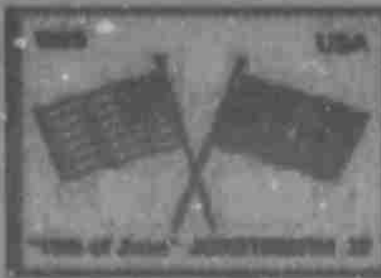


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Community Meetings

* African American Chamber of Commerce, Lubbock meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month, from 12:00 - 1:00 pm at the Chatman Hill Restaurant, 512 East 23rd Street.

* Lubbock Area Client Council meets on the 2nd Saturday, 1:00 pm at the Patterson Branch Library, 1836 Parkway Drive.

* Hub City Kiwanis meets every Tuesday evening, 1708 Avenue G.

* Dunbar Alumni Association meets 2nd Saturdays, 4:00 pm.

* Booker T. Washington American Legion, Post 808, meets every 2nd Tuesday at 7:30 pm, American Legion Building in Yellowhouse Canyon.

* Forgotten West Riders meets on the 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:00 pm, Patterson Branch Library.

* East Lubbock Chapter AARP meets every 1st Thursday at 1:00 pm, Mae Simmons Senior Citizens.

* Lubbock Chapter of Black Alumni meets every 3rd Tuesday, 5:30 pm, TTU Market Alumni Center.

* Dunbar Manhattan Heights Neighborhood Association meets every 1st Thursday at 7:00 pm and every 4th Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Dunbar Manhattan Heights Neighborhood Outreach Center, 1301 E. 24th Street.

* West Texas Native American Association Pot Luck Supper meets on alternating months prior to meeting, meetings held on 2nd Saturdays of each month at 7:00 pm at 7:00 pm, Educational presentations and demonstrations.

* Texas Juneteenth Cultural & Historical Commission - Lubbock Affiliate meets at Patterson Branch Library, every 3rd Thursday at 7:00 pm.

* West Texas Chapter of 100 Black Men of West Texas meets 3rd Monday evenings at 7:00 pm at Parkway Neighborhood Center.

* The Parkway & Cherry Point Neighborhood Association meets the 3rd Tuesday evenings, 7:30 pm at Hunt Elementary School.

* Chatman Hill Neighborhood Association meets 2nd Thursday of every month at 6:00 pm at Hles Elementary Cafeteria.

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The Estacado High School Matadors Have a 10-0 Record In District 1-3A



The Estacado High School Matadors have a record this baseball season of 10-0 in District 1-3A. This happened on Tuesday evening, April 27, 2010, at Matador Stadium when they defeated Cooper High School 6-5. This was the fourth consecutive time the Matadors have defeated Cooper.

The community is very happy over the accomplishments of the Matadors. The Southwest Digest wishes them a continued success the remainder of the baseball season.

LaNell Brooks Will Graduate Saturday, May 1st!



LaNell Brooks

The President, Faculty and Graduating Class of the College of Biblical Studies has announced that LaNell Brooks will be awarded the degree of Bachelor of Science in Christian Leadership at the Commence-

ment Exercises Saturday, May 1, 2010, at 10:00 a. m. at Houston's First Baptist Church, 7401 Katy Freeway.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. & Mrs. Wilbert Locke of Lubbock, Texas.

Civic Lubbock Holds Culture Awards Workshop

Civic Lubbock, Inc. will be conducting a grant workshop in preparation for the June 1, 2010 deadline for the first round of grants available through the 2010 City of Lubbock/Civic Lubbock, Inc. Cultural Arts Grant Program.

The Grant Workshop will be held on Tuesday, May 4, 2010 from 4:00 pm-5:30 pm in Room 104/105 of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, 1501 Mac Davis Lane. The workshop is free and is open to all local cultural and arts organizations who may be interested in applying for a Cultural Arts Grant for projects that begin after September 1, 2010.

The Grant Workshop will cover the Cultural Arts Grant Program's guidelines and procedures and the application process. Applying organizations must be a 501(c) 3 non-profit organization (or government



Teona & Tanasha Bradford

WE NEED YOUR HELP! These twin sisters, Teona and Tanasha Bradford, need your help to attend an opportunity to pursue a career in acting in modeling. They have been invited to a gala to meet with producers of Disney, Nickelodeon, Hannah Montana, and others.

This event will be held in Las Vegas, Nevada July 6 through 10, 2010.

If you would like to know more about what they are trying to accomplish, call their mother, Tiffany Pitts, at (806) 224-9534. Or you may call either Bobbie Walker at (806) 535-6481 or Robbie Walker at (806) 749-2410.

They are 8 years of age, and attend Wheatley Elementary School. They are active youth at the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, where their pastor is Rev. Sonia J. Scott.

Black Americans: More empathy than whites

EVANSTON, Ill. (UPI) — A Northwestern University study suggests that on a neurological level, race matters when it comes to empathy for African-Americans in distress.

The study led by Assistant Professor Joan Chiao determined blacks showed greater empathy for African-Americans facing adversity as victims of Hurricane Katrina than whites demonstrated for Caucasian-Americans in pain.

"We found that everybody reported empathy toward the Hurricane Katrina victims," Chiao said. "But African-Americans showed greater empathic response to other African-Americans in emotional pain."

She said the findings suggest our ability to identify with another person dramatically changes how much we can feel the pain of another and how much we're willing to help them.

Using functional magnetic resonance imaging, the study included an equal number of African-American and Caucasian-American study participants. They were shown pictures depicting either African-American or Caucasian-American individuals in painful (i.e. in the midst of a natural disaster) or neutral (attending an outdoor picnic) situations. Their emotional responses to the images were then analyzed.

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"We think this is really interesting because it suggests mechanisms by which we can enhance our empathy and altruistic motivation simply by finding ways in which we have commonality across individuals and across groups," Chiao said.

The research is reported in the March issue of the journal *NeuroImage*.

