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From Where I Sit . . .

“Staying Clean In A Filthy World”

Have you ever gotten all cleaned and dressed up and then found it hard to stay that way? I must be one of the worst at getting spaghetti sauce on my white shirt or tie. Invariably I end up getting grass stains on my new pants? When we run around in the physical world we are just going to pick up some of it's dirt as well. I think you will agree that this is also true in the spiritual sense. Someone has well stated: “It gets pretty hard to stay clean when we are living in a pig pen.”

Unfortunately, our world, our society, really is a spiritual pig pen. Much of our world is UNASHAMEDLY wallowing in the mud of sin and immorality. We are constantly being exposed to the philosophy of “eat, drink, and be merry for tomorrow we die” in nearly every aspect of our lives. We can hardly get away from it; and it's nearly impossible for us not to pick up some of the dirt. If we're not real careful we'll pick up a lot more than just some.

In this non-Christian world it's hard to be a Christian: to talk like, act like and live like a child of God under such difficult conditions. The Apostle Paul indicates that we should, and in fact we must:

Philippians 2:15 (KJV) ¹⁵That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world;

A great portion of the people in America that Christians go to school with, the teachers we listen to, the people we work with, the shows we watch, most of the people we encounter, do not look at the world from a Christian point of view. But then again, it has always been so. This problem of being a Christian in a Non-Christian world is not a new one. The church battled this problem right from the start, and the church at Corinth is by far no exception. These Christians lived in, and were surrounded by, a city saturated in immorality and sin, and much of that philosophy, immoral lifestyle and attitude crept into the church.

Paul views just such a world and church relationship when he writes much of the inspired Spiritual counsel. For example, the context of **2 Corinthians 6** is one of Christians living in the midst of the pig pen of paganism! The admonition is: **Avoid Close Contact with Unbelievers (6:14-16)**. The overwhelming logic for this statement, he lays out is: **"What Do Righteousness and Wickedness Have in Common?" "What Fellowship Can Light Have with Darkness?" "What Harmony (concord or accord) Is There Between Christ and Belial?" "What Does a Believer Have in Common with an Unbeliever?" "What Agreement Is There Between the Temple of God and Idols?"**

In context Paul is addressing Christians who are compromising with heathens in practices that were ungodly. They are charged in **2 Corinthians 6: 17-18**, ¹⁷ **“Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, ¹⁸And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.”** If we come out from them; If we are separate; If we touch no unclean thing (Refuse to participate in ungodly activities) then God will receive us. He will be a Father to us. Friends, the church is not in the business of conforming to the world but rather transforming the world through the Gospel.

. . . . Terry Broome



Please pray for our sick and remember them with cards, calls and visits.

Greta Collins is sick with Covid. Prayers are appreciated.

Josh Collins, son of Terry and Greta Collins, has been sick with Covid. He has had high fevers, congestion, and weakness. 430 Jardin CT, Alpharetta, GA 30022. Prayers are appreciated.

Jennifer Chandler, daughter of Tommy Bellomy, is in the hospital in Murfreesboro, TN. Please pray for her.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Ed Clayson

Charlotte Vinson

David Nickell

Martha Foster

Deborah Wacker

Tammy McGuire

Rachel Underwood

Irene Gist

Ginger Myers

Harold Reynolds

Nellie Spring

Tommy Young, Jill Russell's brother.

Nettie Murrah, mother of Tracy Brumley

Mary Hodge, 88 Sumner Dr., 35769.

Roger Alley, son-in-law of David and Margaret Crawford.

Leroy Armstrong, Holly Cobb's father.

Judy Solomon, sister of Martha Pendley.

Ron Gardner, father of Joel.

Bob Milk, brother-in-law of Robin Shelton.

Rick Wadkins, father of Misti Myers, 24 Sumner Dr., 35769.

Terry Shelton, cousin of Vicki Shelton & Arlene Allen, 1113 Co. Rd. 68, Scottsboro, AL 35768

Viola Manning, aunt of Vicki Shelton & Arlene Allen, 1930 Co. Rd 107, Scottsboro, AL 35768

Brenda Wininger, aunt of David Precise.

Hillary Broome, Terry's brother, 2151 Alexander Blvd., Murfreesboro, Tn 37130.

