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PRESIDENT'S PEN:

One of the biggest challenges to a Christian is reaching that level of spiritual maturity where we completely trust God. One reason is because God doesn't always act the way we expect Him to act. It seems reasonable to us that God would open a certain door of opportunity for us, instead He closes the door. It seems reasonable to us that if God truly loves us and cared about our happiness that He would heal our sick loved one and give us more time with them; instead He calls them home. It seems more reasonable to us that God would bring our time of trial and trouble to an end after we've asked Him to; instead He allows it to go on and on. It seems reasonable to us that God would give us exactly what we asked for; instead He gives us something different.

And when God doesn't do things like we think He should, some people become disappointed and disillusioned with God; Some get angry and bitter towards God. Some even lose their faith completely and give up on God.

Why did God command Moses to take the Israelites through the Red Sea? Why didn't He have Moses take them some other way?

Why did God command Joshua and the Israelites to march around the city of Jericho for seven days? Why didn't He just snap His fingers and destroy Jericho and save everyone all that trouble? Why did God allow Joseph to be thrown into a pit and carried off as a slave to Egypt? Why didn't God just say, "Joseph, I need you to go to Egypt?" Why did God have young David go out with only a sling shot to kill Goliath? Why didn't God just send a bolt of lightning and zap the big lug?

Why did God allow Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego to be thrown into the fiery furnace? Why didn't He just "wipe out" Nebuchadnezzar and all the Babylonians? Why did God allow His only begotten Son to die an agonizing death on the Cross? Why didn't He just send ten thousand angels to deliver Jesus? Why does God allow so much sickness, disease and pain in the world? If He can heal these things, why doesn't He do it? Why does God allow so much evil in the world? It's obvious He took evil people out of this world in the Bible. Why doesn't He do it now? Why does

God allow godless, wicked people continue to make decisions that are destroying America? Why doesn't God remove them from office?

The answer to all of these questions are found in Scripture.

"For My thoughts are not your thoughts, Nor are your ways My ways," says the LORD. "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, And My thoughts than your thoughts." (Isaiah 55:8-9)

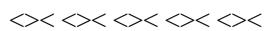
The late Jack Hyles used to say, "God and I don't always agree; I love Him, and we get along fairly well, but we don't always agree."

So many people think they could do a much better job of running the universe. They think they are smarter than God, and that God could "learn a few things", if He would just listen to them.

What a joy to know that you belong to God when you've ask Jesus in your heart. Let's learn to trust Him and let Him be the God of the universe. He knows what He's doing!

Keep looking up.

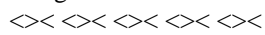
Ray Walker



As most of you know, I resigned my position as BAGMA secretary effective June 1, 2018. I had held that position since 2012 and thoroughly enjoyed it. There have been many changes in my life over the past six years and with the last few changes I felt it necessary to resign and have more time to devote to the needs of my family as well as have time to still sing for the Lord. It was a very hard decision and was not made quickly. I prayed for several months for God to lead me in the right direction. I am still going to be a member of BAGMA and am here to help in any way I can. Thank you all for all the support you gave me during my time of service as your secretary.

My love and God's blessings,

Pat Hutchings



A heartfelt "Thank You" to everyone for the cards, phone calls and text messages for the loss of our grandson, Brendan Belt. Thank you to

those who attended his viewing and/or funeral. Your outpouring of love has helped us move forward – one small step at a time. Unless you have been in this situation you cannot imagine the heartbreak that is felt. It's hard to lose a parent but your grandson at the age of 18 is much worse. He was becoming such an awesome young man. I never dreamed that when I resigned as secretary to spend time with my family that one of those lives would be taken so quickly from me. I am so thankful that I made my homemade lasagna on Sunday and had Brendan and his brother Zac come over and eat dinner with me. Who knew that would be the last time I could share anything with him and give him a big hug and tell him "I love you" as he walked out the door. I have that memory to hold on to. It all still seems like a nightmare. Life is so precious and so short. Take time to show your love to your family members because you never know when they will be taken from you. Thank you again for your love, support and prayers during this time. With our faith in God we will make it through this in time.