Prayer Vigil Chain Members Celebrates

The public is invited to attend the Seventh Annual Prayer Vigil Chain Members meeting on Tuesday, May 11, 2010, at the Greater St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church, 306 East 26th Street, Rev. J. H. Ford, pastor.

The annual program will be from 12 noon until 2:00 p. m.

Sister Blanche Swisher is president. For more information, call (806) 744-4415.

Parkway Roses Honored Recently



The Parkway Roses With Friends

The Parkway "Roses" were recently honored with a reception in the school cafeteria. The organization is made up of fifth grade girls. This is the second year that the program has been in existence.

The purpose of the organization is to help the girls set both short and long term goals.

At the reception given in their honor, the Roses were presented with a long stem pink rose and special designed pink shirts inscribed with their own unique logo.

The program included guest speaker and Dunbar graduate, Mary Hill, who described her experience working on the film "Precious". She explained that her work on the movie represented the attainment of a goal she set during her childhood.

She encouraged the girls to set goals, believe in themselves and do their best in school.

Many family members attended and expressed pride and appreciation for the girls and the program.

A mother who realized she had to leave before the end of the program began.

Many community leaders were also present to show support for the school and the young girls. Some of the community members present were: Lubbock ISD School Board Trustee, Ms. Vernita Woods-Hatmes; Mr. T. J. Patterson, Mr. Eddie P. Richardson, Councilman Floyd Price, Mr. Donnell Hooper, Mr. Larry Alexander, Ms. Rose Wilson, Ms. Billie Russell, Mrs. R. Jones, Mrs. Billie Cavie, Ms. Christie Martinez, and Mr.

Fred Jobe and Mrs. Gale Howeli, Parkway Elementary School volunteer.

Those sponsoring and implementing the program are: Mrs. Nettie Edwards, Coordinator and Ombudsman, Parkway; Mrs. Beverly Finch, LISD Migrant Program and Candidate for Ph.D. Texas Tech University; and Mrs. Beatrice Hernandez, Social Worker, Parkway and Bayless Elementary Schools.

The principal at Parkway Elementary School is Mr. Eddie Fitzgerald.

"This is an experience these young girls will never forget, and will serve as a catalyst for them in they do in the future," says Mrs. Edwards.

"We are appreciative to all for what they have done," she continued.

Looking Back Over The Years At Dunbar High School - Year 1987



1987 HOMECOMING QUEEN AT DUNBAR HIGH SCHOOL: Senior Maria Mora was crowned Homecoming Queen for 1987. Maria was escorted by her father, Mr. Pete Mora, Sr.

Chatman Hills Corner

By Doris Reynolds

For those of you who are interested in the monthly meetings of the Lubbock Independent School District, then a meeting will be held today, Thursday morning, April 29, 2010, beginning at 7:00 a. m. in the Boardroom of the Administration Building, 1628 19th Street.

Wouldn't it be nice if more of us who reside in east Lubbock would attend these important meetings. Chatman Hill residents, why not give it a go. If you can't make this one, maybe one in the near future.

Early Voting for the City & School Board Elections has begun and will continue through Tuesday, May 4, 2010, Election Day is Saturday, May

8, 2010.

Remember it's your responsibility to vote!

With the recent heavy rains, there is an increased likelihood of mosquito activity throughout the South Plains. The City of Lubbock Vector Control is monitoring water sources in the City and in the County to minimize the potential for mosquito development.

Prevention is the key to eliminating the risk of exposure to mosquitoes. Citizens can reduce exposure with the following activities:

Personal Protection Activities:

1. Avoid being out when mosquitoes feed - usually at

dawn and dusk.

2. Wear protective clothing. Long sleeves and pants when outdoors.

3. Use appropriate repellent and according to instructions on the label.

Let us continue to pray for our residents who are sick and shut-in. If you get an opportunity, then visit or telephone anyone you may know.

Among them include Rev. Edwin Scott, Sr. who was hospitalized for a few days, but is home doing nicely. God is able.

Willie Blocker was a outpatient for a few hours. He is doing nicely at this report.

Ms. Ann Britt is attending the funeral services of her sister in Ozark, Alabama. More on this next week.

FASHION FUN with Shirley Roberson How To Wash Jeans!

With designer jeans taking over the industry, it's important to take care of your investment. Washing your jeans at the appropriate temper-

ature and with good detergent can give much needed longevity to that favorite pair of jeans. Here are a few simple tips to optimize your wash. 1- was your darker jeans alone the first few washes. Turn your jeans inside out to prevent fading. 2- jeans do well with cold or warm water 3- Air dry your jeans, if you are worried about your jeans shrinking. Re-



member ladies nothing beat a good pair of jeans.

Fashion tip...always wear a smile!

New Light Baptist Church News

On Sunday morning, April 25, 2010 church services got started at New Light Baptist Church, 3013 Idalou Road, where Rev. Kenneth O. Jackson is the pastor.

Church School started at 9:45a.m. with Rev. Jackson teaching the lesson entitled: "All Ye Are Invited" and it's printed scripture text came from Luke 14:15-24 for the adults. Sister Rochelette Hood taught the youth. Afterwards breakfast was served by the Mission Department.

Morning worship started at 11:00a.m. with the Praise Team leading the way.

Rev. L. C. Lee led the pulpit devotion. The Senior Choir went in the choir stand singing "O, How I Want To See Him." The responsive reading was read

by Rev. Lee and it came from Matthew 5: 1-16. The altar call prayer was by Rev. Jackson with the choir singing "My Soul Loves Jesus, which was led by Sister Angela Mosley.

Sis. Hood read all the morning announcements and told of all the upcoming events that will be taking place. There was the pastoral period held by the pastor then offering was taken up.

