

Work For God - Do The Best You Can

WORLD PROVERBS-In summer an hour brings what a year does not/Lighting Bugs/Happy Times!
SENDING LOVE TO DEAR HEART- STEPHEN/HOLLY/ABBIE/JILL/GREG/LINDA/DORIS/JOYCE/ALMA
LINDA - Med reaction **BRENDA** -Knot on knee. **BONNIE** - Pneumonia/Critical. **JANICE RATHBUN** - 2 wks of Humbug!
JERI SCHWENKE - John/Dolores son-in-laws mother/major stomach surgery. **JIM** - Blood work Tulsa/Chemo OKC/keep in prayer. **DORTHY** - Slow foot recovery. **ROY** - On earth 88yrs Hurray! **RUBY** - Loves the dear hearts/thanks 4 your prayers.

FAREWELL TO IMOGENE BARNES

Sing to the Sound Of Music

There's another sad parting from the dear heart family

And the little bird is saying "Boohoo"

Regretfully he is telling us, to say goodbye to you.

So long, farewell we hate to see you go

And leave HG from your house a stone throw.

So long, farewell we hate to see you go

Maybe the moving van will get stuck in the ditch,

The sun has gone to bed and so must we

So long, farewell, goodbye, dearest beloved Imogene.

Goodbye, Goodbye, Goodbye!

THIS & THAT

Raindrops on roses
and whiskers on kittens
Bright copper kettles
and warm woolen mittens
Brown paper packages
tied up with strings
These are a few of
my favorite things

When the dog bites
When the bee stings
When I'm feeling sad
I simply remember
my favorite things
And then I don't feel...so bad

Doe, a deer,
a female deer
Ray, a drop
of golden sun
Mc, a name
I call myself
Far, a long, l
ong way to run
Sew, a needle
pulling thread
La, a note
to follow Sew
Tea, a drink
with jam and bread
That will bring
us back to
Do (oh-oh-oh)

THIS WEEK - PICK UP SEARCH FOR TRUTH CARDS - HAND OUT EVERYWHERE YOU GO

HQ REPORT - Benevolence - Gal 6:9- Evangelism Mark 16:15-16 Edification - Eph 4:11-13. This report will be in several weeks. HG Works/Elders available 24/7/Offer Transportation/Worship/Preaching/Special Speakers/ Bible Studies Searching For Truth Cards Hand Out Wherever. Internet Offer/ Sermons/Bulletin/Flower/funeral/shut in tape/pantry ministry. Disaster Relief. Prison Ministry/Teaching in 3 prisons/weekly lessons. Support 5 missionaries/2 overseas/3 USA. Weekly dear heart notes/cards and bulletin. Fellowship 3rd Sunday/ Fall Outing/Winter Dinner/Weddings/Baby Showers/Special Farewell Dinners/SNO-At the Center. Men/Ladies monthly fellowship. Handed out 1st Sunday of 2013 - Daily Bible Reading Schedules/Marked NT/ 2013 Directory. H2H/ 2 mile sq mail out/tracks/back page from HG. Correspondences teaching students in 3 states. Physical Plant In/Out Upkeep. Ladies/ Men Action Groups Orphan Support. Ladies \$535 - Men \$390. The elders want to share this one work starting in Jan - July/For India - Sowing Kits 8 - Book Bags/School Supplies 20 - Birthing Kits 17 - Vitamins etc 35 bottles - Glasses 19 with cases/36 without/Supplies delivered to Clinton CC. More in the coming weeks on our work for God. Remember our goal in 2013 - Look @ top of page. Join all the works you can, and allow God to be glorified through you always.

WORD OF THE WEEK - ZEPH-A-NI-AH, ninth of the Minor Prophets. The Book a blast of judgment against the whole world, but more especially against idolaters in Judah (1:2-6). He counsels the meek to seek Jehovah.

TIP OF THE WEEK - Ripen green bananas/tomatoes/wrap in a wet dish towel and place in a paper sack.

STRIVING 4 HEALTHY WEIGHT - Eat 3 times daily and at regular meal times..... Moderation...

WHY WOMEN LIVE LONGER THAN MEN. T-cells, which protect the body from infection, and B-cells, which secrete antibodies declined more rapidly in men than in women.

LIES WOMEN TELL - Overestimate their height - Underestimate their weight, and their total BMI.

WORD ESSAYS - Caring - kind, thoughtful, gentle, helpful, considerate, loving, and sensitive

HUMOR - MY COOKING is so awesome that even the smoke alarm cheers me on!

BIBLE FACTS - The word man used 2,747, Moses 804, and Son 1,908 times.

