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Bishop Tutu Called "World Freedom Fighter"

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FREEDOM FIGHTER -- Bishop Desmond Tutu, called "world freedom fighter" by Black music and radio pioneer Jack Gibson on opening of the ninth annual "Family Affair" convention at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in Atlanta, greets superstar Stevie Wonder on his visit to Los Angeles after Wonder's music was banned by the South African Broadcasting Corporation. Gibson refused to admit music executives from South Africa and said that Bishop Tutu, the 1984 Nobel Peace Prize laureate, "is an echo of the bravery that propelled the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. into the forefront of world consciousness."

-- KNS Photo by Narechimah Gsel

Atlanta, Ga. -- (KNS) -- in a last-minute strategy session with his national staff, pioneer Black disc jockey Jack Gibson -- who now publishes America's oldest and largest-circulated Black trade publication "Jack the Rapper" -- reiterated his decision to bar South African music industry representatives from his annual summer music convention and called Bishop Desmond Tutu a "world freedom fighter."

Responding to a letter from a South African travel agency in which the fiery publisher was asked to reconsider a request that South Africans be allowed to attend "Family Affair '85," which is convening at the Marriott Marquis Hotel from August 15-18, 1985, Gibson vowed to break off communications with the racist government until "human rights for South African Blacks is assured."

"The courage being displayed daily by Bishop Desmond Tutu is an echo of the bravery that propelled the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. into the forefront of world consciousness," said Gibson, "and we consider Bishop Tutu to be a world freedom fighter with no living equal."

The annual Black music and radio convention is in its ninth

year and registration is at an all-time high. In addition to the usual seminars and workshops on subjects of interest to the more than 2,000 radio and music executives expected to attend the convention, Gibson has unveiled a project that calls on the nation's entertainers to become more involved in problems of poverty and hunger in America.

"We are going to dare to be different this year," said Gibson, who orchestrated a 200-station "Stevie Wonder Birthday Radio Network" earlier this year when the South African Broadcasting Corporation banned Wonder's music after the superstar

dedicated a music award to Nelson Mandela, the jailed leader of the outlawed African National Congress.

Dell and the Sensations, a Belizean-American music group in Southern California, dedicated their album "Freedom Fighter" to Bishop Tutu, who won the 1984 Nobel Peace Prize. Copies of the title song were distributed to disc jockeys at the convention.

Black newspapers throughout the U.S. assisted Gibson in his call for information from Black communities in America, and many convention delegates found themselves "working on a plan."

From Jake's Pen

Part II

I will be glad when

(Editor's Note: This column appeared in one of our publishers' newspapers, The Columbus Times, July 31, 1985. Thought you would like read about it. It reminds one of the situation in the Black Community of Lubbock. What do you



think about it? Let me hear from you. Ye Ed.)

This column picks up where last week's edition, July 24, 1985 of Jake's Pen left off: "I will be glad when columnists no longer feel a need to pen columns along these



CATFISH TOURNAMENT -- Lubbock Police Officer William H. Britt, left, and Doug "Twister" McKinney, are two avid fishermen in Lubbock. Both are looking forward to a big fishermen tournament.

Officer Britt made his catch first, and asked where is "Twister" who he said was supposed to go fishing with him.

A few days later, "Twister" showed up with his catch and said: "I did not know the tournament had begun. This is my warm up catch."

This tournament should be interesting to watch this duel as time goes by.

The fish were caught at Buffalo Lakes while fishing from their boat.

(Digest Photos)

line."

Continuing the theme, I will be glad when Blacks realize the need to participate equally in the two party system; that is, participate equally in both major political parties. Until we do that, on the national level one will continue to take us for granted, while the other continues to ignore us. Perhaps, a great number of us should "float" as independents

until the time for bargaining, negotiations and compromise is right.

I will be glad when Blacks, locally, can agree to disagree politically and still maintain "true" friendships across political lines.

I will be glad when some of our so-called leading Blacks, business, social, educational, religious, and political leaders-

stop (at least stop coming to me) "badmouthing" other Blacks. As I wrote last week, "I will be glad when we start building each other up rather than tearing each other down" I am tempted to start wearing a miniature tape recorder and begin printing some of the quotes I receive daily along with credits to the spokesperson.

I will be glad when we, as a

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BRYAN'S BAR-B-CUE OPENS -- A few weeks, in a Lubbock Chamber of Commerce ribbon cutting, Bryan's Bar-B-Que, 1002 Quirt Avenue, became a reality. It was a good opening, and with the help of the entire community, it will continue.

Owners, Dr. & Mrs. R. A. Pillow, IV, are excited over this beginning.

Oh hand for the ribbon cutting were City Councilman T. J. Patterson, District Two; and Eddie P. Richardson.

co-publisher of the Southwest Digest. "We really appreciate the assistance of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce in our effort," said Dr. Pillow.

Psychiatric Move Against Religion Under Attack

by
Alexander R. Jones
NNPA Feature

The psychiatric profession is an active liability to our society. Having no workable technology, it is literally the modern day witch doctor of our culture, consuming millions of our state and federal tax dollars each year, and producing by and large, pain,

misery, and death. Those few psychiatrists who actually help do so only on the strength of their own individual abilities, having recognized the unworkability of standard psychiatric methods.

A true picture of this profession can be seen in the real-life horrors of mental institutions where blacks, the poor, and others, without the financial and legal resources to defend themselves are subject to bizarre brain

surgery, shock treatments and other forms of "therapy." The fruits of this profession are the refuse of these mental institutions who wander our streets homeless, and the brutal murders committed by those treated and then released, wrongly labeled "cured."

Despite this record of continuous and documented failure, the psychiatric profession is yet seeking to extend its control over another arena which it understands even less than its own: religion. One example of such efforts is the American Family Foundation (AFF), a controversial group, strongly backed by psychiatrists, that has advocated the kidnapping and mental torture of people in order to force them to recant their religious beliefs.

On September 9-11, AFF is scheduled to hold a conference at the prestigious Wingspread Center in Racine, Wisconsin. The subject of this conference - new religions. Its purpose - to lend credibility to a strategy to erode the freedom of those religions this group and the psychiatrists who strongly influence it do not like. If successful, this conference will endanger not only young religions, but mainline religions as well. This conference has already come under attack.

In a letter of complaint to Wingspread, Dr. David Rindler, Associate Professor of Philosophy and Religion at American University pointed out that the techniques promoted by AFF "are hostile to all that is important in the fundamental religious beliefs not only of the established religious traditions of both the East and the West but also to the beliefs, deeply and sincerely held, of the new religions which have been such a factor on the American religious scene of recent decades."

Join this protest. Send your formal letter of complaint to Dr. William Boyd, President, Johnson Foundation/Wingspread, Box 547, Racine, WI 53401.



Mrs. Mary Sallard Hill

Honored With Others

Mrs. Mary Sallard Hill was born in Dallas, Texas where she graduated from Booker T. Washington High School and Bishop College. She came to Lubbock in 1942 after teaching in Port Arthur, Texas for one year.

During her 22 years at Dunbar High School, she taught in the Social Studies department and assisted with various extracurricular school activities.

In 1968, Mrs. Hill transferred to Alderson Junior High School where in addition to her teaching responsibilities, she served as sponsor of the Future Teachers of America.

She retired from the Lubbock Independent School District in 1982. In 1984, she received a certificate of Appreciation from the Lubbock Human Relations Council for her generous and unselfish service to the

community. As a member of the Greater St. Luke Baptist Church, she teaches Vacation Bible School and is a member of the Dorcas Missionary Circle.

