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Upcoming Event

Feb. 1

*Naz Academy  
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Feb. 7

*Chamber Extravaganza  
Howard Co. Fairgrounds  
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*Nominations for 5 under  
55 being accepted now*

Feb. 8

*Big Spring Symphony  
presents:  
Beethoven is 250  
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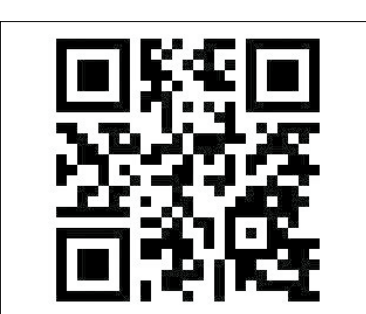
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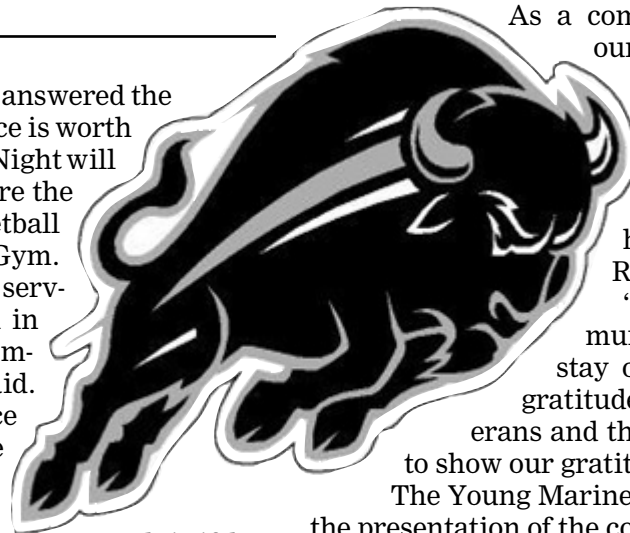


## Forsan Buffaloes hosting Military Appreciation Night, on Feb. 4

By **AMANDA DUFORAT**  
Managing Editor

Less than one percent our nation has answered the call to serve our country and that service is worth paying honor to. Military Recognition Night will be taking place Feb. 4 at 6:15 p.m. before the tip off of the Forsan Varsity Girls basketball game, at the Forsan High School Game Gym. "Our veterans and those who are serving should be on the highest pedestal in terms of how we honor them as a community," Coach Robert Hillger said. Hillger's dad served in the Air Force and since the time he was little he had a high respect for those who served their country.

"I try to teach my own kids, and I even see a veteran take the time to tell them



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the presentation of the colors, followed by the National An-

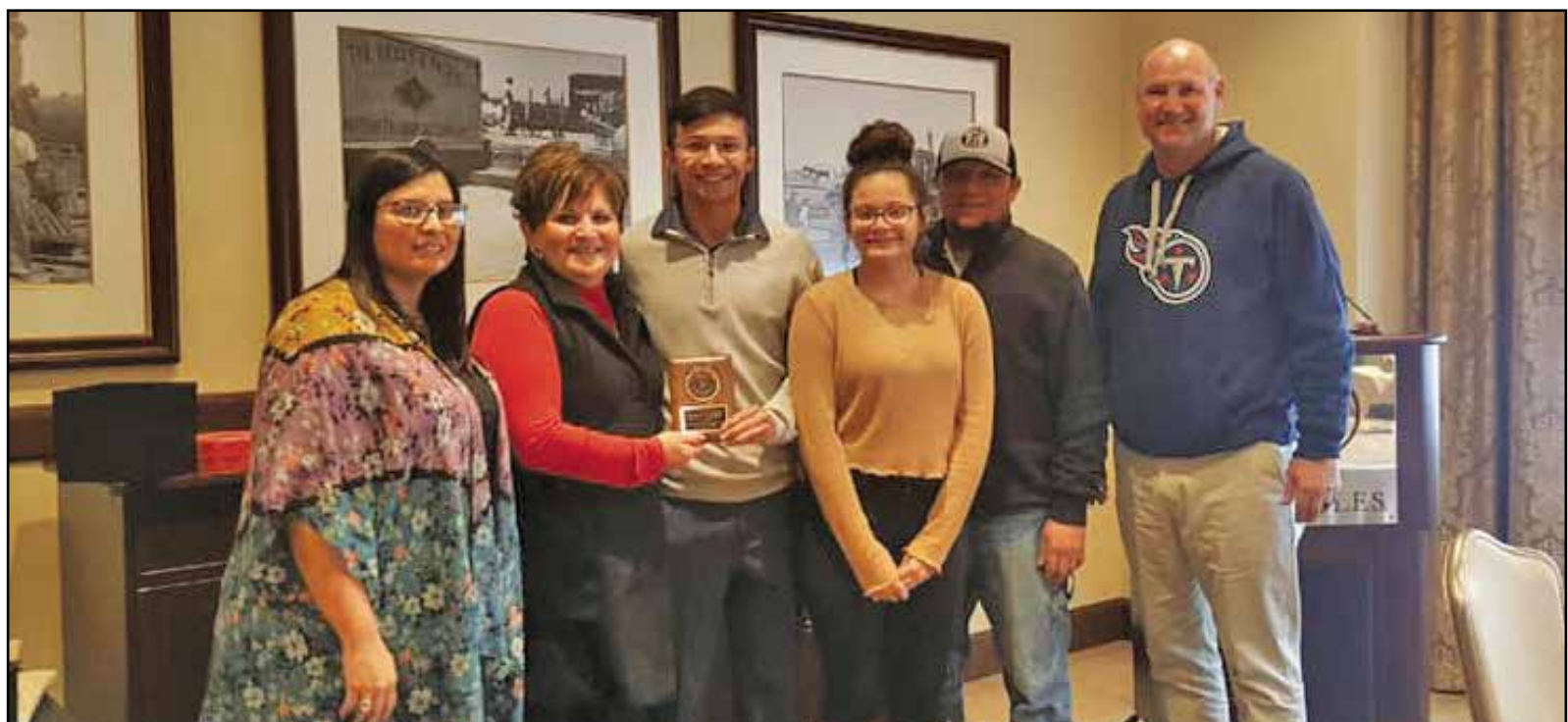
As a community, taking the time to show our appreciation for our veterans and active military members, is something that can always be improved upon. In an effort to show the gratitude expressed in the community, a group of community members have come together to make Military Recognition Night possible.

"While there are those in our community who have served and prefer to stay out of the spotlight, we extend our gratitude, but we do encourage all of our veterans and their families to join us, and allow us to show our gratitude," Hillger said.

The Young Marines will open the short ceremony with the presentation of the colors, followed by the National An-

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## Greater Big Spring Rotary Club recognizes Sarmiento as January Student of the Month



*Courtesy photo*

The Greater Big Spring Rotary Club recognized Anthony Sarmiento, from Big Spring High School, as the Student of the Month, during a recent meeting. Congratulations to Anthony for his accomplishments academically and for displaying leadership qualities.

## Military history roots run deep across West Texas Webb AFB, Goodfellow AFB history featured in book

By **SAVANNAH GEER**  
Staff Writer

Military history has deep roots across West Texas; Big Spring has Webb Air Force base and far down the road is Goodfellow Air Force base. Dr. John V. Garrett and CMSgt. Tom Nurre gathered the deep history and put it into a form, even those not in West Texas can enjoy. At both Goodfellow and Webb Air Force Bases, as the Big Spring Army Air Field came to be known, pilots by the thousands were trained for the United States Air Force.

The two bases were established and indeed flourished because of strong, local community involvement, and the pair played major roles in the lives of the local community. Both were named after local heroes Goodfellow, for San Angelo's John Goodfellow, and James Webb, a Big Spring native and

World War II pilot who perished in the training accident off the coast of Japan in 1949.

After the closure of Webb in 1977, Big Spring maintained a close relationship with the military, through the West Texas V.A. Medical Center, the Lumun-Lusk-Sanchez Texas State Veterans Home, Hangar 25 Museum, and Vietnam Veterans Memorial out at the old airfield.

Goodfellow Air Force base is one of the oldest installations in the U.S Air Force. It was the first of scores of flying training fields established across Texas and Oklahoma during World War II. In the book we get the story of Bill Farrow. Lieutenant Farrow was in the first class of pilots to graduate from Goodfellow. This was before the attack on Pearl Harbor. Farrow's first assignment after graduation was with the 17th Bomb

Group, at the time the only unit flying the B-25 Mitchell. When Japan attacked Pearl Harbor, the call came down from the White House to find some way to strike back at Japan and boost American morale.

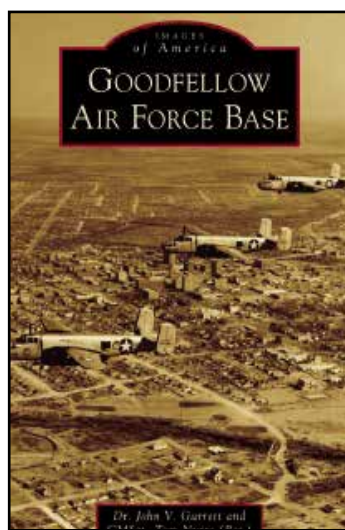
Their answer was the Doolittle Raid, an audacious plan to place 16 B-25 Mitchells aboard an aircraft carrier and bomb Japan. The selection of Mitchells for the mission meant the 17th Bomb Group, Farrow's unit, would provide the pilots and crews. Farrow piloted the 16th of the Mitchells.

The importance of history goes beyond generations.

"I think it's the same message, that history provides context. You study history so that you don't look at things in isolation, or as a sample size of one history has it's way of fueling the imagination," Garrett said.

"It helps you better see the broadness of the human experience and in that way drives your capacity to imagine others and perhaps better alternative futures,"

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## Obituaries

### Jimmy "Jimbo" Olivares



Jimmy "Jimbo" Olivares, 55, of Big Spring passed away Monday, Jan. 27, 2020, in a local hospital. Rosary services will be 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, 2020, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 31, 2020, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel.

Survivors include his wife, Delia Olivares; two sons, Jimmy

Kyle Olivares and Cody Olivares; three daughters, Kaysie Olivares, Stephanie Olivares and Valerie Olivares; three step-daughters, Vanessa Edwards, Jessica Zarraga and Britney Salazar all of Big Spring; his mother, Katarina Boyles of Odessa; one brother, Johnny Olivares of Big Spring; four sisters, Janie Morales of Odessa, Mary Lou Rasberry of El Paso, Lucy Sanchez of Big Spring, and Crusita Corral of Portland, Oregon; and 13 grandchildren.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory. Online condolences can be made at [www.npwelch.com](http://www.npwelch.com)

### Eugenia Olague

Eugenia Olague, 32, of Big Spring died Monday, Jan. 27, 2020.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funer-

al service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park. Arrangements are by Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

Pay your respects online at [www.myersand-smith.com](http://www.myersand-smith.com)

## Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity:

- **MARCUS TREY WATSON**, 26, of 2530 Hunter Dr., was arrested on a warrant from another agency.
- **JESSE EDWARD LEATHERWOOD III**, 42, of 7490 F.M. 2039, Caldwell Texas, was ar-

rested on charges of possession of a controlled substance penalty group 1 (one to four grams), and public intoxication.