PARAPROSDOKIANS - You're never too old to learn something stupid.

KIDS IN CHURCH - A Bible teacher was discussing the Ten Commandments she asked, "Is there a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters?" Without missing a beat one little boy answered, "Thou shall not kill."

POWER FOR TODAY - The joys of hiking our country provides opportunity to see great trees, mountains, and lakes. Also look up at night to consider the stars-all the intricate beauty that God has created. Have you been on a walk lately?

LIFE OF PAUL - Death of Herod Agrippa A.D 44 in Acts 12:23. 1st Missionary Journey Acts 13:1-3/ Return to Antioch where they stay a "long time," Acts 14:25-28

10 YRS AGO 1943 - Oldsmobile 1st automatic drive / War time hard to find Coca Cola.

ELDERS NOT BULLIES - There are three names designating those who are "to serve as-elders. The first name is presbuteros that is presbyter or elder (Acts 14:23; I Tim.5:1,17; I Pet.5:1). He is advanced in life, Young men are not fitted "to perform the work" of an elder.

STATESIDE/OVERSEAS - HQ SUPPORTED/GOSPEL CHARIOT/GEORGE FUNK - Winter has arrived Gospel Chariot is going to reach more souls for Jesus than both our Chariots in the south. Total of 240 souls baptized this year.

LIFE IN USA - July 15, 1971: Nixon announces visit to communist China beginning a long and gradual process.

WHAT WIVES WANT FROM HUSBANDS - Be more forgiving. I would like for him to pass me the salt first. "(They had been married 34 yrs). " I would like for him to fix the car lights.

BIBLE QUIZ - Name 6 Bible books starting with E. Who ask Jesus to perform his 1st miracle?

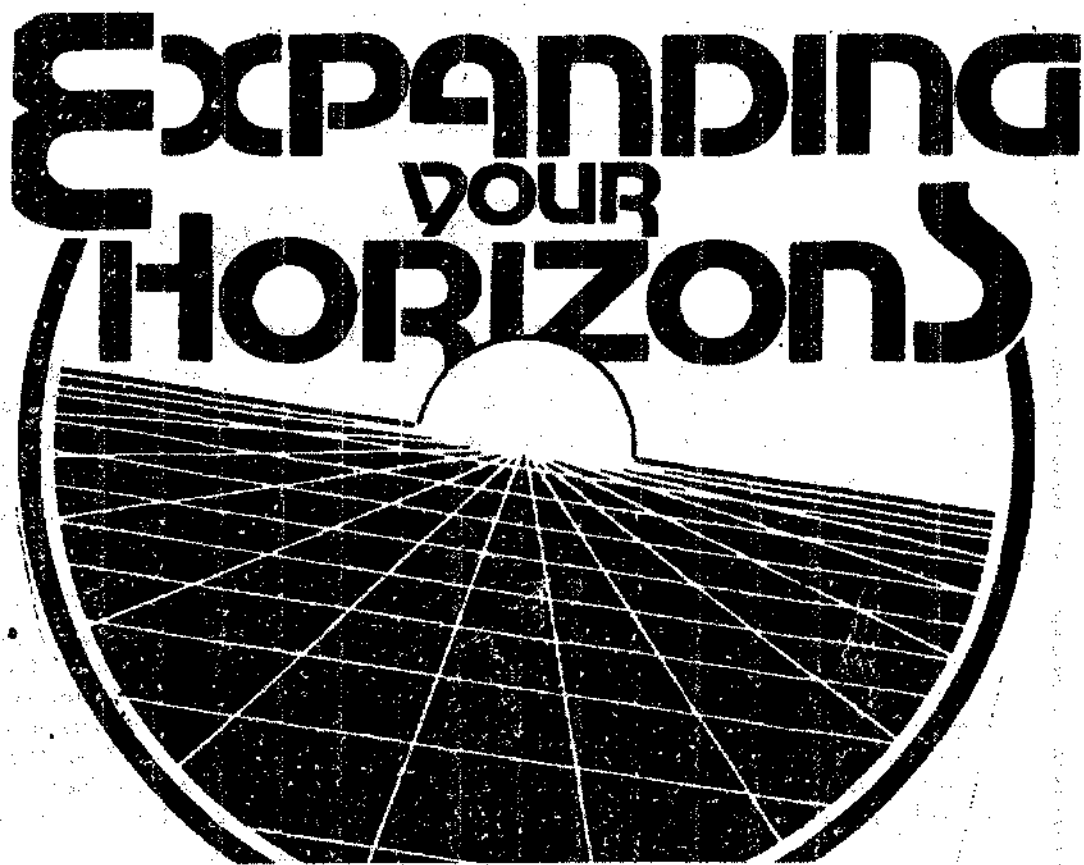
BRAIN TEASER - What seven-letter word has hundreds of letters in it?