Lyndal Brumley, daughter-in-law of Jo Reed & Tracy.

Verna Sue Wadkins, grandmother of Misti Myers, 622 Smyrna Rd., Alexander City, AL 35010.

Melanie Lanier, daughter of Ron Graham.

Jeanette Simpson, Misti Myers' grandmother, 2147 Morning Side Drive, Alexander City, AL 35010.

Ernie Matthews, local farmer and neighbor of Ralph Cook, 3736 Co Rd 145, Scottsboro, AL 35768.

Shep Knight, child of Jo Reed Brumley's cousin.

Barry Allen, Terry's brother-in-law, 143 Cherry St., Carrollton, GA 30117.

Rhonda Harrison, 74 Sarah Betty Lane, Apt B1, Scottsboro, AL 35769.

Trent McCormack, US Navy

Jordan Holt, US Navy-Reserve

Abigail Holt, US Navy

Nathan Bridges, US Air Force-Reserve

Paige Chrisman, US Air Force

Nathaniel Doan, US Marine Corps

Anthony Worst, US Marine Corps

Noah Linville, US Navy Academy

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND

Cloverdale Manor	Rosewood Manor	Southern Estates
412 Cloverdale Rd. <u>Scottsboro, 35768</u> Helen Ott	1513 Co. Park Rd. <u>Scottsboro, 35769</u> Jaxie Hargrave Doris Johnson Debra Kime Dot Bean	212 E. Stewart Rd. <u>Scottsboro, 35769</u>

Mark Little 107 Benson Lane, 35768

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Martha Nan Baker 701 Monroe St., NW, Russellville, 35653

Nell Anderson 121 Brookridge Dr., Apt. 148, Madison, 35758

Ruth Spurgeon 8922 AL 227, Crossville, AL 35962

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

- Sept 25 - Lads to Leaders Mentors and Youth lunch and work day after morning services
- Oct 15 - Fall Festival, 10 AM - 2 PM
- Oct 20 - TWIGS, Woods Cove @ 5:30 PM, sign up on bulletin board

<i>One Measure Of Our Love</i>	<i>Wed. Bible Study. 134</i> <i>Sunday Bible Study. 149</i> <i>Sun. A.M. Worship. 242</i> <i>Sun. Night Worship. 130</i> <i>Contribution. \$7929.50</i> <i>Budget. \$8326.00</i>
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YOUTH CALENDAR

- Sept 22 - TNT, 5:30 - 8:00 PM
- Sept 25 - Lads to Leaders Mentors and Youth lunch and work day after morning services
- Young Men's Training Night, @5 PM
- Oct 1 - Pumpkin Patch, Tate's Farm, leave @ 9 AM
- Oct 9 - Area-wide Devo, @ Plainview
- Oct 15 - Fall Festival



The annual Fall Festival is fast approaching and we need volunteers to sign up for booths, registration, and food. Festival will be outside in parking lot on October 15th from 10 AM to 2 PM. Sign up

sheets are on the bulletin board between the two foyers. If you wish to donate money towards food or prizes, you may give your donation to Chad or one of the Elders .



Broad Street is looking for several men to volunteer before and after worship time on Sunday mornings, Sunday evenings, and Wednesday Bible Study to valet park cars for our elderly and those that may need assistance. The men will also assist those that may need help getting out of vehicles or carrying items to

the building. Please see Brad, Pat, or David if you would be interested in this service.

NO PUPPETS – Young Men's Training Night

Chad's Chatter

What Are You Doing Tomorrow?

If you are reading this right now I want you to ask yourself a question, what are you doing tomorrow? Let's say you're going to school or work, have football practice or watching your kids practice afterwards, then dinner with family, pay bills, watch a show, and go to bed. Only to do it all over the next day. If we were to get in a really bad accident of some sort, get really sick or something else, all our "plans" may change on a dime. All of a sudden we have lost "control" of our lives. Let me let you in on a secret, we never had control anyway! At any moment our lives could be over and then what? All those busy days of running around, what were they all for? Did we accomplish any good in any of those busy days or stop to give thanks to GOD and study His Word. Did we stop to help someone or be a good example to those around us? Or, were we just taking care of ourselves and what we thought was important? We can fill our days with whatever we want as long as we get to decide how our day goes. But as soon as something changes, we might realize we should have been focused on living for GOD more during all those busy days. It doesn't mean that we can't do some or possibly all those things we want, but our days should always be lived for GOD no matter what we are doing! Whether we are with other Christians or at school or work, when we are asked what we're doing tomorrow we should be able to answer, "LORD willing, I'm living for GOD tomorrow because that's who I am and what I do every day."