The Senior Choir sang "Blessed Be Thy Name led by Sis. Ambra Jackson and "Praise The Lord" led by Sister Diane Hicks and Sister Angela Mosley. "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah" was sung before the sermon. Rev. Henry Edom preached the sermon entitled: "Where Is Your Name?" His scripture was text came from Revelation 20:15. "What A Friend" was sung after the sermon.

There was the invitation to discipleship and several went up for prayer. All visitors was acknowledged by Sister Gloria Lee.

Pray for those to whom God has given the special gift of listening. Help others to hear all good thing when there's whisper in our ears.

SCRIPTURE FOR WEEK: "Be careful not to practice your righteous in front of people to be seen by them otherwise You'll no reward from your father in heaven."

Matthew 6:1

NEW LIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH : REV. KENNETH JACKSON, Pastor, 3013 Idalou Road "JOHN 21:17" YOU KNOW THAT I LOVE YOU. JESUS SAID TO HIM "FEED

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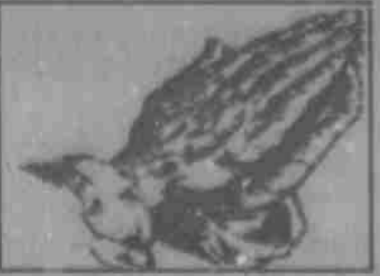
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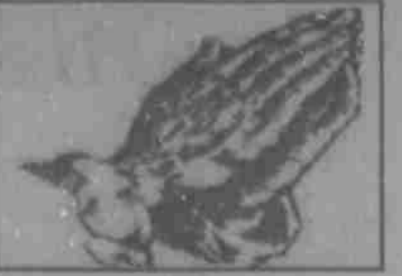
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Church News



**From the Desk of Parson D.A. Smith
"Political Serfdom"**

**We Thank God for Jesus
"WHAT IN HELL DO YOU WANT???"**

Written by Evangelist Billy "B.I." Morrison, III - Your brother in Christ Jesus always.

President Barack Obama is truly an honorable man. He appears to go beyond the call of duty to involve all Americans in the political process.

Todd J. Gillman/Reporter for Trail Blazers Politics Blog noted on Thursday afternoon, April 22, 2010 that President Barack Obama call Texas Sen. John Cornyn to discuss the impending Supreme Court nomination.

Sen. Cornyn spokesman Kevin McLaughlin said Corryn told him "he appreciated the call and that he thought it would be presumptuous to suggest names because he believes that is the President's prerogative." Corryn offered an assurance that the hearings to replace Justice John Paul Stevens, who turned 90 and plans to step down from the court in June, will be "dignified in civil."

Gillman also noted the call to Corryn suggests a widening outreach aimed at smoothing the path for his eventual nominee. John Cornyn is a former state Supreme Court justice and veteran of dozens of nomination battles on the Judiciary Commit-

tee. He's also a key partisan figure as chairman of the GOP senatorial campaign committee.

Gillman also noted that Corryn voted against Justice Sonia Sotomayor last year after deeming her too much of a judicial activist, and in recent days, like other Republicans, his opposition to the more liberal contenders would be fierce. He has publicly warned that Obama should void anyone who is "out of the mainstream" of legal thinking. (Note: Obama taught Constitutional Law and it appears Corryn appears he is academically superior to Obama by is art of dictating).

If I were Obama I would not put any stock in what John Corryn says. It appears that he is a professional in knowing how to disguise the truth and play on the weakness of those who look up to him as the white haired Pharaoh of Texas.

He could have spoken and money would no doubt have been provided to one of the Boards I am a member of in this city and surrounding counties that would have helped women

and families who have been violently attack. This board has good people on it who are involved in making a better life for those who have been misused and abused.

Obama still has to learn that you cannot trust political snakes. Their nature is to bite and inject poisonous venom into the animal that appears to threaten their territory.

Another political issue that all clear thinking American should note is what has happened in Arizona.

A law passed and signed by the Governor of Arizona known as SB1070 makes it a crime to lack proper immigration paperwork. The bill requires police officers (who are not lawyers) if they form a "reasonable suspicion" that someone is an illegal immigrant, to determine the person's immigration status.

Will Bunch wrote Alessandra Soler Meetze, president of the American Civil Liberties Union in Arizona said "a lot of U.S. Citizens are going to be swept up in the application of this law

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Matthew 25:16-12 -- Jesus said, while they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready with in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut. Afterward came also the others virgins, saying, Lord, Lord, open unto us. But he answered and said Verily I say unto you, I know you not.

Lord, someone's knocking on your door and ringing your BELL.

Will you let them into HEAVEN OR TELL'EM TO GO TO HELL???

Look! There's a PREACHER out there, in his long flowing ROBE.

He say, he've PREACHED TO THE PEOPLE; AND COLLECTED THEIR GOLD!!!

Luke 20:46,47 -- Jesus said, beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greeting in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts: Which devour widows' houses, and for a show make long prayers: the same shall re-

ceive greater damnation.

Lord, someone's knocking on your door and ringing YOUR BELL.

Will you let them into HEAVEN; OR TELL'EM TO GO TO HELL???

LOOK! There's a MISSIONARY out there, with a BIBLE IN HAND.

She said she the CHILDREN IN THE FOREIGN LANDS.

(CHARITY BEGINS AT HOME) then it spread abroad. AMERICA is the SICKEST COUNTRY UNDER THE SUN. and we want to teach other COUNTRYS HOW TO LIVE!!! In CHINA where the WHIPPING CANE is a tool use to keep CRIME DOWN, it changed the MINDS of people commit them.

They have 80% less CRIME than AMERICA. And America want to say: THE CANE IS CRUEL. WE NEED THAT CANE!!! WE HAVE THE MOST MURDERS, RAPES, ROBBERYS, CHILD MOLESTATIONS, TEEN DRUGS DEALERS, TEEN

PREGNANCY, AND TEEN GANES, AND MANY, MANY MORE)

Matthew 23:15 -- Jesus said, Woe(Cursed) unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you compass sea and land to make one proselyte, and when he is made, you make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves.

