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WEST TEXAS TIMES

Dedicated to Informing the Negro Citizens of West Texas

# **Challenge Offered by Lubbock Hi Golden Glovers**

### National Program Launched to Boost Economic Gains of Black People

The West Texas Times learned from a recent publication of Jet Magazine that a national program has been launched to boost gains of black people.

The program is taking another giant step in the development of black economy and aims a major onslaught against "those sectors of the establishment which would deny racial minorities economic justice," according to Rev. Jesse Jackson. He will coordinate this program which has grown from the well accepted "Operation Breadbasket." "We call it RESIST," exclaimes the Chicago-based natio nal director of SCLC's Breadbas-

### **South Plains Briefs**

Slaton-An election to fill a vacancy on the Community Action Board of Lubbock County will take place here tomorrow evening, Friday, at 8 p.m. at the Evans Multi-Service Center, 1155 East Geneva.

Residents of Slaton who are at least 18 years of age are eligible to vote in the election of a Slaton representative of the board.

Lorenzo-Charlie Baker, Jr., son of Mrs. Ruby L. Baker, has been released from West Texas Hospital in Lubbock after undergoing surgery. He is reported doing quite well. Mrs. Baker is a new subscriber to the Times.

The West Texas Times learned ket, "and it's the hottest thing m a recent publication of Jet since the wheel."

"RESIST is a bold, new blackprint for the economic organization of our people. The blackprint is not new. It is, in fact, a throwback to the philosophy of my idol and mentor, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., who united a force of 50,000 blacks in Montgomery, Ala., in a historic bus boycott which put the bus company out of the segregation business," explained Jackson.

"RESIST operates on a devastatingly simple plan. Anyone who so desires can participate. You can pay \$5 for annual participation. You pledge to support RESIST and its selective buying campaigns and boycotts against business establishments which discriminate against blacks in hiring and promotion.

"You pledge to RESIST the evil of economic exploitation," Rev. Jackson continues, "by denying your support to businesses which will not advertise in the black press, will not support black banks, will not use black services and products or do business with black businesses."

## Gospel, Soul and



Five Lubbock High School entries in the soon to be staged West Texas Regional Golden Gloves at Fair Park Coliseum are shown here. Left to right they are: John Lara, age 13, 95 pounds; Herman Maynes, 95 pound 15-year-old; Henry Holland, 156 pounds; Dickie Morton, 165 pounds and Richard Thomas, 195 pounds. These boys will all be seen in action here during the invitational scheduled February 11, 12, 13th.

### Boy Scout Program in East Lubbock Moving Forward on Several Fronts

Troop 102, a newly organized Boy Scout effort in East Lubbock, had its first Council Ceremony last week at their regular meeting place in the South Plains Boys Club.

The troop meets every Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. The Scoutmaster is Raymond Peppers, an instructor at Estacado High School. He is assisted by Lee Hunter, assistant Scoutmaster. A special meeting was held last Sunday afternoon at the South Plains Boys Club to discuss the progress of the troop. Peppers presented to the interested men present a review of the work to date. Steps were taken at the meeting to secure another meeting place, since the newly organized troop has outgrown the present facilities. A special committee has been appointed to find another meeting place within the same neighborhood for the Scouts to meet each week. Another committee was appointed to bring back an organizational chart showing the various phases of progress of the Scouting program in East Lubbock. Both committees will report Sunday afternoon. In another development, it was announced early this week that T. J. Patterson, editor of the Times, along with publisher Norman L. Williamson and Scout official Mike Stevens had volunteered to serve

as trustees of a fund comprised of donations received lately for the East Lubbock Scouts.

Several students of Texas Tech University have volunteered their time to help in the operation of Troop 102. This will include preparing the Scouts for merit badges, and they will also work with the Mary & Mac Private School Boy Scout Troop 136. The committee of interested men of the community will meet again this Sunday afternoon, February 7th, at 3 p.m. at the South Plains Branch of the Boys Club. Lubbock High School contenders in the Golden Glove Regional Tournament, to be held here February 11, 12 and 13th at Fair Park Coliseum, have challenged students of Dunbar and Estacado High Schools for the high school trophy. At the present time, there are five contenders from Lubbock High and only one from East Lubbock. He is 15-year-old Joe Rodriquez, representing Estacado High School.

However, Richard Thomas and Henry Holland are residents of East Lubbock, but are attending Lubbock High. The question being posed around the training area is: "Where, oh where, is the fighting spirit we know exists in the athletes at Dunbar and Estacado?"

Lt. John Arnold of the Lubbock Police Department advises that there are sixty young men working out now for the Golden Gloves Regional Tournament. Registration is free and is being accepted between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. Monday through Friday at 1107 Avenue K. Gym facilities and training are also available at no charge, year round, for youngsters 10 and over.

There will be a total of 60 awards made during the Golden Gloves tournament and more than 25 bouts will be held each of the three nights. Admission fees will go to help maintain the free gym facilities. Tickets are available at the gym (1107 Avenue K), and at Lubbock Power and Light Office and the Police Department. Prices range from \$1.25 to a good ringside seat for \$2.50. The challenge is on. What about it fellows of Dunbar and Estacado High Schools? Everyone is watching to see if you participate.

Other subscribers include A.J. Robert, Mrs. R.E. Scott, Mrs. Lee Williams and Mrs. Emma Douglas.

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Ralls-There is a "hot" Soul Brother at Ralls High School. He is James Langston, 6'1" junior who averages over 30 points a game so far this basketball season. He is the son of Mrs. Geneva Langston, who is a subscriber to the West Texas Times.

Cleo White, of Amarillo, Texas, was a visitor in the Ralls community last Saturday afternoon.

Crosbyton-Perhaps one of the better coon hunters in West Texas is Mack McCoy, of 416 North Front Street here in Crosbyton. He is a member of the South Plains Coon Hunter's Association. The SPCH Association will have its monthly meeting in Lubbock Sunday afternoon. Mack is a good friend of Alfred Caviel of Lubbock who also enjoys racoon hunting.