James 4:14-16; Romans 12:2; Matthew 22:37; Matthew 6:33

~Chad



Lad to Leaders Potluck

Please join us this Sunday, September 25th for Potluck lunch (bring a dish, please) and Mentor Meeting immediately following morning services. Basically, we will be handing out binders for each participant and giving them a chance to meet with each mentor to discuss rules, procedures, and meeting times. We should be done by 1:30 or 2pm.



Jim and Evelyn Kendrick met with the elders and expressed their desire to place membership at Broad Street. Their address is 65 Welcome Home Drive, Grant, AL 35747.



Dear Broad Street Family,

Thank you so much for the beautiful blanket we received in memory of Mama. All of the cards, calls and messages of hope were also very encouraging during such a difficult time in our lives. We are also grateful for the delicious meal provided for us at the church after the funeral service. Most importantly we appreciate all of the thoughts and prayers of our loving church family at Broad Street. We love you all!

Roger, Misti, Ragan, and John Hollis

ELDERS

DAVID PRECISE 574-3790 PAT RUSSELL 259-0800
BRAD WILHELM 244-0561

DEACONS

Josh Baird	Rick Baird	Jo Reed Brumley
David Dover	Joel Gardner	Nick Ledbetter
Joe Manning	Roger Myers	Nelson Page
John A. Porch	Dave Precise	Mark Price
Scott Roberts	William Underwood	Russell Wilhelm

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

WORSHIP. Sunday 9:55 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

BIBLE STUDY..... Sunday 9:00 A.M.
and Wednesday 6:30 P.M.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS. Tuesday 10:00 A.M.

Those to Serve. . .

SUNDAY, September 25, 2022

Announcements: Trey Russell

Song Leader: Mark Price

Prayer: David Crawford

Serve at the Lord's Table:

Presiding: Pat Russell

1W- Will Shelton

1E- David Dover

2W- Robin Shelton

2E- Preston Dover

3W- Gary Poole

3E- Ron Graham

4W- Hughes Edmonds

4E- J.J. Bagley

5W- Tres Sanford

5E- Major Ledbetter

6W- Joseph Gardner

6E- Tripp Ledbetter

7W- Jerel Hunt

7E- Tyler Blizzard

Speaker: Terry Broome

Closing Prayer: Ed Clayson

Ushers: Joseph Garnder & Tyler Blizzard

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Kenneth Beard

Scripture: Grady Gattis

Prayer: D.L. Little

Speaker: Chad Brown

Lord's Supper: Jerel Hunt & Will Shelton

Closing Prayer: Russell Wilhelm

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:

Scripture: David Dover

Song Leader: Preston Dover

Prayer: David Precise

CONTACT ELDER: Brad Wilhelm

OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

Rick Baird

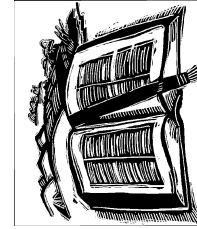
If you are unable to serve, please call:

Dave Precise 256-599-6668

Requires
First Class
Stamp Here

*The Word of God (the Bible) never changes.
If you go to worship to hear something other
than His Word,
You have gone for the wrong reason.
If you hear something other,
You are at the wrong place.*

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All scripture is inspired by God
and is useful for teaching, for
reproof, for correction, and
for training in righteousness...

2 Timothy 3:16, 17

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

*I am the Bible, God's wonderful library.
I am always - and above all - the Truth.
To the weary pilgrim, I am a strong staff.
To the one who sits in darkness, I am glorious light.
To those who stumble and beneath heavy burdens, I am sweet rest.
To him who has lost his way, I am safe guide.
To those who are sick in sin, I am healing strength and forgiveness.
To those who are tossed about by the storms of life, I am a
steadfast anchor.
To those who search for salvation, I reveal the Savior of the world.
I am the Bible, God's wonderful gift to mankind.*

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