

Perhaps most disappointing is that Parker had found another gear in the playoffs after an underwhelming regular season, two weeks before his 35th birthday. His 10.1 points-per-game average in the regular season was his lowest since his rookie year in 2001-02. But he averaged 15.9 points on 53 percent shooting in eight playoff games, including a vintage 27-point night in Game 6 against Memphis to clinch that series.

Back in March, Popovich contemplated how important Parker had become, especially after Tim Duncan's retirement. His point guard had come under scrutiny from fans who said his best days were behind him, but Popovich marveled at how the soft-spoken Parker's leadership had "increased exponentially" in their first season to-

gether without Duncan. "If we don't have him, it's going to be a lot tougher to hang with teams like Houston and Golden State, the Clippers, that kind of thing," Popovich told The Associated Press before the season ended.

Now it will be up to Mills, Murray and anyone else the Spurs can scrape up to chase James Harden, Patrick Beverley, Lou Williams and the Houston's 3-happy guards all over the court.

The Rockets were breathing no sighs of relief on Thursday. To a man, they expressed concern for Parker's health and his future. This figures to be a long, arduous rehabilitation. And with one year left on his contract, nothing is certain.

"You never want to see a player injured, especially a guy like TP, who is closing down at the end of his career," Harden said. "He's been playing well all post-season. It's tough. We say a prayer for him."

RANGERS

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cut the deficit, but failed to get a big hit when they needed it on a day when they went 2 for 14 with runners in scoring position.

"We are pretty good with runners in scoring positions and (Thursday) obviously we gave ourselves a lot of opportunities and it's easy to say what if or how the game would have changed if we were able to come up with a big hit with bases loaded," manager A.J. Hinch said. "But if we keep giving ourselves this many opportunities, we are going to like the outcome."

An RBI single by Evan Gattis cut the lead to 4-1 in the first inning. Texas added a run in the second inning on a sacrifice fly by Mazara. Andrus scored on a balk by Brad Peacock to make it 6-2 in the fifth.

A bases-loaded sacrifice fly by Carlos Beltran cut the lead to 6-3 before Josh Reddick walked to load the bases again. Jeremy Jeffress took over and Jose Altuve grounded into a double play to allow Texas to limit the damage.

A sacrifice fly by Gonzalez made it 6-4 in the seventh inning, but Keone Kela struck out Beltran with the bases loaded to keep Houston from getting any closer.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Astros: RHP Collin McHugh (right elbow injury) will travel with the team on Thursday and begin playing catch at a short distance sometime

this weekend. ... OF Teoscar Hernandez, who injured his left leg in a collision with Altuve last week, is expected to begin a minor league rehabilitation assignment sometime in the next week.

MARVELOUS MARWIN

Gonzalez launched a solo shot to right-center field in the fourth. He leads the Astros with nine home runs and has six in the last five games after hitting two, including his first career grand slam, on Tuesday night.

"He was certainly a huge difference maker in this series and it has earned him a ton of playing time," Hinch said. "He's the everyday player we don't call an everyday player because he moves around the field."

HOMER HAPPY

With three home runs, the Rangers moved to second in the American League behind the New York Yankees with 43. They've been on a tear lately, piling up 12 in their last five games.

UP NEXT

Rangers: Yu Darvish will start for Texas in the opener of a three-game series at Seattle on Friday. Darvish will be pitching on an extra day of rest after the Rangers pushed him back after he threw 115 and 126 pitches in his last two starts. He is 0-3 with a 7.71 ERA in three career starts at Safeco Field.

Astros: Dallas Keuchel looks to improve to 6-0 when he starts the first game of a three-game series against the Angels on Friday. Keuchel was the AL pitcher of the month for April after posting a 1.21 ERA in six starts.

DOGS

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choice play, followed with a double play and a line out induced by Alex Biddison to end the game and ensure their 5-4 victory in the first game of the playoff series.

"We got it done with some excellent defense today, and I am really proud of the guys for keeping their composure and competing despite some unfavorable circumstances," said head baseball coach Bryan Jacobs. "Franklin didn't have his best on the mound, but he fought hard and kept us in the game until Alex came in for the last two innings to secure

the win. It was an all around effort and a good team win. Now, we've got to go get another one tomorrow"

Franklin started the game out for the Bulldogs. He threw for six innings, allowed four runs on three hits, walked six and sat four. Biddison earned the win for Coahoma. He entered the game in the seventh inning, allowed zero runs on one hit, walked none, and struck out one.

Despite the slow night at the plate, the Bulldogs still managed to get it done with just four hits for the game. Holmes contributed two, with Mashburn and Adam Clark trailing with one hit each. Pearson led the team offensively with two runs batted in.

The best two-out-of-three playoff series will continue tonight at 5 p.m. as the two teams will meet up in Eastland. Coahoma hopes to bring the series to an end with a sweep over Early, but a third game will follow if necessary.

GREEN

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Jazz coach commented about allowing the emotional Golden State star to shoot from way out, Snyder said before the game he had learned his lesson about fueling the All-Star forward.

Green has been fueling himself just fine, and his teammates, too — delivering on the offensive side this game after establishing the Warriors' defensive intensity during the first five playoff games.

All his 3s were in the first half as the Warriors led wire to wire again. Golden State's six straight victories to begin a postseason are a franchise record.

Green also had seven rebounds, six assists, four steals and another block to bring his six-game playoff total to 20.

The Jazz will have to hope more of their shots start falling once back home.

Hayward began 1 for 5 but bounced back to shoot 11 of 21 after going 4 for 15 in Game 1.

"We play with attitude when we get down. We have to do it from the beginning," Gobert said. "I think we need to play angry from the first minute."

Utah cut the lead to six on Rodney Hood's jumper with 9:55 remaining in the third and trailed by 10 heading into the final 12 minutes.

The Warriors went on a 5-0 run but had a tough time closing it out.

"There's no excuse for that. We're 6-0, you couldn't ask for a better start, but this is the playoffs and we can't let teams get confident," Klay Thompson said. "I thought we did that tonight."

Warriors coach Steve Kerr missed

his fourth straight game as he deals with symptoms stemming from complications after two back surgeries following the 2015 championship run.

Kerr won't travel with the team to Utah as he seeks answers in his healing and goes to medical appointments.

Mike Brown and a veteran coaching staff are leading the way.

"We don't want to rationalize being here because this is the first time we've been in this situation for a while," Snyder said of being down 0-2.

TIP-INS

Jazz: The Jazz managed only 15 first-quarter points on 5-for-18 shooting and missed seven of 10 3-point attempts. ... After a 44-37 rebounding advantage in Game 1, the Warriors led the way on the boards 47-39.

Warriors: Green notched his 11th career 20-point game in the postseason. ... Golden State matched its 2017 postseason high for assists in a half with 19 in the first.

The Warriors were set to fly about noon Friday then practice upon arrival.

The Warriors had 17 turnovers after totaling just 24 spanning the previous three games, the team's fewest since 23 over three games in December 1986.

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Snyder knew the Jazz couldn't pick up Hill's production with one person.

"George's scoring and shot-making ability is something we miss when he's not playing," Snyder said. "It's a shared load. It doesn't really fall to one guy in particular."

Snyder emphasized his guards would have to pick up Green bringing the ball up the floor, saying, "He's like Magic Johnson out there pushing the ball."

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