

GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING MAN

God's Grace - Ephesians 2:8
 God's Love and Mercy - Ephesians 2:4
 Christ's Blood Shed – Romans 5:9-11
 The Gospel – Romans 1:16
Our Response:
 Faith - Acts 16:31; Mark 16:15-16
 Repentance – Luke 13:3
 Confession – Romans 10:10
 Be baptized for remission of sins –
 Acts 2:38; I Peter 3:21;
 Be faithful, committed, walk in light –
 Revelation 2:10; I John 1:7-10

LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS

for today - Oct. 11
 READ SCRIPTURE
 Phillip Perkins
 ANNOUNCEMENTS
 Willie Cyphers
 OFFICIATE LORD'S TABLE
 Sydney Bunnell
 SERVE COMMUNION
 Rex Wallace
 Bill Brooks Phillip Perkins
 PREACHING
 11 a. m. - Wayne Hatcher
 6 p. m. - Wayne Hatcher
 LEAD SINGING
 Scott Huff

Friends

If nobody smiled, no one cheered me up,
 And nobody helped me along;
 If everyone only looked out for himself,
 And the good things all went to the strong;
 If nobody ever gave me a kind word,
 No one ever cared about me,
 And I stood all alone in the battle of life,
 What a wearisome world this would be.
 But my life is kept sweet by the friends I have
 made,
 And by things that we do for each other.
 In good times and bad it's a comfort to know
 I've a friend who loves me like a brother.
 So I don't stand alone. Jesus Christ is my King
 And on Him every blessing depends.
 And though He's in heaven, He is seen every
 day In the faces of all of my friends. - copied



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 Worship 11 AM & 6 PM Wednesday: Bible Study 7 PM

CHURCH WEB PAGE: www.horsecavecoc.com

Preaching Christ to the World - Focused on Christ - Glorifying the Lord - Thankful for our Salvation - Serving through Love

We gladly welcome you to our congregation, trusting that – if you are *seeking Christ* you will find Him here, if *sorrowing* you will receive comfort and strength here, if *troubled in spirit* you will gain the blessing of peace here, if *discouraged* you will rejoice in encouragement and hope here, if *friendless* you will find companionship and Christian love here. That these and other blessings may be yours is our prayer.

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In Loving Memory of:

Peggy McDaniel Fudge

January 4, 1940 - October 9, 2015

Our dear friend and sister in Christ, Peggy Fudge passed away peacefully in Hermitage, TN at 12:15 Friday morning surrounded by her loving family. She lived a fulfilled life for the Lord. Peggy was a loving wife, mother, "mema", aunt, sister and friend.



She was born in Baytown, TX and was preceded in death by her parents, Roy V. and Lucille Hill McDaniel, her brother, Lynn Ray McDaniel and her husband Beauford "B. A." Fudge.

She is survived by her three children: Robbie (Jennifer) Fudge, Tanya (Tommy) Wilson and Gayla (Rob) Graham and five grandchildren, Andrew & Taylor Wilson, Riley and Caleb Fudge and Jacob Graham, her sister, Patsy Crawford, her sister-in-law, Jane McDaniel and a host of friends.

Peggy, along with her late husband B. A., have been an integral part of this congregation for over 40 yrs. Together they have left a profound impact upon us and all who knew them. I know she really enjoyed spending time with her family and friends especially since B. A. passed away in 2011. She will be greatly missed beyond words. She had to leave us a little sooner than we wanted, but her untimely death has taught us to always live prepared. In the midst of our grief and sorrow, we take great comfort in knowing she has gone home to be with the Lord, and is more blessed than she has ever been. Until we meet again...

-Wayne

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PERSONAL NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Brandon Schuler is under Hosparus care at home; Bessie Brooks on dialysis; R. T. Turner; Leon Seaton; Renee` Perkins received a good report from her dr. visit in Nashville; Robert Brooks; Mary Locke; Kathy Clarke; James Horton; Linda Forbes; Parker Bybee; Christian Shadburne; Russell Brunt; Wendle Jones (Becky Hatcher's dad) confined at home; Elizabeth Alexander (Dennis Hatcher's mother-in-law) is back in Glasgow nursing home after staying 25 days in U of L Hospital.

IN REHAB

Jennifer Hatcher had knee surgery this past Monday to repair problems that developed from the previous knee replacement. She is taking rehab at SKY Rehab in Bowling Green.