- **TIM PETTYJOHN**, 41, of 301 Collins Rd., was arrested on two outstanding warrants from another agency.
- **SUSANNO ALVAREZ**, 58, of 4201 W. Hwy 80, Apt 5, was ar-

rested on a warrant from another agency.

- **THEFT OF A FIREARM** was reported in the 3600 block of W. Hwy 80.
- **CRIMINAL MISCHIEF** was reported in the 1000 block of S. Birdwell Lane.

## Sheriff

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

- **LORENZO ORLANDO LOVE**, 28, was arrested by DPS on charges of unlawful possession of a firearm by a felon, and possession of marijuana (less than two ounces).
- **JEREMY CARL MIZE**, 44, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for criminal mischief (\$2,500 to \$30,000).
- **TIM PETTYJOHN**, 41, was arrested by HCSO on warrants

gr4oup 1 (one to four grams), and public intoxication.

- **MARCUS WATSON**, 26, was arrested by BSPD on a warrant for motion to revoke-possession of marijuana (less than two ounces).
- **DAVID CORNELIUS WESTBROOK**, 45, was arrested by DPS on a warrant for a parole violation.

for no driver's license and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1000 block of Bluebonnet. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 200 block of Refinery Rd. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of W. I-20. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

## Fire/EMS

Big Spring Fire Department/EMS reported the following activity:

- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 2400 block of Main St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 1300 block of Wood St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.
- **MEDICAL CALL** was reported in the 700 block of W. 18th St. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

ed in the 11000 block of N. CR 15. One person was transported to Scenic Mountain Medical Center.

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## Take Note

• The 38th Annual Midessa Boat, RV, Sport and Gun Show will be held at the Ector County Coliseum Complex in Odessa, Texas, on February 7-9, 2020. Those attending can see the new 2020 model RVs and boats and receive the best buys of the season. Visit the new, expanded gun show and a variety of booths including resort areas, jewelry, ladies' apparel, motorcycles, ATVs, home décor, specialty foods, kayaks, African safari guides, and uses boats and RVs. Let the kids fish in the Army Bass Anglers Kids' Fishing Tank sponsored by American Chevrolet of Odessa. Sign up at booth spaces for prizes to be given away, such as guided fishing trips, truck rhino lining, gift certificates and Yeti cups. A free tram will be provided to transport people from building to building. All exhibits are inside. Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Something for the entire family. Visit [www.midessaboatshow.com](http://www.midessaboatshow.com) for more information.

• AARP Foundation Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation help to anyone, and if you're 50 and older, and can't afford a tax preparation service, AARP Tax-Aide was made especially for you. They understand that retirement or other life changes may mean your taxes are a little more complicated now. With the help of our team of IRS-certified volunteers, we make it easy for you.

AARP Tax-Aide Service will be available at the Big Spring Senior Center every Monday, beginning on Feb. 3, 2020, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. There's no fee and no sales pitch for other services, and AARP membership is not required. Additional information can be found on the AARP web site [https://www.aarp.org/money/taxes/info-2004/about\\_aarp\\_taxaide.html](https://www.aarp.org/money/taxes/info-2004/about_aarp_taxaide.html)

• The Big Spring Symphony Orchestra will present an evening of Beethoven February 8 in the Big Spring Municipal Auditorium. The evening will be a celebration of the composer's 250th birthday. Guest conductor John Giordano is returning to Big Spring to conduct the orchestra for this significant event. Soprano Nicole Keeling will be the featured soloist. She's a native of the South Plains of Texas and earned advanced music degrees from the University of Oklahoma. She has appeared in several operas and is a recent district winner in the Metropolitan Opera National Council Auditions. Doors open at 6:30 and the performance begins at 7:30 February 8. Ticket outlets include HEB, the Karat Patch, Heritage Museum and Chamber of Commerce.

• Support Kayln Whitehead get to Europe, as part of Team Texas, for an opportunity to play volleyball. On Jan. 25 - until food runs out - Kalyn and her family will be outside Walmart offering brisket burritos, as a fundraiser. There will also be more information on other fundraising opportunities and how to donate to the upcoming trip.

• The Big Spring Amateur Radio Club will be hosting a Ham Radio Training Course for Technician Class Certification. The class will meet Monday and Thursday nights from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The dates are: Monday, Jan. 20, Thursday, Jan. 23, Monday, Jan. 27, and Thursday, Jan. 30. Upon completion of the classes, a testing date will be scheduled to accommodate those in the class. For more information, email Henry Hunter at [hhunter@poka.com](mailto:hhunter@poka.com), or Pepper Sullivan at [wpsull911@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wpsull911@sbcglobal.net).

## Support Groups

### FRIDAY

• Reformers Unanimous International is a faith-based addictions program helping people find freedom from addiction. Meetings begin at 7 p.m. Fridays at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. Enter at the main entrance of the church.

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

### SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m. Covered dish supper at 7 p.m.

### SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

### MONDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, As Bill Sees It, 615 Settles, 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

### TUESDAY

• Big Spring and Snyder Parkinson's Support Group meeting at the Big Spring Senior Center at 10:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of the month. This is a group for all Parkinson's Disease patients, spouses and caregivers. For more information about the support group or about Parkinson's Disease, contact Jo Bidwell at the Lubbock APDA office at 806-785-0942.

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; newcomers meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• A six-week course in Wellness and Quality of Life with Chronic Pain will be held at Spring Creek Fellowship at the Spring Town Plaza, 1801 E. FM 700. There is no charge for the course, and a workbook will be provided. Contact Steve Purdy at 432-517-4840 for more information.

• Caregivers Support Group, sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging, meets the second Tuesday of every month at 10:30 a.m. The meetings are held at the Senior Citizens Center located at 100 Whipkey Drive. These meetings are open for any caregiver, whether medical professional or family member. For more information, please call Becky Letz at 267-1628.

• Al-anon family group meets at 8 p.m. at 615 Settles.

• DivorceCare is a biblical support group for those facing divorce or separation. Each DVD session features nationally respected experts, such as Christian Counselors and Pastors. Small group discussions and workbook exercises help participants apply the information to their own situations. We cover pertinent issues like: • Will I survive? • How to get out of debt. • How do you know when you are ready for a new relationship? • How to lessen the impact of divorce on your children. • Is reconciliation possible?

There is no charge for attendance. 13-week seminars are held two times per year on Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Big Spring. The next session begins Sept. 3, 2019. Visit the DivorceCare Ministry of TBC Facebook page for information. You can also call Donna Burcham at 267-6344 for information on seminar dates and how you can register to attend.

### WEDNESDAY

• RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy) a chronic pain disease, a support and informative group, meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at 432-517-9207 for more information.

• Celebrate Recovery meets at First United Methodist Church Youth Hall, 400 Scurry, from 6-8 p.m. Hurts, habits and hang-ups. Leave message for Joyce Webb at 325-212-860

### THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, open discussion noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Newcomers' meeting 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

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# Weather



**Today:** Partly sunny, then gradually becoming sunny, with a high near 54. North wind 5 to 15 mph.

**Tonight:** Clear, with a low around 32. West wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Saturday:** Sunny, with a high near 69. West wind 5 to 10 mph.

**Saturday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 38. Southwest wind around 5 mph.

**Sunday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 72. Southwest wind 5 to 15 mph.

**Sunday Night:** Partly cloudy, with a low around 48.

**Monday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 74.

**Monday Night:** Mostly clear, with a low around 44.

**Tuesday:** Mostly sunny, with a high near 61.

**Tuesday Night:** A chance of rain and snow before midnight, then a chance of snow. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 29.

**Wednesday:** A slight chance of rain and snow. Mostly sunny, with a high near 48.

*(Weather courtesy National Weather Service via forecast.weather.gov)*

# HONOR

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them. The list of veterans will be read after. According to Hillger, even those who are not able to attend the event can still be honored.

"If a family member of a fallen soldier would like to contact us and get their names added to the list we would love to honor them as well," he said. Veterans are encouraged to attend, along with their families. According to Hillger, this is something they hope will grow into an annual event.

"We want people to understand there are a large number of veterans in our community, and they need to be honored as much as possible, more than

Veterans Day," Hillger said. "This is something we want to do annually."

Veterans, active service members, and families of fallen soldiers are encouraged to fill out the form online to be added to the list of those who will be recognized during the event. Names can also be added to the list by calling the Forsan High School office at 432-457-2223.

To sign up in advance, go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HGDYGTB>. There will be forms at the game as well, for those who want to fill the form out upon arrival.

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- Food2Kids will again be providing sack lunches to children in the Big Spring area who do not receive adequate food over the weekends. Members of the community can be a part by volunteering to sack the food. It takes just a couple of hours of your time, and the work is very rewarding. The next sacking event of this 2019-2020 school year will be Monday, Feb. 3 and Tuesday Feb. 4, and they will continue throughout the year on the first Monday and Tuesday of the month. To volunteer, just show up at Lakeview High School located at 1107 N.W. 7th St., at 5:30 p.m. You can follow their Facebook page for additional information <https://www.facebook.com/food2kids/>.

- Senior and/or mature adults are invited to come to a dance every first and third Friday each month at the Dora Roberts Community Center, located at 100 Whipkey Drive. Come two-step the evening away, or just mingle with old friends and make new friends. Dances are from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. with live entertainment. No alcohol or smoking permitted. Cost is \$5 per person.

- Home Hospice is looking for volunteers (18+) and junior volunteers (9-16 years old). Applications can be picked up at the Home Hospice office, located at 111 E. Seventh Street, Suite A between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Adult volunteers will need to complete a training and must be able to pass a background check. Volunteer duties will

include home visits; junior volunteers will be helping with office work, community events and holiday activities. More information can be obtained by calling 264-7599 or 432-967-0901.

- Keep Big Spring Beautiful meets at noon the first Monday of every month. We meet at Howard College in the Cactus Room. Our vision is that every Big Spring citizen will take individual responsibility for making Big Spring the most beautiful city in Texas. Visitors are always welcome. For more information call Tammy at 432-935-0057.

- The Big Spring Art Association meets the third Saturday of the month, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., in the basement of the Howard County Library. Come join us, we would love to have you.

- Big Spring and surrounding counties are in need of foster families. Foster parents are the caretakers for the children in the community who have been abused or neglected. For more information on becoming foster parents or adoptive families, call the Children's Protective Services office at 432-263-9669.

- Victim Services is a non-profit independent community-based program serving victims of all violent crime, including, but not limited to, assault, sexual assault and domestic violence. Victim Services advocates are available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, to provide crisis intervention or accompaniment to the hospital and law enforcement agencies, as needed. If you can commit to 30-hour training, an interview process and a background check, we need you. For more information, call Linda Calvio at 432-263-3312.

- Scenic Mountain Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for new members. If you have a heart for serving people, have at least four hours a week to spare, SMMC Auxiliary might be the fit for you.

## MYERS & SMITH FUNERAL HOME & CHAPEL

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Eugenia Olague, 32, died Monday. The family will receive friends from 7:00 PM until 8:30 PM Friday at Myers & Smith Chapel. Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Saturday at Myers & Smith Chapel with burial at Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Domingo Galaviz, 58, died Tuesday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

# BOOK

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he said. "History is also humility, as in the story of Bill Farrow, showing us the obstacles others have faced down and drawing out of us perhaps a bit of gratitude, where it fits, or forgiveness, where it is warranted," Garrett said. "We want the reader to be able to see Goodfellow Field in January 1941, but also to know how and why it came to be there" he continued. "We want to draw attention to the images of the base as it developed over the years, but so they can grasp the impact it has had on our national defense," Garrett said.