Mrs. Hill is also one of the past presidents of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Mrs. Hill has one son and a daughter -- Dr. Damon Hill, Jr. and Ila Kay -- a student in Dentistry at the University of Texas Dental School in Houston.

Since her retirement, Mrs. Hill has joined the staff of Volunteer Workers at Methodist Hospital. She is the widow of the late Damon Hill, Sr.

Along with Mrs. Hill, all of those honored her Sunday, August 11, 1985, certainly contributed to the Lubbock community in his and her own way. When you see these persons, although the program has come and gone, let them know that you appreciate what each has done. Tell them "Thank you" and "We love you!" Ms. Esther Moses, member of the Women's Christian Auxiliary, was responsible for the information on each participant who was honored.

DHS Grad Nominated



Tina D. Rainwater, daughter of Edward and Alma Rainwater of 1831 East 25th Street, has been nominated for the second consecutive year to have her achievements published in WHO'S WHO AMONG AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

While only 5 percent of the nation's junior and senior high school students are included in Who's Who each year, less than one-half of 1 percent are honored for two years. She was commended for her consistently exceptional record.

As a 1985 graduate of Dunbar-Struggs High School, Ms. Rainwater may also apply for one of fifty scholarships of \$1,000, even if she has finalized her financial arrangements for her next academic year.

More than 12,500 high schools nationwide and the major youth organizations have used Who's Who to honor their most outstanding students.

She is a member of Twentieth & Birch Street Church of Christ.



Tina D. Rainwater

Fiestas del Llano Set For September 13-15

Featured entertainment is now being scheduled to highlight the annual Fiestas del Llano, September 13-15, at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, co-chairmen Maria Luisa Mercado and Jo Loye Nelson announced.

Planning has begun for the event and committees have been formed to commemorate the independence of Mexico. The festivities will begin at 5 p. m., Friday, with entertainment already signed up including the Ballet Folklorico from the state of Tamaulipas, Mexico; the Folklorico Mexicano, a dance troupe directed by Ariel Fernandez. Also performing will be the Texas Tech University Theatre Group, directed by Rudy Alvarado, the Texas Tech Gorman Dancers directed by Randy Kirk, and the Blue Grass Band from South Plains College.

In addition, McDonald's restaurants will sponsor a live appearance by Ronald McDonald. The Fiestas also will be the occasion for the Senorita Fiesta Pageant, held in conjunction with the celebration. A parade will kick off Saturday's celebration at 10:00 a. m.

Additional planning for the Fiestas includes reservations for vendor's booths which will feature arts, handicrafts,

authentic Mexican cuisine and international selections. The first meeting of all vendors is set for 7 p. m., August 14, in the Community Room of the Mahon Library. Food booths may be obtained for \$250 and \$200 for artists or handicraft booths. Reservations for the booths are still available. For further vendor information call Dolores Martinez at 793-1829.

Entries are being accepted for the Senorita Fiestas Pageant, open to Hispanic women who are

Lubbock County residents. Contestants must be between the ages of 17 and 24 and either currently in a university or planning to enroll. The winner of the pageant will receive a \$500 scholarship. Applications must be received by August 25. Entry fee is \$25. For information or an application call Marina Garcia at 744-6127 after 5 p. m.

There will be four divisions of parade entries, with a trophy awarded in each category. Categories are non-profit,

military, youth and commercial. Only the commercial division requires a \$25 entry fee. For applications call Inca Soto at 765-8422.

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Sunday School began at 9:30 a. m. at the New Hope Baptist Church with a very good lesson. Supt. E. Swain presided over the Sunday School.

Beginning at 10:45 a. m., morning worship devotion began with Deacon Swain presiding. The combined choirs were responsible for the music of the hour. The sermon was preached by Pastor S. C. Nash. His subject was "Identify Yourself". His scripture was Acts 13:15-17.

The members of New Hope Baptist Church would like to thank Mrs. Annie Sanders for the beautiful flowers sent to the church last week for the use when her nephew, Arthur Sneed, Jr., preached in a revival. It was a wonderful week of preaching.

John Ella Savage flew to Los Angeles, California last week with relatives to attend a family reunion. She reported a great trip.

Mrs. Ola Scott is still a patient at Methodist Hospital, on the fifth floor.

Continue to whisper a prayer for our sick and shut-ins.

Ruby Jay's nephew - Rev. Willie Phillip - was buried in

Chicago, Illinois last Friday. He was a brother of Lettie Phillip who once lived in Lubbock.

The Bible Training Union (BTU) had a good attendance last Sunday evening at New Hope. The most needed thing right now is to get young people involved.

The New Hope Church picnic will begin Saturday, August 24, 1985, at 10:00 a. m. on the Booker T. Washington Park. It will last as long as the young people still have the energy to participate.

Also another picnic will be held on Booker T. Washington Park this Saturday, August 24, 1985 from 5 p. m. until 9 p. m. The young people of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church are holding this one. It is just good to see the park in full use.

During the evening services at New Hope last Sunday, Deacon Swain and Deacon Givens were responsible for the devotions. The message was delivered by Pastor S. C. Nash. His subject was "Fullness of Christ." His scripture was St. John 1:14.

Theresa Ann Thompson left Saturday for home in Shreveport, Louisiana. She spent the summer

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EDITORIALS • COMMENTS • OPINIONS

Black Self-Help & The Role Of The Black Press

by
Eddie P. Richardson
Part 2
(Conclusion)

The social structures and consumer market in every community is a two-part system — comprised on the one hand of those of largely European background whom are identified as white, and made up on the other hand of "affected class" minorities, (largely Black) whom the government recognizes as never having been allowed to identify with White Americans in many ways.

Therefore media that are basically reflective of — and primarily oriented to — White consumers (A. J.) do an excellent job of identifying with their consumers and selling them at an emphatic level. By the same token, Black oriented media, (SOUTHWEST DIGEST) identify with the unique needs and lifestyles imposed upon these consumers — thus, the only means of reaching them at the same kind of empathic level as White-oriented media do for White consumers.

Blacks Still Need The Black Press More Than Ever!

We have a lot of years in the Black Press of America. We are the oldest, on-going, Black business in this country. Most of you probably know that the Black press started in 1827 with Samuel Cornish, the originator of the first Black Presbyterian Congregation. Cornish participated in many reform movements and he was an active member of the Anti-Slavery Society.

The publication he founded was Freedom's Journal with John B. Russwurm. Later, Russwurm became involved with the colonization movement but Cornish continued to publish the paper for the next 20 years. Freedom's Journal played a major role in shaping a social and economic philosophy for Blacks. Such gifted persons such as James McCune Smith, Alexander Chummell, Martin R. Delany and David Ruggles used the Journal to express their opinions.

Cornish as editor, fought relentlessly for full rights to citizenship and equality of Blacks. As a trustee of the free schools in New York, he energetically promoted higher education for Blacks. Participating in many reform movements, he was an active member of the American Anti-Slavery Society.

On one occasion, he voiced his contempt for a group of prominent Philadelphia Blacks who at that time urged the free people of color to drop the adjective "colored" which was then used and preferred by Blacks from an identification standpoint in preference to the term oppressed Americans. We still, at this time, have the same term referred by the massive "Black" being rejected by the same type today! More Black publishers have been lynched, mobbed, beaten, and killed than any other profession which Blacks have undertaken. The Black press is there! We have our ups and downs and it gets tough sometimes, but most of the pressures we receive come from within the communities. We strive to serve through misunderstanding of what we are really about and petty jealousy and envy. As stated earlier, we have our ups and downs, but all business have their ups and downs, but we are beginning to understand more and more as we become involved in mainstream America, that we are involved in this Capitalistic system as a business and we are endeavoring to convert our newspaper from a sociological phenomenon to a marketing tool to keep pace with the times and still do the job that was set out to be done by Cornish and Russwurm in 1827.

