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- \* Lubbock Area Client Council meets on the 2nd Saturday, 1:00 pm at the Patterson Branch Library, 1836 Parkway Drive.
- \* Hub City Kiwanis meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7 p. m., Mt. Vernon UMC, East 23rd & Cedar Avenue
- \* Dunbar Alumni Association meets 2nd Saturdays, 4:00 pm.
- \* Booker T. W ashington American Legion, Post 808, meets every 2nd Tuesday at 7:30 pm, American Legion Building in Yellowhouse Canyon.
- \* Forgotten West Riders meets on the 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:00 pm, Patterson Branch Library.
- \* East Lubbock Chapter AARP meets every 1st Thursday at 1:00 pm, Mae Simmons Senior Citizens.
- \* Lubbock Chapter of Black Alumni meets every 3rd Tuesday, 5:30 pm, TTU Market Alumni Center.
- Dunbar Manhattan Heights Neighborhood Association meets every 1st Thursday at 7:00 pm nd every 4th Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Dunbar Manhattan Heights Neighborhood Outreach Center, 1301 E. 24th Street.
- \* West Texas Native American Association Pot Luck Supper meets on alternating months prior to meeting, meetings held on 2nd Saturdays of each month at 7:00 pm, Educational presentations and demonstrations.
- \* The Unified Juneteenth Commission of Lubbock meets at Mae Simmons Community Senior Citizens Center every Monday at 6:00 p. m.
- \* West Texas Chapter of 100 Black Men of West Texas meets 3rd Monday evenings at 7:00 pm at Lanier Center, 2nd Floor, TTU
- Law Center. \* The Parkway & Cherry-Point Neighborhood Association meets the 3rd Tuesday
- evenings, 7:30 pm at Hunt Elementary School. \* Chatman Hill Neighborhood Association meets 2nd Thursday

of every month at 6:00 pm at Iles

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## We Salute These Black Educators, Dead or Alive, Every Week Of The Year!

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### Lubbockites Pay Tribute To Former Educator & Artist: Vivian T. Cooke

Scores of Lubbockites and friends paid a special tribute to Vivian Tamplin Cooke on Tuesday afternoon, March 20, 2012, at the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church during memorial services. Rev. Wendell D. Davis, pastor of Lyons Chapel Baptist Church, delivered a eulogy entitled "Anointed to Teach Through Art." Scripture text was Exodus 35:30-35.

Mrs. Cooke passed away Friday morning, March 16, 2012.

As an artist, her art legacy and contributions will be remembered in the Mae Simmons Park with her bronze sculpture "Sandlot Player" and "A Golden Day" in the Babyland section of the Lubbock Cemetery. Also, the mural she developed on Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. in 2001.

She was born on June 6, 1931, to Matthew and Annie Tamplin as the third of six children in Marshall, and she and her family were part of the great migration to Chicago. It was there that Vivian discovered her passion and talent in art and music.

Vivian matriculated at Wiley College in 1954 and married Charles F. Cooke Jr. in 1955. From this union, three children were born: Charles Fredric Cooke III Ricky, Jaqee Cooke Dean and Gerald Lynzie Cooke

Vivian began her long and impactful career as a public school arts teacher in Brownfield before moving to Lubbock. Vivian received her Master of Arts from Texas Tech University in 1971, and she continually worked to perfect her craft.



Vivian Tamplin Cooke "An Outstanding Sculpture & Artist

Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Vivian was a very gifted artist, a compassionate family and community member, and an incredibly sweet spirit.

She was a member of the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church. At one time, she was an organist for Bethel.

She is survived by two of her three children, Jaqee Cooke Dean and Gerald Cooke; two daughters-in-law, Nancy Cooke She was a member of Alpha and Kristin Cooke; one son-in-

law, Craig Dean; five grandchildren, Jessica Cooke Scarborough (James), Jonathan Cooke, Jaiden Cooke, Ava Cooke and Gerald Liam Cooke; one greatgranddaughter, Rikki Joelle Scarborough; two sisters, Mildred Hall (Maurice) and Margaret Gilliam (Walter); cousin, Betty Dotson; and a host of other loved ones. Services were under the direction of Ossie Curry Funeral Home of Lubbock.



Whitney Gipson Making History!

#### Gipson Makes History With Long Jump Title

NAMPA, Idaho - Senior Whitney Gipson soared to win the women's long jump gold medal at the 2012 NCAA Indoor Track & Field Championships Friday, March 9, 2012, matching the NCAA record with a top jump of 22-8 feet (6.91m).

"I knew it would only take one good jump going to the meet," Gipson said. "I came in ranked first in the country and I knew I needed to stay in that range to give myself a chance. I just had to put everything together. I've really been working on my takeoffs and my jumps, but I have never jumped anything like that before. I still have a lot of work to do, but it means a lot to know that I am an NCAA champion. It is amazing to me. Every day, I walk by our banner that has all of the national champions listed and I always pictured myself with them. I knew I was going to have to work hard and now I've done it."

The North Richland Hills, Texas native hit the historic mark on her fifth attempt to pull away from the rest of the field. Gipson's jump ties the NCAA all-time record set by Auburn's Elva Goulbourne in 2002 and rewrites new benchmarks for TCU, the Mountain West, Jacksons Track Complex and the NCAA Indoor Championships meet. Her mark is currently tied for the world lead and is an Olympic standard.

Gipson becomes the first female Frog to ever win an NCAA Championship and the eighth TCU track & field individual overall. Distance runner Jackson Langat was the last Frog to win NCAA gold, capturing the 800meter indoor crown in 2006. ever NCAA champion from a Brenda Gipson, all of Lubbock. field event. She is just the fifth



Whitney Gipson

TCU athlete to claim an individual title, joining former Frogs legends Raymond Stewart, Kim Collins, Khadevis Robinson and

"It is just outstanding for Whitney to be a senior and a local girl from just down the street in North Richland Hills to come into our program and win a NCAA title," TCU head coach Darryl Anderson said. "She is the first woman to win a title in our program's history and it couldn't have happened to a nicer girl. Her mom is here and had the opportunity to watch her jump and win the NCAA Championship. It just brings tears to your eyes to watch that kind of performance."

