

WORLD PROVERBS - Flowers watered all summer/bloom around 2 weeks...farewell to summer flowers.
SENDING LOVE TO DEAR HEART-**STEVE**/**SHARON**/**JERRY**/**JANICE**/**SYDNEY**/**LINDA**/**DORIS**/**BRENDA**/**JOYCE**
JAY/**MARSHA**/**RAYMOND**/**BILL** - Jay home/Marsha diagnosis disk rupture/ her niece has two chemo treatments left/
Raymond Colostomy. **JENNIFER HILL** - Leaves this Wed for India, keep in prayer. **BRENDA/LINDA** - Brenda has
several serious health problems/Linda dealing with breathing/sleeping/back pain **MARK** -86 Hurrah! **DOLORES/JOHN**
BOY - Dolores Sciatic nerve disorder/John Boy scan found no growth/schedule 6mo check. **SANDY** - Caribbean Cruise.
GAIL CRIMES - Moved to assisted living quarters. **MILDRED/WELDON** - Fall vacation with Yankees @ KC.
SYDNEY - She loves Science and note that she is really good balancer of books on her head/beats a back pack.

THIS & THAT

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

HILL'S OUTING THIS SATURDAY - Hill's furnish these condiments- chili /relish/onions/mustard/ coffee/ice
plates/napkins/cups/cheese. Bring your pop/desserts/chips/winners/buns, and a large appetite. The Pumpkin Patch Carving are for
Kids and Adult Kids at heart. Prizes @ judging. Bring PUMPKINKNIFE. **Starting @ 5:00PM**. Be Thereeeeeerreeeeeeee!!!!!!

WORD OF THE WEEK - RO-MANS, This is the last of the great doctrinal group, and belongs to the late winter or early
spring of A. D. 57. Paul spent the Passover period in Philippi, and hoped to reach Jerusalem by Pentecost, as he did. So he was in
Corinth still when he wrote to Rome.

TIP OF THE WEEK - Pick Up New H2H "Why CC doesn't Use Instrumental Music" Gotta Read This and Tuck in Bible.

HEALTH/SMOKING - Now the question : Does God care if I smoke? There is no verse in Scripture that says, "Thou shalt
not smoke." The Bible has guidelines and principles that help us make informed decisions. It does not, for instance, expressly
say, "Thou shalt not take drugs" or "Thou shalt not molest children" or "Thou shalt not use Internet porn," but most can discover
God's will about these from Bible principles and examples. So what Bible principles apply to tobacco use? There is the principle
of **no self-inflicted wounds**. Paul said we are to do our **bodies no harm**: What? know ye not that your **body is the temple of the**
Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, **and ye are not your own**? For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify
God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's (1 Corinthians 6: 19-20).

HUMOR - A STORE EMPLOYEE quit his job and joined the police department. Several months later, a friend asked him how he liked his
new line of work. "Well, the pay and the hours are good," he replied. "What I like best is that the customer is always wrong."

POWER FOR TODAY - We are attacked every day by the devil and his promises of riches, power and control. God's Word
is our reality and truth as we counter the devil's lies. Everything bad in our lives is from the devil. Everything good is from God.

MOST POPULAR NAMES 1980 - 1 Michael/Jessica 2 Christopher/Jennifer 3 Matthew/Amanda 4 Joshua/Ashley 5. David/Sarah
OFFICE ELEVATORS - Whichever way you turn upon entering an elevator, the buttons will be on the opposite side. The
elevator always comes after you have put down your bag.

JUDGING - If we speaks against abortion, homosexuality, adultery, drunkenness, immodesty, or any other moral misdemeanor,
someone may say, "You can't do that. You're judging." That is meant as a you-should-be-ashamed-of-yourself-put-you-in-your-
place-end-of-discussion putdown. God wants us to do as Paul did. He passed judgment on brother in Corinthians 5:3

DEACONS WHAT DO THEY DO? - When Deacons ask for assistance that does not imply they are trying to
get out of work or are being lazy. A deacon may have some tasks that he can successfully carry out on his own.
Others, though, may require several helping hands. When deacons need assistance, let us be ready to lend a hand.