Garrett and Nurre are scooping out a book about Vietnam with a friend. While eyeing a study on San Angelo during World War II, but theses are down the road. In March they will be presenters during on of the sessions at the Angelo State University Writers Conference in Honor of Elmer Kelton. In addition to appearing on Concho Valley Homepage News next week. A book signing is scheduled for next month, with the chace of more to follow. For those wanting to grab a copy of the book, go to [www.arcadiapublishing.com](http://www.arcadiapublishing.com)

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March 21:  
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## Just A Reminder

A string around the finger, a note left in a conspicuous place, a single word written in a square of a date on a calendar--reminders. Let's face it, we all need them. Our memories are not perfect. We may have been told, we may have known, but sometimes the gray matter needs jogged so we can remember what we know.

Christians need reminders. Peter wrote, "This is now beloved, the second letter I am writing you in mind by way of reminder." (2 "Therefore, I shall always be things, even though you already established in the truth which consider it right, as long as in you up by way of reminder." (2 We need to be reminded if have been saved and the com-



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the day we gave our lives over Him. (Ephesians 2:8; Galatians that we are no longer our own price. (1 Corinthians 6:19)

We need to be reminded that while the church is the body of Christ (Ephesians 1:22- 23) and thus a divine institution to be honored and cherished and esteemed, it is comprised of sanctified sinners. (1 Corinthians 6:11) These are people who struggle and toil, who try to do good and right but do not always succeed. They are people in need of compassion and forgiveness and encouragement and that we are numbered among them. We need to remember that as we are constantly being pressured and pushed to fit into a certain way of thinking and living, that we are to be transformed and not conformed (Romans 12:1- 2). That transformation comes with a renewed mind and a renewed mind is one filled with the "word of Christ." (Colossians 3:16).

We need to be reminded that the world is LOST in sin, a world for whom Christ died and sin which HIS BLOOD IS ABLE TO CLEANSE. As one who wears His name I must remember God's saving power, the gospel, has been given me as a great treasure in an earthen vessel. (2 Corinthians 4:7) I need to be reminded that as I have been blessed and I also now have a responsibility.

LET'S NOT FORGET.

## Reflections: *Doomsday*

Last week the Doomsday Clock was moved to 100 seconds to midnight. Created by the Bulletin of Atomic Scientists in 1947 following WW II and the nuclear bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the hypothetical clock measures how close the scientists estimate the human race is to global catastrophe and potential annihilation. Across the years the "clock" has varied from 17 minutes to midnight to two. Its original setting was seven minutes to midnight and has been adjusted backward and forward 23 times. This is the first time it has been moved closer than two minutes to midnight.

The scientists cited three primary reasons for moving the clock to one minute and 40 seconds to midnight: (1) the rising threat of a nuclear blunder (collapse of the Iran nuclear agreement, reemergence of North Korean threats and buildup of nuclear weapons in Russia, China and the U.S.), (2) climate change; and (3) disinformation.

No one knows what to believe anymore. According to Robert Latiff, retired Air Force major general and fellow at the University of Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study, "We have a witch's brew of ingredients for global conflict."

Like generations of old, we are prone to turn a deaf ear to doomsday prophecies. It was so in the days of Jeremiah and Amos, who warned of impending disaster. We don't like bad news. We prefer to live our lives undisturbed and dismiss dire warnings.

As in the days of Jeremiah and Amos, the solutions are ethical. Amos proclaimed, "Let justice roll down like waters and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream" (Amos

5:24). Jeremiah wrote, "Thus says the Lord, 'Let not a wise man boast of his wisdom, and let not the mighty man boast of his might, let not a rich man boast of his riches; but let him who boasts boast of this, that he understands and knows Me, that I am the Lord who exercises lovingkindness, justice and righteousness on earth; for I delight in these things,' declares the Lord" (Jeremiah 9:23- 24).

The more we embrace prejudice, tolerate injustice, practice deception and turn a blind eye to corruption, the closer the clock ticks toward "midnight" and humanity's final hour. When we promote understanding, conduct ourselves with compassion, practice honesty, generosity and truthfulness, the world becomes a safer place.

So, what should we do? We must hold our leaders accountable and we must pray for them to establish peace in a world of unimaginable weapons of destruction. We are all stewards of the earth and our environment. Space exploration has made us more aware of how remarkable and fragile our planet really is. We must all be committed to the truth, to tell the truth and to discern the truth.

While the Bible is clear that the earth will eventually pass away to be succeeded by a new heaven and a new earth, we are admonished by Jesus to pray that "His Kingdom would come and His will be done on earth (today) as it is in heaven" (Matthew 6:10).

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## Blessed is the Man!

I was blest by Godly men in my growing up years. When I was a child, my Daddy didn't go to church much, but when he did it blest our family by his presence. He was saved when I was 19, and in college. It was a blessing. He was my best friend.

The Bible says the man is counsel of those who know not in the way of sinners or sits in blest.

A Godly man has his delight He meditates in it day and their lives flourishing like a water. He brings forth fruit prospers because he helps

Those who are not following in the wind and driven every They can't stand in the storm. The saddest part of their lot is in the Judgment of God. They of the righteous men.

The Lord knows our innermost thoughts and intents of our hearts. He knows the way of the righteous and where they will end this life and when they will enter Heaven. Only those who know Jesus as savior and His resurrection will stand on the street of gold. The sad part of the ungodly is that they will perish.

So how do we become blest by God? Not with riches, but with peace. We follow the Prince of Peace. And the man who walks with God will always reach His destination.



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or pleasure in the Lord's law. night. As a result they live tree planted by the rivers of to help others. The Godly man others with life.

ing God are like one standing which way the world says to go. They have no solid foundation. they will not be able to stand will not be in the congregation

## Something to think about...

As a father of four children, I often find myself using "if" and "then" statements. "If you eat all of your dinner then you can have a treat." Or "If you do all of your homework then you can play a game." Or even "If you play with fire then you are going to get burnt."

We want our children to understand that their actions have clear consequences. Our hope is that they learn this lesson now because as they get older no one will be standing over their shoulder to tell them, "If you don't show up to work then you won't get paid." And, "If you don't pay your bills then..." You get the idea.

God created the world with certain conditions what some have called "laws of nature". We discover at an early age if we jump up then we'll come down. Through experience we learn some of the natural consequences of our choices. Nearly 350 years ago, a man named Isaac Newton famously described some of the physical laws that govern our world. He said, "For every action there is an equal and opposite reaction." Actions create reactions. Choices have consequences. That is simply the way our world works.

It is also true in our relationships and in our Spiritual lives. It should be no surprise that we find several if and then statements in Scripture. Our Heavenly Father wants us to understand that our actions create reactions and our choices have consequences. What you do really matters!

In this season of fasting and prayer at the NazFamily, as we seek revival for our community and for our nation, the Lord has been reminding me of some powerful if and then promises in His Word. One that we are reminded of often came as Solomon prepared to dedicate the Temple. The people of God were given a clear call, as the Lord said: "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will

heal their land." ~ 2 Chronicles 7:14

We find another example of an if and then passage in Isaiah 58. The entire chapter is about the kind of fast that God desires. Focusing in on a few verses the Prophet proclaims:

If you do away with the yoke of oppression,

with the pointing finger and malicious talk,

and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry

and satisfy the needs of the oppressed,

then your light will rise in the darkness,

and your night will become like the noonday.

The Lord will guide you always;

he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land

and will strengthen your frame.

You will be like a well-watered garden,

like a spring whose waters never fail.

There are countless examples of the consequence of our choices in Scripture. But one more that came to mind today is found in Deuteronomy 30. The Lord speaks to His people through Moses and says: "This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob." ~ Deuteronomy 30:19-20

We want God to hear and to heal, to strengthen and to fill, to restore and reveal. We all want the abundant life that He offers, but are we willing to do the if that will result in the then that we desire? Our choices have real consequences. Our actions have an impact. God has given us the ability to influence our family, our community, and our world. How will you use that gift? What will you choose today? As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.



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January 10, 2020

An Open Letter to my clients:

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Jesus said to knock, seek and ask and keep on keeping on until you receive. He said come unto me if you are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. Jesus is the truth, the life, and the way.

What a mighty God we serve. A song that touches my heart states:

Take me to the King  
I don't have much to bring  
My heart is broke in pieces  
and that's my offering

## College Baptist Church

Our church commends growth! What a unique opportunity we have to increase our eyesight as we dive into a brand new year. SEND, First Priority, bible teaching, preaching from God's word, backpack ministry are all are ongoing ministries at College Baptist Church, located at the southeast corner of 11th Place and Birdwell Lane

Our ladies WOW group will be meeting Tuesday, Feb. 4, at Pizza Inn. The men's group will be meeting at Circle 6 for the annual men's rally, Feb. 10.

We invite you to come join us on Sundays for Sunday school, Sunday morning at 9:15 for all ages, followed by worship at 10:45 in the auditorium. GA's at 5 p.m. for grades first through fifth girls' missions. Then Bible study for youth and adults at 6 p.m. Wednesday we have a craft time, King's Kids, and prayer and Bible study for youth and adults all beginning at 7 p.m.

Come worship with us as we celebrate the God of all seasons. No matter the program, we enjoy the worship time. Our pastor, Bro. Ken McMeans, helps us as we delve into God's word, which inspires us to live as Jesus lives through us.

Get your spiritual 2020 vision on and come and be a part in these joyful activities with us in exciting worship as we praise the Mighty God we serve. Please call 432-267-7429, for more information about this exciting, loving church.

## First Presbyterian Church

The Wednesday Lectionary Bible Study meets at 5 p.m. in the library, and the Chancel Choir rehearsal is at 6 p.m.

The Pastor Nominating Committee meets at 5 p.m. in the library.

The Thursday Lunch Bunch will meet Jan. 30 at Joe's Dickey's BBQ Pit, 2602 S. Gregg, Suite E-2.

In February, the Pastor Nominating Committee meets on Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 5 p.m. in the library. The newly-formed Communications Committee meets at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 6, in the parlor. Anyone is welcome to come to any of the church committee meetings.

Sunday, Feb. 9, a lunch and the annual meeting in Fellowship Hall will follow worship.

Ushers last Sunday were John Yater, Louise Hitch, Doug Mays, and Rip Patterson.

Paula Farquhar will be in charge of Take Ten on Sunday, Feb. 2.

Lectionary passages for the Fourth Sunday after Epiphany are Micah 6:1-8; Psalm 15; I Corinthians 1:18-31; Matthew 5:1-12. The Choral Introit is "Surely the Presence of the Lord." Rev. Taylor Todd will deliver the sermon and officiate at Communion. The offertory will be "God, the Lord a King Remaineth" by William Owen.

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

If you cannot attend worship, you may listen in on KBST 1490 AM, beginning at 11:00 a.m. If you wish to have a printed bulletin for Sunday services, please call the church office at 263-4211. You may also see what's happening at the church by visiting our website [www.fp-cbs.org](http://www.fp-cbs.org) We would be pleased for you to Like us on Facebook.

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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, please accept this as an invitation to join us this Sunday.

Bo Vizcaino will present the scripture readings this week.