Pat Hutchings and Family

MEMBER UPDATES

MEMBERS, DON'T FORGET!!! If you are interested in singing at a Showcase, you need to contact Donna Walker at 713-641-5529. If you would like to sing at a General Meeting, you need to contact Tootsie Dann at 281-452-5923. They can let you know what dates are available. Remember, you get to sing at one showcase and one general meeting per year.

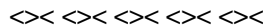
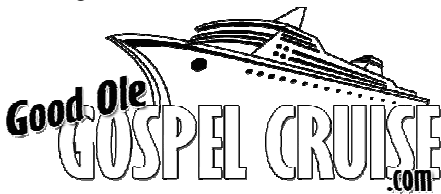
New Psalms Quartet is coming out of retirement, Lord willing. We are in need of a tenor or an alto with a good ear for a good harmony but can follow a part as well. Must be a born again Christian. We practice on Friday evenings, 7 P.M., at Airline Manor Baptist Church, 610 E Parker Rd, Houston, TX 77076. If interested, call Jesse Atkinson at 281-384-2694

I have 2 CD holders in a case (each holds 24). Would like to sell. Best offer. Call Mary Higginbotham at 832-767-2226.

I am a solo vocalist developing original music/narrative. I would like to work with others to prepare musical drama for evangelistic presentation. If you are interested, and feel led to join in the effort, please contact me. Especially need assistance in music arrangements. Claude Cook, claudecook5@gmail.com, 409-656-2053.

Alvin Lutheran Church is looking for a **Part-time Music Director**. Call 281-331-5457 or email Alvin.Lutheran@gmail.com.

There's still time to join Hearts of Grace, Appointed by Grace and The Eubanks (Arkansas) on the Carnival Freedom sailing out of Galveston, TX on **November 10th and returning the 17th**. Interior = \$725/pp Oceanview = \$795/pp Balcony = \$995/pp! Ports include Montego Bay (Jamaica), Grand Cayman (Cayman Islands) and Cozumel (Mexico). Final date to join them is August 8/20/18!! Call Christine right away. Make it a family reunion... call Christine at 979-824-3040 right now!



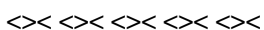
2018 DATES TO REMEMBER

JULY

- 03 Board Meeting
- 09 General Meeting
- 14 BAGMA Showcase

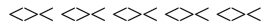
AUGUST

- 07 Board Meeting
- 13 General Meeting
- 18 BAGMA Showcase



PRAYER REQUESTS

- Lou & Howard Hildreth
- Winnie Friend
- Kathy Hensley
- John Higginbotham
- Debbie Holyfield (health issues)
- J C & Nelda Johnson
- Jim & Katherine Ryals' family
- Kyler Thayer (CF)
- Tina Holmes' Parents (bad health)
- Kim Boles (cancer)
- Dorothy Allen (Pat's mom)
- Munn Street Church
- Unity Church Secretary (possible cancer)
- Ken Rice (needs ins. to pay for meds)
- Sam Jackson (kidney problems)
- Danny & Diane Estes (health & family)
- Zachariah Sanders (health issues)
- Pastor Hennigan (seizures)
- Brock Jordan (lung problems)
- Pastor Jim Cumbow (lupus – chemo)
- Regina Cumbow (dementia)
- Ray Holeman (multiple health issues)
- Nancy Bryant's son (needs job)
- Nancy Bryant's father (health issues)
- Johnny Ray (sinus infection)
- Frank Dean (health issues)
- Loretta (possible cancer)
- Mary Hess (Breast Cancer)
- Freddie Bouget (cancer)
- Vernon Perry (cancer)
- Jean Lemons (Pancreatic cancer)
- Jerusalem
- Our Country & World Leaders and ALL our Service Men & Women



OPEN MIC GOSPEL SINGINGS

1st Saturday, Unity Baptist Church of Porter, 21772 East Memorial Drive, Porter, TX, 5:00 P.M. 281-354-7577 / 713-591-2292