"Even if she didn't jump the 22-8 mark, she still would have won," Anderson added. "For her to really dig down and get that big jump was just great. People don't really understand what it means to jump 22-8 feet. It's just a phenomenal jump. I'm proud of her. It is a happy moment for

Whitney is the daughter of Winston and Willa Gipson; and granddaughter of Curtis and Gipson also becomes the first Hattie Mae Gipson; and niece of

## 16th Annual Outback Steak House Dinner Held For the Theodore "Ted" Phea Boys and Girls Club

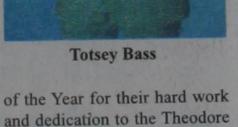
Totsey Bass was honored as 'Volunteer of the Year' for his hard work and dedication to the Theodore "Ted" Phea Boys and Girls Club.

Totsey is a member of the 100 Black Men of W est Texas organization, and conducts the 'Passport to Manhood Program' at the Phea Branch which is a fourteen week Resource Program for Promoting Positive Values and R esponsible Behav-

Also receiving recognition during the 16th Annual Outback Steak House Dinner were Ra'aahma Murphy and Marquesha Brown who were honored as Sportsman of the Year and Youth

ior in boys ages 11 through 14.







Ra'aahma Murphy & Marquesha Brown

"Ted" Phea Boys and Girls

### AKA Sisters, Graduate & Undergraduate, Meeting At The Local Golden Corral



ALPHA KAPPA SORORITY, INC: - Eta Delta Omega & Zeta Tau Chapters celebrating Founders' Day at the Golden Corral with Charter Member, Mrs. Marjorie Thomas, center, front row. Soro Nettie Edwards, president, "It is just great when Sisters of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority can

come together and talk about accomplishments made by these ladies." She continued by saying, "We can't just sit back and continue what we are about. It is always a great task."

#### Session I Adult Softball League Registration

Parks and Recreation will be registering teams for Session II Softball League play April 9-13, 2012. Late registration will occur April 16-20 (an additional \$30 late fee will apply), and play begins May 29. The ten-game season lasts approximately 8-10 weeks, and the cost is \$330 per team. League play is available for men's, women's, and mixed teams. Players must be 18 years old or older to participate. This is the seond of three adult softball leagues offered annually by Parks and Recreation.

To register, come by the Parks and Recreation Office at 1611 10th Street between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information, call 775-2672 or 775-

#### **Early Learning Centers of Lubbock Hosting** 6th Annual Champions For Children Banquet

The Early Learning Centers of Lubbock (ELC) invites everyone to participate in celebrating the Week of the Young Child by attending the Champions for Children Banquet on April 18, 2012 at the Lubbock Country Club. The Week of the Young Child is a time to recognize the people, programs and policies that are helping to build better futures for all children. During the banquet, educators and advocates for young children will be honored.

Lubbock Area United Way part-

ners and has provided high quality, affordable childcare to the Lubbock area for over 60 years.

In commemoration of the

Week of the Young Child, the Early Learning Centers of Lubbock will host the 6th Annual Champions for Children Banquet from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18th at the Lubbock Country Club. Ticket and table information is available by calling 765-9981. Honinclude Johnanne Reynolds, South Plains College, the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Nursing, Shawnda King, Wheatley Elementary, Jacqueline Bradshaw, Early Learning Centers of Lubbock, and Megan Williams, Texas Tech University student and Wells Fargo employee.

The Early Learning Centers of Lubbock strives to provide the highest quality child care to all children regardless of their income or family situation. Since

1951, Early Learning Centers of Lubbock has served area families by providing the highest quality child care at an afford-

nications, Cash

For more information on the Champions for Children Banquet, please call 806-765-9981.

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The Crowd?" His biblical scrip-

ture came from Mark 11:1-11 &

Zechariah 9:9. A song I'LL

FLY AWAY was song after the

sermon. Preparing for the com-

munion the song THERE'S A

Wanda Mack

Funeral services were held for

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Wanda Mack on Friday after-

FOUNTAIN was song.

clutch--dressy and glassy, upall the satchels--it's a bag with long straps worn across the shoulders, it's more of a trendy look. tote bags--are designed to carry many items, heavy items, yet the come in beautiful colors, half moon-- made of soft materials, very apt to be carried with casual outfits, they go quite well with jeans, skirts etc.

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Fashion..just for the fun of it

noon, March 30, 2012, at the

Community Baptist church with

Rev. Larry Brooks, pastor, offi-

parted this life on Monday,

1949 in Chickasha, Oklahoma

to Elsie and Arthur Lyons, Sr.

March 19, 2012.

Madeline Lyons.

Mack, 62, of Lubbock, de-

She was born November 20,

She was preceded in death by

She leaves to cherish her

her parents, Elsie Lyons, and

Arthur Lyons, Sr. and one sister,

memory one daughter, Shawn

Michelle Mack; former son-in-

law, Ernest Mack; three sisters,

Dorothy Haywood, Carol Ann

Bynum, and Ruth Tucker; five

brothers, Wendell Lyons, Arthur

Lyons, Jr., Henry Lyons, Larry

Lyons, and Warren Lyons; and a

host of other relatives and

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ON SUNDAY!

## SPC urges motorists to stop for school

buses, obey speed limit

LEVELLAND – In an effort to keep the roadways safe, the Texas Department of Public Safety wants to remind drivers who travel on Highway 114 to stop for school buses that are loading and unloading children, and to obey posted speed limits.

According to Corporal John Gonzalez, Texas Department of Public Safety, the law says that drivers must stop when school buses are stopped and have activated their alternating red flash- tion does not have to stop."