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

## First Baptist Church

"Your loving kindness, O LORD, extends to the heavens, Your faithfulness reaches to the skies." Psalm 36:5

Start February off by becoming part of the family of First Baptist Church, and worshipping with them Sunday at 10:50 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Music Minister Alan Schantz will lead worshippers in a blend of contemporary praise music and classic hymns of the faith. Pastor Mark Lindsey will continue the sermon series "The Jesus Story", and listeners will be reminded that The Light of the World, Jesus Christ, is the eternal illumination that overpowers the darkness of sin. FBC offers Deaf Interpretation in the morning worship service. If you need assistance accessing the sanctuary due to mobility issues, use the west circle drive, and someone will be glad to assist you inside and park your vehicle. If unable to attend, you may join the service through the live stream on the church website at: [fcbigspring.org](http://fcbigspring.org). (Click on 'MORE' tab, then 'SERMONS').

At 9 a.m., The Gathering Place, FBC coffee shop, is open, and you're invited to have some coffee and a sweet treat while enjoying a time of fellowship. Greeters are happy to direct you to The Gathering Place which is located in the former library space.

At 9:30, Bible study/Sunday school groups meet throughout the building with children gathering in the Good News Garage on the first floor, and teens, college students, and adults meeting in second floor classrooms. Greeters are available to help you find your class.

At 5 p.m., you're invited to gather in the parlor, across the hall from the chapel, for a time of prayer. This is a special time of focused prayer for our community, and church body. Don't miss the blessing.

Evening worship service begins at 5:30 in the chapel, and is a wonderful opportunity to prepare one's heart for the upcoming week.

All area women are invited Monday, Feb. 3 to Ladies' First at 6 p.m. in the church dining room. This will be a fun time of fellowship and a delicious meal.

Tuesday February 4, the Triple LLL, Living Longer & Loving It, invites everyone to join them at noon in the church dining room for some delightful fellowship and a tasty lunch. Bring some friends and enter through the east kitchen doors.

Thursday, Feb. 6, the Food Pantry/Mission Center will open at 9 a.m. It is located on Lancaster one block behind HEB at Iglesias Central.

Wednesday night meals are served from 5-6 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Reservations are required by Monday noon to assist with planning; call 267-8223 or go to [fcbigspring.org](http://fcbigspring.org) to save your place and learn more.

Wednesday evening schedule includes: 5:45 p.m. children's activities; 6 p.m. adult Bible study and worship choir practice.;6:15 p.m. youth activities; contact Youth Pastor Jonathan Raffini at 432-270-8332 for details about teen events, or just come to the second floor Youth room at 6:15, and join the fun.

At 7:30 p.m., the worship band rehearses, and there's room for you if you play an instrument. Contact Music Minister Alan Schantz at 267-8223 or just stop by Wednesday evening if you're interested in being part of praising God through participation in the Worship Band.

Mother's Day Out is open each Tuesday and Thursday from 9-3. Contact Tracy Boeker at 267-8223 to hear about available openings for your little ones. To learn more about what's happening at FBC, go to the website [fcbigspring.org](http://fcbigspring.org) or call 267-8223.

FBC is located at 705 W. FM 700. There is always a place for you at First Baptist Church. "...may the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, ...guard your hearts and minds

through Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:7

## Blessed Hands Deaf Church

Blessed Hands Deaf Church invites you to worship with them Sunday at 10:50 a.m. Currently, they are joining with the First Baptist Church family in the main sanctuary with interpreters provided. First Baptist Church is located at 705 W. FM 700. For information about additional activities or to learn more about Blessed Hands Deaf Church, contact Pastor Jim Waltherhouse at [jwaltherhouse@gmail.com](mailto:jwaltherhouse@gmail.com).

## Crestview Baptist Church

We at Crestview Baptist Church want to extend a warm invitation for you and your family to come and join us for worship, discipleship, evangelism, and fellowship. At Crestview, we are all about the gospel of Jesus Christ and serving Him as we learn His Word together.

Sunday School begins at 10 a.m., and Sunday worship is at 11 a.m. Pastor Tom Lassiter will be preaching through some of the Books in Psalms. On Sunday and Wednesday nights, at 6:30 p.m., the pastor is teaching through the Book of Acts, verse by verse.

Please come join with us at Crestview if you are looking for a church home, where we believe that man's chief end is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever! We are at 2305 Gatesville Rd., in Big Spring.

## NazFamily Church

- 20/20 Vision

Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." ~ Matthew 28:18-20

Our mission is clear, but what does it mean to "make disciples"? Join us this Sunday as we dig deeper.

- Alpha

Got questions? Life is full of questions. Some are relatively trivial: What should we have for dinner? What are we going to do this weekend? What should we watch? But then there are the deeper questions of life: Why are we here? Why do bad things happen to good people? What happens when we die? The Alpha Series is a 12 week study designed to help us explore the deeper questions of life and faith. Join us as we continue the journey at NazFamily Church this Wednesday. There will be a family meal at 5:30pm and the Series will begin at 6:30 p.m. We hope to see you there.

- NCA Chili Cookoff

Nazarene Christian Academy is hosting a Chili Cookoff and Silent Auction on Feb. 1, 2020 from 5 to 7 p.m. If you would like to be entered into the chili competition, call NCA at 432-263-0203 x203 to be entered. There is a \$10 donation to enter the competition. To come enjoy the silent auction and enjoy some chili, it is \$10 donation per person. NCA is not just a school, but it is a school on a mission to raise up a new generation of Christian leaders. Come on out and support NCA.

- Men's Prayer Breakfast

As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another. (Proverbs 27:17) The first Saturday of every month the NazFamily hosts a men's prayer breakfast at 8 a.m. You won't find a better breakfast anywhere in town. It is always a time of great food, fellowship, and faith building together. All men are invited to join us as we sharpen and strengthen one another!

- SuperBowl

NazFamily is joining with The Bridge and PBOEM for a Super Bowl watch party at the Elite RV Clubhouse on Feb. 2 at 5 p.m. This is a family friendly outreach event. Bring some snacks and invite your friends to come watch the big game together.

- Marriage Retreat

Save the date: February 14th - 15th will be our annual NazFamily Marriage Retreat. Contact Howard or Sally Callendar to sign up: [howard@callenderinc.com](mailto:howard@callenderinc.com) or 661-549-6801.

## St. Mary's Episcopal Church

St. Mary's Episcopal Church welcomes all to participate in our services. We are located at 1001 S. Goliad, north of the high school, and would love to have you visit. Sunday services begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by brunch in the Parish Hall. On Wednesdays we have Bible study and coffee in the morning at 10:30 a.m., and evening we have evening prayer, dinner, and book study starting at 5:30 p.m. What a great opportunity to have meaningful fellowship and develop relationships with people who have a common interest, following the



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steps of Christ. Please come and join us for a time of worship and fellowship in a place that welcomes all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- Happenings for February  
• Shrove Tuesday – Feb. 25

We will have Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 25 at 6 p.m. We will be serving pancakes, sausages, bacon, and eating together as a community before the symbolic fasting of Lent begins. All the community is welcome and there is not a charge for the meal.

- Ash Wednesday – Feb. 26

On Wednesday, Feb. 26, we start the Lenten journey with Ash Wednesday service. We have a service on Wednesday at 6 p.m. From that day until Easter, we will be into 40 days of Lent.

This service is open to everybody in the community and we hope and pray you will join us as we begin the Lenten Journey.

## Spring Creek Fellowship

Children's Church is a great place for your child to learn and play while you enjoy worship. This ministry is for children ages kindergarten through fourth grade. We will be building on our Kid Connect lessons. Please bring your children for the fun and learning.

All men are invited to the weekly Men's Prayer Breakfast on Saturdays at 7:30 a.m. at Evita's Restaurant in the mall. Please join us.

Our Daily Bread Food Pantry will be open the second and fourth Saturdays of each month from 9 to 11 a.m. If you are in need of food, come see us. Sponsored by Spring Creek Fellowship Church. Located in the mall across the hall from the movie theater. Volunteers are needed to unload trucks on Wednesdays before they are open on the weekend. If you are interested in volunteering with the "Our Daily Bread Food Pantry" ministry, please contact Kay Elder.

"PUP" which stands for "Picking Up Pieces" is a new sisterhood for widows in our community. All widows in Big Spring and the surrounding areas are welcome. Meetings will be held the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 6 p.m. and dinner will be served. We would love to see you there. For address or more info, please contact the church office.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Hospitality/Funeral Meal Team
- Nursery
- Children's Church
- Van Ministry
- "People Helping People" Ministry
- "Our Daily Bread" Food Pantry

The Signal Mountain Quilters Group meets on the second Friday of each month. This group is open to all in the community who are interested. The proceeds from the quilt they are making this year will be donated to The Life Center. You may see the quilt in the foyer.

The Pain Management Class meets Tuesdays at 6 p.m. If you have chronic pain and would like to learn how to manage it, please attend this class. It meets in Room 4 of the Adult Connections Classrooms in the mall.

The Taylor School of Ministry is now in ses-

sion. This session will address "How to Study the Bible". If you are interested, please contact the church office.

"People Caring for People" is a ministry serving widows in our area with small projects and "honey do" kinds of things. This ministry operates through donations. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, either in a "hands on" way or by donation, please contact the church office.

We have an "App" for your convenience. It is easy to work with and has many applications. Go to your App Store, search for "The Church App" and download. Then search for "Spring Creek Fellowship Texas". That should take you to our Home Page.

Weekly Happenings:

- Sunday  
9:15-10:15 a.m.-Sunday School/Connection Groups  
10:15 a.m.-10:45 a.m.- "Holy Grounds Café" is open with coffee, drinks and fellowship.  
10:45 a.m.-12 p.m.-Worship Service  
11 a.m.-12 p.m.-Children's Church  
5 p.m. Prayer Meeting
- Tuesday  
6 p.m.- Pain Management Class-Room 4  
7 p.m.-Women's Bible Study
- Wednesday-  
Community Groups-various times and places
- Thursday  
7 p.m.-Men's Bible Study-Kingdom Disciples
- Saturday  
7:30 a.m.-Men's Prayer Breakfast. Breakfast at Evita's Restaurant in the mall.

If you would like any further information regarding any of our ministries or events, please contact the church office or visit our website at [springcreekfellowship.org](http://springcreekfellowship.org).

Spring Creek Fellowship meets at the Spring Town Plaza at 1801 E. FM 700 in Big Spring, Texas. Contact us at 432-714-4584 or visit our website at [www.springcreekfellowship.org](http://www.springcreekfellowship.org)

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

## First United Methodist Church

First United Methodist Church is located just off Gregg Street at the corner of Fourth and Scurry in downtown Big Spring. The usual Sunday Morning Schedule includes the 9 a.m. Traditions Service featuring the pipe organ, choir, trumpet, and hymns, followed by Sunday School, and then The Bridge service at 11 a.m., which features contemporary music led by a wonderful praise team.

Worship services are broadcast live each Sunday at 11 a.m. on radio station KXCS-105.5 FM. You can also find the service live streamed on our Facebook page at First United Methodist Church Big Spring. You can watch previous worship service videos on that Facebook page including recordings of our Christmas program, "Our Savior".

The Wednesday Noon Bible Study meets in Garrett Hall. The meal is served at 11:50 for \$5, followed by a Bible Study from the Book of John.