One of Mack's better catches was a 45-pound coon, captured last month.

Residents of the Crosbyton community can pick up a copy of the West Texas Times each week at Mary's Place, 308 Ayrshire Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Booker T. Harris, owners of the establishment, tells the Times that they are happy to sell the weekly newspaper each week.

If you get an opportunity to in our community, stop by and visit with Cleo Cole, owner of Cleo's Barber Shop at 505 North Avenue A.

## Magic on Public TV

An hour of black entertainment-gospel and soul singers and a magician-will be seen tonight at 9:00 p.m. on Public Television Channel 5.

The program is Soul!; the host, Hal Jackson, prominent black disc jockey and radio personality.

Jackson's guests include a gospel group, the Staple Singers, soul singers, the Three Degrees and soul group, Willie Feaster and the Mighty Magnificents—featuring Skip, Sonny and the Pace Brothers.

The Staple Singers-three sisters, accompanied on the electric guitar by their father-perform powerful renditions of "God Bless the Children" and "He's All Right."

The Three Degrees sing soul numbers "I Do Take You" and "You're the One."

Magician Presto the Great makes objects disappear and reappear right before the Soul! cameras.

The show closes with Willie Feaster and the Mighty Magnificents, who also performed earlier on the show, singing "Higher."

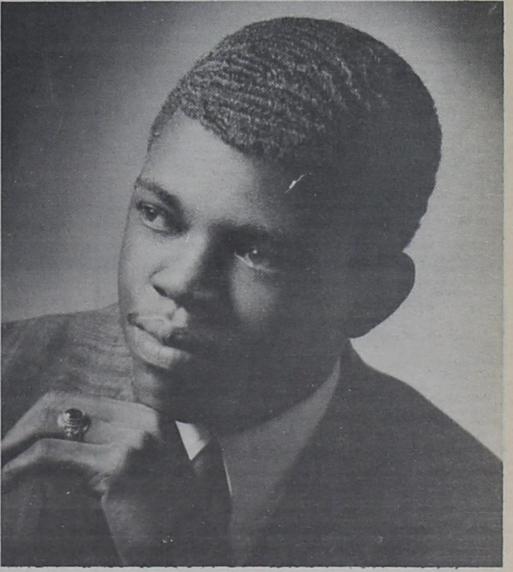
## "Up Against The Wall" With Lorin Hollander Scheduled on Channel 5 Tomorrow Evening

Classical pianist Lorin Hollander, trained at Juilliard School of Music, is considered one of America's finest young artists. While his success on the concert stage is familiar to many, these experiences have been equalled in recent years by success on another kind of stage, the high school classroom. Here he can reach a new audience, tuined off by classical music, unsure of the relevance of classical musician can have in its lives. For

Lorin Hollander, change must come through communication.

In "Up Against The Wall", Hollander's sense of committment, fervor and personal dynamics is conveyed with rare poignancy in his exchanges with 23 students from Philadelphia's Edison High School, located in a hard-core ghetto neighborhood where gang violence is a familiar terror. These teenagers, led by Hollander, speak *Continued On Page Five* 

### Receives Degree from Prairie View A&M



Tommy Ricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Walker of 1806 East 27th Street, received his Bachelor of Science Degree from Prairie View A&M College January 22nd. His degree was in the School of Industrial Education and Technology.

He is a 1965 graduate of Dunbar High School where he was an outstanding basketballer. Tommy is a member of Christ Temple Church of God in Christ.

#### WEST TEXAS TIMES

## **EDITORIALS**

### Problems Seen at Dunbar High School

#### by T. J. Patterson

It's unfortunate that because of numerous trivial incidents, problems are being seen at Dunbar High School. It has reached the point where parents, students and interested persons of the community are complaining about the situation in the East Lubbock high school composed of black, brown and white students.

From a quick and unpromising analysis, school spirit is down and personnel turn-over has hurt the successful outcome of the first forced attempt at high school integration here in Lubbock. This can be seen with the replacement of three band directors, two choir directors and the athletic program dropping far below average in the last year.

It is the responsibility of the parents, as well as the school's administration, to work-hand in hand-to help fight some of the problems presently existing at the school. No parent has the right to expect the school to rear their youngstersnor is it fair for the administration of the school to close lines of communication with the parents.

The problems of this school cannot be blamed on any one individual, just simply because the main fault lies with years of established practices within the entire system. There is, without any doubt, pressure from the top (administration) and pressure from the bottom (students) helping build the tensions and misunderstandings. The young people are looking for someone to understand their problems, and this type of situation leaves the school's administration in an awkward position, since everyone expects them to maintain control of the institution. In other words, this type of situation leaves the man in command in water up to his neck and many ripples or waves will certainly drown his efforts-regardless who the individual is.

Prior to the integration of Dunbar pressures were not as great as can now be seen. At that time, the school was made up of an almost all balck student body, predominantly black faculty and rested on the neighborhood, "our school, our team" spirit. Since integration, it appears as though the school has been split down the middle, with different factions working against each other, rather than for the school. Integration, as offered to our community, means working together-certainly not working against, and we have seen a gradual split in Dunbar primarily because of trivial reasons. This is a serious problem, since it will affect the future of our young people. And because of its serious nature, there must be more involvement on the part of everyone concerned, parents, interested citizens, faculty members and most of all the students themselves. The time has passed when we

can allow ourselves the luxury of sitting back and talking about the shortcomings of our school. The time has come when we must get to work, now, solving our own problems.

Our young people are grumbling, and we can't afford to brush the problems under the rug. We do have problems in Dunbar High School, but we can work these problems out if we all decide now to get to work and correct the misunderstandings.

Let's get to work-we can do the job!

### Crossing Light for Posey A Must!

#### by T. J. Patterson

Several weeks ago, the West Texas Times made it clear in this space that there should be something done about the problem arising from the lack of a blinking school crossing light on Quirt Avenue where Posey Elementary students cross enroute to school.