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ing lights or stop sign. Drivers who fail to yield can face fines from \$200 to \$1,000 if convicted on the first offense. The penalty for a second offense is a State Jail Felony which includes both jail time and a fine of up to \$10,000.

"If the road is divided by a barrier or median, the traffic going in the same direction as the bus must stop," he said. "The traffic going the opposite direc-

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This reminder comes on the heels of two accidents and several near misses where drivers were either not paying attention or drivers continuing on their way despite the flashing red lights on school buses. In Smyer, Superintendent Dane Kerns said there have been a couple of accidents where cars were legally stopped while buses loaded and unloaded students and other drivers have crashed into the rear end of the stopped cars.

"We just want to get the word out to let drivers know that we are concerned about the safety of our children," Kerns said. "Either some drivers don't understand the law or they are not paying attention but there have been too many incidents."

In cases where the road is divided only by a left-turning lane

dance afterward.

Morning worship started at 11:00 a.m. with the Praise tTam

Rev. L. C. Lee led the pulpit devotion. The song "O, I Want To See Him" was sung before the responsive reading. Rev. Lee read the responsive reading which came from 1Corinthians 11:23-30. Rev. Jackson led the altar prayer with a song "I Need

Sister Linda Green read all the morning announcements and was the pastoral period which

Mother Cavanaugh, Sis. Johnson & Sis. Green sung "He's Mine, He's Lord, & The Blood."Mother Cavanaugh led the song "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah before the ser-

ceed," said Gonzalez.

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#### **New Light Baptist Church News**

2012, services got started at New Light Baptist Church, 3013 Idalou Road, where Rev. Kenneth O. Jackson is the pastor.

Thee" being sung.

told of all the up coming events that will be taking place. There was held by the pastor and then the offering was taken up.

"Drivers should not proceed signaled by the bus driver to pro-

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#### ANNIE'S CHAT-N-CHEW

Saturday, April 14, 11 am-1 pm Enjoy a great lunch for a small donation benefiting Lubbock Meals on Wheels!

Senior Center 767-2708

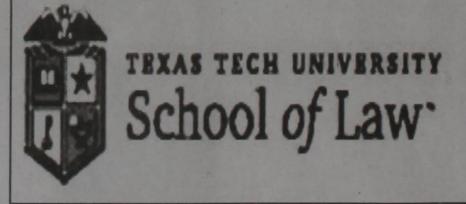


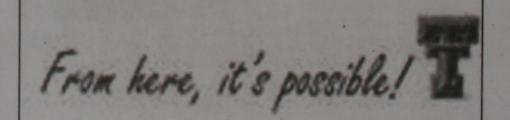
#### THE SOUL OF AFRICAN

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"Early learning experiences are crucial to the growth and development of young children," said Joanne Cotter, Executive Director of the Early Learning Centers. "The Champions for Children luncheon provides an opportunity for all of us to recognize the importance of the early years and those who improve the lives of young children." The Early Learning Centers of Lubbock is one of the

able rate. Educational childcare is provided to over 900 children each year by the Early Learning Centers. ELC voluntarily participates in the Texas Rising Star Program, a quality assessment program in the state of Texas.

The luncheon is underwritten by BBVA Compass Bank and Betenbough Homes. Sponsors include Xcel Energy, Wentz Orthodontics, Suddenlink Commu-Register Services and United Supermarkets. Proceeds from the event benefit the children who attend the Early Learning Centers, where 91% of funding directly supports the educational pro-

On Sunday morning, April 1, mon. Rev. Jackson preached the sermon entitled: "Were You In

Church School started at 9:45 a.m. with Sister Alvera Johnson teaching the lesson entitled: Jesus Testifies To The Truth" and its devotion passage coming from John 8:28-38. Breakfast was served to those in atten-

leading the way.

judge vehicle speed or distance. until the school bus resumes motion, the alternating lights are no longer flashing or the driver is

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with no physical barrier or meroadway must stop for school ing lights activated. In neighborhoods, near schools, and at bus stops, drivers need to take special care because children cannot

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## Church News





From the Desk of Parson D.A. Smith "Killing the mandate won't fix health care"

I have listen to a great number of Americans who do not have a pot to drain water in and nowhere to pour it out speak with disdain about the Health Care mandate and hope the law will be struck down. The songwriter who wrote "I pity the fool" must have envisioned the foolish thinking of manipulated suckers of our time as it relates to health care.

Tom Daschle, former Democrat Senior of South Dakota who served as Senate Majority Leader wrote the following explaining to those who just might have a negative objected as it relates to health care the following as it pertains to "supporting a mandate to kill healthcare."

Mr. Daschle noted that congress was well aware of the experience of these states and knew that the insurance market reforms at the heart of improving coverage under this new act are inextricably linked to a mandate that require all of us to take responsibility for our health. For those who need help with the expense, Congress took great steps to provide financial assistance

unfair burden.

If the court rules that the mandate is unconstitutional but leaves intact the insurance market reforms, the consequences will be dire. Premiums will skyrocket, while consumers will face dwindling choice and insufficient coverage.

This is not the market of any of us-Democrat or Republican—desires. It will also add to our enormous deficit problem. The federal deficit will rise by at least \$145 billon over the next decade, according to the Congressional Budget Office, if the law is struck down.

Let's us not forget that, at its core, this is not an issue of financial impact but, rather, an issue of human rights. Too many American families know the unparalleled pain of watching a loved one suffer through illness that is preventable and treatable with access to basic medical services. As much as we Americans like to pride ourselves on our resilience and ingenuity, these qualities are meaningless unless the benefits can be shared and ensure that obtaining health among all members of our com-

insurance does not become an munities, regardless of age, income or geography.

Whether or not the court concludes that the Affordable Care Act is valid, the only path forward is for Congress and the Obama administration to continue the mission to ensure that every American has access to affordable and comprehensive, quality health care. In the two years since this health law passed, stakeholder have come together to create new approaches and make tremendous investments to move forward with its goals. We cannot let these efforts go to waste.