As we do this, we will understand more about the profit motive so that we will be able to survive and will not have so many downs, but that we will be able to survive and will not have so many downs, but more ups. We will just keep going up. The Black Press, church and community organizations will have to take the leadership and initiative in this upward move. It takes us all working collectively for the survival and good of all of us. The advent of the Black Press is a many splendored thing! If you do not believe it, check history! Certainly we make our mistakes and certainly you criticize us and give us a tough time, but we want you to know that we are hanging in there and we are doing the best we can for the quality of life for Blacks, other minorities and other poor and disadvantaged people. We will continue to image



build those who would not otherwise be recognized. We will continue to inform you of things that affect us which are not good or in our best interest as well as inform you of the things which are good and in the best of interest for us.

That is our duty. That is our Creed!

CHILD WATCH

by
Marian Wright Edelman



Dropouts: We Need to Know More

Everybody knows that we have a serious high school dropout problem in this country. We know that when our children fail to graduate from high school, they are less likely to be able to get jobs, and more likely to end up having children too early and living in poverty. That is what everybody knows about dropouts.

What nobody seems to know is what to do about this problem. On the federal, state and local level, government seems to have few answers for a national dropout rate that is now said to average 25 percent, while soaring as high as 75 percent in depressed areas like New York's South Bronx. Given the high price we all pay for this misfortune, we can no longer afford to sit back or to allow others to do so.

But we cannot effectively address the dropout problem until we learn more about the dropouts themselves. The facts tell us how little most of us really know about the young men and women who are now at risk of not finishing school. For example:

Did you know that girls both graduate and drop out at different rates than boys.

More young women tend to leave school before age 18, either by dropping out or graduating sooner, than boys. By ages 18 or 19, however, girls are less likely to be dropouts than their male peers.

Did you know that one the average, black youths tend to stay in school longer than their white peers? Instead of dropping out at a younger age, blacks are more likely to leave school at 18 or 19 - many still without a diploma, however.

These examples show what a complicated group dropouts are. Even attempts to understand them better by dividing them by race and sex can be misleading. Failure to finish school can stem from underlying factors which cut across these lines, such as family poverty, too-early pregnancy or parenthood, or lack of parental or community support.

To devise an effective program to keep our children in school, we have to take all of these factors into account. We will not see more of our young people lining up for their diplomas until all parts of our communities - schools, families, government, business and others - join in putting together comprehensive remedies which fit the needs of the children who are now at risk.

Some pioneering programs around the country have shown us that this concentrated approach can get results. For example, in Atlanta, Georgia, a unique school called Rich's Academy has been helping dozens of near-dropouts make it through school. For the past years, Cities in Schools, a national nonprofit organization, along with Rich's Department Store, Atlanta Public Schools, and Fulton County have run this remarkable school on the renovated top floor of Rich's Department Store. A wide range of public and private organizations and individuals in the Atlanta community have chipped in to provide these youngsters with the support services, counseling, and just plain encouragement they need to make it through to graduation. The efforts have paid off: out of last summer's graduating class of 24 young people, 19 were placed in jobs, six of these have 250 enrolled in college, and five have enlisted in the armed service.

We can take on our dropout problem. But first we must find out more about what our young people need to enable them to stay in school. Then we need to pool our resources, as the Atlanta community has, to help them get their high school diplomas.

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Letter to Editor

Why Does This Happen??

Dear Editor:

Why is it when we (Black people) try to do something, our people won't do right? Just a few days ago, Saturday (August 10, 1985), the Neighborhood Watch Program of East Baylor had a Block Party, from 7:00 p. m. until 9:00 p. m.

Barricades were up at the corners of East Baylor and Zenith, East Baylor and Aspen, and East Baylor and Cherry.

Any other time, young people would not have moved these barricades or one just ran over one.

We, as parents, need to talk to our young people who drive cars and tell them to show respect to other people.

The cars didn't stop driving up and down the street until one of the residents pulled his pick-up across the street, blocking the street. Only then, could the children eat and enjoy themselves without anyone driving their speeding car which might have hurt someone.

The food and the turn-out was fun. We want to do it again, because it is nice for people in a block to get together as one family.

Yours truly,
Oliver Walker

NNPA FEATURE

Business in the Black

By Charles E. Belle



Sarah Says Individuality is Identifying Theme: Sophisticated Consumption by Consumers

Sarah Vaughn set the provocative tone for the symposium panelists and seminar speakers at the Summer Home Furnishings Display show in the new California Contract Center at the Western Merchandise Mart. Making inferences in her virtuoso voice, Ms. Vaughn affected the every whim of would be furnishings and floor covering buyers to the third annual absolutely immense 300,000 square feet of showroom space extravaganzas. Electronic and computer-aided design denoted a deserved deviation from the most recent Dallas show of furniture manufacturers rather staid display of consumer considered furniture offered to retail store buyers. Bigger and better was not enough to describe the sophisticated San Francisco Western Furniture Mart Summer Home Furnishings market display of exquisite taste and exceptionally talented show.

"Sophisticated," is the point of the picture of today's consumer, President Donald M. Preiser, Western Merchandise Mart, painted for the overflow crowd of retail store owners and chain store buyers browsing and buying in a brand new designed, wholesale dealer serving, monstrous size building. But, Donald is not afraid to duck a new trend, providing space in the Mart for a 400% per year increase in demand for "professional interior designer," in business full-time, not just "kitchen designers," who are part-time sellers of wholesale goods at retail mark-up prices. Preiser puts his money where his mouth is. India and Turkey as well as European designs are featured on the fourth floor in an International Design Center. Concentrating on this new exposure to the trade buyers means they get a better look at the burgeoning demand for foreign designed furniture and furnishings fantasies of the consumer.

Consumers according to Arthur C. Thompson, Vice President and General Manager, The Lane Group, are "designer aware" more than ever before for two reasons. Space and Money. Or rather the lack of both. Nevertheless they still want individualized styled high quality items in their smaller living quarters. Space is premium, 900 square feet is about what the average abode has dropped to in size from well over 1200 a few years back. But the consumer will come up with quite a bit of money for one piece of furniture providing it's the perfect piece.

Jules Kugel, President, JARU, accessories designers extraordinary, explains: "the look," is important in fashioning today's home. Confessing that "the consumer is the boss," better educated, more intelligent and affluent than yesterday's fire hicker. Even the kids "actually know what they want." Even in the cannot afford to buy an entire suite of room furniture any more at once, they still plan on filling up the room in a simpler more sophisticated style. So some "snob appeal" is definitely

An Independent View

from

Capitol Hill

BY HON. GUS SAVAGE
First Black Journalist
ever elected to Congress



Fact-Finding Missions Vital To Foreign Policy

As you read this column, I am in the Soviet Union, completing the first half of a 10-day trip to that country. Instead of taking a vacation during the month-long, Labor Day congressional recess, I determined that my time could be more profitably spent by visiting the Soviet Union to study first-hand its people, culture, economy, government and foreign policy. I am being accompanied by Cong. John Conyers of Detroit and the Rev. Fowler, an outstanding pastor from my district.

Although I have never been to Russia before, this fact-finding mission is certainly not a vacation or junket, not in a country whose language I do not speak, whose food I do not like, whose entertainment and dances are strange to me, and that does not have any good golf courses.

Hence, you may ask: Why am I in this mighty Communist nation, studying it every possible minute for 10 straight days?