Lord, someone's knocking on your door and ringing your BELL.

Will you let them into HEAVEN; OR TELL'EM TO GO TO HELL???

Look! There's a DEACON out there, STANDING TALL AND PROUD.

Says, he've been waiting Church Tables 20-Years, AND NOT A PENNIE TAKEN OUT!!!

(BUT OWES THE BROTHER IN CHURCH \$50.00, AND WON'T PAY HIM!!!)

Matthew 23:28, Jesus said, Even so yo also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but

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St. Matthew's Baptist Church News

Church services got underway at 10:10 a. m. last Sunday morning, April 25, 2010, at the St. Matthew Baptist Church, 2020 East 14th Street, where the proud pastor is Rev. Edward Canady.

Sunday School got underway last Sunday morning with Sunday School with Superintendent Sister Shirley Davis in charge.

The subject of the morning lesson was "All Are Invited." The scripture text was Luke 14:15-24. The Unifying Topic was "Inclusion In Community." The teacher of the morning was Rev. Canady.

The main thought of our lesson was:

"So that servant came, and shewed his lord these things. Then the master of the house being angry said to his servant, go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind." Luke 14:21.

The morning worship hour begun at 11:00 a. m. The morning devotion was led by Deacon Edward Williams and Deaconess Sister Ethel Williams.

The St. Matthew Baptist Church choir sung out of their

hearts and souls.

The morning message was delivered by Pastor Canady. His subject was "Come See A Man." His scripture text was John 4:29.

The weekly meetings held at St. Matthew Baptist Church are as follows:

Mission meets at 5:00 p. m. on Wednesday evenings.

Bible Study is held at 6:00 p. m. on Wednesdays.

Choir Rehearsal is held at 5:00 p. m. on Friday evenings.

Ushers meet at 11:00 a. m. on Saturday morning.

The Brotherhood meets at 12 Noon on Saturdays.

The morning announcements were read by First Lady Sister Shirley Canady. She always does a wonderful job and with such zeal!

Please let us not forget our sick and shut-in this week. Among them include Sister Shirley Davis, who is a patient at the University Medical Center, Room 461.

Sister Barbara Johnson and Sister Annie Onasanya are ill.

Let us pray for Sister George A. Hereford's husband, Brother Ronald Hereford, who is also a patient at the University Medical

Center.

Also Brother Albert Wilbon is on our sick list.

If you are looking for a Church Home, then come and visit with us at the St. Matthew Baptist Church. The doors are always open.

May God continue to bless each of you. God is able!

Lord, I thank you for Salvation, for your mercy, full and free: Take myall in consecration. Glorify yourself in me.

Thought For The Week:
"Still at the wheel of your life? It's time to let Jesus drive."

God's gifts put man's best dreams to shame.

Elizabeth Barrett Browning

The Lord will open the heavens, the storehouse of His bounty, to bless all the work of your hands.

Deuteronomy 28:12
May God Continue To Bless Each of You!

Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Check this scripture out, **Saints!**

Then the Kingdom of Heaven shall be likened to ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Now five of ten were wise, and five were foolish. Those who were foolish took their lamps and take no oil with them.

But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps, but while the bridegroom was delayed. They all slumbered and slept, and at midnight a cry was heard. Behold the bridegroom is coming, go out to meet him. Then all those virgins arose and trimmed their lamps. And the foolish said to the wise, give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out. But the wise answered, saying, No lest their should not be enough for us and you, but go rather to those who sell and buy for yourselves. And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding and the door was shut. Afterwards the other virgins came also saying Lord, Lord, open to us, but the answer and said as surely I say to you, I do not know you."

Watch, therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour in which the son of man is coming for the Kingdom of Heaven.

It is like a man traveling to a far country who called his servants and delivered his goods to them. And to one he gave five talents and to another he gave two and to another he gave one. And to each according to his

own ability and immediately he went on a journey. Then he who had received five talents went and traded them, and made another five talents. Like the wise he who had received two gained two more also, but he who had received one went and dug in the ground and hid his Lord's money.

Saints, think on these scriptures: Be sure your works are

good works, and he will not say depart from me I know you not. Also, **Saints**, read over these scriptures: **II Chronicles 7:14** and **Mark 11:22-26.**

For all of you who are sick and berieved families. God knows your condition, keep trusting, no matter what. And we will keep praying for you and the world.

Here Is Something Special

For All of You!
UNINTENTIONALLY BREAKING THE RULE

I have a Christian brother who is developmentally challenged. Despite his limitations, he's a great conversationalist and an amazing man of God. He works in a program that integrates developmentally challenged people into the workforce; it's a mutually beneficial alliance, as

the businesses get some dedicated and hardworking employees and the workers get the satisfaction of contributing in the workplace.

My friend loves his job and the company for which he works. But while at work one day, my friend violated one of his company's regulations. It was a serious infraction, and yet my friend was completely oblivious that he did anything wrong. Understand that his attitude toward his employer never changed—he was completely

faithful to the company. But he still broke a rule. And now that he knows this, he'll make sure no; to make the same mistake again.

Our Christian responsibility is to maintain our faithfulness while striving to eliminate our inadequacies. Paul saw the potential for the Colossians to make that correction. This is why he devoted his opening thoughts to affirming their attitude toward God before attempting to show them where they had gone wrong.



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Obsequies

Rev. Homer Luther Pacely

Funeral services were held last Saturday afternoon, April 24, 2010, at Carter Chapel C.M.E. with Rev. Leon Moore, pastor, officiating.

Interment followed at City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Griffin Mortuary & Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Rev. Pacely, 95, of Lubbock passed away Friday, April 16, 2010 at University Medical Center.

Rev. Homer Luther Pacely was born September 17, 1914 in Shubuta, Mississippi to Eli Clark Pacely and Mariah (Davis) Pacely.