It is increasingly urgent that our leaders put partisan politics aside and instead come up with solutions that align incentives and policies with the behaviors that drive innovation and foster efficiency in all our communi-

There is a reason for encouragement. Most Republicans have long endorsed insurance models with competitive bidding in open exchanges—an idea that originated with the Heritage Foundation in the early

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"Jesus Is Alive And Well Today!"

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

Revelation 3:20 -- Jesus said, Behold I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear My voice, and open the door, I will come into him, and sup with him and he with me.

I. Billy B.J., was raised in a loving and strong Observance CHRISTIAN HOME.

But when I got GROWN; BLACK AND PROUD; I left all that RELIGION ALONG!!!

Luke 15:13b -- The son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living.

As I PLAYED with SIN; they became GREAT AND MY DAILEY DELIGHT.

I got a DIVORCE; lift three AND 23 CHILDREN; YEARS; WITH MY WIFE!!!

Proverb 3:5-6 -- Trust in the Lord with all your heart; and lean not unto your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct your paths. I walked in the filthiness of this WORLD; In it brought SIN AND SHAME.

One day I heard the VOICE OF GOD; but I was BUSY DOING MY OWN THING!!!

Proverb 22:6 -- Train up a child in the way he should go;

and when is old, he will not depart from it.

I did love the SIN: BEER, CURSING, GAM-BLING, WOMAN, AND OTHER SINS.

I know what my life WAS; I WAS LIVING IN THE HOG

Romans 3:22-23 -- Even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe: for there is no difference: for all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God.

The **DEVIL** called me **DR**. EVEN BLO-FLY; HE CHANGED MY NAME.

Where do you find FLIES? AROUND FILTHY; AND I HAD NO SHAME!!

(ON MY TRUCK TAGS AND T- SHIRTS WAS BLO-FLY; AND ON CAPS WAS BEER NAMES, TOBACCO NAMES, WHISKEY NAMES. I DID EVERY-THING I COULD, TO UP-LIFT THE GOD I WAS SERVING: HIS NAME IS DEVIL")

Proverb 12:15 -- The way of a fool is right in his own eyes: but he that hearkens unto counsel is wise.

The morning announcements

morning by our First Lady, Sis-

ments were read last Sunday

ter Shirley Canady. She does a

Remember our sick and shut-

Thought For The Week:

in members as well as others in

the Lubbock Community.

splendid job!

change!"

After PARTYING, DRINK-ING, SMOKING AND DOP-ING; IT WENT ON FOR SO LONG.

Then one day the LORD SPOKE TO ME; SAYING, THIS IS NOT WHERE YOU BELONG!!!

Hebrews 12:6,7 -- For whom the Lord loves he chastens, and scourges every son whom he receives. If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is he who the father chastens not?

Then one day I MET JESUS CHRIST; HE gave a NEW LIFE; and a NEW WIFE: JEFFOTHEL.

And TELL THE WORLD; I'M SAVED BY GOD'S SON; THIS I CAN TELL!!!

\*\*\* OH HOW I LOVE JESUS!!!\*\*\*

(BLESSED TO BE 71; ON **3-31-2012; NEVER THOUGH** I WOULD SEE THAT DAY. BUT WHAT A FRIEND I HAVE IN JESUS; AND I CAN SEE CLEARLY NOW!!!)

( ON MY CAPS I HAVE THE NAME OF JESUS; DOWN THE SIDE OF MY TRUCK AND MY RV IS " LORD'S WILL I WILL" ON Continue on Page 2

No matter how dark things

seem to be or actually are,

raise your sights and see the

possibilities-

always see them, for they are

always there.

Norman Vincent Peale

Jesus replied, "Why do you

say 'if you can?'

Anything is possible for

someone who has faith!"

Mark 9:23

## Matthew's Baptist Church News

service was held on Sunday morning, April 1, 2012, at the 2020 East 14th Street, where the proud pastor is Rev . Edward Canady.

Sunday School started at 10:00 a. m. with Superintendent Sister Shirley Davis in charge. It was a wonderful morning of learning about God's Word.

The teacher of the morning's lesson was Sister Susie Davis. What a wonderful lesson it was.

Here is one of the our won-

derful sermons which we need

to never forget. The scripture is

Matthew 51:1-6. The message

was about the "Sermon On The

"Blessed are the peace mak-

"Yea are the light of the world,

(16) Let your light so shine

before men that they may see

your good works, and glorify

your Father which is in

ers for they shall be called the sage!

Mount."

be hid.

Heaven."

children of God."

Another inspirational day of It was reviewed by Pastor Canady.

The subject of the morning St. Mathew Baptist Church, lesson was "No Fooling." The Unifying Topic was "Jesus Testifies to the Truth." The scripture text was John 18:28-37.

The main thought was John

The Sunday morning devotion was conducted at 11:10 a. m. with Deacon Edward Williams and Brother Wilson in

let people in the world know that

power to save their souls, and

He loves them just like they are.

We are to tell them, Jesus loves

Thought of the Week

ple fill our choir stands; when

born again, people are placed

on the Deacon Boards, then and

only then will II Chronicles 7:14

become a reality. Ask yourself is

"When born again, Ministers

we serve a God that has the it!

Come and get the full mes-

The St. Matthew Baptist Church Choir sung out of their hearts and souls singing. Pastor Canady entered the church with these selections being sung: "Order My Steps," and "Behold The Lamb."

The morning sermon was delivered by Pastor Canady. His subject was "A Made Up Mind And A Fixed Heart." His scripture text was Joshua 24:14-16.

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

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

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

Choir Rehearsal is held on Saturday afternoons, beginning at 1:00 p. m.

The Ushers meet on Saturday mornings at 11:00 a.m.