Well, first of all, it is the duty of a Congressman to become as knowledgeable as possible about other nations, especially in those regions of the world which are focal points of our foreign policy and defense priorities, such as the Middle East, Africa, Central America and Eastern Europe.

I have visited the first three of these regions during congressional recesses in previous years; and it would be very short-sighted not to visit the Soviet Union, since it is the main nation in Eastern and America's most powerful adversary in the world.

As indicated above, one of a Congressman's foremost responsibilities is to educate the public and to debate and vote in Congress on all policies and priorities of our government. Whether a Congressman does these things knowledgeably or in ignorance is his responsibility. In this context, a Congressman's foreign policy duties loom even larger when we remember that one of every three federal tax dollars is spent to finance the foreign policy and defense priorities of this country.

White Congressmen are expected to make such fact-finding visits, and are interviewed on television afterwards to discuss their findings. But the white press views Black Congressmen differently, apparently preferring to see us as lesser Congressmen concerned only with food stamps, grants for community development, voting rights, etc. Unquestionably, these things are important — and my votes and actions have demonstrated that I know they are — but they are not the total areas of concern for a Congressman, if he is doing his job.

In the original American Constitution, adopted in 1787, Black Americans were designated as three-fifths of a white person. The white press and many other Americans act as though they still believe this. Nevertheless, as I declared upon my first election in 1980, I shall not be only three-fifths of a man. There is no privilege accorded to our duty performed by white Congressmen that I shall not demand and exercise.

My next two columns, therefore, shall be devoted to detailed reports from the Soviet Union. Upon my return to America, I will enlarge upon these reports in as many radio and television talk shows and as many newspaper interviews as time will permit, but in my district and across the nation.

In these times of international crisis, it is particularly important that the especially humane Black perspective be brought to bear on the crucial issues of our nation's foreign policy.

needed says Martin Weiss, National Accounts Manager, Bigelow-Sanford, Inc. "Bigelow our bungalow" advertising these brought buyers into Macys department store to view their "chateau collection." Commercial building buyers are even breaking down and buying soil resistant pastel colors in their usually cold stone office spaces.

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NNPA FEATURE

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Dr. Charles W. Faulkner



Stop Making Yourself Feel Bad

We can make ourselves feel terrible by simply criticizing ourselves. If you tell yourself you are dumb, you will feel just as bad as you would if someone else had called you dumb. It's even worse since you know you are not dumb, but quite intelligent. So why call yourself dumb?

Let's look at some negative, irrational statements that actually make us feel dumb:

- A. "I'll never be able to stop smoking."
- B. "I think Leo is a no good, son of a —."
- C. "All I need is drugs to get myself together."
- D. "There is no point in even trying to make my life better."

Now let's look at some ways to counter the above negatives, irrational thinking with positive, logical reasoning.

You can Stop Smoking: No one smokes all of the time. You don't smoke when you sleep or conduct other chores. However, when you think that you can't stop, you don't want to attempt to stop, you don't put forth the effort to stop. There are things that you really can do, such as jump off a 15-story building and survive. That's logical.

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THIS N THAT

SHOULD HAVE BEEN MORE! In a most impressive **APPRECIATION SERVICE** for **REV. & MRS. A. W. WILSON** ... one couldn't be inspired last Sunday afternoon at the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church ... Only **SEVEN** ... yes seven ... invited pastors were present ... and the subject preached by **REV. L. F. BOWIE** ... pastor of The Church of The Living God ... was appropriate ... in that he **PREACHED** ... about **PREACHERS STAYING TOGETHER** ... and helping one another ... Churches invited ... and not represented ... **TOTALED** ... twenty-eight ... **THIS N THAT** ... would have expected the **PULPIT** ... to have been filled with **PASTORS & MINISTERS** ... from Lubbock ... **REV. BOWIE** ... who will be leaving the **HUB CITY** ... to accept a new charge in Dallas, Texas ... **WARNED** ... pastors to be aware of this type of **DIVISION** ... He gave his **FAREWELL SERMON** ... by preaching directly to the **PASTORS** ... of Lubbock ... Those of you who were not **PRESENT** ... should have been and should take note to what **PASTOR BOWIE** ... was talking about ...

WELL SAID, DOC! The message **DELIVERED** ... last Thursday night at the **ANNUAL EARLY SETTLERS REUNION** ... at the American Legion Hall in Yellowhouse Canyon ... was **GREAT** ... He brought back the **OLDER CITIZENS** ... who have been here for sometimes ... to put their arms around **YOUNGER BLACKS** ... and encourage them to want to have something in Lubbock ... He asked them **(OLDER BLACKS)** ... to give back something ... which they have received ... Well said ... and ... helpful ... something will become of what you ... talked about ... **DR. DANON HILL, JR.** ... Well said!

THANKS, LUBBOCK! **THIS N THAT** ... would like to **THANK** ... those of **YOU** ... appreciated the **DEDICATED ISSUE** ... to one of our fallen **BLACK SISTERS** ... **SISTERS LUELLA MILDRED SPARKS SCOTT** ... who has been murdered **TWO YEARS** ... this week ... It has been the **INTENTION** ... of the Southwest Digest ... to draw public attention to an **UNSOLVED MURDER CASE** ... here and so happened that the **VICTIM** ... was Sister Scott ... Some of **YOU** ... have showed concern ... and for this ... we say **THANK YOU** ... With our **PRAYERS** ... and your positive input ... **SOME-BODY** ... will be caught in regard to this brutal murder ... Let's continue to pray to **GOD** ... for that!

GREEKS AT SOMETHING GOOD! It appears as though **THE BLACK**

GREEK FRATERNITIES & SOCIETIES ... are attempting to establish a **PAN HELLENIC COUNCIL** ... here ... With a lot of work **IT** ... could be a very good effort ... **HAROLD M. CHATMAN** ... who happens to be a member of **KAPP ALPHA PSI** ... has called a meeting this week ... Hope it came out **ALRIGHT!**

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D. C. KINMER THE BARBER SAYS: "When a **PERSON** ... recognizes certain **PEOPLE** ... then that makes him **DOUBTFUL!**"

ANOTHER ONE! T. J. & BOBBIE PATTERSON ... celebrated another **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY** ... this week **AUGUST 19TH** ... This makes **NUMBER TWENTY-SIX** ... Guess what **REV. A. W. WILSON** ... married this couple ...

VERY GOOD FISH FRY! The citizens of **CHAPEL HILL** ... coordinated by **J. W. MCAFFERTY & D. L. KNOX** ... and residents of this neighborhood ... invited **CITY & COUNTY OFFICIALS** ... of Lubbock to partake in a **FISH FRY** ... last Friday night at the **PARTY HOUSE** ... at Buffalo Lakes ... **MAYOR ALAN HENRY** ... **CITY COUNCILMAN T. J. PATTERSON** ... and **COUNTY COMMISSIONER ELEGIO SOLIS** ... were present ... Also **LARRY**

CUMMINGS ... city manager ... and **TED BARRON** ... were present ... It was informal ... however ... more elected officials were not present ... as they were invited.

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Thou Shalt Not Kill

Exodus 20:13



Mrs. Luella Mildred Sparks Scott

To you who know the killer of this civic leader, how can your conscience let you remain silent? Do you realize a killer is likely to kill again if he remains free. Even if it is your sister, brother or other relative, you are guilty also, if you do not come forward with your information. The reward money is growing and you will remain ANONYMOUS, so please call Crime Line, 741-1000 or the police, 762-6411, or the SOUTHWEST DIGEST, 762-3612, because Thou Shalt Not Kill!