Rev. Pacely served his local church in Detroit as assistant pastor and local director of Christian Education, and entered full-time ministry in 1959. He served as local pastor in El Paso, Texas; Albuquerque, New Mexico; San Diego, CA; Hobbs, New Mexico; Wichita Falls, Texas; Amarillo, Texas; Abilene, Texas; and most recently Lubbock, Texas. He also served as presiding elder from 1981-1989. After retiring in 1994, he served as Supply Pastor at Plainview C.M.E. and Fountain Chapel, Lamesa, Texas until his health began to fail. He completely retired in 2007.

He leaves behind to celebrate his home going a loving wife, Louise Pacely; two sons, James



Luther Pacely (Van) and Edward Clark Pacely; one daughter, Frances Marie Pacely; son-in-law, Steven Tyler Beard (Rhonda); grandchildren, Charles Edward Riggins and Maya Thembi Pacely; step-son Edgar Allen Stevens (Joyce); two step-daughters, Deborah Kay Mackey (Vernard) and Brenda Audrene Patton (Mike); nine other grandchildren; 27 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and loving friends.

Minister Houston Lee Andrews, Sr.

Virginia Beach, VA. - Funeral services for Minister Houston Lee Andrews, Sr. were held Friday morning, April 16, 2010, Beach Fellowship Church.

Burial was held at Albert G. Horton, Jr. Memorial Veterans Cemetery.

Minister Andrews passed away April 12, 2010.

James Minner

Floydada - Funeral services for James Minner were held Thursday morning, April 22, 2010, at the First Baptist Church of Floydada with Rev. Ralph Jackson, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church, officiating.

Interment was held in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction Rose Moore Funeral Home of Floydada.

Pallbearers were Stanley B. Collier, Shandon B. Collier, Sharnar B. Collier, Adrain Pleasant, Alvin R. Cooper, and Martin Minner.

Honorary pallbearers were Josey Mora, Robert Mora, DeWayne Walls, and James Walls.

Mr. Minner, 92, passed away Friday, April 16, 2010. He was born November 14, 1917 in Paris, Texas.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Genevieve Moore; father, Otha Minner; sisters: Daisy Alexander and Mary Francis Minner; brother, James Sanders; and an uncle, Willie Edwards.

He worked as a John Deere



Tractor mechanic in Floydada for more than 40 years before retiring.

He loved to fish, loved the Dallas Cowboys, and loved his dog, Sparky. He will beat you in Dominoes Lands down - to us he was the master of the game.

Those left to cherish his memory include: his loving wife of 56 years, Myrtle Minner; daughters: Mary (Paul) Baskeville of Kingland, Georgia, May Katherine Byrd of Atlanta, Georgia, Gloria Harris of New Orleans, La., and Shirley (Don) Minner-Frazier of Edmond, Oklahoma; his sons: James, Earl Minner of Albu-

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NBC/LEO Mours Passing Of Black Heroes

Washington, DC - Beaumont, Texas, Councilmember Audwin Samuel, president of the National Black Caucus of Local Elected Officials (NBC LEO), released the following statement mourning the recent passing of civil rights icons Dorothy Height and Benjamin Hooks:

"On behalf of the National Black Caucus of Local Elected Officials (NBC-LEO) of the National League of Cities, we express our condolences for the loss of two great civil rights pioneers, Dorothy Height and Benjamin Hooks.

"We are saddened by their deaths, but realize the richness of the lives they lived.



He was born in Lubbock, Texas to the late Roosevelt Andrews, Sr. and Matilda Andrews.

He attended Dunbar High School, and graduated in May, 1964. He was a State Champion in the 1,600 yards.

He was also captain of the 1963-64 Boys Basketball team.

The Rev. Andrews served in the U. S. Navy for 21 years. He served during the South Vietnam Conflict, and was handpicked to

serve aboard the Battleship New Jersey.

The Rev. Andrews is survived by his wife, Dee Andrews; two children, Trina Andrews-Olson and Houston Andrews, Jr.; two grandchildren, Joshua Scott Olson and Rachel Joy Olson; one brother, L.

V. Andrews (Birda) of Lubbock, Texas; a host of family members and friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Dee Andrews, in care of The Joshua and Rachel Olson Educational Fund, 5792 Greenwich Road, Virginia Beach, VA. 23462.

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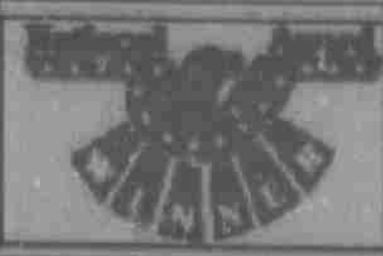
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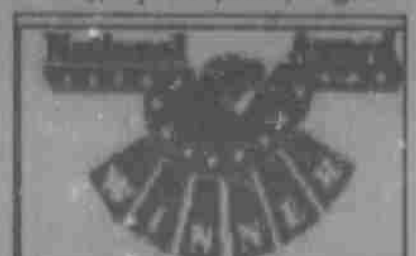
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THIS 'N' THAT

by T.J. Patterson

VOTING IS SO IMPORTANT! THIS 'N' THAT ... is hoping as many of you as possible ... would go to the ... **POLLS** ... and cast your ... **VALUABLE VOTE** ... for your choice in the upcoming ... **CITY & SCHOOL ELECTIONS** ... which are being held on ... **SATURDAY** ... May 8, 2010 ... from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p.m. ... This year's election for the City of Lubbock will be the election of a ... **MAYOR** ... This is an important position for all of us ... so you better go and choose your next mayor. ... Also ... on the ... **SCHOOL BOARD SIDE** ... this ... is very important for us to vote our choice. ... So ... let's not give any excuses ... and go to the

... **POLLS** ... on May 8th. ... If you want to ... you can go and ... in ... **EARLY VOTING** ... thru Tuesday ... May 4th. ... Really ... there are no excuses as not to ... **VOTE IN THE MAY ELECTIONS FOR CITY & SCHOOL BOARD!** So will you join ... **THIS 'N' THAT** ... and go to the polls?? Hope so!