Remember if you belong to anyone of these organizations, we will be expecting your presence. God bless you with all that you do for St. Matthew Baptist Church! Outreach Prayer Breakfast

Become a possibilitarian.

"Faith in Christ will keep us

steady in the stormy sea of

you or this writer. Remember, God knows what 's best for each of us!

May God continue to bless each of you are our prayers until we meet again.

Sister Dorothy Hood, presi-

home, then come and visit St. Matthew Baptist Church! dent; Sister Christene Burleson,

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vice president; and Sister Elnora Jones, teacher.

May God be with each you in all that you or your family may do this week!



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Church services for Linda Kay Lacy Johnson were held Saturday morning, March, 17, 2012, in the W.W. Rix Chapel with the Rev. Raymon Foster officiating and the Rev. Mychael Ball assisting.

Burial followed in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Direc-

Johnson passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at the age of 52.

She was born Jan. 21, 1960, in Lubbock to the late Gene Autry and Frances Lacy, who preceded her in death. She attended Lubbock public schools including Estacado High School. She worked for Golden Age Nursing for 30 years, starting when she was 16 years old. She married David W. Johnson in 1977, who preceded her in death. Linda lived her life in Lubbock. Those left to cherish her memory include her boyfriend of 13 years, Otis



Priestley; three sons, Michael Lacy (Tonya), Deddrick Johnson (Heather), and Breven Johnson, all of Lubbock; four grandsons, Jaylon Lacy, Jordon Lacy, Jyson Lacy and Jerron Lacy; one granddaughter, Ambry Rose Johnson; sister, Joyce Lacy of Lubbock; brothers, Paul Lacy (Laveda Gail), Charles Lacy, and Rod Lacy Perry (Ulena); nieces, Aquenyata Hill of Plainview, Ebony Lacy of Lubbock and Jeryiala Rodjana Perry; nephews, Raymon B. Lacy and wife Tracy (her special nephew

#### **Bernice Turner Hameed**

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Frances Henderson, Loraine

Baxter, Arlene Williams, Cyn-

thia McCutchin, Brenda Mc-

Cutchin, Vickey McNeal and

Sharon Stewart (Steve); one son,

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children; 63 great-grandchil-

grandchildren; and a host of

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other relatives and friends

Wilson,

great-great

daughters,

Funeral services for Bernice Turner Hameed were held Saturday morning, March 17, 2012, at St. Matthew Baptist Church with Rev. Edward Canady, pastor, officiating.

Interment followed in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the direction of Griffin Mortuary & Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Hameed, 83, of Lubbock departed this life on Saturday, March 10, 2012, at her residence.

She was born May 30, 1928. to the late Marion and Trudy Elizabeth Turner in Vernon. She graduated from Booker T. High School. She worked at West Texas Hospital for 20 years, Lubbock State School for 20 years, and later in the years, she worked at Parkway Laundry Mat until her illness prevented her from working. She leaves to cherish her memory eight

and his wife, who was more like a mother figure) Brandon Lacy, Demar Lacy and Charles L. Lacy Jr.; great-niece, Khrista Jai Ansley; and great-nephews, Malik Lacy, Zephaniah Hill, Ka'John Hill, Braylon Lacy and Shawn D. Perry. She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; and brother, Carl Taylor.

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Interment followed in Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park under the direction of Griffin Mortuary & Funeral Home of Lubbock.

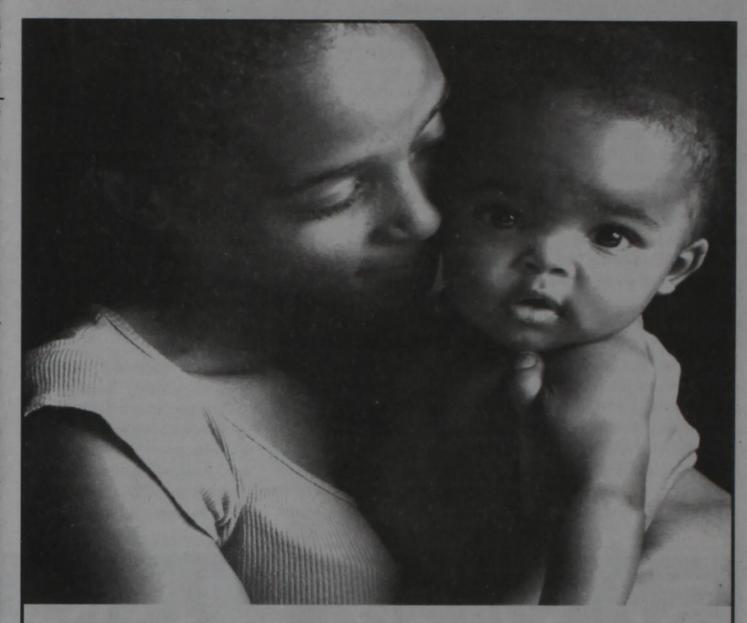
Stiggers, 83, of Lubbock departed this life on Sunday, March 11, 2012.

She was born June 2, 1928, to the late Walter Ray and Ethel Alsbrooks. She attended and graduated from Macedonia High School in Gilmer.

She leaves to cherish her memory four sons, Billy Wayne Stiggers (Annie), Ronnie Stiggers, Calvin Stiggers and Brad Stiggers; one daughter, Glenda Stiggers; four grandchildren,



Uride Stiggers (Carlotta), Marqus Stiggers, Billy Stiggers Jr. and Brandon Stiggers (Sandy); one granddaughter, Showonda Stiggers; and a host of greatgrandchildren, other relatives and friends.



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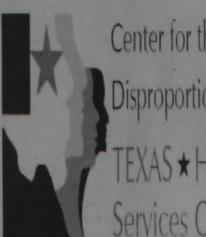
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\*\*\* ONLY SIN ENSLAVED
ME; DID THE WHITE MAN
ENSLAVE YOU???\*\*\*

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Didn't nobody have to get HIT; with the POLICE'S MAN BILLY CLUB.