2nd Saturday, Church By Christ Jesus, 2695 Hwy 1960, Dayton TX, 6:00 PM 936-258-5726

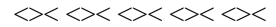
3rd Friday: North Cleveland Baptist Church, 302 Elk Street, Cleveland, TX 7:00 PM 281-592-2321

4th Saturday: Free concerts at Alta Vista Church, 7:00 p.m. To get booked or for more information, contact Joshua Jamez at urbinaband@gmail.com

Last Friday of each month: 7:00 p.m. till..... Dell Dale Agape Worship Center, 243 Dell Dale Ave., Channelview, TX (on the corner of Dell Dale Ave. and South Brentwood Lane). Contact Pat Pechacek with Called and Chosen.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Crystal River Quartet
Edward Lowery



JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 07 Danny Walters
- 10 Lisa Price
- 13 Lou Hildreth
- 16 Don DeBerry
- 18 Charlie Ruscher
- 20 Roger Hiebert
- 21 Kelly Montfort
- 25 Vonnie Behrend
- 26 Betty Christy
- 27 Marcelle Slaughter
- 28 MaryJo Walters
- 28 Howard Hildreth
- 29 Del Hines
- 31 Diane Estes

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- 05 Phyllis Surginger
- 07 Aaron Allen
- 26 Jim Martin
- 27 Mark Kahler
- 31 Patricia Clough

MEMBER WEB SITES

BAGMA

www.bagma.org

Appointed By Grace

www.AppointedByGrace.com

The Arnharts

www.thearnharts.com

Faithful Two

www.faithful2.org

Gospel Messengers

www.thegospelmessengers.com

Just for Him

www.justforhimtrio.com

KJIC

www.kjic.org

Karl Kolmetz

www.kolmetz.com

Myron Lewis

www.healingwatersfellowship.org

Men of Praise

www.menofpraiseofhouston.com

The Pearsons
www.pearsonministry.org

Jacob Austin Band
www.jacob-austin.net

Dignity Gospel Quartet
www.dignitygospelquartet.com

Dennis Rehders
www.dennisrehdersministry.com

Lou Hildreth
www.louhildreth.com

Mike Fiedler
www.msministries.com

Voices of Praise
www.voicesofpraiseministries.org

Hearts Of Grace
www.heartsOfgrace.com

Southern Plainsmen
www.southernplainsmen.com

BAGMA MEMBERS' ITINERARIES

JULY

01	10:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Open Bible Freewill Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN
01	6:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	House of Prayer, Bristol, TN
01	6:30 P.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	First Baptist Church, Weir, TX
02	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Bible Way Church of Jesus Christ, Bristol, TN
08	11:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	South Chapel Baptist Church, Bristol, TN
08	6:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Alvarado Bible Church, Abingdon, VA
12	7:00 P.M.	JACOB AUSTIN BAND	Mending Fences Cowboy Church, Monticello, KY
15	10:00 P.M.	JACOB AUSTIN BAND	Judge James H. Lincoln Memorial Park Harbor Beach, MI
15	6:00P.M.	CRYSTAL RIVER QUARTET	First Christian Church, El Campo, TX
15	11:30A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Macfarlan Community Church, Macfarlan, WVA
20	6:30 P.M.	SOUTHERN PLAINSMEN	Florien High School Auditorium, Florien, LA
20	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Oakdale Freewill Baptist Church, Bluff City TN
21	6:00 P.M.	SOUTHERN PLAINSMEN	Florien High School Auditorium, Florien, LA
21	3:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Boardwalk Park, Bluff City, TN
22	11:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Sinking Springs Baptist Church, Bristol, TN
22	2:30 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	National Health Care Bristol, VA
22	6:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Glenwood Community Church, Hilton VA
28	11:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Open Bible Freewill Baptist Church, Bluff City, TN
28	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Creekside Ministries House of Prayer Church, Bristol, TN
29	6:30 P.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	Saratoga Baptist Church, Saratoga, TX
29	10:30 A.M.	CRYSTAL RIVER QUARTET	New Hope Baptist Church, League City, TX
29	10:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Piney Flats Freewill Baptist Church, Piney Flats, TN
29	3:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Unity Fellowship Church, Elizabethton, TN