STATE NAACP PREXY MAKING GOOD SENSE! **THIS 'N' THAT** ... would like to encourage you to read the article ... on this page entitled ... **"TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR HISTORY"** ... Hopefully ... this article by ... **GARY BLEDSOE** ... Texas NAACP Prexy ... will inspire us to get involved and help get the ... **LUBBOCK BRANCH**

OF THE NAACP ... back into the posture it was at one time in Lubbock. ... No matter how you look at it ... there is a ... **GREAT NEED** ... for the ... **LUBBOCK BRANCH OF THE NAACP!**

JUNETEENTH ALMOST HERE! THIS 'N' THAT ... wants to remind us that it want be long before ... we celebrate the ... **ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF JUNETEENTH** ... **THIS 'N' THAT** ready to help ... just advise ... and we'll be there. ...

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Take Control of Your History

By Gary Bledsoe - Texas State NAACP President

Hello my good friends. I want to ask you to come forward and do what you can to help us prevent what might be an incredible miscarriage of justice. A conservative group on the Texas State Board of Education is attempting to re-write history. The proposals would re-write history in such a manner as to harm not just African-Americans but essentially all school children in the State of Texas. It would harm all school children by teaching falsehoods or refusing to teach truths that are politically unpalatable to extreme conservatives in Texas. This will cause all Texas public school students to be put at a disadvantage with their counterparts in other states when competing on national exams and in many ways make our State be looked at by others with low regard. What appears to be obvious is a desire for some to brain wash Texas students so that they will believe and act a certain way, even become a member of certain political parties. Some things should be sacrosanct, like the future of the young people of this State. They should be taught the truth and not be taught things so that will act, look, talk or think in a robotic and monolithic way that some may desire.

The African-American and Latino Members of the Texas Education Agency (there are 5 of them combined) have done a tremendous job in trying to prevent this. However, there are 7 members of the Board who seem intent to follow through with this come hell or high water, and the conservative movement is such to where there are 3 other members who are presented with serious political risks if they buck this anti-truth movement. The Board wants to do things such as: (a) have school children taught about the failures of affirmative action and the Great Society; (b) have students taught about the value of limited government (remember it was the Government that said you had to permit Black children to your schools or let them vote in elec-

tions); (c) have the Confederacy taught in a positive light particularly regarding the contributions of Jefferson Davis and Robert E. Lee; (d) limit teaching and descriptions of former President Thomas Jefferson because of his belief that there needed to be a separation of church and State, (e) teach that gains by racial and ethnic minorities were the result of the Good Graces of whites rather than the civil rights movement; (f) teach that the Texas War of Independence with Mexico led to freedom for all Texans when in fact the two primary reasons the Texans wanted to secede in 1836 was that the Mexican Government prohibited slavery and required that in order to own property you had to be Catholic; (g) not teach about many great and important Black and Hispanic leaders in Texas history while requiring that non-Texans like Phyllis Schlafly be emphasized (she is the conservative who opposed women's rights back in the 1970's); (h) have limited teaching about world geography and objective analyses of circumstances relating to America's largest cities; and (i) even question one's right to vote if you are not sufficiently informed. The list goes on and on, great Black Texans like Hendrick Arnold, Samuel McCutlough, Lonnie Smith, Juanita Craft, Maceo Smith and others are not mentioned. Additionally, it limits to early grade teachings such great Americans like Thurgood Marshall. Looking at the proposed curriculum in social studies it would appear Lyndon Baines Johnson must be from another State and that one political party is for whites and the other is for minorities. This is really divisive for our State potentially.

If people can shape and make your history they can define who you are. There is clearly a movement to say that Government doing things they don't like is a bad thing and to try and get our children to agree with them. And they want to change

history and negate the positives of the civil rights movement and even brain wash individuals into thinking that when the Government provides remedies for past wrongs such as when affirmative action is engaged or when the Great Society attempts to lift people out of poverty that our children will be taught that these things are wrong in such a manner as to suggest that such teachings are true. Now it is true that people should be entitled to have such positions but our children should not be made to suffer from political idolatry.

One of the members of the group of 7 is a lawyer Board Member who was reported to have said or suggested that during the first 6 months of an Obama administration there would be an attack on the United States because of actions by people who Obama [or his people] were engaged with in some way. When the Associated Press confronted her around the 2nd of November of 2008 about this, she indicated there was nothing to correct. We need you to ask the Board to back off and teach truth to our children. Teach our children about the good and bad of both parties but don't try to use them as guinea pigs for a large scale brainwashing operation, and teach history in an accurate light and don't belittle the contributions or efforts of African-Americans and Latinos as is presently proposed. The Texas NAACP will be working with the Legislative Black Caucus of Texas and the League of United Latin American Citizens among others to address this issue. Please fax letters complaining about this to the State Board of Education at Austin, Texas and to the Texas NAACP Office, attention Yannis Banks at 512-322-0757. We will be joining together for a rally at the Capitol early on May 19th and then will proceed to the last public hearing by the State Board on this subject before they vote (the public hearing is on the 19th and they are expected to vote on the 21st).

Statement by Linda DeLeon To Endorse City Councilman

Since announcing several months ago that I would not seek re-election, there have been many people in District 1 asking me whom I would support to represent the district. I am proud to announce my support of Glen Robertson.

In stepping aside, I hoped new talent, with fresh ideas, would step forward to lead our district with conviction. Our city faces critical challenges that calls for strong leadership, commitment to neighborhoods, working for business expansion, supporting the development of the arts, and protecting those whose voices are sometimes not heard by their government.