MY FREEDOM; came from GOD GIVING JESUS; HIS ONLY BELOVED!!!

Didn't nobody have get BIT
IN THE BUTT; by POLICE

My FREEDOM came from JESUS DYING; on that OLD RUGGLED CROSS!!!

Didn't nobody have get SPRAYED; with FIREMAN'S WATER HOSE.

MY FREEDOM came early that SUNDAY MORNING; WHEN JESUS CHRIST

Daniel 9:9 -- To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgivenesses, though we have rebelled against him.

## In Cinque

By Renetta Howard

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Palm Sunday is our clue that Easter Sunday is near. This is the Sunday which celebrates the entry of Jesus into Jerusalem at the time of the Passover. The Passover is a Jewish holiday which is tied to the commemorations of the slaying of the first born just before the Israelites were freed from Egyptian slavery. It also entails the Feast of Unleavened Bread celebrating the actual Exodus flight from Egypt. According to Paul, Jesus was the Paschal Lamb or the sacrificial lamb of the Passover.

We know the story of the Passover. We know the story of the Passover, Jesus' trial before the Sanhedrin, the supreme court of the Jewish people. Because of the Passover, they could not order his death and participate wholeheartedly in the festival, so they delivered him to Pontius Pilate, the Roman governor of Judea, who was the judge in the trial and execution of Jesus.

Jesus had warned his disciples that after two days of the Passover, he would be betrayed to be crucified. It was Judas Iscariot who went to the high priest and offered to deliver Jesus unto them for thirty pieces of silver. They sat to have supper together, The Last Supper, when Jesus told them that one of them would betray him and they all wondered, "Lord is it I?"

Soon afterwards, Jesus went into the Garden of Gethsemane to pray. He asked Peter to go with him and told him how he would deny him three times that night. He went to pray three times and three times he found his disciples asleep instead of praying and watching him. Early in the morning Judas came with a multitude of men armed with swords and identified Jesus with



a kiss, so they would know who to deliver to the court to be put to death.

The Sanhedrin was a council made up of seventy-one Jewish sages who constituted the legislative body and the supreme court of Judea during the Roman period. The word Sanhedrin means "sitting together" as a legislative assembly in a semicircle. The U. S. Senate derived its seating arrangement from the Jewish Sanhedrin.

After the Sanhedrin convicted Jesus with false witnesses, Judas repented and threw down the thirty pieces of silver and went away and committed suicide as he saw that the blood of Jesus was upon him. Pilate's wife warned him not to condemn Jesus because of the visions she had that day and this prompted Pilate to release a renowned prisoner or Jesus. The multitude chose the prisoner, Barabbas and said to crucify Jesus after Pilate could find no fault with Jesus. He released Barabbas, washed his hands and said that he was innocent of the blood of Jesus, a just man. Jesus was crucified and rose on the third day and ascended into Heaven. Hence, Christians around the world, celebrate Easter, the celebration of the Risen Lord.

When we celebrate this holiday the beginning of the

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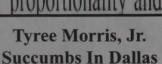
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Dallas, Texas -- Funeral services were held for a former Lubbock resident, Tyree Morris, Jr., on Saturday morning, March 17, 2012, at the East Gate Missionary Baptist Church, with Pastor H. D. Reagan, officiating.

He was born September 21, 1937 to the late Tyree Morris, Sr. and Clara Morris in Lubbock, Texas.

He received his high school diploma from Dunbar High School. He briefly attended Bishop College in Dallas. He served in the U. S. Army. He was employed a number of years at Scottish Rite Children's Continue on Page 7



atives and friends

missed.

Walker, Ketron Walker and Paul

Walker; six grandchildren; one

sister, Florance Evans; close

friends, Albert Jimenez, Ruby

Walker, James Craig and Mildre

Jackson; and a host of other rel-

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the community. As one neighbor

said, "He was just a very good

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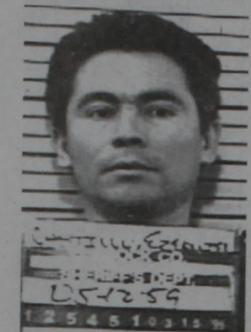
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Ashley Kainer has been arrested, and is replaced by Kimberly Phillips. This has become a realty, because citizens like you are helping. Keep up the good work!!



Castillo, Ezequiel Hispanic, Male, 5'08", 145 lbs., Hair-Black, Eyes-Brown.

Charge- Sexual Assault (MPAG) Warrant #- 2000434805



Coffman, Christopher Walter White, Male, 5'11", 160 lbs. Blond Eyes- Blond

Charge- Burglary Of A Building (MPAG) Warrant#- 96423235



Butler, James Black, Male, 5'07", 150 lbs, Hair- Black, Eyes- Black Charge- PCS PG1 W/Int. Del. 4-200G (BNDF) Warrant #- 2009424522

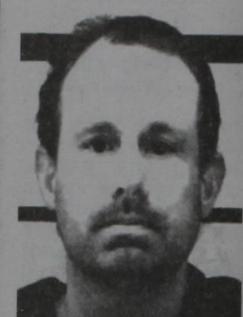


Cabrera, Mario Hispanic, Male, 5'05", 135 lbs, Hair- Black, Eyes- Brown Charge- Injury To Elderly BI (BNDF) Warrant #- 200842027



Phillips, Kimberly White, Female, Height- 5'05" 160 lbs, Hair- BrownEyes-Blue.

Charge- Forgery Financial Inst. (BNDS) Warrant #- 2011430378



Shriver, Aaron White, Male, 5'07", 157 were most appreciative of the Lbs., Hair - Brown - Eves - afternoon of celebration. Green.

