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“The churches of Christ salute you” Rom. 16:16

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

January 5, 2014

“DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE BIBLE KNOWS?”(Pt. 2)

There is a Christmas song that you hear over the radio entitled, “Do You See What I See?” Of course, you know the melody, so “sing” the title of this article in your head. The melody and words of one of the stanza’s [do you know what I know] is the inspiration for the title. But, do you know what the Bible knows? Have you studied it so that you could answer a few simple questions? Well, let’s find out. Oh, by the way, here are the answers from part one:

One: B. Fourteen Generations; Two: D. Egypt; Three: C. Jesus’ Birth

Question One: How old was Moses when his mother put him in the ark of bulrushes and sent him down the Nile?

- A. Two weeks old
- B. Three months old
- C. Fourteen months old
- D. About Fifteen years old and starting to be obnoxious

Question Two: Ruth stayed with her mother-in-law Naomi, and returned with her to Naomi’s homeland. Which was...

- A. Damascus
- B. Megiddo
- C. Egypt
- D. Bethlehem
- E. Just outside of Nashville

Question Three: What frustrated Ezra so much that he tore his garment and plucked hair from his head and beard?

- A. When some of the Jews returning from captivity wanted to allow the pagan altars that were on the hills.
- B. When he hears that there had been Gentiles in the temple
- C. The fact that many of the Jews had intermarried.
- D. The officiating at the Super Bowl

Do you know what the Bible knows?

Paul

ELDER'S CORNER:

GRUDGE HOLDING HURTS YOURSELF

Do you still have old copies of the Reader's Digest around the house? There's lots of good material in that circular. Like this little tidbit from E. Stanley Jones:

A rattlesnake, if cornered, will sometimes become so angry it will bite itself. That is exactly what the harboring of hate and resentment against others is--a biting of oneself. We think that we are harming others in holding these spites and hates, but the deeper harm is to ourselves.

Has anyone ever held a grudge toward you? Have you ever held a grudge yourself?

The thing about holding on to a grudge is that it doesn't matter how long you have it, that feeling on the inside of hurt and resentment, anger and rage, just never totally goes away. It never goes away, that is, unless you deal with it.

Now I'm not so naive as to think that some grudges will ever be reconciled. Why? Because it takes two people to hold a grudge--the offender and the offended. When the offender tries to reconcile and the offended refuses to listen to reason and let go of the offense, the issue will never be resolved.

People, "stop the insanity!" Life is too short to harbor resentment and ill will.

If you are holding a grudge toward a brother or sister in Christ, quit! If he has tried to talk to you about it, and if the offense was sin and he's repented, let it go! If you're harboring a grudge toward someone and he has no idea of the offense, tell him. Most folks have good and honest hearts and will make restitution if they but know.

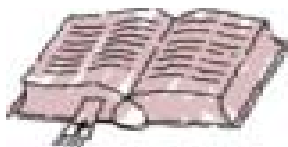
When Peter asked Jesus the question about forgiving a brother, he said, ". . . how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times?" Jesus responded with ". . . I say not unto thee, Until seven times: but, Until seventy times seven" (Mt. 18:21-22).

Grudge holding enslaves both parties. Why not remove the shackles of guilt? Let go and love one another. It would be a sad day indeed if heaven passed you by.

— Neil Richey

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2014

January 6 - Matthew 5:27-48
January 7 - Matthew 6:1-18
January 8 - Matthew 6:19-34
January 9 - Matthew 7



January 10 - Matthew 8:1-17
January 11 - Matthew 8:18-34
January 12 - Matthew 9:1-17

OUR SICK

Please Remember in your prayers

Fred Holder had to have an appendectomy this past Wednesday. He was scheduled to be released on Friday.

Lydia Wright was reported to have had gallbladder surgery this past Thursday. She is doing well and was scheduled to be released possibly on Thursday evening or Friday.