CS PARKS ... you and family ... **DID IT AGAIN** ... with another **PARKS FAMILY REUNION** ... **THIS N THAT** ... enjoyed being present ... and visiting with members of the **PARKS FAMILY** ... Not to mention the **DELICIOUS FOOD** ... (bar-b-que) ... and the **PARKS HOSPITALITY** ... really was a great effort ... **THANK YOU** ... each and all ...

Pleasant Home Baptist Church News

East 14th & N. Avenue F Post, Texas

Thank God, we're here again. Holy greetings everyone for this beautiful day which the Lord has made for us to see and enjoy as his children.

Church Motto: "The Church where everybody is somebody."

The lesson for last Sunday morning Sunday School lesson was "Judgement, Repentance, and Hope" The scripture was Joel 1:14-16; 2:12-13; 26-29. The Key Verse: "But the Lord is a refuge to the people, a stronghold to the people of Israel." Joel 3:16.

Attendance was great, and everyone was at their post of duty. The lesson was very interesting and inspiring.

The morning worship devotion was led by Sisters Fisher Wynn, Mozell Mitchell and Delores Harper. Sister Mitchell read the entire 121 Psalms.

Altar call was prayed highly by Pastor Arthur Kelly. The choir sang great praises to our Father. God is still in His Holy Temple.

The morning message was delivered by Pastor Kelly. He preached from the Book of Genesis 1:1. His subject was "What God Can Do." He really preached as he usually does from

his heart and soul to the Master. A very spiritual sermon.

Our sick and shut-ins this week include patients in Golden Plains Care Center: Sisters Lizie Milo, Sirlona Steel and Emma Hyler. Also Brother Harry Trueblood, Raymond Latson and Nathaniel Wilson.

Those ill in their residence include: Sisters Della Smith, Elizabeth Hles and Emma Griffin.

Please continue to pray for their speedy recovery. Reverend Arthur Kelly, pastor; Sister Annie Bates Gilbert, reporter.

Praise Service

Look, look! There will be a Praise Service going on at 1704 East 24th Street, location of the Lyons Chapel Baptist Church, for all mankind on your way to work each morning, between 7 a. m. and 8 a. m.

We promise to get you to work on time. It will make a difference in your day.

For all denominations, come let's get together and praise the Lord!

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MISCELLANEOUS - IN addition to all other benefits, an indemnity equal to 10% of the total claim paid

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There are other plans available. The amount of benefits provided depends on the insurance plan you select. Premiums will vary with the amount of benefits you choose.

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Then they became: Don't call us, we'll call you. This is hurting me more than it's hurting you. And I'm from the government and I'm here to help you.

With times changing as they have, I am sure these have been supplanted. Aunt Dee Dee, do you know what the new ones are?

PERPLEXED SINGLE:

There is only one BIG lie: No, I don't have herpes/AIDS. Relatively speaking, all others are now unimportant!

DEAR AUNT DEE DEE:

I'm at my wit's end and don't know what my next move should be.

I met this gorgeous hunk at a reception at my aunt's home last month. I know he's single since he came right out and said so. My aunt was clever enough to arrange for him to drive me home, but my grandmother was in the

car with us. I did get his telephone number, though I wasn't interested in him, and I have been calling him off and on for the past month.

First, I invited him to take me to the Al Jarreau show, but he declined. He also turned down my invitation for dinner at my home. I live with my aged mother. But, when he refused to take me to church, I let him know that I thought he was tied to his mother's apron strings.

Now, he refuses to talk to me, and I need to know what I did wrong.

PERPLEXED SINGLE:

Aunt Dee Dee has always advised the exchange of phone numbers, but even those who are out of step with the times know that a man who's not interested in getting a woman's phone number is not worthy of any prolonged pursuit.

It's just too bad that you didn't have some free Al Jarreau tickets on hand to tempt him.



Edda R. Pittman

Who knows? He might have jumped at the opportunity.

Better luck next time, and don't be such a pest. Three strikes and you're out - in anybody's ball game!

(Perplexed singles are encouraged to comment on this column by writing to Aunt Dee Dee at P. O. Box 95A, St. Louis, MO 63166. The most interesting letters will appear in future



BIG THREE - USC's all-American and '84 Olympic Games basketball star, Cheryl Miller, is flanked on the left by Precinct-Reporter Publisher Arthur P. Townsend and on the right, by Los Angeles Mayor Tom Bradley at

the "Decade III" dinner honoring Townsend and his staff on 20-years of service to the Inland Empire at the Ramada Hotel and Convention Center in San Bernardino on July 26.

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wife and mother of a minister and she served well for over 60 years as a Sunday School teacher, church secretary, pianist and missionary

president. We are looking forward to meeting her again on the morning of that Great Day.

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- Margaret Sanger

A special message from Carl Rowan for minorities about careers in journalism



Carl Rowan
Newspaper Columnist

When I was choosing a career, a job as a reporter at my local newspaper wasn't an option. Those doors were closed to blacks. Things have changed some, but not enough. There are still too few racial minorities pursuing news careers or being given a chance to:

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OBSEQUIES

Mr. Ivison Brown, Jr.



Special (Odessa) - Final rites were read for Mr. Ivison (Pat) Brown, Jr. Tuesday, August 13, 1985 at the Rose of Sharon Baptist Church with Rev. J. W. Hanson, pastor, officiating.

Active pallbearers were Raymond Johnson, Dennis L. Joiner, Lee Tyeson, Henry Coleman, Charles Coleman and Clyde Gibson.

Honorary pallbearers were Craig Blaylock and Ronnie Green. Hubbard Kelly Funeral Home of Odessa was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Brown was born July 15, 1925 in Lexington, Texas to Ivison and Gerline Brown. He attended Dunbar High School in Lubbock. He served in the U. S. Army for three years.

Mr. Brown was married to the late Mrs. Lula Mae Scott Brown who preceded him in death. To this union, the following children were born: Darlene Collins of Houston, Texas; Patricia A. Haskin of Amarillo, Texas; Pam Morris of Lubbock, Texas; James Brown of Amarillo, Texas; Ronnie Brown of Odessa, Texas and Tommie Mays of Fort Worth, Texas.

He passed away Saturday, August 10, 1985 in Monahan, Texas.

He attended Gay Street grade

school in Fort Worth, Texas and Dunbar High School in Lubbock, Texas. He served in the U. S. Army for three years, and for the past ten years he has been an employee for ICD in Odessa.

He moved to Odessa in 1966 where he married Mrs. Irene (China Doll) Brown.

He leaves to mourn his death: his wife, Mrs. Irene Brown; three daughters - Darlene Collins of Houston, Texas; Patricia Haskins of Amarillo, Texas and Pam Morris of Lubbock, Texas; sons - Tommie Mays of Fort Worth, Texas; Ronnie Brown of Odessa, Texas; and Eddie Berry of Odessa, Texas; three sisters - Mrs. Ruby Giddens and Mrs. Charlie Bell Pratt, both of Lubbock, Texas and Mrs. Opal Jean Moton of Muleshoe, Texas; sixteen grandchildren, one great grandchild, a host of other relatives and friends.



Honored After Thirty-Five Years

A special appreciation was given in honor of Rev. A. L. Dunn for his thirty-five years of faithful service as Moderator of the West Texas Baptist District Association Thursday, August 8, 1985 at 5:30 p. m. at the Rose of Sharon Baptist Church's Fellowship Hall in Odessa, Texas.

Rev. L. H. Degrate, host pastor. With a theme of "Honoring A Worthy Servant," Rev. S. C. Nash, newly elected Moderator and pastor of New Hope Baptist Church of Lubbock, delivered the message.