Charge - DWI 3rd or more (ARP) Warrant: #2010428



Thomas, Lakeithdrea Black, Female, 5'01", 110 lbsHair- Black, Eyes- Brown Charge- Robbery (BNDS) Warrant #- 2010426980



Jackson, Jerry D White, Male, 6'02", 165 lbs, Hair- Brown, Eyes- Blue Charge- DWI 3rd Or More (BNDS)

Warrant #- 2011430372

**Parson Smith** Continued from Page 3 1900's. Members of both parties have supported quality-base pricing, increased transparency, the elimination of unnecessary care, effective chronic care management and the acquisition of

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#### In Cinque

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all Americans.

Passover on April 6 at sundown, through April 14, 2012, we should get 'in cinque' and ask ourselves at every opportunity that we have to pray about our joys, love, misfortunes and life as a whole, "Is it I, Lord?" "Am I giving my all to this cause or am I sleeping on the job?"



Sigala-Ortiz, Concha Hispanic, Female, 5'01", 123 lbs, Hair-Brown, Eyes-Brown.

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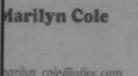
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Seals Jr. Paw-Paw, 90, of Lubbock departed this life on Thursday, March 22, 2012, at Vista Care.

He was born May 30, 1921. He was a Navy veteran. He worked the Corp Cotton Gin Compress for 30 years. He

Ms. Frances Bell

tion of the Federation of Choirs was held Sunday afternoon,

March 25, 2012, at the Greater

St. Lu Luke Missionary Baptist Church. Host pastor was Rev. J.

H. Ford. Those in attendance

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year, t he "honoree of the hour"

was Ms. Frances Bell, who seres

as Assistant Secretary -- a position she has held for more than

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the task. Her dedication and loyalty to the Federation of Choirs

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the acting president, Sister Janet

Williams, who expressed the

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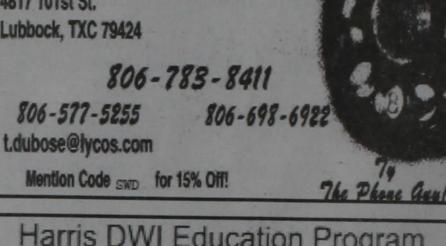
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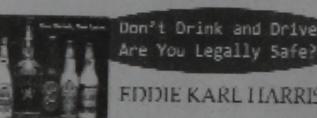
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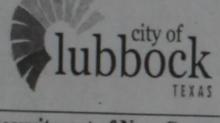
It is an honor to have the opportunity to teach about the Passover Seder. Many may know of this as the Lord's Supper or historically as the Last Supper. Calling it the Last Supper isn't exactly 100% true and referring to the event as the Lord's Supper is a misconception of interpretation and/or translation. My desire to present or teach about the Passover Seder to our Community is because there has been such a profound misunderstanding, or purposeful attempts by many to keep the truths hidden - so that the masses may wander in spiritual ignorance for the rest of their lives and never be able to experience the truth and the freedom that Christ spoke about and purchased for all who name Him as Savior!

In this hands-on teaching, we will learn why He died and why He said 'Only my Father knows. It is finished!' Why 3 PM? Why did John the Baptist proclaim his cousin to be the Lamb, who has cometh to take away the Sin and said 'I go to prepare a place for you!'? Why and when did Jesus enter Jerusalem on a Donkey? What was the purpose of Jesus telling the disciples to tarry for ten days' Why did Jesus say, 'I am the true bread!'? Have you ever wondered or questioned what the blessing was that Jesus prayed over the Bread and Wine? Questions like these and many more shall be answered.

I believe with all of my heart if you would avail yourself and encourage others to come along with you on this journey of awareness, that you nor your friend or family member will regret it! Come let us learn about the 3rd cup, which you call communion! Let us eat Lamb together and taste of the bitter herbs just as the Israelites did during the time of Moses!

We will have live Jewish music, and learn how David danced before the Lord, and to know when the Rapture will take place! I look forward in seeing you there. We will begin promptly at 6:00 PM and the end time will be when we are finished. Please bring an open mind and patience, and leave your anxiety's at home. Shalom!

Our address is Church of the Nations, 5902 11th Place, Lubbock, Texas, 79416.





Recruitment of New Contractors And Subcontractors

The City of Lubbock's Community Development Department will nost a meeting for existing and new contractors interested in bidding on upcoming federal projects.

> Date: April 11, 2012 Time: 7:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Place: Spirit Ranch 701 Regis Street RSVP by April 10th at 775-2296.

Minority and Women Owned Business are encouraged to attend.

Registration and application packets for new contractors will be made available at the meeting.

For further information call Rodney Unrein at 806-775-2726 or Rey Arias at 806-775-2289



Tyree Morris, Jr. Succumbs In Dallas

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Hospital in Dallas. He was the Environmental ironmental Specialist Supervisor, and retired in 2001.

He was a member of the East Gate Baptist Church in Dallas. He re-established his relationship with His Lord and Savior Jesus Christ prior to his death.

He was preceded in death by his father, Tyree Morris, Sr.; his mother, Clara O. Neal; his stepfather George O'Neal; grandson, Jeffrey Holmes; granddaughter, Sherita Whitaker, nephew, Darell Saunders.

He leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Janet Morris; siblings: Minnie Robinson, Cornelius Granger, Dennis Saunders, Shirley Canady (Rev. Edward Canady) Eugene Morris (Mary); brother, Lawrence O'Neal, Georgeann "Jean" Hereford (Ronald). His children:: Vanessa Morris, Keith Morris, Ricky Morris, Paula Morris-Jaquet, Brenda Bolts (Roderick), Jacqueline Love Stephen Smalley (Shekeyva), and Zephaniah Smalley (Amanda), 8 granddaughters, 5 grandsons, 4 great-granddaughters, 2 great-grandsons, nieces,

nephews, and a host of relatives

and friends. Special cousins,

Darlisa Jones and Marie Smith.

U.S. Senate confirms Burke as assistant secretary of Interior Dept.

The U.S. Senate recently confirmed Marcilynn Burke as the assistant secretary for land and minerals management for the U.S. Department of the Interior.