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY - The secret of success is to start from scratch and keep on scratching. And the seed in the good soil, these are the ones who have heard the word in an honest and good heart, and hold it fast, and bear fruit. Lk 8:15

WEEKLY MEMORIZATION - Cut & Keep - Acts 16: 31 - And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house. Luke 13: 3 - I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish. [4] Or those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwell in Jerusalem? [5] I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.



**BITTERS
ARE
FOOD
FOR THE
WOLF**



HE NEVER QUIT

Concerning the Christ, John wrote, "He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world knew Him not. He came unto His own, and His own received Him not." (John 1:10,11.)

The very world created by our Lord rejected its Creator. The very ones he had come to save refused Him. He came from heaven to earth, as light to a world engulfed in darkness, yet "men loved darkness rather than light." (John 3:19.) His own countrymen "were offended in Him." (Matthew 13:57.) Even His own family of flesh, those who should have known Jesus best, refused to believe. (John 7:5.)

Such utter rejection would have halted the works of a lesser man.

As the world's greatest teacher, our Lord was misunderstood. His words were taken out of context, misapplied, and then used as ammunition against Him. His words of the spiritual fell upon ears which would hear only the temporal. Even His own disciples mistook His kingdom teachings for instructions concerning a coming, earthly regime. Their last question before His ascension: "Will you at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?" (Acts 1:6.)

Lesser teachers would have given up on such unpromising, unproductive students.

And our savior faced many other challenges as well. What of Satan's unrelenting temptations? What of the open and vicious attacks of the religious leaders? What of His disappointments? What of the sheer mental and physical strain of His daily, demanding ministry?

And what of the cross? The Hebrew writer would have us look "unto Jesus, the author and finisher of *our* faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls." (Hebrews 12:2,3.)

Jesus never quit. Can we say the same?



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THE COMET IS COMING

A newly discovered comet named C/2012 S1 (ISON) will swing by the earth in November 2013. This appears to be brighter than any comet that has been seen since 1680, being as bright as a full moon. The last time we had a bright comet was when Heaven's Gate cult group to commit mass suicide in 1997—supposedly so they could catch a ride on it. A comet is simply debris left over from the production of the solar system. What will be unique about this one is its brightness, but an ignorant public is likely to attach all kinds of weirdness to its appearance.

THE DRUG ISSUE IN MENTAL ILLNESS

Every day in the United States 850 adults and 250 children are added to the federal government's disability-benefit rolls because of mental illness. That is 365,000 per year. American kids are now taking psychiatric drugs. Between 1985 and 2007 spending on antidepressants and antipsychotics alone multiplied some 50 times, going from \$503 million to more than 24 billion. This data and material is from the blue book of the American Psychiatric Association titled: The Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Illness 5, Anatomy of an Epidemic by Robert Whitaker, and Mad Science: The Disorders of American Psychiatry. There are all kinds of explanations for this, but the main problem is that our society tends to create disorders by its diagnostic techniques and definitions. The instability produced by our failure as a people to live as God has called us to live has multiple side effects.

ODDS AND NUMBERS

Bob Berman starts out with the old question of how long it would take for a million monkeys pounding on a million typewriters to type the phrase from Moby Dick, "Call Me Ishmael." Berman comes up with 2,100 trillion years or roughly 150,000 times longer than the most liberal estimate of the age of the universe. He also gives the number of atoms in the entire visible universe as ten to the 80th power. Our point is that when you look at the calculations of chance producing the things we see in the cosmos the numbers are always vastly beyond ten to the 80th power. The nature of chance and statistics says we are not the product of chance, but of an intelligence that had a reason for creating the creation.

CONFIRMATION OF THE SPEED OF LIGHT

The Swiss-French border seemed to indicate that neutrinos were traveling faster than the speed of light. There was a lot of media attention to this announcement, and we even had some detractors send us some pointed messages since we have used Einstein's work in many of our presentations. It has now been confirmed that last February physicists found a faulty cable that has produced mistimed measurements, and the speed of light has not been exceeded. Had the speed of light been exceeded, the question would have been, "What do we learn from this, and how does it change our understandings?" It seems that Einstein was right after all.



"Wow! You were right! This is a lot of fun!"

"Because your call is very important to us, we've added 79 new menu options."

"Hey, honey? When you have a second, we all need something at the exact same time."