

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 - Nov. 15
 READ SCRIPTURE
 Sydney Bunnell
 ANNOUNCEMENTS
 Mike Thompson
 OFFICIATE LORD'S TABLE
 Mark Hatcher
 SERVE COMMUNION
 Dennis Hatcher Willie Cyphers
 Mike Richardson
 PREACHING
 11 a. m. - Wayne Hatcher
 5 p. m. - Wayne Hatcher
 LEAD SINGING
 Ken Russell

Near the Cross

This song written by Fanny J. Crosby has blessed many hearts over the years. She is one of my favorite hymn writers. -- Wayne

Jesus keep me near the cross, There a precious fountain Free to all—a healing stream, Flows from Calvr'y's mountain.

Near the cross, a trembling soul, Love and mercy found me; There the Bright and Morning Star Sheds its beams around me.

Near the cross O Lamb of God, Bring its scenes before me; Help me walk from day to day, With its shadows o'er me.

Near the cross I'll watch and wait, Hoping, trusting, ever, Till I reach the golden strand, Just beyond the river.

In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever; Till my raptured soul shall find Rest beyond the river.



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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

BRANDON SCOTT SCHULER

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a faithful member of the Shady Grove Church of Christ where he loved to lead singing

"For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain...and be with Christ; for it is very far better" Philippians 1:21, 23

Brandon Schuler's 27 year earthly journey was completed this past Tuesday, but his eternal spiritual journey has just begun. There is not enough space to describe how special this young man was in the lives of us who knew him. The Schulers have been the epitome of faith, love and courage.

It was in July Of 2010, that Brandon learned that he had Fibrolamellar Hepatocellular Carcinoma, a rare liver cancer that only affects 200 people worldwide each year, and mainly targets people in their early 20's. We have tried to travel the journey of the past five years with him and his devoted family. He showed a remarkable courage, strength and will to live throughout it all.

To his parents, Malon and Lisa Schuler who are faithful members here at Horse Cave, our hearts and prayers are with you and the entire family.

His funeral service was conducted by Billy Bybee at Winn Funeral Home on Thursday. His body was laid to rest in the beautiful Hiseville Cem. near his grandpa, Malon Schuler, Sr.

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NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Robert Brooks was released from the Medical Center. He is home and needs our prayers.

Bessie Brooks on dialysis; R. T. Turner; Leon Seaton; Renee Perkins; Mary Locke; James Horton; Russell Brunt; Linda Forbes; Parker Bybee; Christian Shadburne; Wrendle Jones (Becky Hatcher's dad) confined at home; Dennis Hatcher is to have another treatment on his back Friday; Ken Russell is to have cataract surgery Friday

IN THE HOSPITAL

Donnie Gale Edwards was admitted to T. J. Samson Hospital this past week. He has a couple of blood clots and other tests are being run.

Bobby Sexton, member at Fairview, is in the Medical Center and is expecting to have open heart surgery tomorrow.

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to our Malon & Lisa Schuler and the entire family of Brandon Schuler. We are thankful that he was a Christian who died in the Lord. We also express our condolences to the Shady Grove congregation who have lost two of their members in less than two weeks.

FRIENDS OF OUR COMMUNITY

Joey Chaney; Thelma Thompson; Ruby Whitlow; Wanda Judd; Freddie Richardson (Lois Edwards' brother); Stella Downs (teacher at Park City Elem.); family of Doris Hensley

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)

GLASGOW HEALTH CARE

Elizabeth Alexander (Dennis Hatcher's mother-in-law)

HOMETOWN MANOR ASSISTED LIVING

Jean Turner 201 Trista Lane Glasgow, KY

MID-SOUTH BIBLE INSTITUTE

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

WELCOME TO OUR CONGREGATION

We were pleased to have Theron Shultz in attendance last Sunday. On Sunday night, he came forward confessing that he had not been living the Christian life as he should, and he desired to work and worship here at Horse Cave. We welcome Theron. His address is: at 2750 Priceville Rd. Bonnierville 42713 He works here in town at the T Marzetti plant.

ANGEL TREE VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to individually participate in the Angel Tree program again this year, be sure and sign the sheet on the banister.

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

Whick brother of Joseph tried to protect him from the others?

The answer to last week's bible question: the transfiguration Matt. 17:1-8

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!!

One without courage is a knife without an edge.

When you harbor bitterness, happiness will dock elsewhere.

Squeezed Into the Word's Mold

My parents bought an antique butter mold at an auction several years ago. For those of you my age, or younger, I may need to point out that those molds came from an era when people made their butter rather than purchasing it from the local "IGA." Butter was placed into the mold and pressure was applied to a plunger which forced the butter into the shape of the mold and left a decorative imprint on the top of the finished product. By using the mold, the finished product was the same each time.

The New Testament in Modern English by J. B. Phillips reads: "With eyes wide open to the mercies of God, I beg you, my brothers, as an act of intelligent worship, to give him your bodies, as a living sacrifice, consecrated to him and acceptable by him. Don't let the world around you squeeze you into its own mold, but let God remold your minds from within, so that you may prove in practice that the plan of God for you is good, meets all his demands and moves toward the goal of true maturity" (Romans 12:1-2).

In a sense, all of us have been placed into a mold and are being formed and shaped. We choose the mold and the mold determines the end product. Paul warns us not to let the world squeeze us into its mold. It is a terrible mistake to let society mold and shape us. The finished product will not be pleasing to God nor beneficial to man, and we will have the imprint of the devil upon us.

The challenge of New Testament Christianity is to let God mold and shape us by his word. When that happens He, and not the world, will determine how we dress, speak, and conduct our lives, and the imprint of his

Son will be upon us. Paul wrote to Timothy, "...the firm foundation of God stands, having this seal, 'The Lord knows those who are His,' and 'Let everyone who names the name of the Lord abstain from wickedness'" (2 Timothy 2:19).

Are you being molded and shaped by God?

What Time Is It?

Ever been in a group of people and ask what time is it? You perhaps got as many as there were people with watches. Yet there is a place in Denver where time is correct to a split second. It is never wrong and many watches receive time from that place in Denver.

When you are with a group of people and ask a question dealing with spiritual matters, how many answers to you think you will receive? About the same number when you asked about the time. Yet there is a place where those questions are answered in an absolute manner, where answers are always correct.

Why then the confusion over the questions and the answers? Many are not looking for the correct answer. The Bible is where you find the correct answer and has often answered the question before we can think to ask (Heb. 4:12). The Bible can have a unifying effect on spiritual matters when it is believed and applied (I Cor. 1:10).

The Bible is God's book of directions, a guidebook for life. It gives spiritual light to guide in the darkest of nights. But when it stays on the coffee table never opened we will always get men's answers to our spiritual questions.

- Floyd C. Johnson