Burke, who is an associate professor of law at the University of Houston Law Center, is taking a leave of absence to serve in the post that oversees public lands.

Burke taught environmental law courses centering on natural resources, property, land management and land use at the UH law school.



Maricilynn Burke

concerned citizen in our community, Sister Annie Sanders, who were concerned about those who were in need.

Because of her dedication, the Annie's Chat And Chew program was established in memory of her through the efforts of

Over the years, there was a the Lubbock Meals on Wheels.

Therefore, Saturday, April 14, 2012, a special effort will be held at the Mae Simmons Senior Center, 2004 Oak Avenue, from 11:00 a. m. until 1:00 p. m.

Donations will be accepted at the door to benefit Lubbock Meals on Wheels.

#### Greater St. James Baptist Church 117N. Mulberry Avenue Lubbock, Texas 79404

Annie's Chat And Chew Program

"And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers." Acts 2:42



Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Senior Mission (2nd, 4th) Wednesday 6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study Youth Choir Rehearsal Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Inspirational Choir Rehearsal (1st, 3rd, & 5th) Nancy Circle (2nd & 4th)

Saturday 12:00 Noon Brotherhood (2nd & 4th)

Sunday Church School - 9:30 a. m. Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.

Elder Johnny L. Barnes, Pastor

### In Cinque

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again and what a job trying to put knobs and handles on painted surfaces that were not as dry as they should have been to handle, but one must cook in a kitchen. Some breakfast items just cannot be done earlier and stashed in the refrigerator and then heated up in the microwave, especially if you are responsible for cooking for someone other than yourself. Space is limited when a kitchen is tied up for painting. My suggestion is to eat out if you can, but some of us cannot afford to do that. Therefore, we must get 'in cinque' and plan way ahead of a kitchen painting by having the cabinets prepared for painting and our food consumption scheduled so as not to let daylight savings time interfere with our breaks and needed sleep. It is Spring cleaning time, so keep this in mind.

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#### M-WAT Will Celebrate 6 Years At St. James Baptist Church April 14th

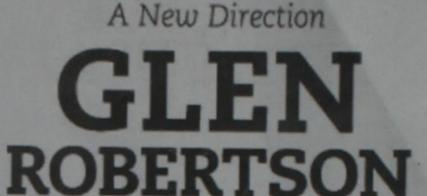
The well-known M-WAT, Mimes With A Testimony, will celebrate six years in the MIME Ministry with a special program at the St. James Baptist Church, 117 North Mulberry Avenue, on Saturday evening, April 14, 2012. The special celebration will begin at 6:00 p. m.

The host pastor is Rev. Johnnie Barnes.

The public is cordially invited to attend this special program, and support these young people. They have worked diligently for



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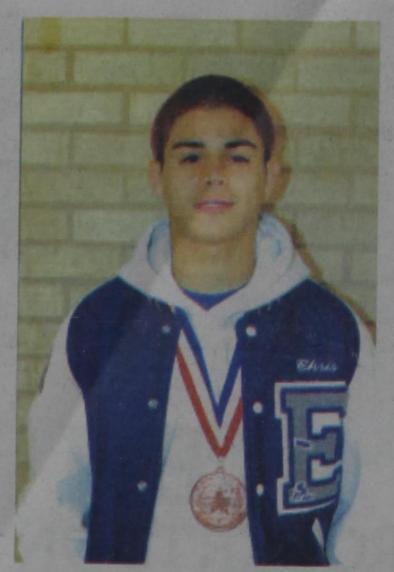
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#### **UIL State Placer - 6th Place** Wrestler Champion!



**Christopher Cortez** 

Christopher Cortez, a senior at Estacado High School, represented Estacado as the only wrestler this year to make it to

During his Junior year he was eliminated at Regionals at Canyon Randall. He was determined that he would make it to state during his Senior year. He set the goal and went undefeated until Regionals.

His record and accomplishments for the 2011-2012 wrestling season are:

\*31 wins and 5 losses by points - He was never pinned last season or this season

\*Most outstanding wrestler at the Red River Classic held in Vernon on Jan 14, 2012

\*Most outstanding wrestler and District Champion at the District Tournament held at Ver-

\*Regional placer at Regional Tournament held at Canyon Randall on February 10 & 11. 2012 (This qualified him to go to the State Tournament)

#### To Our Sister, Kathleen McCullough Who Just Keep Reaching Out To Others!

Girl, you are turning another year older. We are hoping you had a Blessed Birthday -- March 21, 2012, Kathleen McCul-

Remember, you need to just keep on holding on to God's hand. He is the only one who knows your purpose, and don't you let anyone take you off the path you are traveling!

You are Love and Special to the Body of Christ. We are just sending you this little note. We are jst letting you know that God Loves You.

We hoped you really did enjoy your birthday. Always celebrate your day.

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Sister Kathleen McCullough

Rev. Ed Jackson Austin, Texas Rev. David Lopez Houston, Texas For ayou, Mother On Your Birthday! Your Son, Fredrick!

#### Soror Claudier Kelley Receives **Recognition From AKA's**



Mrs. Claudier Kelley, left, is receiving sorority service recognition certificate from president, Mrs. Nettie Edwards of the Eta Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

Locally, this chapter has a history of making outstanding contributions to many efforts over the years. Among them include the Jerry Lewis Telethon during Labor Day Weekend.





\*State Placer - 6th place - all

State (6th best in the entire state

of Texas in 113 weight class -

There is no one without faults,

not even men of God.

They are men of God not be-

cause they are faultless,

but because they know their

own faults,

they strive against them, they do

not hide them

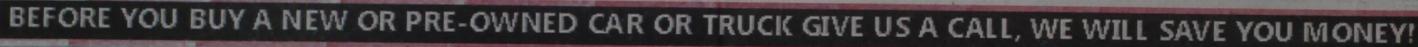
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