Last week this editor received a call from a concerned citizen who stated that she witnessed a driver, exceeding the speed limit, who had to stop very quickly to avoid hitting a young lad enroute to school at the above mentioned spot. Aside from this, there was a young lad who was killed Sunday afternoon on East 19th Street at the Oak Avenue intersection. Of course, the East 19th Street traffic is a different type of travel, but it is not far from the area which so badly needs blinking traffic lights for the Posey youngsters.

It is imperative that some type of preventative medicine be implemented for our young people who are crossing this busy traffic artery in our community! Let's not wait too long and become sorry that precaution was not taken soon enough.

Quirt Avenue-from East 19th Street to 4th Street-is a busy area and many people drive through this area from sun-up to very late in the evening. The powers that be in our city government should do something now-to make this particular crossing safer for our young people.

## my views

#### There Are Also Solutions

#### by Eddie P. Richardson

In line with the survey of the Top Ten Problems of our area, here are "My Views" on some of the problems and also some solutions.

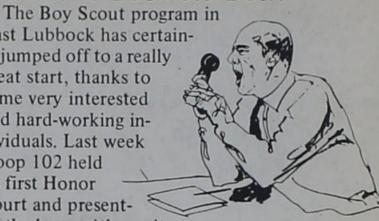
"Trouble don't last always", says an old Negro



spiritual, but Ole Man Trouble has pitched his teepee square in the

### From The Business Desk

East Lubbock has certainly jumped off to a really great start, thanks to some very interested and hard-working individuals. Last week troop 102 held its first Honor Court and presented the boys with merit



badges. Last Sunday the interested individuals I mentioned before got together to help chart and plan the future for the East Lubbock Scouts. And this week the boys received a great deal of much needed and greatly appreciated publicity in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal concerning the need for financial support and for used Cub Scout and Boy Scout uniforms.

The offers of help have come from every direction, and in every form, and many people have directed their donations to the Scout office in the form of money, since some have no uniforms and still wish to help. In the process, a fund has been established to help the East Lubbock Boy Scout program, and your newspaper, the West Texas Times, was asked and has volunteered to administer this fund.

Mr. Patterson and myself, along with Mike Stevens, Scout official, will administer the fund for the entire East Lubbock program, which I understand numbers two Cub Scout packs, two Boy Scout troops and a pending Explorer Post for older boys and girls. We will not solicite funds, nor will we be able to personally underwrite anything, but I feel sure we can help-just simply because so many have offered to help.

If any of our readers would like to help, send your offer either to the local Boy Scout office and if you wish it to go to the East Lubbock boys, mark it so, or send it to us c/o West Texas Times, Box 225, Lubbock, Texas zip 79408. The boys and their counselors will certainly appreciate the help.

shuffling kids around like animals. It's so simple it's hard to say in one sentence and make it sound like the answer.

The church is the most powerful and respected institution in the black community, and could be the leading force in all people's struggle against injustice. If all churches in the South would stand up for the rights of the black, there would be no more unsolved murder and allowed brutality.

But if the church is to do this, it must move

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middle of the 20th Century and settled down for a record run. In times like these, white people seeking a panacea for their problems might take a lesson from the black man on how to live in a troubled

world. The black man is an expert. He has known nothing but trouble all of his life. His grievances are multiple; for he has all the white man's fears and doubts plus the additional burden of being black.

Still the black man can smile, for the progress he has made up from slavery to his present statusshort of first class citizenship though it is-is one of the most remarkable advancements in the history of mankind. In the process he has learned to turn his liabilities into assets, to adjust to that which he has no control over and have faith in his ability to overcome all of the obstacles between himself and full equality.

The white liberals have become the new power elite. Their basic economic and political theories are now being translated into action after decades of ideological subservience to conservatism. The new elite is liberal, but it is just as white! Its creed aside, had the new power elite not been white, it could have never come to power.

The white liberal is not a happy man. I know, I have encountered him in lecture halls, restaurants, and various meetings across the nation at one time or another. His theory is; "I don't hate nobody, I am not prejudice, but I don't know what to do about the problems."

May I suggest; Turn my hand lose, let me do it myself. Cooperate with me, work with me, but let me chart my own destiny. Let me build pride by doing things my self. Inform me, but please, stop trying to lead me and my people by the hand.

A second problem concerns our schools. Everyone says the black schools are not up to standard. They claim they are inferior, inedaquately equiped and not completely furnished. The solution would be simple, bring them up to par and stop

quickly. Blacks will not relent their struggle for rights; and through the church they may compel their white brothers of all faiths to join them in a struggle that they understand they cannot win alone. As Frederick Douglas said many years ago, "This is a struggle to save black men's bodies and white men's souls."

The church today is the same church which John called, "lukewarm," from the island of Patmos, and which Paul and the Deciples struggled so vigarously to save from their own sin. If such as these and our Lord can give their lives to the redemption and salvation of man, so can we. In this day and time, when all the forces of history are in a tremendous flux, the church can speak out with clarity and vision, pointing the way.

If the church takes this challenge and opportunity, the whole world will shout for joy, and the sons of God will weep no more; but if we fail the writers of our history will say that, in the time of trial, the church and Christians were weighed in the balance and found wanting, and this was the beginning of the end of an age.

The fourth problem we can take is a close look in our community concerning unemployment and underemployment-the latter being of the "show case" aspect.

About the only solution, and probably the hardest to graps, is to have complete community effort toward creating more and better job opportunities. But jobs are not created because of high ideals, or because everyone would like to be able to work. Jobs are created because a myriad of things in our society are working together and working right. And because of the great number of things that must be worked right, it is going to take a great deal of cooperation from lots of people-another problem we all-white and black-must eventually face up to.

The solution to the "show case" aspect i hire more qualified members of minorities in key positions, or to elevate those working to key positions-instead of just meeting quotas.

### Give Golden Gloves A Boost

Our young people will have an opportunity to fight for something, in the ring that is, next week at the Golden Gloves Regional Tournament. This affair will be held at Fair Park Coliseum.

Let's all do our part to support this type of recreation program which can help our young fellows, while it helps the fight against Cerebral Palsy. Why not commit ourselves to a couple of tickets for the fights? This'll help those young fellows fight for something constructive.