Mrs. L. Washington served as mistress of ceremonies;

invocation was offered by Rev. T. C. Jones, 2nd Vice Moderator; music by Mrs. Loretta Payne and Mrs. Beatrice Walker spoke on the "Occasion"

Remarks were given by Rev. A. G. Sanders, Rev. B. J. Bradford, Jr., Congress of Christian Education; Re. C. Norris, Ministers' Conference; Deacon I. V. Andrews, Laymen and Ushers; Sister C. M. Howard, Women's Auxiliary, and Sister Amelia Govan, Youth Department.

Rev. L. H. Hall introduced Rev. Nash, while a solo was offered by Sister Elmore Byer. Special presentations were made by Rev.

Degrate.

Remarks were given by Rev. Degrate and the honoree, Rev. A. L. Dunn.

The benediction was presented by Rev. R. M. Montgomery.

The banquet committee members were: Rev. L. H. Degrate, Rev. S. C. Nash, Rev. L. H. Hall, Sister C. M. Howard and Sister L. M. Washington.

A special thanks was given to Rev. J. W. Hanson and the Rose of Sharon Baptist Church family for allowing the use of their church in this special effort.

IT'S A FACT!

People have been trying, with more or less success, to beat that pest the mosquito since prehistoric times.



THEN: Egyptians used netting and smudgepots to fight off mosquitoes over 3,000 years ago. Others from the distant and not-so-distant past contended themselves with mud. Early Americans tried smearing their bodies with fat from bears, sheep or cattle and eating huge amounts of garlic.



NOW: Modern insect repellents work by confusing the mosquito's sensors, so the mosquito can't tell if you're worth biting. Since 1961, one repellent has been considered an effective weapon against biting insects. Called Cutter, it's available in a variety of forms - cream concentrate, aerosol spray and a stick along with the new non-aerosol pump spray and single use packets.



Mr. Ollie Lee Hunter

Funeral services for Mr. Ollie Lee Hunter were held Saturday, August 17, 1985 at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church with Rev. Tom Collins, pastor, officiating.

Jamison & Son Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Melvin Boyd, Willie Johnson, Artis Ray Boyd, Biley Sheard, Willie Ray Johnson and Jimmy Lee McGaha, Jr.

Mr. Hunter was born in Palestine, Texas, July 11, 1919 to Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Hunter.

He was married to Irene Turner, who preceded him in death. He later married Dorothy Jean Nunley, and to that union nine children were born. Mr. Hunter passed away Tuesday, August 13, 1985.

He leaves to mourn his death: a wife, Mrs. Dorothy Jean Hunter; a mother, Mrs. Lydia E. Hunter of Midland, Texas; seven children, Joratha Bell, Velda McGaha, Odell Hunter, and Iron Ross, all of Lubbock, Texas; Lois Boyd of Dallas, Texas; Celestine Jones and Forris Washington of Lubbock; eight step-children, James Ray Gilbert, Dorothy Louise, Jodell Gilbert, Cora Ann Lilly, Keith

Gilbert, Ruby Lee Shipman and Carolyn Washington, all of Lubbock, Texas; Celestine Jones of Giddings, Texas; and Alice Faye McBrewer of Bryan, Texas; fifty-four grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren; four sisters and one brother - Lola Faye Pearson of Midland, Texas; Eloises of Dickerson, Texas; Baby Ruth Dixon of Phoenix, Arizona; Juanita Jackson of Portland, Oregon; and Danny Lee Hunter of Lamesa, Texas as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Tommy Lee Dixon

Funeral services were held for Mr. Tommy Lee Dixon last Saturday, August 10, 1985, at the New Hope Baptist Church, with Rev. S. C. Nash, pastor, officiating.

Interment was held in Peaceful Gardens Cemetery under the directions of South Plains Funeral Home.

Mr. Dixon was born February 20, 1964 in Lubbock, Texas to Mr. Tommy Finch and Daisy Dixon. He lived in Lubbock all of his life and attended school at Roosevelt High.

He worked at Continental Grain Company until his death.

His survivors include a daughter, Sheneka of Lubbock, Texas; his mother, Mrs. Daisy Dixon of Lubbock, Texas; his father, Tommy Finch of Lubbock, Texas; five sisters - Bonnie Johnson, Daisy Green, Emma Jordan, Honey Pie Collins, all of Lubbock, Texas and Lena Jackson of Oklahoma; ten brothers - Terry, Dave Lester, Acie and Michael, all of Lubbock, Texas; Carl of Quitaque, Texas; Bobby of California; William Earl of Denver, Colorado; Thomas, Jr. of Dallas, Texas and Steven Craig of Huntsville, Texas; grandparents,



Lonnie Smith of Lubbock, Texas, and Hester Finch of Paris, Texas; eight aunts, four uncles, forty-seven nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were David Saunders, George Smith, Jr., Paul Moody, Ernest McDade, George Hefley and Kenneth Jackson.

Honorary pallbearers were Terry Dixon, Lester Dixon, Michael Dixon, Bobby Dixon, Steven C. Dixon, Dave Dixon, Acie Dixon, Carl Dixon, William E. Dixon and Thomas Dixon, Jr.

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Members and friends of the Outreach Prayer Breakfast met in the home of Vice President Christine Burdette. You "should have been there."

Opening devotions Mark 11:22-26

The morning scripture lesson was taught by Sister Murray Peppers. Her scriptures were Psalm 91.

"He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most high shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."

(5) "Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; nor for the arrow that flieth by day;

(6) "Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness; nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday."

(7) "A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand; but it shall not come nigh thee

You will have to come to get the message. This teacher had many more scriptures. Come and

begin studying God's Holy Word. It's the only thing which is going to "stand". If you are not studying your Bible, do so today. Do it for the saving of your soul through Jesus Christ.

Thank you, Sister Peppers for this message. You are truly loved by this group.

Thought of the week: "Our Lord has not given us the Spirit of fear. Are you afraid?" Think about it!

Breakfast was served and enjoyed by all. Come and eat spiritually or physically, both are good eating.

Our guest list included: Rev. & Sister Tony Williams, Sr., Sister C. C. Peoples, Sister Hazel Owsen

and Sister Murray Peppers. Our guest are special, please come again.

Our sick list this week includes: Sister Mattie Henry, Sister Blanche Whitfield, Brother Bonnie Whitfield, and Brother Leslie Palk.

We are sure there are others out there. We don't know where they are or who they are. But our Lord knows. He specializes in things which seem impossible. "You can make it!"

"Let's Pray"

God of mercy, you know these people are and where they are, touch the mind of all. Let them realize and understand what's hindering. There are rebuking. Our rebuke the devils. In the name of Jesus and Lord, we ask, would you touch your people that hurting. Today, we ask in the

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REPENTANCE AND FAITH

Memory Verse: Acts 20:21

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*** (a) Acts 20:21. "Testifying both to the Jews, and also to the Greeks, repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ."

*** (b) Mark 1:15. "Repent ye, and believe the gospel."

*** (c) Acts 2:37-38. "They were pricked in their heart, and said... Men and brethren, what shall we do? Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins."

*** (d) Luke 18:13. "And the publican... smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner."

Rom. 10:13. "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Psa. 51:1-4. "Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving kindness, according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I acknowledge my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me. Against thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight, that thou mightest be justified when thou speakest, and be clear when thou judgest."

Psa. 51:7. "Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow."

Isa. 65:6-7. "Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."

*** (e) Luke 12:8. "Whosoever shall confess me before men, him shall the Son of man also confess before the angels of God."

Rom. 10:9-11. "If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved."