Roger Allen's father was scheduled to have emergency surgery Friday morning to drain an infection then surgically put in a colostomy bag. His vitals have stabilized enough in ICU to do the surgery but still very dangerous for his condition. Prayers are requested in his behalf.

Prayers have been requested by Kathleen Warner for a co-worker's new-born nephew, **Brody Wilson and family**. Brody was born pre-mature and has been diagnosed blind.



The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer.

~IN SYMPATHY~

Our sympathy goes out to Di-Ann Moser and the families related to **Ray Moser**, who passed away December 28th. The funeral was held this past Tuesday at Hayworth Miller on Silas Creek Parkway.

SHUT-INS

Mildred Barker
Lutrelle Chipman
Eula Harper
Gladys Harper
Hilda Hauser

Mary Holder
Bob Hoots
Dot Pegram
Don Richards
Eva Nelle Sidden

Please remember the shut-ins with cards, visits, and phone calls throughout the year whenever possible.

HOUSE TO HOUSE/HEART TO HEART

Copies are available of the latest House to House/Heart to Heart on the credenza in the foyer. This is the last issue of 2013.

Welcome

WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING. WE INVITE YOU TO RETURN THIS EVENING AT 6:00 P.M. FOR THE SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE AND AT 7:00 P.M. EACH WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR THE MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL IN THE ANNEX FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE PROVIDED BY ZONE 1.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

Jan. 5 - Pew Packers at 5:30

Jan. 5 - Elders/Deacons Meeting at 5 p.m.

Jan. 9 - 50 and Older Class will meet at 10:30 in the Annex.

DOING THE IMPOSSIBLE

Over the desk of a successful business man is this motto, "The difficult we do immediately—the impossible takes a little longer."

Many years ago, the great apostle Paul said it a little differently and much more effectively, "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

There are no words in the Bible more full of inspiration to a child of God. Anything that is **RIGHT** for us to do can be done! God has never given an impossible command.

CONGRATULATIONS...

... to Tony Minor who was recognized by the Wachovia/Wells Fargo Bank in the celebration of his 35 Year Anniversary with the bank this past week.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - December 29, 2013	97
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	141
Contribution for December 22, 2013	\$7,044
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	30
Chapters Read:	606
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	106
Tuesday Evening:	95

Lord's Day Appointments - January 12, 2014

DEVOTIONS:	OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS
Scripture - Shawn Thomason	Morning - Tommy Rose	A.M. - Gene Southern	A.M. - Andrew Hinson
Song Leader - Tim Allen	Evening - Steve Tesh	P.M. - Clayton Workman	P.M. - Randy Warner
Prayer - Jack Piper		Wed. - Tim Allen	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):	NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	Greeters: January	FELLOWSHIP MEAL:
Morning - Meredith Southern	Morning - Debbie Southern	Andy & Mindy Santiago	Zone 2
Evening - Jeannie Moore	Evening - Gina Harper		

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - January 12

Wednesday: - January 15

Lord's Day Appointments - January 5, 2014

Devotions:	Opening Prayer a.m. - Andy Santiago	Scripture Reader a.m. - Jake Thomason
Scripture: Rodney Brown	p.m. - Jason Minor	p.m. - Keith Warner
Song: Wayne Allen	Song Leaders: a.m. - Jason Allen	Nursery #1: a.m. - Jessica Lay
Prayer: Steve Martin	p.m. - Steve Tesh	p.m. - Rhonda Hardister
	Wed. - Mark Roy	Nursery #2: a.m. - Abby Little
		p.m. - Nancy Minor

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES - *Nursery open for small children during all services.*

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes	10:00 AM
Morning Worship	10:50 AM
Evening Worship	6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Service 7:00 PM

“GETTING TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE” at 10:30 p.m. each week night on Cable 8
SEARCH PROGRAM - Sunday Mornings at 7:30 a.m. on Cable 68

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ELDERS

David Moore
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Shawn Thomason