#### Burglary of Posey Clinic

Dempsey Taylor, an employee of the City-County Health Department, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone unknown did break into the Posey Clinic, 1602 Vanda Avenue, one day this week.

Entry was apparently gained through the double door, main entrance, which was believed to have been left unlocked. Once in the main entrance, the unknown person forced entry into the clinic reception office. Other areas of the building were also entered.

There was no sign of pills taken from the medical building.

#### **Bike Theft**

Mrs. Betty G. Hicks, 2707 Parkway Drive, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that her son's bike was stolen from the campus of Bozeman Elementary

#### Around The World Dinner Set

School one day last week.

**Police Beat** 

Burglary A Lubbock man, Arthur Rivas of 5431 38th Street, reported to

of 5431 38th Street, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone unknown did break open the money boxes of two pool tables at his place of business.

There was approximately \$7.00 worth of change taken from the tables. It was learned that entry was gained through the front door. When Arthur returned to the business the following morning, the front door was unlocked.

#### Vandalism

Sister Regina Floppe, 2918 E. Colgate, reported to the Lubbock Police Department that someone broke a window and several screens at a residence in the community recently. The value of the window and screens is approximately \$45.

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Around the hub city

W.H. Pitts, Sr., is recuperating satisfactorily from a seige of pneumonia. He has been a patient at a rest home for quite some time. Waymond Henry is reported in fair condition at Edwards Rest Home.

Mrs. Bettye Hollins Miller is home from the hospital and is recuperating satisfactorily. Mr. Clarence Ervin is home and is doing nicely. Both he and Mrs. Miller were released last Saturday. Mrs. Miller attended services last Sunday. She has recovered her voice.

Rev. A.W. Wilson, his daughter, Mrs. Sudell Brown, and granddaughter, Mrs. Mable Green, returned from Dallas last Thursday after visiting his daughter, Mrs. Alyce Campbell, who was ill and is a patient at a local hospital there.

Her condition was somewhat improved. Her brother, Charles Wilson, of Los Angeles, California, is also at her bedside. The Lubbockites were driven there by a friend.

Body Work-Tune-up-Glass Installed Repair Service E. 19th St. Body Shop & Garage 2901 E. 19th St. Pho. 762-9047 J. B. Lilly, Owner D.C. Fair, Sr., entered Methodist Hospital last Sunday and was to undergo surgery Monday.

Leon Melton has returned from a business trip to Austin, Texas.

Othell Pollard of Abbott, Texas spent the week-end here with his sisters, Maunity Terrell and Juanita Simmons. He was here on business and was accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Roystene Booker, and son, Rogers, and also a friend, Ezell McDowell.

They left for home Sunday morning about 10:30.

The Pollard sisters received a message here Sunday night that a cousin, Wynell Fuller, passed away Sunday morning at a local hospital in Cleburne, Texas, where she had been a patient for several days. Her husband, John Fuller, passed away last Friday and services were conducted Tuesday, January 26, at Mount Zion Baptist Church at Cleburne.

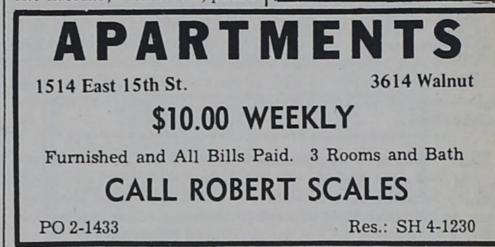
Services are pending at Baker's Funeral Chapel. She was unaware of her husband's passing.

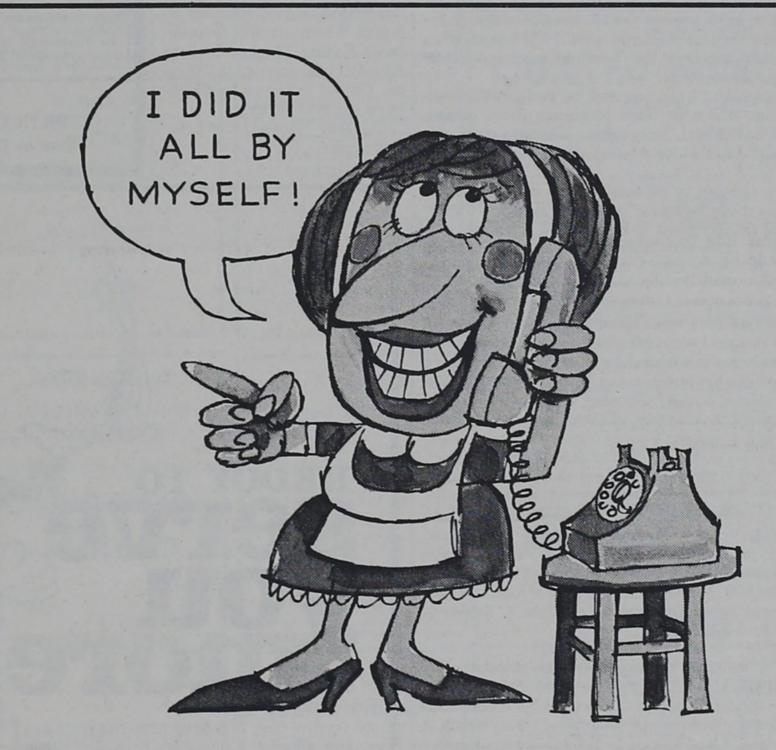
Uranium deposits were discovered in Texas in 1954 by an airplane carrying scintillation equipment.

## RALPH ROBERTS Package Store

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Wheatley PTA is sponsoring a "Trip Around The World Dinner," Tuesday, February 9th, at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria of the school. Plates are 50¢ and \$1.00.

The menu includes Polish Pigin-a-Blanket, Mexican Chili Beans, Kentucky Green Beans, Idaho Potatoes, Texas Beef, Hawaiian Punch, French Bread, Italian tossed Salad, Georgia Lazy Peach Pie and George Washington Cake.