Glen Robertson is the strong, effective, and independent voice that District 1 and our community need today. He understands the effect increasing crime is having in our neighborhoods. He is committed to the safety of our citizens, especially our children, and believes it is priority one. He sees the issues caused by rapid urban decay and will be a strong and effective voice in helping to protect homeowners' investments. He also believes the City Council should stop hiding behind ever increasing user fees for water, waste water, and storm water fees.

Not only does Glen have the best interest of District 1 in mind, he also has the experience to effectively get the job done without quitting or walking away. My predecessor, and now Glen's opponent, abandoned this district and this seat when he resigned from the Council. My predecessor's tenure on the Council was divisive and his behavior since quitting the Council has been to continue to divide our district and our community. Glen Robertson has never quit or walked away from an elected or appointed position and he will serve our district with strong leadership, independence, and unity from day one, and every day that he serves.

I am surprised some have tried to turn this into an issue of ethnicity. Those people obviously do not know the people of District 1. I know this district's people and I know they look at the quality of an individual's character and their experience, not at the color of their skin. Of the candidates in this race for District 1, Glen Robertson is the clear choice.

Thank you, Linda DeLeon 775-2027

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In Cinque

By Renetta Howard

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It will not be too long before we will be celebrating one of the most popular and dearest to our hearts, holidays; Mother's Day. All sorts of businesses have already geared up for this day, because as soon as they put up the Easter sales products, they replaced them with the Mother's Day products. Businesses capitalize, but do the children of various mothers really realize the seriousness of celebrating Mother's Day?

Surely, we buy roses to wear on Mother's day; red if Mother is alive and white if Mother is not alive. We cherish Mother. We buy fancy gifts, flowers and whatever our hearts dictate, to present to Mother on her day. These are symbols of endearment which we share with our Mother. But, what have we done all through the year to show Mother that we truly do care for and cherish her?

It is easy to give Mother something tangible. Somehow, we feel that this is the ultimate realization of our love for her. Duh! Too often, Mother gets the same treatment that we often give our children. We buy things, thinking that this is a 'show of love.' It is easy to purchase a gift, but it takes more than gifts of things to show real love. You can surprise anyone with a gift and be really sincere in the effects of happiness that it garners. Do we love, really love, everyone to whom we give a gift?

Mother needs your presence, not always your presents, to exercise your show of love. When Mother is in her twilight years, passed sixty plus, Mother often needs your physical presence to overcome some of her physical inadequacies. If Mother hap-



pens to be a widow, chances are, Mother will need you more often than you expect. Quite often, when Mother has a husband, her helpmate, she can get along most of the time without you, even when her husband is not in the best of health, as the love of a couple narrows the gap of need from an outside source.

When you can be with your Mother and seek to help her with even menial tasks with a smile on your face, instead of a smirk and criticisms, no matter how many material things she has accumulated, that you feel are unnecessary, that is love. Remember, Mother has been in the world a lot longer than you, and her possessions, including you, represent Her world. When you can respect Mother's word and still live in your own, then you will never feel like a 'motherless child.' Cherish every moment with your mother because too soon she is gone from our lives if we leave in the order in which we came. And when that time comes, that she is gone, have no regrets about what you could have or should have done for and with your mother. Be thankful and get 'in cinque' and put your best foot forward to 'do the right thing.'

Dunbar All-Class Reunion July, 2010

CAMPAIGN TO ELECT VICTOR HERNANDEZ ISSUES SECOND RECOMMENDATION TO SUPPORTERS

The Campaign to Elect Victor Hernandez announced today that a second recommendation is being made to supporters of Victor Hernandez. That is, to work twice as hard to get out the vote during the early voting period which runs from Monday, April 26 through Wednesday, May 4 and, on election day of Saturday, May 8.

Councilwoman Linda DeLeon endorsed Glen Robertson for the City Council District 1 seat, one day before early voting was to start (Fox 34 News, Sunday, April 25).

Victor Hernandez stated, "The proverbial saying goes, 'politics makes for strange bed fellows' meaning, that in politics, the people you choose to align yourself with are at times, someone completely opposite. As I have stated before, I have already met with the Mayor and almost all of the current City Councilpersons to outline a working relationship with them, if I should get elected. During my conversation with Councilman Paul Beane, he made it known to me that he, among others, had recruited Glen Robertson to run against Councilwoman Linda DeLeon. Councilman Beane continued by stating that he admired me but did not have any idea that I was going to run again for the position otherwise, he would not have tried to find someone like Glen to run.

"In my first recommendation to my supporters I stated, 'I have received a number of complaints from fellow parishioners and supporters who are extremely upset with Linda DeLeon. They are complaining that, this past

Sunday (March 21, 2010) Linda DeLeon accompanied City Council candidate Rafael Gutierrez to St. Joseph's and introduced him to various parishioners in an attempt to persuade them to support Mr. Gutierrez' bid for City Council. It is their belief that Mrs. DeLeon is trying to divide the community in order to ensure my defeat. ..."

"Apparently, Linda has now chosen to endorse Glen Robertson and has abandoned Rafael Gutierrez.

"Personally, what I find so fascinating is that, Councilwoman DeLeon has chosen to endorse a candidate who she knows was

recruited to run against her by individuals in this City who dislike her intensely.

"I am asking my supporters to keep in mind that District 1 needs to come together in order to accomplish the task of having District 1 move forward. Also, that Councilwoman DeLeon has already announced that she intends to leave Lubbock.

Hernandez concluded by saying, "In politics, one must develop thick skin so that acts such as these do not deter you from working hard during your campaign to represent the people of District 1."

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SPC to host annual Police Memorial Service

LEVELLAND - The annual Police Memorial Service is slated for 10 a.m. May 6 at the entrance to South Plains College.