Real Life Wednesdays include Celebrate Recovery, Choir Rehearsal, Women's Bible Study,

Children's Choir, and Youth Meetings which all meet at 6 p.m. The Praise Team Rehearsal is at 7 p.m. The College Ministry, Wesley Foundation, meets on Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at Howard College.

"Celebrate Recovery" sessions are offered every Wednesday in Youth Hall for anyone in the community seeking freedom and healing from hurts, habits, and hang-ups. Worship and helpful Bible-based discussions begin at 6 p.m. The public is invited to drop by the north entrance of the building on Scurry Street any Wednesday. Men's Step Studies meet at 8 a.m. on Sundays in Youth Hall.

Other events on the church calendar include:

- February 1: Wesleyan Covenant Association Gathering, Lubbock, LakeRidge UMC (10-2)
- February 2: Youth Fundraiser Dinner, Garrett Hall, beginning at 11 a.m.
- February 3 and 4: Food2Kids Sacking, 5:30 p.m., 1107 N.W. 7th
- February 7-9: "Disciple Now" Youth Weekend
- February 11: United Methodist Women Lunch and Program, Youth Hall
- February 14-16: Youth Ski Trip
- February 26: Ash Wednesday Services, 12:30 p.m. Garrett Hall; 6 p.m., Sanctuary
- February 27-Mar. 1: Men's Walk to Emmaus

For more information on any activity, please visit the website at [www.fumcbs.com](http://www.fumcbs.com) or phone the church office at 432-267-6394.

## Cornerstone Covenant Church

We at Cornerstone Covenant Church would love the opportunity to connect with you. Please join us this week at one of the following events:

• Sunday, Feb. 2 - Join us this Sunday at our 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship service. Come on out as you can expect biblical teaching and preaching, genuine loving fellowship and live spirit filled praise and worship. We would love the opportunity this Sunday to share what God has for you, and get to know you better.

• Monday, Feb. 10 - Let's hear it for the girls! Join Women's Far Above Rubies for an evening of laughter, fun and fellowship. We welcome women of all ages and ask that you bring your favorite dish to share. We will gather in the ARC from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information contact Debbie Rieger at 432-935-1257.

• Van transportation - We have an active van ministry that picks-up on Sundays for our 11 a.m. worship service. If you are needing a ride please contact the church office.

Cornerstone Covenant Church (CCC) is a unified, spirit-led, purpose-driven church, which cultivates an atmosphere of faith so that lives can be transformed by Jesus Christ. Please join us every Sunday at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for worship services.

CCC is located at 706 E. 12th St. For office hours or other questions please contact our administrative office at 432-264-0015 or email us at [info@cccbigspring.org](mailto:info@cccbigspring.org). You can also find us at [facebook.com/CCCBigSpring](https://www.facebook.com/CCCBigSpring) or visit us at [www.cccbigspring.org](http://www.cccbigspring.org) if you would like more information.

## Christ Or The Law?



"Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God. For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him." 2 Corinthians 5:20-21

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In the Law, Moses wrote of Christ because he knew that the Law was not the answer to our sin. Moses wrote of Christ because he knew that the Law separates us from God but that Christ reconciles us to God.

God make Christ to be sin for us because we never kept the Law. Christ suffered our punishment and death because we never kept the Law.

So, if Christ suffered our punishment and death, we can conclude that, even though He never sinned, He died as an innocent, pure Lamb at the hands of the Law. Christ became a Law-breaker in our place. This is what it means when it says that - God made Him to be sin for us. As believers, we are not obligated in any way, shape or form to that for which Christ has already died.

To whom do we owe allegiance, who is our guide, who is our wisdom, who makes us wise, who tells us how to live - Christ or the Law?

Christ is made unto us wisdom, righteousness,

sanctification and redemption - not the Law. Why? That, according as it is written, he that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord (1 Corinthians 1:30-31). When we glory, let us glory in the fact that Christ is our wisdom, not the Law. If Christ's death was sufficiently powerful to deliver us from the curse of the Law, then He is sufficiently powerful to guide us without its influence.

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# Hawks swept in season series with South Plains following 65-58 home loss

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sportswriter

In their second meeting of the season the Howard Hawks (13-10, 3-6) once again fell to the defending national champion South Plains Texans (15-6, 7-2) in a matchup that featured strong stretches from both teams.

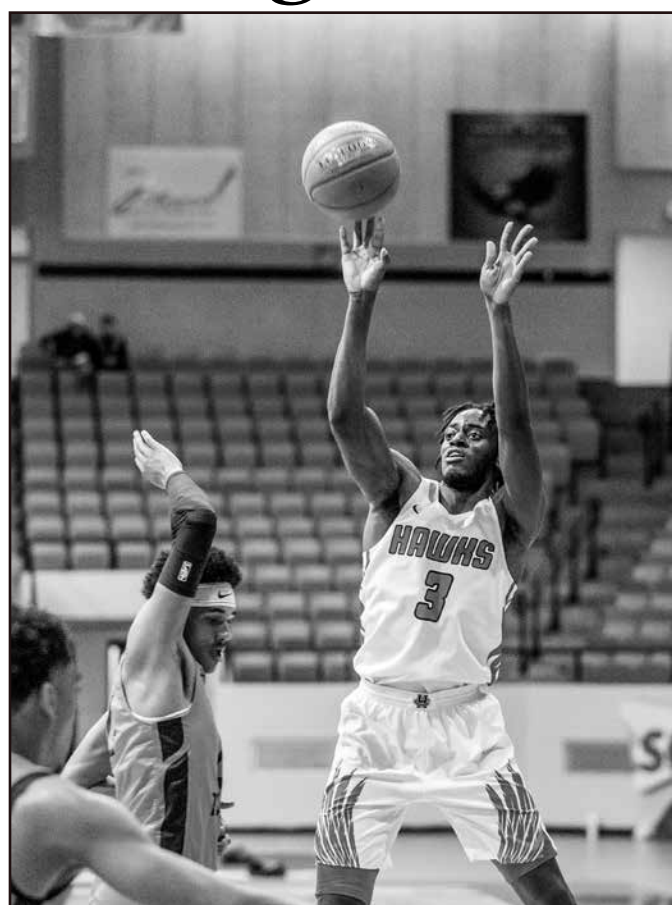
Howard jumped out to an early lead in the first half by forcing a heaping of turnovers that had the South Plains coaching staff pleading with their players to stop being so soft. During an early timeout break where the Hawks were in a Texans player yelled at his team to "wake up"

Using a high-pressure defense the Hawks were able to limit the Texans offense to long-range, low-percentage looks that South Plains had trouble converting. Howard took advantage of the South Plains shortcoming and low energy by building a double-digit lead in the first 12 minutes of regulation. Howard guard Klay Brown led his team with 11 points in the first half but picked up three fouls in the process which put him into foul trouble for the entire second half.

South Plains redshirt freshman guard Paul Perseon seemed to be the only Texan player interested in making plays throughout the majority of the first half. Perseon notched six points and dished several nice passes to his teammates throughout the first 20 minutes to keep his team within striking distance. The pairing of forwards Benjamin Bayela and Rivaldo Soares also picked up the slack for the slugging Texans lineup as they accounted for 24 of their team's 29 first half points.

With the strong finish to the first half from South Plains, the Hawks headed into halftime holding onto a 33-29 lead.

"Tonight we executed really well in the first half but in the second half we just kept turning it over,"



Courtesy Photo/Tony Claxton (claxtonphotography.com)

**Klay Brown puts up a jump-shot during Thursday night's loss. The guard led the Hawks in scoring with 18 points.**

Hawks coach Scott Raines said.

Howard began the second half ice cold with three turnovers on their first three possessions. Luckily for them the South Plains offense appeared just as incapable of having a solid offensive possession

and the Hawks maintained their slim lead. That lead lasted only five minutes into the second half as the Texans went on a powerful 16-4 run that continued from the first half and snatched a 36-35 lead in the process.

The Texans continued their hot stretch and extended their lead as the Hawks offense stalled and their amount of turnovers grew. South Plains forward Fredelin De La Cruz owned the second half by grabbing rebound after rebound and continually giving his team second-chance opportunities on the offensive end. De La Cruz also finished the game with 12 points in the second half after contributing only two points in the first half.

"He impressed his toughness on the game," Raines said.

Howard forward Lacey Watson had himself a second half to remember when he scored eight points and willed his team within two points with under two minutes to play.

Outside of Watson's effort, points were hard to come by for the second half as shots just would not fall. They managed only 25 points in the final 20 minutes of the game after scoring 33 in the first half.

In a matchup between two teams not having their best nights offensively the Texans were able to limit their mistakes to close out the game and went back to Levelland with their seventh conference win of the season.

UP NEXT: The Hawks will host Clarendon next Monday night at 7:30 P.M. inside the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

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# Lady Hawks crushed by top-ranked South Plains 83-24

By SHAWN MORAN

Herald Sportswriter

After a strong first quarter by the Howard Lady Hawks (5-18, 1-7) on Thursday night it seemed as if one of the biggest upsets in the NJCAA this season was possibly in the cards. The first time these two teams met the No.1-ranked South Plains Lady Texans (24-0, 8-0) dismantled Howard in their home arena 71-43 back in December.

This matchup between two conference rivals was even more lopsided.

Things could not have started out better for the shorthanded Lady Hawks on Thursday night. With just seven players in their rotation, they limited their offensive turnovers to only two in the first quarter and were able to knock down an array of shots and added four more from the free-throw line. The South Plains offense assisted in the hot start for Howard by struggling to knockdown jumpshots and only finding success close to the basket.

South Plains' bench led the way throughout the first quarter with the pairing of Ka'Lia Smtih and Grace Hunter combining for 11 points. Meanwhile, sophomore forward Jazzeem Bethea powered the Lady Hawks through the first 10 minutes with seven points.

Howard faced only a four-point deficit to the top-ranked team in the nation at the end of the first quarter.

"I thought we were pretty solid," Lady Hawks coach Earl Diddle said. "We just started to tire down and turn the ball over a little bit."

The Lady Hawks were trailing by a score of 17-13 at the start of the second quarter when the Lady Texans decided enough was enough. As the South



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**Armani Harris shoots a hook shot over two South Plains defenders during Thursday night's blowout loss.**

Plains offense began to heat up the Howard offense turned ice cold and were unable to score a single point in the final five minutes of the half. South Plains head coach Cayla Petree kicked her team into another gear following a second quarter timeout and her squad concluded the first half by outscoring the Lady Hawks 21-4 going into the break.

Across a stretch of the second and third quarters in this conference game the Lady Texans went into an unfathomable 30-0 run that launched them into a 58-21 lead heading into the final 10 minutes.

South Plains was able to coast to their latest impressive win of the season following another lackluster quarter from the Lady Hawks. The Lady Texans improved their undefeated record and further solidified themselves as the team to beat in the entire country. On the other hand, Howard lost their seventh game in-a-row and slid into last place in the conference by a wide margin. With six games remaining in the season, Diddle will simply be looking for improvement and effort out of his small rotation.

"I think we'll gear up and play well against Clarendon," Diddle said.

In a sharp contrast, the Lady Texans will be tuning up their offense and defense before their expected deep postseason run.

UP NEXT: The Lady Hawks will host Clarendon next Monday night at 5:45 P.M. inside the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

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# Baker takes over scam-marred Astros, set for 'last hurrah'

By KRISTIE RIEKEN

AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Before he begins his "last hurrah," Dusty Baker intends to talk to his new team. He hasn't decided exactly what he'll say to the scandal-riddled Houston Astros when spring training starts, but he's certain of the message.