VISIT BRANDON SCHULER'S WEBSITE

<http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/brandonschuler>

FRIENDS AND COMMUNITY

Dane Petett Wilson; Doris Garrison; Thelma Thompson; Ruby Whitlow; Wanda Judd; family of Faye Thompson (retired English teacher in Hart Co. School system.

Tom Whittington had a mild stroke recently. He will be taking therapy.

HIGHLAND RIDGE ASSISTED LIVING

Ruth Bradford 180 Scottie Drive Glasgow

HART COUNTY HEALTH CARE

Mildred Briggs (member at Cave City)
Carroll Stilts, Sr (Dennis & Wayne's uncle)

HOMETOWN MANOR ASSISTED LIVING

Jean Turner 201 Trista Lane Glasgow, KY 42141 (270) 659-9167

AREA GOSPEL MEETINGS

Oct. 11-14 Elizabethtown Church of Christ with Gary Puryear Mon - Wed 7 p.m. (EST) Flyer on bulletin board.

Oct. 15-17 Bearwallow Church of Christ 7 p.m. Flyer on bulletin board.

MID-SOUTH BIBLE INSTITUTE

An excellent new study has begun: "God Among the Nations". The class meets on Tues. evenings from 6:30-7:45 at 413 Samson St. in Glasgow

LADIES DAY

Oct. 24 Coral Hill Church of Christ with Tiffany Secula "Marriage God's Way" Registration 9:15-9:30 Program 9:30-11:30 Lunch will be served. RSVP see flyer on bulletin board

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR PEGGY FUDGE

Her funeral and celebration of her life will be Wednesday, Oct. 14 in the Chapel of Winn Funeral Home at 1:00 with Wayne Hatcher and Mike Thompson officiating.

Visitation will be on Tuesday from 2—8 and on Wednesday 10:00 until funeral at 1:00

Our sincerest sympathy to her family and her many brethren and friends.

We all feel a tremendous loss as another dear saint of God has left us for a moment. The words of Jesus in John 14:1-6 come to mind.

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

Who was Samuel's predecessor as high priest of Israel?

The answer to last week's bible question: the lilies (flowers) of the field Matt. 6:29

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!!

The Power of Forgiveness

by Bryan Kirby

Since I have been working as a minister, I have by necessity become a student of human nature. During this time, I have been amazed by the amount of time and energy people put into staying mad at others for extended periods of time. This grudge holding marathon that some will pursue, however, has a very nasty habit of pursuing them in the end. The problems that this course of life ends up causing with the relationships in their lives can hardly be overstated.

So what do grudges actually do to those that hold them? First and foremost, holding a grudge and nursing anger opens up a place for the devil in our lives. Ephesians 4:26-27 says, —"Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and give no opportunity to the devil." When we allow anger to fester for any period of time, we are giving the devil an opportunity to come into our hearts and set up shop. As we know from 1 Peter 5:8, Satan is that roaring lion that is seeking someone to devour and anger is an easy way to accomplish that task.

We also see that carrying anger (or holding a grudge) does a lot of damage to the relationships around us. When our lives are dictated by a grudge, we lose sight of others. We fail to treat them with the dignity and respect that all other people deserve. In particular, the person with whom we are angry suffers the most. We are also apt to direct our frustration and anger at that person in ways that are unbecoming and inappropriate for a Christian. I am ashamed at the number of times I have witnessed Christians "letting

each other have it" in the most unchristian like fashion in the middle of the church building! This is something that should never, ever happen, but when we carry our grudges, we fail to put our mouths and hands under the LORD's control.

All of these things clearly violate the commands of the New Testament. Jesus Himself pointed out that the second greatest command in the Law was for one to love their neighbor as his or herself. Paul tells us in Romans 13:8-11 that loving our neighbor is required for us to fulfill the law of Christ. Blasting one another or holding grudges for long past offenses is a far cry from fulfilling the law of loving our neighbor. However bad and pervasive anger may seem, it does not have to be the end of our relationships with one another or with God. There is something that is more powerful than anger, but a little harder to come by. That thing is forgiveness. Forgiveness is something that we all desire – we don't want people to stay mad when we mess up. Forgiveness is something that Jesus Himself said is required from us – we don't gain God's forgiveness without giving it ourselves (Matthew 6:14-15). Forgiveness is something that we find ourselves so very unwilling to give – it is hard to let go of the offenses that others have committed against us. Once we do forgive, we will find that our lives will be filled with fewer burdens, less stress and more fulfilling relationships. Forgiveness opens communication and helps us all grow stronger. That way, we can fight together to overcome problems instead of fighting with one another. With forgiveness in our hearts, we can lift one another up and help each other make it to heaven.

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