AUGUST

04	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Shakesville Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church, Bristol, TN
04	6:00 P.M.	HEARTS OF GRACE	Josserand Baptist Church, Groveton, TX
05	10:00 P.M.	HEARTS OF GRACE	Walnut Springs Baptist Church, Deberry, TX
05	10:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Mead's Chapel Church, Nickelsville, VA
05	6:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Feathers Chapel Freewill Baptist Church Blountville, TN
05	10:00 A.M.	JACOB AUSTIN BAND	Southside Christian Church, Council Bluffs IA
09	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Sinking Springs Baptist Church, Bristol, TN
10	7:00 P.M.	CRYSTAL RIVER QUARTET	First Baptist New Waverly, New Waverly, TX
12	11:00 A.M.	CRYSTAL RIVER QUARTET	Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Conroe, TX
12	11:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Oakdale Freewill Baptist Church, Bluff City, TN
12	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Crossroads Baptist Church, Bristol, TN
13	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Shakesville Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church, Bristol, VA
15	5:30 P.M.	JACOB AUSTIN BAND	Rinn Cowboy Church, Frederick, CO.
17	7:00 P.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	Central Assembly, Angleton, TX
18	4:00 P.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	Hardin Baptist Church, Hardin, TX
18	11:00 A.M.	JACOB AUSTIN BAND	Masonville Gospel Festival, Masonville, CO
18	7:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Heavenly Rest Church, Abingdon, VA
19	11:00 A.M.	FAITHFUL II	Bible Way Church of Jesus Christ, Bristol, TN
19	6:00 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Weber City Church of God, Kingsport, VA
23	5:30 P.M.	FAITHFUL II	Leisure Park Towers, Bristol, VA
26	10:30 A.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	Vienna Baptist Church, Hallettsville, TX
26	6:30 P.M.	APPOINTED BY GRACE	Bridges of Hope Ministry, Victoria, TX
26	11:00 A.M.	CRYSTAL RIVER QUARTET	Bays Chapel Methodist Church, Richards, TX

26 11:00 A.M. FAITHFUL II
26 6:00 P.M. FAITHFUL II
27 –Sept. 2 JACOB AUSTIN BAND

Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church, Nickelsville, VA
Strengthen Everlasting Love Freewill Baptist Church, Roam Mt. TN
Plymouth County Fairgrounds, LeMars, IA

02 10:00 A.M. FAITHFUL II
02 6:00 P.M. FAITHFUL II

SEPTEMBER
Barker Chapel, Hilton, VA
Blessed Redeemer Baptist Church, Bluff City, TN

CONCERT BILLBOARD

BAGMA JULY SHOWCASE
Saturday, JULY 14, 2018, 6:30 PM

Eminence Baptist Church
6603 FM 563
Wallisville, TX. 77597

Featured Singers:
Called and Chosen
Buddy Graves and Friends
The Pearsons

Info: 713-641-5529 (BAGMA) or
Donna Walker – 713-501-8675

BAGMA AUGUST SHOWCASE
Saturday, August 18, 2018, 6:30 PM

Breath Of Life Community Church
1611 W. South Street
Alvin, TX. 77511

Featured Singers:
New Generation
The Arnharts
Jennifer Kahler

Info: 713-641-5529 (BAGMA) or
Donna Walker – 713-501-8675

The last Monday night of each month (except December) at 7:00 p.m., Munn Street Missionary Baptist Church has a guest singer. They are located at 10910 Munn Street, Jacinto City, TX. For more information, call 713-859-2761.

**Southern Plainsmen Quartet
HOMECOMING!
July 20 – 21, 2018
Florien High School Auditorium
510 High School Road
Florien, LA 71429**

Friday July 20, 2018 6:30 pm
The Bowlings
Kingdom Bound
The Stanleys
Southern Plainsmen Quartet

Saturday July 21, 2018 6:00 pm
11th Hour
Trey Wilson
Stillwater
Southern Plainsmen Quartet

For info call Marcelle Slaughter
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