I. REPENTANCE AND FAITH COMMANDED!

- 1. It was preached by John the Baptist. Matt. 3:1,2
- 2. It was preached by Jesus. Matt. 4:17
- 3. The Church is commanded to preach it. Luke 24:46-48
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LORD, I LAY DOWN AT NIGHT, CAN'T GET NO REST, I'M ALWAYS FRUSTRATED AND DEPRESSED. LORD, I'M SO WORRIED BY THE T.V. NEWS SITUATION, THAT SEEMS TO BE CRUPELLING OUR WHOLE NATION. LORD, THAT DEVIL'S T.V.; IT BRINGS SO MUCH BAD NEWS, NO WONDER I CAN'T REST, SLEEPING WITH OTHER PEOPLE'S BLUES. (TODAY'S NEWS - MEANS - NOT - EVEN - WORTH - SAYING - E - W - S -)

MARK 5:5-ALWAYS, NIGHT AND DAY, HE WAS IN THE MOUNTAINS, AND IN THE TOMBS, CRYING, AND CUTTING HIMSELF WITH STONES. (SLOW SUICIDE LIKE SMOKING & DRINKING OR JUST LIVING IN SIN)

MATTHEW 11:28,29 JESUS SAID: COME UNTO ME, ALL YE THAT LABOUR (WEARY) AND ARE HEAVY LADEN(OPPRESSED), AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST. TAKE MY YOKE (WORD) UPON YOU, AND LEARN OF ME. (READ YOU BIBLE) FOR I AM MEEK AND LOWLY IN HEART; AND Y SHALL FIND REST UNTO YOUR SOUL. "LORD, THANKS FOR COMING INTO MY LIFE, AND SAVING ME FROM MY MARY SINS"

REVELATION 3:20-JESUS SAID: BEHOLD, I STAND AT THE DOOR, AND KNOCK; IF ANY MAN (EVER SINNERS) HEAR MY VOICE, AND OPEN THE DOOR, I WILL COME INTO HIM, AND WILL SUP (EAT THE WORDS OF GOD) WITH HIM, AND HE WITH ME.

LORD, ALL THE WORLD'S DOCTORS, AND THE ANALYST.

They can't seem to get the problem licked.

LORD, THEY'VE SUGGESTED PILLS, CIGARETTES, AND ALCOHOL. FOR THE BRAIN, TRYING TO KEE FROM GOING INSANE.

I CORINTHIANS 6:19,20-WHAT? KNOW YE NOT THAT YOUR BODY IS THE TEMPLE OF THE HOLY GHOST WHICH IS IN YOU, WHICH YE HAVE OF GOD, AND YOU ARE NOT YOUR OWN? FOR YE ARE BOUGHT WITH A PRICE: THEREFORE GLORIFY GOD OR YOUR BODY, AND IN YOUR SPIRIT, WHICH IS GOD'S.

JOHN 3:3-JESUS SAID: "VERILY, VERILY, I SAY UNTO THEE (YOU), EXCEPT A MAN BE BORN AGAIN, (FREE OF ALL UN GODLINESS) HE CANNOT SEE THE KINGDOM OF GOD."

I CORINTHIANS 3:17-IF ANY MAN DEFILE (DESTROY) THE TEMPLE OF GOD, I'M SHALL GOD DESTROY; FOR THE TEMPLE OF GOD IS HOLY, WHICH TEMPLE YE ARE. LET NO MAN DECEIVE HIMSELF. IF ANY MAN AMONG YOU SEEMETH TO BE WISE IN THIS WORLD, LET HIM BECOME A FOOL, THAT HE MAY BE WISE.

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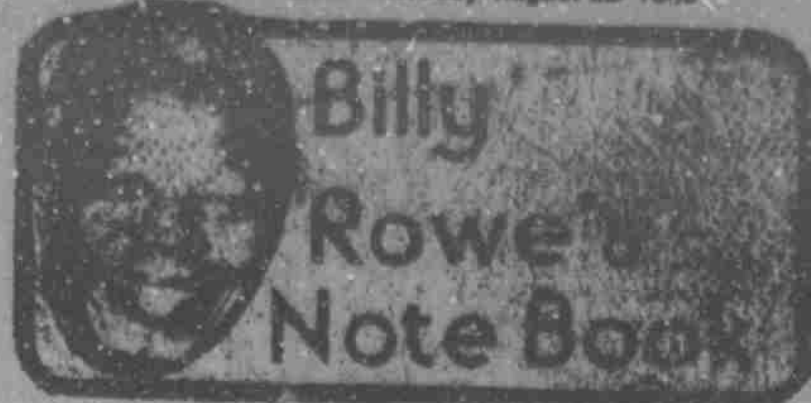
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prime-time television viewers are flocking back to its programs and profits are soaring. Deeper into the mire by Colin Levens, it was write hand pointed out that immediately after Tinker took over as chairman and chief executive, NBC's profits bounced up, but for three more years the network languished at the bottom of A.C. Nielsen Co.'s ratings. Now the ratings have come back too. When the 1984-85 season ended in April, NBC had vaulted ahead of ABC in the household ratings for prime-time evening viewers. And whereas CBS and ABC lost audiences over the season CBS was down 6% and ABC, 10%, NBC's ratings increased 9%. CBS still leads in the number of households that tune in during prime time, but NBC gets more prime-time viewers per household and a larger total viewing audience, 25.25 million per minute, vs CBS's 23.8 million and ABC's 22.9 million. NBC enters the coming fall season as the clear winner in the chase after the big spenders whom advertisers treasure most-- and pay the most to reach-- particularly adults 18 to 49. Advertising Age, a trade newspaper, predicts that NBC could hit \$1 billion in advance ad sales for the season-- a network first.

MUCH OF THE CREDIT FOR NBC'S COMEBACK BELONGS TO THE COSBY SHOW, A SITUATION COMEDY ABOUT A BLACK DOCTOR AND HIS FAMILY. COSBY CAME TO NBC BY DEFAULT: ABC TURNED DOWN A PROPOSAL FOR A SITCOM STARRING BILL COSBY. Last season, its first, Cosby ranked as the third most popular program in the U.S., after Dynasty and CBS's Dallas. In recent weeks reruns occasionally edged into first place. Last year NBC charged about \$100,000 for a 30-second commercial on Cosby. For the coming season the rate has jumped to some \$250,000. This means that Cosby will pull in revenues estimated at \$80 million over the coming year for NBC. "I hope that NBC will never forget him and will him a life time in."

FAN-TASTIC--Made possible by, "The generous contributions of local and nat'l corporations, unions and foundations," State Senator Marty Markowitz successfully staged his 3rd. annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. free concert series in B'klyn. To the joy of some 80,000 fans the eight evening events offered all the musical and vocal sounds acceptable to the ears. The nite that I was the guest of the United Mutual Life Insurance Co., a co-sponsor, the Note Book was introduced by the Senator to some 10,000 onlookers. Bobby "Blue" Bland, Etta James and Pieces of a Dream were the magnets. The B'klyn Philharmonic Symphony Ork. and Nina Simone, back in the state after a decade in Europe, opened the series. It segue through the likes of Lionel Hampton, Rev. James Cleveland, Thad Jones and the Count Basie Ork. with the Divine Sarah Vaughn. Backed by a dozen sponsors, just as many contributors, 26 patrons and more than 100-helping hand companies, individuals and agencies, it was totally fantastic. In the midst of its 15th. 5 day celebration Ed Lewis, publisher/ceo Essence Communications, revealed that John Johnson, topper Johnson Publications, has purchased a small equity interest in Essence, the fast growing femme mag. J.J.'s big guns are Ebony/Jet. Marc Davis has made Sammy Davis Jr. a grandfather with the birth of his son. He is named the 7-lbs 6 1/2 ounce lad Andrew Marc Davis. It made Elvira "Baby" Davis a great great-grandmother with bragging rights over Barbara Jacquet, the second prettiest grandmama. Leola Edwards, her daughter Pam Jackson, her trio of kids and mother, grandmother and great grandmother, Ethel Sayles, all motor van'ed in from Texas to keep a court date in the Catherine/Count Basie estate will dispute. The hope for an out of court settlement now seems out of the question. The judge is still trying for an amicable deal that would keep any dirty linen off the public line. To prevent the late Madame C.J. Walker's Irvington, N.Y. manse from falling into the money grabbing hands of some greedy developer the American Health and Beauty Aids institute should pool some dollars and sense and purchase the million dollar house and property. Madame Walker was the nation's first Afro-American female millionaire and beauty culture pioneer. Since everybody insist on calling Afro-Americans black as a race, and we accept it, why not demand that the term be spelled with a capital "B".