"You got to go forward and make sure that it doesn't happen again," Baker said. "It certainly is not going to happen on my watch here, and I don't foresee it happening ever again because this has been an embarrassment for a lot of people."

Baker was introduced as Houston's manager on Thursday, bringing a wealth of experience to a club reeling from a sign-stealing scam that cost manager AJ Hinch and general manager Jeff Luhnow their jobs.

Baker longed for another shot at an elusive title after falling short in his previous stops. But at 70 years old he wasn't sure if it would come.

"I was happy but I wasn't satisfied, where I was and what I was doing because something's missing," he said. "And I think the Lord gave me the best chance to accomplish what I need as a person, as a father, and as a man."

Baker is the oldest manager in the big leagues. Hinch was fired Jan. 13 just an hour after he was suspended for the season by Major League Baseball

for his role in Houston's illicit scheme.

"Dusty's a person of high integrity and he's a respected leader," team owner Jim Crane said. "He has great baseball experience and he will earn the players' trust."

Baker can add another game to his upcoming schedule, too.

MLB said Baker will be invited to manage the American League team in the All-Star Game at Dodger Stadium on July 14. Baker played for the Dodgers from 1976-83 and helped them win the World Series in 1981.

Baker would fill the All-Star role Hinch would've had before he was suspended and fired.

An All-Star outfielder while playing 19 years in the majors, Baker has 22 years of managerial experience, starting in 1993 with the San Francisco Giants.

A three-time NL Manager of the Year, Baker was let go by the Washington Nationals after a 97-65 season in 2017.

"Hiring Dusty Baker is one big step for us to move forward," Crane said. "And I believe Dusty is the right person at the right time."

Baker has served since 2018 as a special adviser to Giants CEO Larry Baer, working in both the baseball and business operations of the club. He regularly attended son Darren's college games at the University of California in Berkeley.

He was so excited about coming to Houston on Thursday that he woke up an hour before the alarm that was set at 2 a.m. was to go off.

"This is my last hurrah," he said. "And I thought my last hurrah was in Washington, actually, because I gave all my stuff away. I went to find my shoes, went up to the attic and I found the empty bag ... so this is a new beginning for me."

With just about two weeks until the start of spring training, Baker said he would keep Hinch's staff intact instead of bringing in his own people.

"We're going to go with what we have because it's pretty good," he said.

MLB Commissioner Rob Manfred disciplined the Astros after he found the team broke rules by using electronics to steal signs during its run to the 2017 World Series championship and again in the 2018 season.

The Astros were fined \$5 million, the maximum allowed under the Major League Constitution, and forfeited their next two first- and second-round amateur draft picks.

The investigation found that the Astros used the video feed from a center field camera to view and decode opposing catcher's signs. Players banged on a trash can to signal to batters what was coming, believing it would improve chances of getting a hit.

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### No Business Between Neighbors

**Dear Annie:** My spouse and I are in our 70s, with numerous health issues. We decided we needed to sell our large home and move to something easier to maintain. We made the mistake of hiring the younger brother ("Jim") of our best friend and neighbor "Jane." Both assured us this business relationship would have no impact on our friendship. After four months with no activity and a flare-up of health concerns, we asked Jim to terminate our selling contract. (We called Jane to let her know of our decision.) Jim had said he would end the selling contract that day, but then sent a text saying he couldn't.

We contacted his boss, who said it wouldn't be a problem -- and ended the contract. Now, Jane is no longer speaking to us. We have called and written, seeking a chance to talk with her further. Last night, we received a vile letter in the mail from her, saying we were never her friend if we could do such an awful thing.

Ironically, we now feel we must sell and will put the house on the market again as soon as our health and stamina permit. But we are grieving the loss of this dear friend. Please let your readers know the dangers of doing business with friends -- or their relatives. -- Mourning in Madison

**Dear Mourning in Madison:** Working with

friends can be risky business indeed. That being said, you might want to examine the terminated contract to ensure there are no clauses that would prevent you from listing it with another real estate agent within a certain time frame. I'd hate for this sticky situation to become even messier.

**Dear Annie:** Concerning the letter from "Parents at a Crossroads," whose son has mental health issues and is unemployed: Please advise the parents to encourage him to explore vocational rehabilitation services that are available for persons with disabilities. Each state has an organization under the U.S. Department of Education, which can provide

evaluations and assistance in locating and maintaining employment to persons with disabilities. A variety of services can be provided at no cost to him including interview training, resume preparation, job-seeking assistance, job coaching and follow-ups after securing employment.

The names of the organizations vary by state but should not be difficult to locate. Typically, they are called Vocational Rehabilitation or something similar. I am a certified vocational evaluator. I evaluate persons with disabilities to make recommendations to such agencies concerning potential training or services that may be of assistance to help secure employment, identify and recommend types of

positions and evaluate possible supports or accommodations that would be helpful. -- Debra M.

**Dear Debra M:** Thank you for sharing your expertise and offering potential resources at the federal and state level.

**Dear Annie:** I love your column! Often, it seems writers of advice columns overlook a suggestion which would assist many writers. The letter from "Parents at a Crossroads" prompted me to write. He seems a fine candidate for applying for Social Security Disability benefits. As you can imagine, it requires significant medical documentation. And often takes many appeals and more

paperwork, but it's a great benefit for people struggling with medical issues that prevent them from holding down a job.

A look at the ssa.gov website would assist such readers about these benefits. One of the best aspects of this benefit is the access to Medicare benefits after two years on SSDI roles, regardless of age. -- PNW Reader

### Dear PNW Reader:

Thank you for raising another important potential resource for this family. Readers can visit <https://www.ssa.gov/benefits/disability> for more information.

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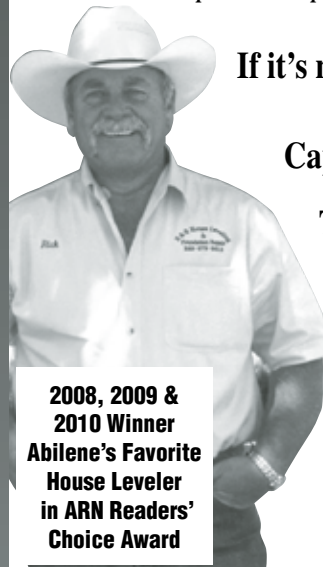
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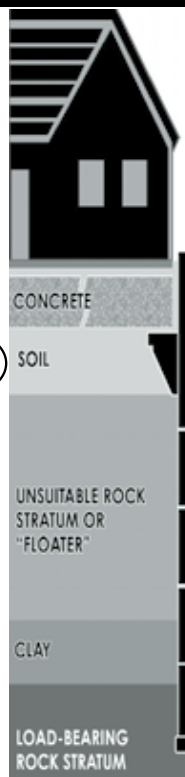
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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** When you feel like the world is yours, it is. The reason you don't feel this way all of the time is that you have a conscience that disallows you from missing out on the most important thing a human can do, which is to grow.



Your intuition is so strong, and psychic powers will assist you in making something beautiful out of your time. Share your visions. Speak out about what will happen next. Prophecies begin to fulfill themselves the moment the words leave your lips. Your work for the good of many will succeed. Capricorn and Sagittarius adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 49, 21, 29, 40 and 15.

to do any good. Also, note that there are those who think they are being honest, but instead they are being thuggishly opinionated.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** To give up on a relationship just because it's problematic would be a missed opportunity. No connection is ideal. What makes a bond great is people willing to find a way to make it work.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** The hardest people to read are the ones who offer you nothing to read. They aren't talking or emoting. They may be distant or not there at all. This won't be a problem for you. You'll intuit the way.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** You're willing to do whatever work it takes to get the job done, but you're not willing to toil indiscriminately. This is why it's essential to have a trusted and knowledgeable leader.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** There are few things in life more useful than a fun outlook. No one can be fun all of the time, but being fun when it matters brings all kinds of good luck. Today, it mostly comes from relaxing, staying playful and sticking with the moment.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** You know how to take care of yourself, but you don't always do it. Well, that's going to have to change. It's not just about you, you know. Your loved ones are also better off when you're operating at the top of your game.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** Honesty goes really well with charm. Without charm, the truth can be too painful

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** Just because you are a certain age, race and socioeconomic standing doesn't mean your appeal stops with that same demographic. Diversity is the magic of the human race; never forget that.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** Because you are genuinely interested in others, where they are coming from, their stories and what they know, you don't worry about how it all applies to you until much much later. First, you just listen.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** Do you get the sense that there's a culture of caring building all around you? Yes, this comes from you, as you notice the needs and contributions of others and mention what you see.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** In art -- all art, including the art of relationships and the art of life -- the choice of material matters but not nearly as much as the way you put it all together. It's the how not the what.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** Some jobs take but seconds to complete, and yet they're still a bother when you're this focused on what really matters to you. Rough edges? That's life. You can clean them up later.

**WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST:** ARIES: If you believe it, then they will, too. Pump yourself up before going out. TAURUS: Tension is a beautiful thing; it makes violin strings sing. GEMINI: Greatness is not something that is magically bestowed on some people and not others. Greatness is a practice. CANCER: Make a new list of goals, dreams and experiences you'd like to have. This act starts an adventure. LEO: You respect people who tell you the truth they know you don't want to hear. VIRGO: You'll act under pressure with mixed results -- something to celebrate and something to work on. LIBRA: Give yourself credit for all you're doing right. SCORPIO: You understand your love life just fine, but an outsider's view will open new ways to think about it. SAGITTARIUS: The atmosphere changes. Stay alert and you will avoid the pitfalls of unfamiliarity. CAPRICORN: Your timing matters. Tell people about it so they can help you keep to your schedule. AQUARIUS: You are really paying attention and will understand the deeper human motivation behind your actions and the actions of those around us. PISCES: Some things can't be solved; they just have to be dropped.

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♠ A K	♠ 10 7 2
♥ A K Q	♥ 8 4
♦ Q 6 2	♦ K J 7 5 4 3
♣ Q J 10 8 3	♣ 9 2

2. You are declarer with the West hand at Six Clubs, North having opened the bidding as dealer with one diamond. North leads the queen of diamonds. How would you play the hand?

West	East
♠ Q 3	♠ K J 6 4
♥ A Q 5 2	♥ 9 7
♦ —	♦ A 8 7
♣ A K Q 9 8 7 3	♣ J 10 6 2

1. This is one of those cases where, with proper play, you're sure to make the contract regardless of how the opponents' cards are divided. Win the heart and play the queen of diamonds, not a low diamond. If the suit is divided 4-0 and the defender with the A-10-9-8 takes the ace, you later lead a low diamond and play low from dummy to assure nine tricks; if the defender with four diamonds does not take the ace, stop playing diamonds and attack clubs.

If both opponents follow to the diamond queen and it holds the trick, lead another diamond to dummy's

jack. If the jack also wins, shift your attention to clubs, forcing out the A-K and thus making four notrump. If you were to make the mistake of leading a low diamond to the jack at trick two, you might find yourself going down if, for example, South had the A-10-9-8 of diamonds and took the jack with the ace.

2. It is virtually certain that North has the ace of spades and king of hearts for his opening bid. It would therefore be wrong to rely on a heart finesse, especially when there is a much safer method of play available.