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Al Sharpton Calls for Boycott of Arizona for Racial Profiling Law

During a public debate with Sheriff Joe Arpaio of Arizona, Rev. Al Sharpton called for an economic boycott of the state of Arizona as a result of the new law which allows law enforcement to check anyone suspected of being an illegal immigrant. I didn't know about the boycott at the time I spoke with Rev. Sharpton on the radio this afternoon, but I agree with his decision. While the citizens of Arizona have quite a few reasons to be frustrated by federal immigration policy, the act of legalizing racial profiling can be incredibly threatening to the freedoms of all Americans.



Al Sharpton

would create an environment in which any person of color to be stopped and searched without just cause.

The reason that African Americans may want to support the boycott against the state of Arizona is that if black and brown people are being racially profiled in that state, this can open the door for additional profiling around the nation. Also true is the fact that many immigrants are black people coming from Haiti, Africa and other parts of the world. Dangerous laws like the one in Arizona

Americans were unified in a boycott against the state, the impact could be significant.

President Barack Obama has expressed his disappointment with the law, and many groups are already filing challenges in court. Additionally, there are protests in the streets of Arizona, as the Latino community will not allow the government's decision to go without a response. Fighting this law is good for America, since we cannot tolerate a blatant violation of our civil liberties. Sometimes the best way to fight for a cause is with the money in your pocket, and that's what Sharpton is doing.

The economic impact of a boycott of the state of Arizona would be significant. The state has one of the largest deficits in the country, and doesn't have many avenues to get out of that hole. In fact, Arizona has the largest deficit in the nation as a percentage of its total state budget, so it is in serious financial trouble. If the nation, entertainers and all fair-minded

Jesse Jackson calls Arizona's bill 'terrorism'; blames Obama

Rev. Jesse Jackson today called the Arizona law cracking down on illegal immigration a "form of terrorism."

The law says, "You look suspicious because you are Mexican," Jackson told MSNBC.

He also said that President Obama's administration and not uncheck immigration is to blame

for blacks being unable to find jobs.

"We have a lack of urban poli-

icy," he said. Al Sharpton and talk show host Joe Madison have called for a boycott of the state's law.

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Texas Tech Chancellor Wins Hope Award

Kent Hance, chancellor of the Texas Tech University System, is the 2010 winner of the Hope Award from the West Texas Division of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

The Hope Award is the society's most prestigious honor given to those who have had a distinguished career, who are involved and committed to community affairs, who are leaders among peers and whose personal lives are exemplary.

"I am honored and most grateful to receive this award," Hance said. "The fight against Multiple Sclerosis has always been an important cause to me. My life and my passion have been devoted to serving the people of Texas. I love and will always love Texas."

The award was presented at the society's annual event, the Dinner of Champions, Tuesday (April 27) at the Petroleum Club of Midland. Hance was nominated not only for his work as chancellor, but also for his previous service as a Texas Senator, U.S. Congressman and Texas



Chancellor Kent Hance

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"Honorees for the Dinner of

Champions are chosen because of their inspiring support and dedication to community and philanthropic causes," said Sharon Rader, regional manager. "Chancellor Hance has done so much for so many that he epitomizes the characteristics honored by the Hope Award."

The Dinner of Champions is an annual National Multiple Sclerosis Society campaign with more than 60 chapters recognizing leading corporate, civic and academic figures for their contributions to the community. Funds raised through the dinner

are earmarked for local client services and national research programs seeking solutions to the single largest disabling disease of young adults.

Multiple sclerosis (MS) is a chronic, often disabling disease that attacks the central nervous system. Symptoms may be mild, such as numbness in the limbs, or severe, such as paralysis or loss of vision. The progress, severity and specific symptoms of MS in any one person cannot be predicted.


Proceeds from the Dinner of Champions help the All-America Chapter - West Texas Division of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. The division serves 3,600 people in 52 counties affected by the disease in West Texas. Established in 1965, the division provides client programs such as education, referral, advocacy, financial assistance, scholarships, free publications, teleconferences and funds for much-needed research.

For more information about the programs offered by the West Texas Division of the National MS Society, contact Sharon Rader at (432) 552-2143, call 1-800-FIGHT-MS or visit www.nationalmssociety.org/tqx.

Library
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also Group will meet at the Patterson Branch Library, 1836 Parkway Drive, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 15 to discuss *The Last Woman Standing* by Tia McCollors. Copies of the book are available for checkout at the library. New members are always welcome! For more information, please call the library at 767-3300.

Learn to Knit at Groves Branch Library
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for something as simple as having an accent and leaving their wallet at home."

Bunch noted that if (now when) Republican Gov. Jan Brewer signs into law the harsh anti-immigration measure recently passed by state lawmakers—making racial profiling the law of the land in a manner in which the term "police state" is not hyperbole—then the desert paradise will all but have seceded from the Union—not yet, anyway, although in a few years who knows?—but morally.

Don't be surprised when Rick Perry achieves in the near future his lofty goal of taking Texas out of the United States and all Hispanics will be sent back to Mexico or other Spanish speaking countries and all African Americans become slaves again to the lacks of Perry and his Tea Party kind. I'm sorry! I just had a bad dream. The latter is when Hell freezes over!

Thank God For Jesus

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within you are full of Hypocrisy and Iniquity.

Lord, someone is knocking on your door and ringing your BELL.

Will you let them into HEAVEN; OR TELL'EM TO GO TO HELL???

Look! There's a CHURCH MEMBER out there; IN HIS FANCY FIND CLOTHES.

HE SAID, He've paid his TITHES; AND WANT TO SAVE HIS SCUL!!!

Luke 11:42 - Jesus said, Woe (Cursed) unto you, Pharisees! For you tithe the mint and rue and all manner of herbs, and pall over judgment and love of God; these ought you to have done, and not to leave the other undone.

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Luke 14:34-35 - Jesus said Salt is good; but if the salt have lost his savour, wherewith shall it be seasoned? It is neither fit for the land, nor yet for the dunghill; but men cast it out. He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.


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