The Royal Ladies Club met last Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Cillie Brown, 1614 Zenith, with the president, Mrs. Mattie Linzey in charge and were served a delicious mean by the hostess.

There were 12 new members present including: Mrs. Willie Mae Dawson, Mrs. Francis Taylor, Mrs. Clara Phillips, Henretta Nelms, Mrs. Ruby Jean Lightner, Mrs. Pearl Baker, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Charoltte Carter, Mrs. Sparks, Mrs. Nighting and Mrs. Murphy.

The next meeting of the club is scheduled for Wednesday, February 10th.

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# MIDLAND - ODESSA ringing the bell

#### with Bob Tieuel

All-American History Month Observed in West Texas-Americans of all ethnic and religious backgrounds will take a new look and see study



of many great Americans during the month of February. Contributions to our great American heritage and culture as exemplified by the lives of George Washington, George Washington Carver, Abraham Lincoln, Booker T. Washington, Senor Cortez and Chavez will in many cases receive in depth study by many civic, educational and religious groups.

February will also be observed in many sections of our country as Brotherhood Month, launched a number of years ago by the National Conference of Catholics, Protestants and Jews. Indeed, this is America, the land of many people-the great melting pot-where people have learned and are constantly learning to live together in spite of texture of hair, or color of skin or religious background. That is why we can all sing: "My Country tis of thee-land where our sons and fathers died." Let the bells of freedom ring this month and every month until all divisions, hatreds and prejudices are erased and until all Americans are indeed "one people" under God.

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Brotherhood-A Definition-"Sometimes I think I have not spoken out enough against racial oppression and injustice but will do so more in the future. Maybe I haven't spoken out enough but I feel I've lived that way. I walk with love and I hope it rubs off. I believe in humanity in that you don't bother to look at the color of a man's face or his religious background. That's brotherhood." Entertainer and television star Pearl Bailey.

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Black profiles or courage and inspiration: In West Texas, one person who has lived a life working with and loving humanity for a long, long time, has been Mrs. Alberta Allen of 117 East B Street, in Monahans, Texas. And although listed as a retired teacher, she is as busy working with and for people as the first day she entered the classroom.

The wife of a minister and a widely known civic and charitable worker, she once said to me at a meeting of black senior citizens in her local church; "Bob-keep up your wonderful work as a bellringer. When people come to know one another in their best light, more understanding and goodwill can be accomplished."

Then she added pointedly: "When you read the average daily newspaper, you would think that most black people are police chasers, rapists and murderers and thieves. Your column is helping our young black people know that they do have a background, if they will build on it."

Mrs. Allen is highly regarded by all-brown, white and black in her community that she has chosen as "home" after retirement, and a street has been named in the family's honor in Monahans, it is reported. She will be a guest of honor, along with other West Texans at the Fourth Annual West Texas Negro History Exhibit and Tea on Sunday, February 14th, in Odessa.

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Alexander of Midland can furnish you the other information you desire.

Dr. Mallory has served as a manpower specialist and consultant for the labor department in Washington, D.C. and is listed in the Royal Blue Book of leaders of the English speaking world of London, England.

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Check Your Local Library-The first illustrated and narrative history of the black people with 550 drawings and photographs from many sources, has been published by Readers Press, Inc. of New Haven, Conn. The book is written by R. Ethel Dennis and edited by Victor B. Lieberman, and shows the major cultural and political trends of the Negro people.

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Crime in America: "If we are to deal meaningfully with crime, what must be seen is the dehumanizing effect on the individual of slums, racism, ignorance and violence, of corruption and impotence to fulfill rights, of poverty and unemployment and idleness, of generations of malnutrition, of congenital brain damage and prenatal neglect, of sickness and disease, of pollution, of decreipit, dirty, ugly, unsafe, overcrowded housing, of alcoholism and narcotics addiction, of avarice, anxiety, fear, hatred, hopelessness and injustice. There are the fountainheads of crime." End of quote of Ramsey Clark, former U.S. Attorney General in his new book picked up in a local library.

Until late, Peace and God Love You Brother.

## Dr. Heenan Johnson Named to United Fund Directors Board

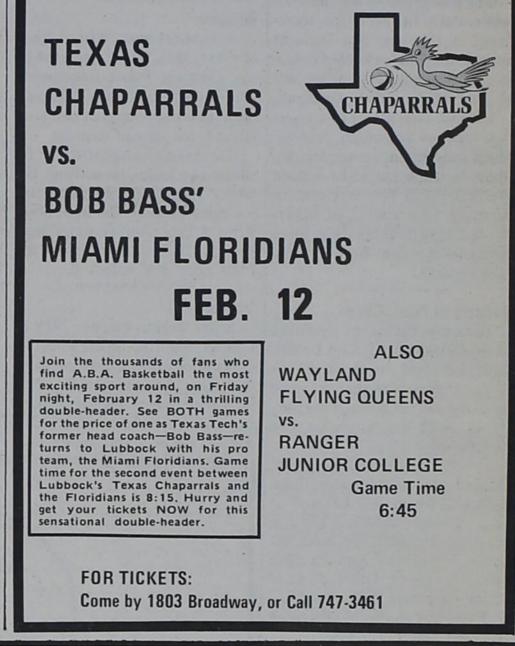
Dr. Heenan Johnson, local dentist, has been named to the Board of Directors of the United Fund. He will serve as secretary-treasurer of the organization.

A. W. Lincoln, boys counselor at Dunbar High School, was named as a member of the Community Planning Council. Thursday, February 4, 1971

#### Lorin Hollander . . .

Continued From Page One with surprising candor in their own vernacular about music and creativity, ghetto life, American society, man's role in the Universe. Interwoven with this dialogue are Hollander's performances of his composition, "Up Against The Wall," a Bach Partita, Eric Satie's "Trois Gymnopedie."

"Up Against The Wall" will be shown on Channel 5 on Friday, February 5th, at 8:00 p.m.