The best approach is to start by ruffing the queen of diamonds. It would be a serious error to play the ace from dummy at trick one, which would force you to make a discard from your hand before you are ready to do so.

After drawing trumps, you next lead the three of spades toward dummy, placing North squarely on the horns of a dilemma. If he goes up with the ace, you can later discard the Q-5-2 of hearts on the K-J of spades and ace of diamonds. Alternatively, if North ducks the spade, you win with dummy's jack, discard the queen of spades on the ace of diamonds, lose a heart finesse to North's king and later trump two hearts in dummy. Either way, you make the slam.

Tomorrow: For whom the bell tolls.

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1	8	4	6	3	5	2	7	9
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7	6	9	1	5	8	2	4	3
4	1	3	7	2	9	6	8	5
8	2	5	9	4	7	1	3	6
2	9	6	8	5	4	1	3	7
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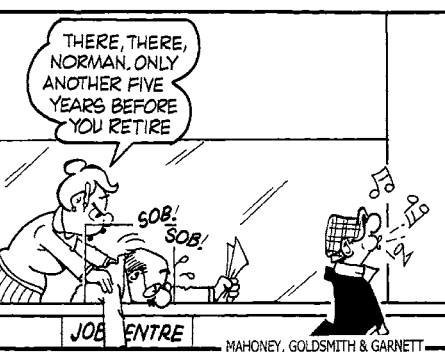


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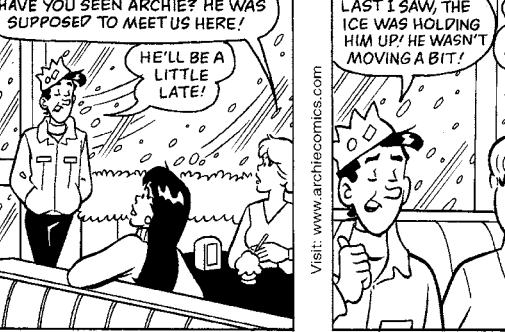
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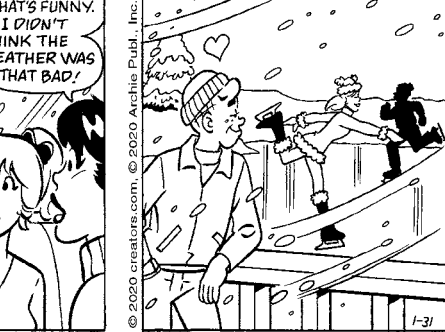
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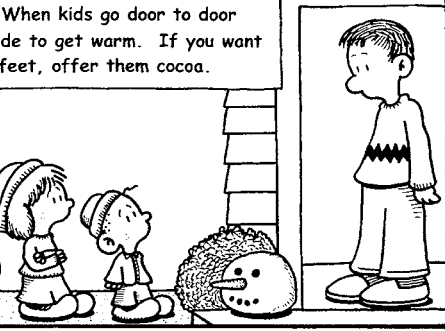
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This Date In History

Today in History

Today is Friday, Jan. 31, the 31st day of 2020. There are 335 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On Jan. 31, 1958, the United States entered the Space Age with its first successful launch of a satellite, Explorer 1, from Cape Canaveral. On this date: In 1863, during the Civil War, the First South Carolina Volunteers, an all-black Union regiment composed of many escaped slaves, was mustered into federal service at Beaufort, South Carolina. In 1865, the U.S. House of Representatives joined the Senate in passing the 13th Amendment to the United States Constitution abolishing slavery, sending it to states for ratification. (The amendment was adopted in December 1865.) Gen. Robert E. Lee was named general-in-chief of the Confederate States Army by President Jefferson Davis. In 1917, during World War I, Germany served notice that it was beginning a policy of unrestricted submarine warfare. In 1919, baseball Hall-of-Famer Jackie Robinson was born in Cairo (KAY'-roh), Ga. In 1929, revolutionary Leon Trotsky and his family were expelled from the Soviet Union. In 1945, Pvt. Eddie Slovik, 24, became the first U.S. soldier since the Civil War to be executed for desertion as he was shot by an American firing squad in France. In 1950, President Harry S. Truman announced he had ordered development of the hydrogen bomb. In 1971, astronauts Alan Shepard, Edgar Mitchell and Stuart Roosa blasted off aboard Apollo 14 on a mission to the moon. In 1990, McDonald's Corp. opened its first fast-food restaurant in Moscow. In 2000, an Alaska Airlines MD-83 jet crashed into the Pacific Ocean off Port Huene-mee (wy-NEE'-mee), California, killing all 88 people aboard. In 2001, a Scottish court sitting in the Netherlands convicted one Libyan, acquitted a second, in the 1988 bomb-

ing of Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland. (Abdel Basset Ali al-Megrahi (AHB'-dehl BAH'-seht AH'-lee ahl-meh-GRAH'-hee) was given a life sentence, but was released after eight years on compassionate grounds by Scotland's government. He died in 2012.) In 2007, some three dozen blinking electronic devices planted around Boston threw a scare into the city in what turned out to be a marketing campaign for the Cartoon Network TV show "Aqua Teen Hunger Force." Ten years ago: The annual World Economic Forum concluded a five-day meeting in Davos, Switzerland, with widespread agreement that a fragile recovery was under way but no consensus on what was going to spur job growth. Roger Federer beat Andy Murray 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (11) for a fourth Australian Open championship. Beyonce became the first woman to win six Grammy Awards in one night; Taylor Swift won four Grammys, including album of the year, for "Fearless." Five years ago: Bobbi Kristina Brown, the daughter of the late singer Whitney Houston, was found unresponsive in a bathtub at her Georgia townhome and was taken to an Atlanta-area hospital. She died six months later. One year ago: A day after he lashed out at U.S. intelligence agency chiefs over their assessments of global threats, President Donald Trump reversed course and said that he and the intelligence community were "all on the same page." He said they told him that their testimony at a Senate hearing had been "mischaracterized" by the news media. The polar vortex that brought many cities in the upper Midwest to a standstill marched east, spreading arctic conditions over an area from Buffalo to Brooklyn.

**Today's Birthdays:** Composer Philip Glass is 83. Former Interior Secretary James Watt is 82. Princess Beatrix of the Netherlands, the former queen regent, is 82. Actor Stuart Margolin is 80. Actress Jessica Walter is 79. Former U.S. Rep. Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., is 79. Blues singer-musician Charlie Musselwhite is 76.

Actor Glynn Turman is 73. Baseball Hall of Famer Nolan Ryan is 73. Actor Jonathan Banks is 73. Singer-musician Harry Wayne Casey (KC and the Sunshine Band) is 69. Rock singer Johnny Rotten is 64. Actress Kelly Lynch is 61. Actor Anthony LaPaglia is 61. Singer-musician Lloyd Cole is 59. Actress Paulette Braxton is 55. Rock musician

Al Jaworski (Jesus Jones) is 54. Actress Minnie Driver is 50. Actress Portia de Rossi is 47. Actor-comedian Bobby Moynihan is 43. Actress Kerry Washington is 43. Bluegrass singer-musician Becky Buller is 41. Singer Justin Timberlake is 39. Actor Tyler Ritter is 35. Country singer Tyler Hubbard (Florida Georgia Line) is 33.

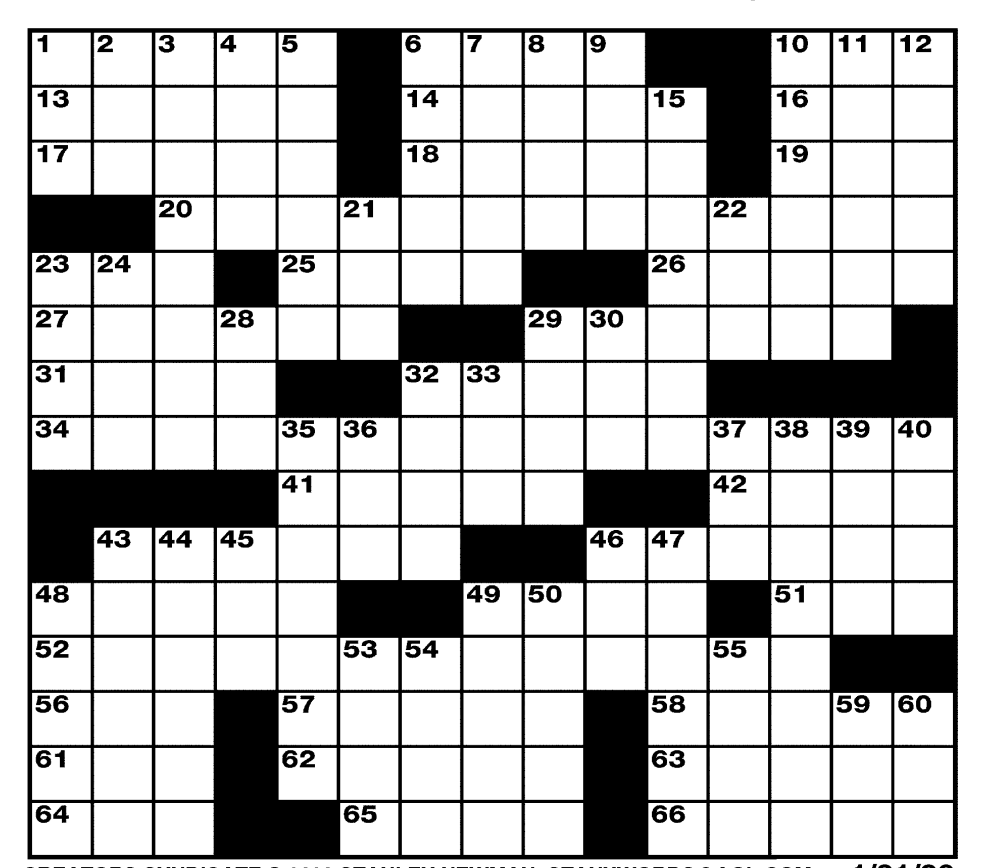
Folk-rock singer-musician Marcus Mumford (Mumford and Sons) is 33. Actor Joel Courtney is 24. **Thought for Today:** "Happiness is not having what you want, but wanting what you have." — Rabbi Hyman Judah Schachtel, American theologian, author and educator (1907-1990).