LIFE IN USA - Oct 6, 1957: Sputnik launched. Soviet Union inaugurated the "Space Age" with its launch of Sputnik the
world's first artificial satellite. The spacecraft, named Sputnik after the Russian word for "satellite," was launched at 10:29 p.m.

MAN'S OR GOD'S WAY - Investigating The Mormon Church - God gave revelations of truth to Joseph Smith. Considered
to be the Word of God, the Book of Mormon held as companion to the Bible. **BIBLE** - Jude 3 Giving all diligence to write
unto you of our common salvation, I was constrained to write unto you exhorting you to contend earnestly for THE FAITH
WHICH WAS ONCE FOR ALL DELIVERED unto the saints.

LOCK STOCK & BARREL - The Biblical story of Adam consuming the forbidden fruit in the Garden of Eden was used as
an explanation for the characteristic bulge in the larynx found in male throats. According to this account a piece of the fruit (the
world says apple) given to Adam by Eve stuck in his throat and has shaped male throats ever since.

GIANTS - George DeHoff began his preaching while in his mid-teens. Graduated from Harding College. Wrote a commentary
over the entire bible. He debated those that taught error and always did a credible job defending the Cause of Christ. He baptized
over 10,000 souls.

PROUD LOOK - Pride is number one on God's hate list (Prov6:16). He puts it ahead of murder, adultery, and drunkenness.
Pride was the first overt act of sin in heaven-the original sin 1 Tim 3:6). Satan planned to occupy that thorn of God. By contrast,
Jesus was never proud (Matt 11:29; Phil 2:5; 1 Peter 2:21-22 urged all to be humble Matt 5:3. Hefty punishments to this offense.

NAME OF JESUS - FAITHFUL WITNESS: Rev 1:5 And from Jesus Christ, who is the faithful witness, and the first begotten
of the dead, and the prince of the kings of the earth. Unto him that loved us, and washed us from our sins in his own blood.

STATESIDE/OVERSEAS - HG SUPPORTED/BOULDER, CO/DAVID HOWARD - As most of you are
aware, Boulder and the cities West and North of us were the targets of intense flooding for the past two weeks. We
have been taking some supplies to the National Guard units manning the roadblocks to Lyons and have sent a truck
load to the Longmont church of Christ to be distributed there. Another truck load went out to the Boulder County
Sheriff's Department as Sgt. Peoples sent out a crew of inmates to help us do the loading. It is our prayer that these
efforts will help bring growth to the church.

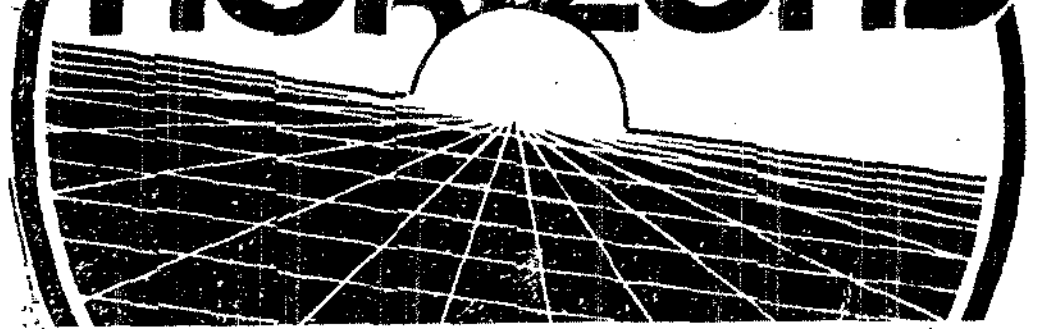
BIBLE QUIZ - What army commander healed by Elisha -How many loaves to feed 4 thousand - Name God gave Jacob
BRAIN TEASER - What is the similarity between "2 + 2 = 5" and your left hand?

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY - Ability will enable a man to go to the top, but it takes character to keep him there. The
righteousness of blameless makes a straight way for them, but the wicked are brought down by their own wickedness. Prov 11: 5

WEEKLY MEMORIZATION - Cut & Keep - Gal 3: 27- For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ
have put on Christ.



EXPANDING YOUR HORIZONS



THE BLESSING OF ADVERSITY

by Dalton Key

It may sound strange, but God's greatest blessings are often concealed within our most painful adversities.