Word comes that seven Southwestern Senators have accused Transportation Secretary John Volpe of discriminating against the West and Southwest in his route proposals for the new National Railroad Passenger Corp. Signing the letter initiated by Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico were Joseph M. Montoya of New Mexico; John G. Tower and Lloyd M. Bentsen of Texas; Alan Cranston and John V. Tunney of California and Paul J. Fannin of Arizona.

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Answers in Black & White for Bellringers: Rev. Leroy Cleaver, Jr., who recently married Miss Gloria Jean Rollison in the Tall City (Midland) is pastor of the Miracle Church of God in Christ in Wichita Falls, Texas. He is also a civilian instructor in the building trades branch at Sheppard Air Force Base. Cleaver serves as district superintendent of the Sunday School Department of the Churches of God in Christ in the Northwest Texas District. Thanks for the note-Mrs. T.E. of Crane.

To D.A.N. of Jal, New Mexico: Mrs. Arenia C. Mallory is a native of Jacksonville, Illinois, and is known as the founder of Saints Junior College in Lexington, Mississippi. This college is supported by the Churches of God in Christ. She spoke in Lubbock in 1969. Bishop J.E.

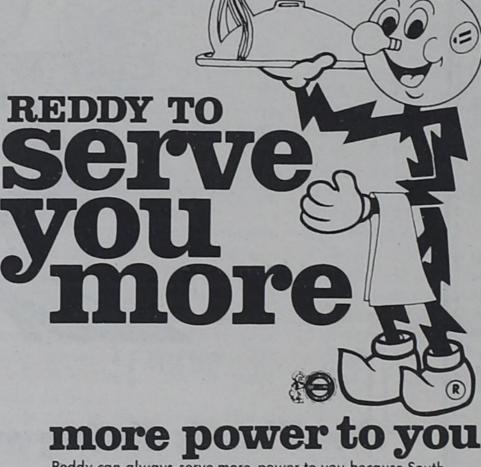
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#### **Red Cross Still Working** With Some Tornado Victims

The aftermath of the May 11 tornado lingers for the American Red Cross-and it may hang on for some time to come.

Still open are 53 cases in which the Red Cross is providing aid, and some of these may not be closed for months due to individual circumstances.

David Burchett, chairman of the LUbbock County Chapter of Red Cross, points out that the 53 cases are included in the \$750,000 which the national service organization has poured into Lubbock to assist victims of the tornado.

The 53 unclosed cases involve primarily medical and housing aid. Burchett said that 1300 other cases have been closed, some of them only recently. Assistance in those instances ranged from build-

ing new homes to providing food, I clothing, medical aid, and lost occupational tools.

"In every one of these instances, the aid was in the form of grant," Burchett emphasized. "No individual who receives Red Cross disaster assistance is required to repay the funds provided."

Some infividuals and families received several thousand dollars

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in Red Cross aid. Basic criterion for the assistance is that the recipient have no personal resources such as savings, tangible assets or insurance.

Although the Red Cross disaster aid office closed here in late July, three of the workers in that office will return to Lubbock on Monday to assist in the remaining 53 cases, all of which were opened prior to

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the disaster office shutdown.

"The three professional workers

will be here up to several weeks, if



necessary, to take whatever action

is needed in providing assistance in

the pending cases," Burchett said,

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## AMARILLO From My Scratch Pad

by George Parrish

The Rev. J. W. Hackett, pastor of the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, is the new president of the Amarillo Ministerial Association and presided at an Executive Committee meeting of the Association Tuesday, February 2nd, at 10:30 a.m. at the Wesley Community Center.

He will also conduct the regular meeting of the Association on February 9th.

Dr. Hackett was vice president of the Association before being elected president. He has been pastor of the Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church for 10 years.

Other officers of the association are the Rev. Frank Smith, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, vice president; and the Rev. Jacinto Alderette, Wesley Community Center, secretary-treasurer.

The Carver Junior High School honor roll for the first semester, 1970-71 looked something like this, Seventh Grade-Shirley Graves, Stanley Harris, Charles Ross, Randall Adams, Kristina Gaddis, Berneter Mallory, Gala Mathis and Faye E. Sutton.

Eighth Grade-Janice Gassaway and Rodney Sanders. Ninth Grade-Kathleen Mims and Dianne R. Parrish.

Mrs. Lyons of Lubbock, Texas, was a visitor in the city Sunday. She visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Knapp of 107 North Jefferson. I understand that she came by to visit the writer of this column and his family but they were in Lubbock at the same time. Sorry we missed you Mrs. Lyons, please come back again.

## Final Rites Read for Lubbock Youth

Final rites were held today, Thursday, at 2:00 p.m. at the Christ Temple Church of God in Christ for 7-year-old Ceffie Perkins, Jr., of 2808 Juniper Avenue, who was struck and killed by a pick-up late Sunday afternoon as he apparently attempted to cross a busy Lubbock street. Rev. W.D. Haynes, minister, officiated the services.

Burial was held in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery with Sedberry Funeral Home in charge.

The child was pronounced dead on arrival at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital following the accident. Justice of the Peace Wayne LeCroy said the child suffered multiple head injuries.

Perkins was the first traffic fatality of 1971 in the city of Lubbock and the sixth traffic death registered on the South Plains this year.

He is survived by his mother,

Mrs. Shirley Johnson; two sisters, Trenia M. Perkins and Peba Perkins, a brother, James Edward Dory, his grand-mother, Mrs. Christine Austin of 2721 East 7th Street and other relatives and friends.

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## **CHURCH SERVICES**

#### Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church

We are to worship with the congregation of Rev. F.W. Wells on the second Sunday in February at 2:30 p.m.

Brother Harry Bunton, chairman of the Annual Forest Day Dinner, reminds us of this great

### **Final Rites Read for Reverend B.R. Jones**

Final rites were read for Rev. B.R. Jones last week at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church with Rev. O.D. Hollins, minister, officiating.

Rev. Jones was born in Louliah, Louisiana, and united with the church at an early age. He was called to the ministry at the age of 13. His first pastorage was in the State of Louisiana.

He came to Texas in 1930 and contributed a great deal to the ministry, He pastored in such communities as Big Spring, Stanton, Colorado City, Matador, Albany, Brady, Alpine, Pecos, and Lubbock where he was minister of St. James Baptist Church. He was never without a church until his health failed him.