Newsday Crossword

ON ADORATION by Charles Slack Edited by Stanley Newman www.stanxwords.com

- ACROSS**  
 1 Clever solutions  
 6 Is nosy, perhaps  
 10 "Time \_\_\_ . . ."  
 13 Cold season sound  
 14 Descendant  
 16 Aesopian saver  
 17 Drag one's feet  
 18 Southeast Asian capital  
 19 Something to eat or drink  
 20 Start of a Henry Ward Beecher quote  
 23 Games partner  
 25 Morass  
 26 Kiwanians' colleagues  
 27 Extremely ill-advised  
 29 Pounder into powder  
 31 Antlered animal  
 32 Insincere denial  
 34 Middle of quote  
 41 Broken Arrow natives  
 42 A little later, in cantos  
 43 Goat coat  
 46 "You kvetch too much!"  
 48 Fixed, as flats  
 49 Subdued  
 51 Low *nombre*  
 52 End of quote  
 56 Sierra Madre treasure  
 57 Sofia in *The Color Purple*  
 58 Vow-taking brothers  
 61 Time Warner spun it off in 2009  
 62 *Six Degrees of Separation* playwright  
 63 Many a Sundance film

- 64 Virginia delegate in 1776  
 65 Cut corners, perhaps  
 66 Grand fraction  
**DOWN**  
 1 Keeps  
 2 Be in a cast  
 3 Tree remover  
 4 German name for Cologne  
 5 Serious and dignified  
 6 Son of Jacob  
 7 Close call  
 8 Lasso annoyance  
 9 A little later  
 10 Icon of unconventional art  
 11 Whoever wants it  
 12 They may cook for a while  
 15 *Airplane!* physician  
 21 Lock horns  
 22 Life of many a party  
 23 Closed hand  
 24 "Render therefore \_\_\_ Caesar . . ."  
 28 Syne, as in "Auld Lang Syne"  
 29 Light orchestral music  
 30 Source of pound-and-a-half eggs  
 32 Fans' sound  
 33 Macbeth's "hurry"  
 35 Passing obstacle  
 36 Move fast at Sundance  
 37 Facebook notation  
 38 Imputation  
 39 \_\_\_ word ("bazaar" from Persian, e.g.)  
 40 *Bus Stop* playwright  
 43 Missouri  
 44 Compromise signer  
 44 Soccer stadium shout  
 45 Shape by cutting  
 46 Patriots' org.  
 47 Extremely small  
 48 Danish toast  
 49 What's fixed in your eyes  
 50 Sounded awed  
 53 Major work  
 54 Finish a film  
 55 NBC 2014 Winter Olympics analyst  
 59 Something to assemble  
 60 Regard



Answer to previous puzzle  
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 MURSES TERMINES  
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## BAKER

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Former Astros star Enos Cabell, who works as a special adviser in the team's front office, has been friends with Baker for years and was thrilled about the hire.

"I'm thankful for Jim making the right decision because our team needs him," Cabell said. "We need somebody who is stable and who the players will play for."

Baker and Dodgers manager Dave Roberts are the only two African-American managers in the majors, a fact that disappoints Baker.

"But I'm hoping that what we do will motivate other coaches and players to try to strive to get to where I am," Baker said. "And also hopefully this

will incite other owners to say, 'Hey man, these guys are pretty good at what they do, these guys are the best.'"

Baker said he'll spend the next few days getting things in order at his home in California to prepare to be at spring training and then in Houston for the season. He mentioned spending time with his first grandchild, a boy who was born about two weeks ago, pruning his grapes and taking his dogs to the veterinarian.

"I've got a lot to do and then when I get to spring training I'll hit the ground running," he said.

Baker has compiled a 1,863-1,636 regular season record in a career where he spent 10 years with the Giants, four years with the Chicago Cubs and six seasons with the Cincinnati Reds before his two-year stint with the Nationals.

He was a two-time All-Star, Baker began his ca-

reer with Atlanta and played for the Dodgers, Oakland and San Francisco. He was selected MVP of the 1977 NL Championship Series and won a Gold Glove in 1981.

He was voted Manager of the Year in his first season with San Francisco in 1993, when he guided the Giants to a 103-59 record. He won the award again in 1997 and 2000 with the Giants, and led San Francisco to the 2002 World Series, a seven-game loss to the Anaheim Angels.

While Crane has made his choice at manager, he continues to search for Luhnow's replacement. Former Giants general manager Bobby Evans has interviewed for the job, a person with direct knowledge of the meeting said. The person spoke on condition of anonymity because the candidates have not been made public. The Astros are still in the middle of the interview process, the person said.

## Warner wonders how good Mahomes can be once taps potential

By The Associated Press

MIAMI (AP) — Two-time NFL MVP and Pro Football Hall of Fame quarterback Kurt Warner can't wait to find out just how good reigning MVP Patrick Mahomes can be.

"We don't even know Patrick's untapped potential yet," Warner said Thursday. "How good can he be? I remember when I was with (former coach) Mike Martz, we just continued to push that envelope and see how far we could go, and it was just part of the fun of playing the game."

The NFL Network analyst says he wonders if the league has ever seen a quarterback with all the skills Mahomes has. He led the Chiefs to the AFC championship game in his first season as a starter while winning the NFL MVP, and now he has them in the Super Bowl for the first time since 1970.

His athleticism and arm strength is similar to Aaron Rodgers, and Warner said Mahomes also can play in the pocket like other great quarterbacks. But Warner said what separates Mahomes the most is his ability to creatively see the game, something only a few quarterbacks have had.

"A lot to be determined yet, but I do think there is the potential for him to be the most complete quarterback we may have ever seen in this game," Warner said.

On the other side Sunday is Jimmy Garoppolo who could help San Francisco do what Warner managed in 1999 with the then-St. Louis Rams by winning a Super Bowl a season after going 4-12. Warner said Garoppolo sometimes misses defenders or focuses so much on making a throw that he misses receivers, noting a couple of opportunities Minnesota missed at interceptions in the divisional round.

Warner expects Garoppolo to play well in his first Super Bowl as a starter after winning two rings as Tom Brady's backup in New England. His question is whether Garoppolo can make the throw the 49ers need to make the difference Sunday.

"Do the Chiefs make that play?" Warner asked. "Can Jimmy avoid that play? That to me is probably a bigger question than do I think he can make enough plays to win. Yeah, I definitely think that."

### TUA HEALING QUICKLY

Alabama quarterback Tua Tagovailoa is healing well enough from hip surgery in November that he just might be able to do some things on the field before the NFL draft.

Agent Leigh Steinberg, CEO of Steinberg Sports and Entertainment, says Tagovailoa is no longer using crutches. Steinberg said Tagovailoa certainly has enough tape showing just how good he can be. How healthy Tagovailoa can be in 2020 could be the key in just how high the quarterback is drafted in April.

"He's coming along, and I'm sure sometime prior to the draft he'll be able to show his skills and be perceived the way he originally was perceived as a top pick in the draft," Steinberg said.

### MORE WOMEN WORKING SUPER BOWL

For the first time, three women athletic trainers will provide medical care in the Super Bowl.

The three athletic trainers are Laura A. McCabe of the San Francisco 49ers, Tiffany Morton and Julie Frymyer with the Kansas City Chiefs.

"The accomplishment of these three athletic trainers leading up to the NFL's biggest game is a testament to their commitment to player health, safety and well-being," said National Athletic Trainers' Association President Tory Lindley.

"The athletic training profession is more than 50% female and I am hopeful that through the examples set by the Kansas City Chiefs and the San Francisco 49ers and others, female athletic trainers in professional sport will be commonplace."

Frymyer noted that even though the Chiefs had several injuries this season,

## Greg Olsen's playing days with Panthers over after 9 seasons

By STEVE REED

AP Sports Writer

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Greg Olsen's playing days with the Carolina Panthers are over.

The 34-year-old tight end announced on Twitter Thursday that he'll be leaving the team, calling it a mutual decision that followed a meeting with general manager Marty Hurney.

Olsen has one year remaining on his contract and is due to cost \$11.675 million against the salary cap in 2020. If the Panthers release him, they would be on the hook for \$3.7 million in dead cap money. If he retires, the team could recoup that money.

"The team and I are both on the same page that it is best we go in different directions for now," Olsen said. "On the field, I will always cherish the nine seasons we shared together. The wins, the losses, standing at midfield holding the Halas Trophy as NFC champs. The reality of going to the Super Bowl was beyond words, as was the disappointment of falling short."

Olsen could try to continue playing or venture into broadcasting, something he has dabbled in successfully.

"I still have the love of football in my heart and will explore all career opportunities presented to me," Olsen said.

The 13-year veteran ranks fifth among tight ends in receptions (718) and yards receiving (8,444). He had 6,463 yards receiving and caught 524 passes in nine years with Carolina, the most by any Panthers tight end.

Olsen's departure further indicates the team is in rebuilding mode under new coach Matt Rhule.

they got to the big game. Certainly the training staff helped in that quest.

"I believe it's time that females in these positions are no longer considered a rarity, but as the norm," she said. "I commend the work the NFL has done with their intern scholarship programs for women and minorities to expand the network of athletic trainers in the league."

San Francisco offensive assistant Katie Sowers also will be the first woman to coach in a Super Bowl with the 49ers.

### DARNOLD VS. JONES IN MIAMI

The New York quarterback comparison is coming to South Florida.

Daniel Jones and Sam Darnold will go at it in cornhole.

Cornhole?

The Giants and Jets signal callers will compete alongside top American Cornhole League professionals. The event Friday night in Fort Lauderdale is part of a three-day event conducted by the ACL in which \$40,000 in purses are available.

The Jones-Darnold matchup even gets network television attention; it will be broadcast by ESPN2 on Sunday.

"Being from Charlotte cornhole was always around. To watch it evolve from a backyard game to a full-fledged sport with American Cornhole League has been exciting," Jones said. "Plus, the opportunity to take Sam on heads up was something I couldn't pass on."

Darnold is confident he can handle his opponent.

"While I wish I was going to be on the field this weekend, this is a nice consolation prize — and another opportunity to take home a win for 'Gang Green' against a crosstown rival," said Darnold, whose Jets beat the Giants during the 2019 season. "Daniel's a great competitor, but I've been practicing and feel good about my odds."

### NOVICE BROADCASTERS

NFL Player Engagement has arranged for four players who went through the Broadcast Boot Camp to commentate on Radio Row at the Super Bowl. Participating players are Jason Cabinda, Marlon Favorite, Brandon Flowers and Shane Vereen, and they also will be involved in the game broadcast to Great Britain.

Each player is participating in segments on various radio outlets, including SiriusXM and Westwood One Radio.

The program is open to current and former players who have previously participated in the NFL's Broadcast Boot Camp and its advanced version; the Speakers Bureau; and the Sports Media/Sports Journalism & Radio Boot Camp. Players have the opportunity to practice what they learned at previous boot camps, and, who knows, maybe land a broadcasting gig.

Cabinda currently is a linebacker with the Lions. Defensive lineman Favorite played for several teams and was on the Saints when they won the 2009 championship. Cornerback Flowers was with the Chiefs and Chargers and made the 2013 Pro Bowl. Vereen was a running back who won a Super Bowl with Patriots.

### SUPER BOWL ALBUM

Don't worry if you miss any of the musical performances Sunday at the Super Bowl. Each will be available almost immediately after as part of a new visual album announced Thursday by the NFL.

Those scheduled to perform include Demi Lovato handling the national anthem, Yolanda Adams with The Children's Voice Chorus singing "America the Beautiful" and the halftime show with Jennifer Lopez and Shakira. The performances will be available on Apple Music, Spotify, Tidal and YouTube, though fans also can place their order now.

Proceeds from the anthem and "America the Beautiful" performances will go to the NFL's Inspire Change grant programs for education, economic development, police and community relations and criminal justice reform.

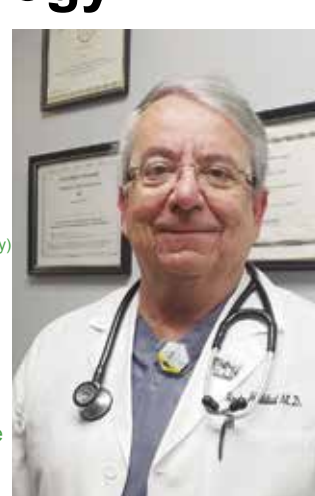
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