Paul wrote, "We glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulations work patience; and patience, experience; and experience, hope." (Romans 5:3,4.) Similarly, Peter spoke of adversity as "much more precious than gold that perishes." (1 Peter 1:7.)

It all depends on our attitude. Like fire, suffering can either purge or destroy, depending upon the character of the sufferer.

Remember this: no great man or woman has become such without weathering the storms of life. David Livingstone's body was infested with tropical fever twenty-seven times. Louis Pasteur was crippled by a paralytic stroke. John Milton was blind. Beethoven was deaf. Helen Keller was both blind and deaf. And the list could go on and on.

Paul's words are true for all these who choose to use troubles, not as excuses, but as stepping stones: "We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed." (2 Corinthians 4:8,9.) Again, he wrote, "I know both how to be abased, and I know how to abound; everywhere and in all things I am instructed both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me." (Philippians 4:12,13.)

But then again, unlike so many of us, Paul wasn't a whiner.



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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

SWIFT SLEEP FLYING

In 2009 the United States military retired the F-14 Tomcat (of Tom Cruise's Top Gun fame). The uniqueness of this plane was that the shape of the wing could change during flight. The Tomcat was inspired by the studies of the wings of birds, and never did even approach what swifts (a bird) are able to do. Swifts belong to a family of birds called Apodidae which literally means "without feet" in Latin. The swift does have very small feet, but they are seldom used because feeding, courting, and sleeping all take place in the air. The secret to the swift's abilities lie in the design of its wing. The swift has forelimb bones that are similar to the bones in a human forearm. That section of the swift's wing allows the flapping to get airborne that we see in virtually all birds. The swift also has wing-tip bones where we have a hand, and the angle between the hand and the forearm can be changed. By rotating the wing-tip bones the swift can vary its wing area by some 30 percent to increase its speed. It can reduce its wing area and reduce its energy usage by increasing that area. In the swept back mode, swifts can travel at some 60 miles per hour. Scientists at Wageningen University in the Netherlands have determined that the most efficient flying speeds for the swifts, where least energy is used and drag and wing lift are in the best balance, is when the bird is flying at 20 miles per hour. Studies of the swifts have shown that they actually sleep while flying, and radar has shown that when they are in the sleep mode their air speed is 20 miles per hour. Swifts got their name from their ability to travel at high speeds, make fast turns, and stay in the air for long periods of time. Human attempts at swept back wings and varying wing angles have not been too successful as yet. Natural History magazine comments "Human attempts at variable wing geometry have always been hampered by the complexity and weight associated with a system engineered from hinges." The swift has already had all of this complexity and engineering done for it, and that makes it another amazing example of God's design in nature. Truly we can know there is a God through the things He has made (Romans 1:20).

SMART SLIME MOLD

When you walk in the woods in warm weather, you may see something on the ground that looks like a dog vomited. It is actually a smart, living organism. It is a form of life that feeds on dead grass and/or leaves. The scientific name for this organism is Dictyostelium discoideum and its genetic blueprint has been worked out, and it is highly studied. Slime mold can join with other specimens and become a giant sized organism, although most get no larger than a human hand. It moves very slowly covering the ground at a rate of about an inch every two and one half hours. If food runs low it can find sunlight and transform itself into a spore factory dispersing cells on the wind for better feeding grounds. In 2010, Japanese researchers found that the slime mold can navigate a maze. They chopped up a slime mold and put it in various corners of a plastic maze with only two openings and left food in the openings. Instead of forming a blob that spread throughout the maze, the slime mold formed a single tube which stretched from one opening to the other spanning the shortest point between two openings. The Japanese researchers described what had happened as "clever and cunning", but the question is how can an organism with no central nervous system do such a thing? No answer has yet been given to this amazing discovery, but it is clear that something is designed into the slime mold's sensory apparatus that allows this to be done. It is clearly a design feature built into the instinctive behavior of the organism, not something the mold is thinking through.



"I hope this isn't your idea of a happy childhood"

"Yes, you've come at a bad time. I'm home."

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BTA - Neither is right. Two plus two equals five isn't right, or correct and your left hand is not your right hand.
Bible - Naaman 2Kings 5:1-9 - 7 loves Matt 15:34 - Israel Gen 35:9-10