Rev. Jones built the Massodonia Missionary Baptist Church of Post, Texas.

His survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Julia Jones of Shreveport, La.; Mrs. Mollie Smith of Levelland, Texas; Mrs. Dorothy Thymes of Chicago, Ill.; and Mrs. Lillie Mae Childs of Ruston, La.; two sons, Rev. I. B. Jones of New London, Conn.; and Samuel Jones of Wichita, Kansas; eleven grandchildren and a host of great grandchildren, relatives and friends.

Money Loaned On Guns, Diamonds, Stereos, TV's, Tools, Musical & Sporting Goods. A Acme Pawn Shop Between the Spanish Theatres 715 Broadway PO 2-2110 fellowship dinner. If you have sweet meats to donate, please contact him immediately. Dinner will be served the Third Sunday in February.

The Rev. Guy Roman of Philadelphia, Pa., will be our guest on the Second Sunday in February. He will also speak to the Executive Board and other interested people in regard to a Minority Group project on February 13th. Let us prayerfully consider this announcement.

The members of the Eunice and Dorcas Circles will meet tonight, Thursday, at 8 p.m. in the home of Sister Annie Hinton, at 1825 Manhattan Drive.

The members of the Queen of Sheba, Martha and Sarah Circles net in the homes of Sister Odie Lovings, 1001 East 28th; Sister Merle Terry, 2406 Fir Avenue; and Sister Lorene Guyton, 1715 2nd Street.

Junior Mission and Brotherhood Union meets at the church each Monday evening at 8 p.m.

Let us pray for and visit our

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45

#### Thursday, February 4, 1971 sick and shut-ins. Those on the

sick list this week are Sister Clara Scott, who is ill in her home at 2614 Teak Avenue; Sister Jewel Webb who is ill in the home of her mother; Sister Eliza Locke who is recuperating nicely after surgery in the Highland Hospital. Sister Vira Coller and Sister Ida Johnson are recuperating in their homes. Brother Wilmar Wilson is still shut-in at his home.

#### Twentieth & Birch Street Church of Christ

Our goal for Sunday School has been set at 100. We will be trying to have 100 students in our Bible School each Sunday morning. Bib-

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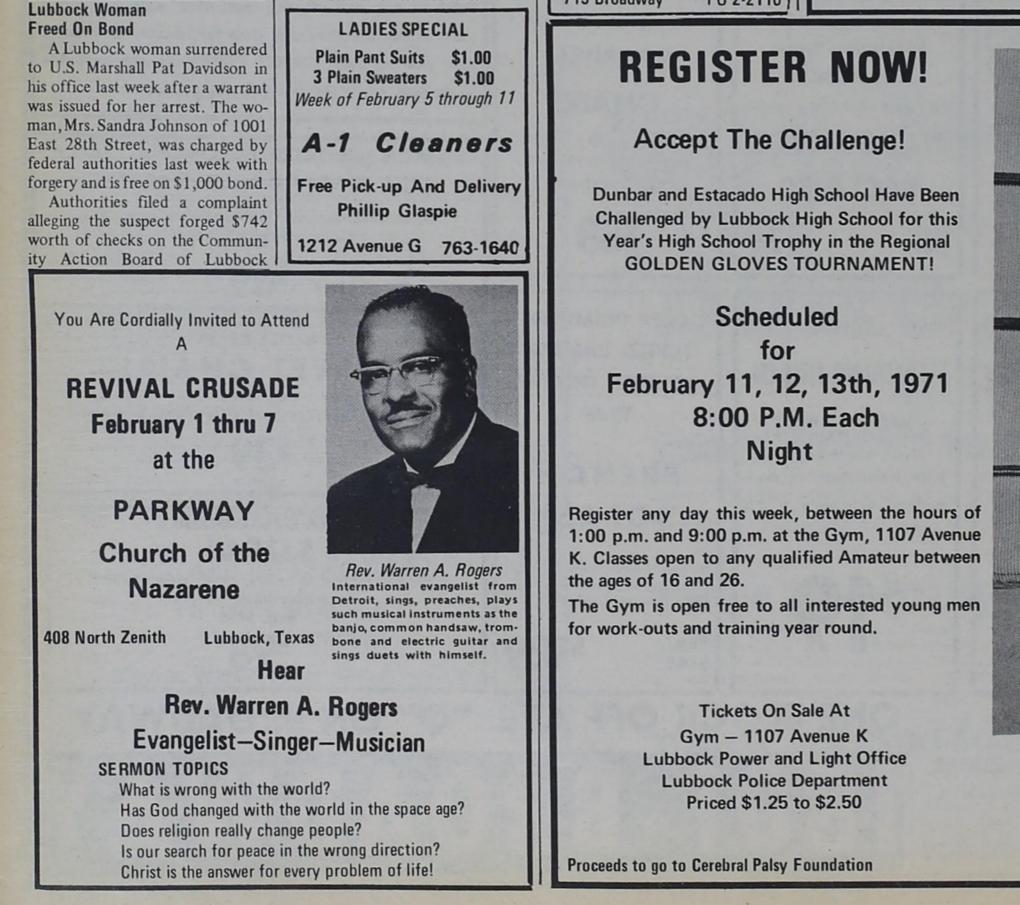
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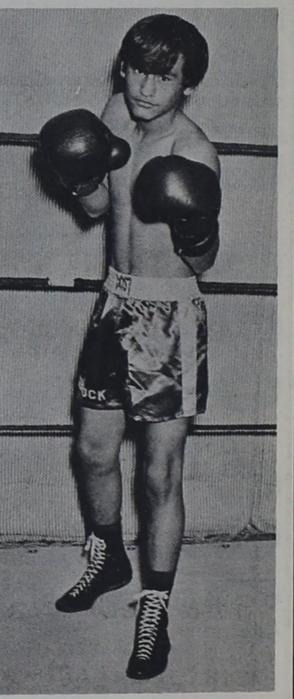


### WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00

Our goal is to save souls. We believe that God will take care of your needs, if you obey Him. We want to share with you the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We invite you to service at the Saint Paul Baptist Church, 1802 Ave. B, Lubbock, Texas. Rev. Jim Loud, pastor.