PEOPLE'NALITIES--Dental surgery came between Dionne Warwick and several engagements in the East. However no hard feelings have erupted and her flings at the North and South Shore Music Circus Theatres have been reshuffled. Producer Freddie Fields is spreading the word that Quincy Jones will supervise, and Thomas Dolby will write, the music for his unscheduled MGM/UA flick, "Fever Pitch." You should love the 1986 commemorative stamp madly! It will carry the likeness of the immortal Duke Ellington. He was selected over film comedians Laurel & Hardy as the U.S. Post Office annual salute of someone from the arts. The Ass'n of Comedy Artists were not well acquainted with the late Jackie "Moms" Mabley's close friends. Too many of them were missing from that groups induction of her into their Hall of Fame ceremony at Smalls Paradise. The Actors Fund of America has been successful in getting the once super actress Claudia McNeil admitted as a patient of the Inglemor Nursing Home. It's in Englewood, N.J. should you want to "ride your write hand" her way. There's good news about Scatman Crothers who's out of the BevHills Hosp. Said he feels great as he starts taking chemotherapy. The George Sanford Browns, she's Tyne Daly of teevee's Cagney & Lacey, expecting a tax deduction in Sept. Super horn blower Maynard Ferguson may do the lecture circuit after his six wks vacation/religious pilgrimage in India. Maurice Hines directed and choreographed history of Harlem musical is a massive Atlantic City hit. It is being talked about as being restaged for a B'way run. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar leads Herschel Walker, Rickey Henderson, Dwight Gordon and Marvelous Marvin Hagler in the 2nd quarter voting for Gordon's Gin "Black Athlete of the Year." STAY LOOSE. Billy Rowe is a syndicated columnist.

Coping

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thinking. So, you simply don't jump. The same goes for smoking. You think you can't, so you don't try. The way to stop smoking, stop over-eating or break any habit is to tell yourself that you can do it. Then, decide to do whatever is in your best interest. Think logically. Tell yourself the truth. Then do it.

Lee may have his faults but he is, also, a human being. Thus, he could not, possibly, be a S. O. B. When you think of Lee in these negative terms, it angers you and makes it impossible to deal logically with him. Perhaps Lee did something that you didn't like. But he has the right to do what he wishes as long as it doesn't break the law. You may not like his behavior, but he does have the right. Once you realize this, you are able to exist happily in spite of Lee's unacceptable behavior, and stop torturing yourself emotionally. Think logically and positively.

You may think you have a need for a crutch such as drugs or alcohol. But it's only a thought. It's a desire and not a need. It has become traditional and habitual for people to consume drugs or alcohol when they feel they have a problem. Cut you need only shelter, air, water and food. Many people falsely say that they have a need for something simply so they will have an excuse for using it. When you realize that you can reason better when your mind is clear and your health is good, without drugs or alcohol, you'll know that you don't need a destructive crutch. Think logically. You have more control over yourself than you give credit for.

It's a simple matter to throw in the towel and let the world pass you by when you fail. Failure in the past does not necessarily mean that you will have only failure in the future. If you have a consistent pattern of failure, you must be doing something wrong. Now is the time to alter your behavior and find another way to approach your life. You may need another plan so that you don't repeat the same mistakes. Don't allow yourself to get locked into a "losing syndrome." If you perceive of yourself as being too far gone to change, you will not take the steps that are necessary to get your life back on track. There is no "mysterious force" that has decided you will be a failure forever. The person who controls your life is you. If you continue the same pattern of behavior that has led to failure in the past, it will probably lead to failure in the future. You have the power to change and control your own destiny. First, however, you must stop thinking of yourself as one who is locked into failure. That is illogical thinking which is not fair to yourself. Try a new approach to your life. If it fails, try another one until you find the right one. Think logically and be successful.

Jack's Pan

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people, let go of some of our selfishness. I understand that nature has decided that "most behavior is motivated and most motivation is self-serving" but perhaps we generally over-do it.

I will be glad when more of the "leaders" of Black churches (preachers) and of Black-oriented organizations begin attending the monthly second Saturday leadership forum breakfast meetings at 8 a.m. at Fourth Street Baptist Church. They are going pretty good already. They should be going better. Leaders, I ask you, How can you truly represent your followers and not participate in the whole scheme of things?

I will be glad when all leaders of community organizations in Phenix City and Columbus, join the NAACP, the Urban League and Operation PUSH. First! Then persuade their followers to join them also.

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In addition, the annotated Treasury of more than 300 read-aloud favorites can help

readers share hundreds of special occasions with children both at home and in the classroom.

Outreach Prayer

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name of Jesus, our Lord. AMEN.

Can any good come out of Nazareth???

Thank you, super people for your donations and prayers. We truly need both.

Closing prayer was offered by Sister Vivian Peoples.

Write: Outreach Prayer Breakfast, P. O. Box 1223, Lubbock, Texas 79408. You may either call 747-7326 or 762-3347.

Until next week, Love - Peace - Joy.

Prayer scripture is II Corinthians 7:14.

The breakfast will meet in the home of Sister Juanita Sowell, President, 2404 East 9th Street.

Ya'll come this Saturday, and so!!!

Sister Juanita Sowell, president; Sister Christina Darlene, vice president; Sister Mildred Boggs, secretary; and Sister Dorothy Hood, reporter.

LUBBOCK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
 General Faculty Meeting

August 26
 8:30 A.M.

Lubbock Memorial Civic Center

LUBBOCK INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 1985-86 School Calendar



- August 20-21, 1985
- August 25, 1985
- August 29, 1985
- September 2, 1985
- September 3, 1985
- September 17, 1985
- September 25, 1985
- September 30, 1985
- October 11, 1985
- November 22, 1985
- November 27-29, 1985
- December 23, 1985 through
- January 1, 1986
- January 16, 1986
- January 17, 1986
- February 28, 1986
- March 10, 1986
- March 17-21, 1986
- April 18, 1986
- April 21, 1986
- May 29, 1986
- May 30, 1986

- Registration for secondary students
- Teachers on duty for 1985-86 school year
- Registration for elementary students
- LABOR DAY HOLIDAY
- First day of instruction
- GOALS Day (parent-teacher conference) elementary students dismissed at 12:00 noon
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- End of first six-weeks grading period
- End of second six-weeks grading period
- THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS
- CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
- End of third six-weeks grading period
- STUDENT HOLIDAY
- TEACHERS INSERVICE DAY
- End of fourth six-weeks grading period
- STUDENT HOLIDAY-TEACHERS INSERVICE DAY
- SPRING BREAK
- End of fifth six-weeks grading period
- TEXAS SESQUICENTENNIAL HOLIDAY
- End of sixth six-weeks grading period
- last day of instruction
- Teachers Last Day on Duty



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