Joe Rodriquez is the only representative from Estacado High School this year in the Invitational West Texas Regional Golden Gloves.

60 trophies will be offered in the tournament this year, and Joe has his sights set on the coveted high school trophy.

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#### Church News . . .

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le School starts at 9:15 a.m. each Lord's Day. Last Sunday we had 98 present. We were just 2 short of our goal, so let's try hard and meet this goal for the month of February.

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#### Praver Corner

by Sister Berta L. Dixon The Basis of God's Reward

God will see to it every man gets his proper reward. The Kingdown of Heaven is unto man who is a householder. It is important to work daily in the vineyard. Mercy is not judged by human standards. It is necessary for us to have the right spirit, attitude, and faith while we work with others. The church emphasis is the love of man.

We must be true and faithful to our fellowman as we continue to work in the vineyards. God is faithful, true and His reward is everlasting friendship and eternal life. The Lord is merciful, glorious and He loves His people.

#### **Rising Star Missionary** Baptist Church

Services for the day began with school opening for all ages at 9:45 a.m. with Supt. Morris at his post of duty. The lesson was well taught and discussed and reviewed by the superintendent.

We are happy to see our adults take an active part in the Sunday School.

The 11 a.m. services opened with the deovtion by the deacons of the church and songs of inspiration by the congregation. Sister Edwards was at the piano.

The message was brought by Pastor Dixon, entitled, "The Blind Man Healed". Scripture lesson was found in the Book of St. John, 9: 1. This was an illustration of only a portion of God's Miracles through his Son, Jesus.

In the evening services, Pastor Dixon spoke from the second epistle to the Corinthians, II Cor. 4:3, using as his theme, "A Hidden

## Mount Gilead Baptist Church

Our congregation has just implemented a cleaning committee. Sister H.M. Johnson is chairman. Those on the committee include Sisters Gadison, Evans, Titus, Thompson, Williams, Mitchell and Brothers Loggins and Whitfield.

The Senior Choir will serve dinners in the kitchen on Saturday the 6th of February. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### Mount Vernon United Methodist Church

Last Sunday was known as T.A.N.E. Field Day in West Texas. It is through this method TANE communicates with the people of the church in presenting the facts and effects of alcohol and narcotics by challenging, encouraging and enlisting each individual to personal involvement.

Our speaker last Sunday was Rev. Mr. Walter Carlton, who spoke on the TANE concept. Rev. M.T. Reed, minister, is a member of the board of directors of TANE, Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education.

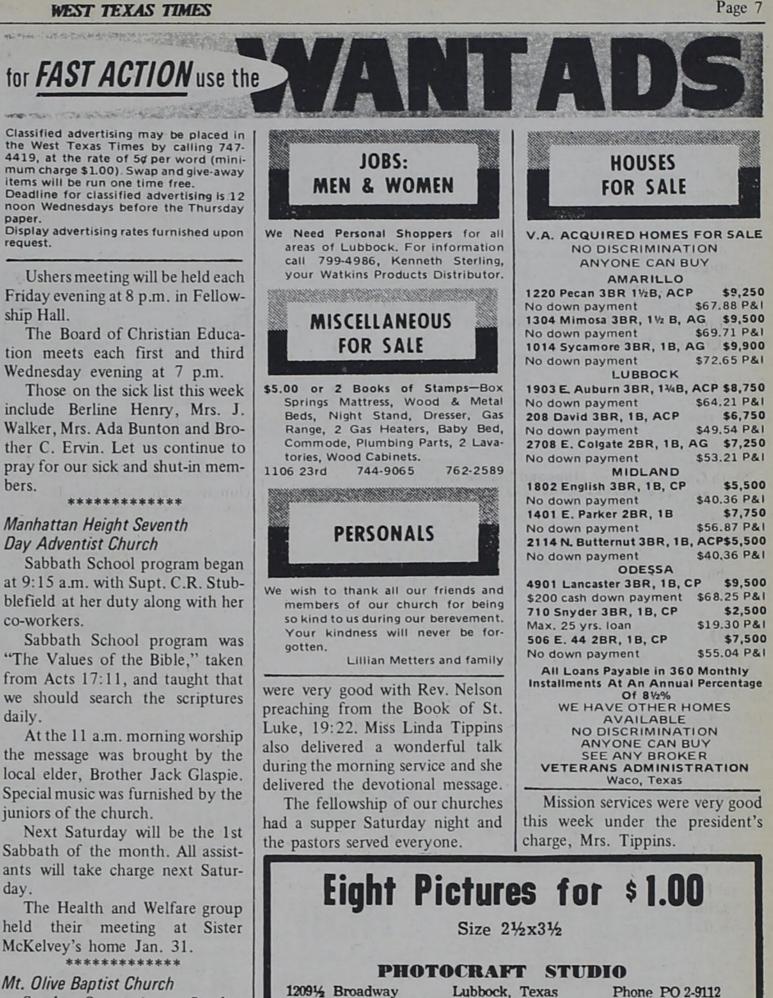
Great plans are being made for the Mammoth Tea which will be held in the very near future.

Our visitors last Sunday included Mrs. Lillian Jefferson of El Paso, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore, all of Levelland, Texas; Miss Vela Joan Worthington of Marshall, Texas; Dr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Dale Anderson, Miss Ossie Mae Horton, Earl Horton, Miss Rachel Divers, Miss Barbara Sommerville, Miss Willene Gipson, Mrs. C.E. Fair, Mrs. L.H. Griffin and Ulysses Kelly; all of Lubbock.

Obedience is the first step to the approach toward God in worship. Silence is second, for we listen for the voice of God.

#### New Hope Baptist Church

The True Light Spiritual Singers of Midland, Texas, will sing at our church Sunday, February 21, at 3 and 8 p.m. Let us make plans for this great program of singing.



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