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Even if I had no calendar, no one would have to tell me that October is here, for there is an aura about this month that is defined by intensely colored leaves, brisk mornings, golden days, and chilly evenings. October is touched by the sights of harvest time, by the sensation of spiciness, the crisp apples, and the faint trace of wood smoke in the air.

Yes, my favorite month of October is here . . . bringing cooler temperatures and beautiful fall foliage. October is filled with the richness of autumn in all her glory eternally stirs the soul and uplifts the spirits.

**You Don't Have To Tell Me October Is Here!**

The leaves are always beautiful all over the county but they are usually gorgeous in the Red Lick Valley. The trip to Richmond even sports beautiful fall foliage on 52. Our county is blessed with a beautiful countryside any time of the year; especially in the fall.

October means that a buck, in the prime of his years, full of virility and driven by the age old impulse to reproduce is in the "rut." He will be wandering the woods making scrapes, leaving his scent on limbs and searching for love. Deer do not seem to notice traffic on the highways or where they are heading. We need to be extra careful and watchful at dawn and dusk for them; especially the next two months.

October is for the timeless rituals of harvest . . . time to pick apples from the orchard; pumpkins from the field to make pies, and carve jack-a-lanterns for Halloween. It's time to fill a corn crib with ears of corn that will fatten hogs and feed chickens that will lay eggs that taste far better than anything you'll ever find on grocery stores shelves.

Our persimmon trees,

with golden persimmons, wrinkling as they ripen are dropping to the ground. Maybe I can beat the critters such as deer, "possum," coons, coyotes and foxes to this candy from nature. Perhaps you might be lucky enough to scavenge some for a persimmon pudding.

You may see a father or grandfather and a young boy carrying a .22 or a .410 shotgun heading to the woods in search of golden hickory trees for a day of squirrel hunting.

Squirrel dumplings with recently dug sweet potatoes and a heaping mess of turnip greens with streaked meat chopped in them would be good. Add some cathead biscuits or hoe cakes and gravy and you'll have a meal of royalty.

What is better than an apple? Nothing I can think of . . . apples can be fixed in so many ways . . . cider, apple butter, dried and made into fried pies, apple sauce, fritters, deep dish apple pie and more. When I was growing up we had a small apple orchard that supplied our family with plenty of apples. We had apples two or three times a week, from October right on into winter. You know

what I've always heard? An apple a day keeps the doctor away. I believe it; they are so good for you.

It's hog killing time as soon as the first hard freeze arrives and temperatures stay cold. Usually in November one can begin to think about killing hogs. It's a day that is incredibly busy, but if you've never eaten fried tenderloin taken from a hog that very day I would say that you have missed a life of culinary deprivation. It is so good!!

Walnuts and hickory nuts are dropping to the ground that will provide rich rewards in the form of cookies, candies and cakes.

Shelves are filled with can goods, freezers are full of garden vegetables with a space left for venison, summer sausage and jerky. Dried beans are hung ready for a pot of "leather britches" with streaked meat for flavor.

Most of all, October is a month that blends the fulfillment of spring and summer of hard work on the land with a promise of the special joys associated with the changing of the seasons and the never-ending cycle of death and rebirth.

**THE ILLUSTRATED BIBLE**

*The Lord has His way in the whirlwind and in the storm, and the clouds are the dust of His feet.*

NAHUM 1:3

**BIBLE TRIVIA**  
by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of 1 Chronicles in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Judges 11:1, who was a mighty man of valor but the son of a harlot? Jeroboam, Eliada, Jephthah, Adnah
3. What can't one tell from where it comes and where it goes? Serpent, Lust, Wind, War
4. From Genesis 6:8, who found grace in the eyes of the Lord? Noah, Moses, Adam, Eve
5. Though they join forces, who will not go unpunished? Heathens, Mortals, Beasts, Wicked
6. How old was Isaac when he took Rebekah as his wife? 14, 40, 80, 130

**SEEDS FROM THE SOWER**  
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A young boy asked his father, "Dad, don't they ever give showers for the groom?" "No, son," he replied. "There will be plenty of showers for him after his bride begins to reign!"

What an introduction to marriage and the family! It would seem as though the father was describing his life and disappointments. All of us want our homes to be a little bit of heaven on earth. But there are always the realities of life. Problems seem to invade every home at the worst possible time and with great intensity. But God established the home and He would have it to be a harbor in the time of storms and a refuge in the days of distress.

If parents would assume their rightful places and follow the teachings of His Word, how different things would be. If prayer was practiced, Scriptures read and worship at the heart of family life, the storms of life could be endured and the family strengthened.

If we want our homes to be what God wants them to be, we must pray: "Here's our family, live with us; here's our home, be the Lord of it."

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Plans are being made at South Irvine Christian to form a GOSPEL MUSIC MINISTRY to perform concerts for charity. Gospel musicians/ local churches are encouraged to participate. Tentatively, the first concert is scheduled in November at South Irvine Christian Church for the Estill County Food Bank. For more information, contact Johnetta or a member of South Irvine Christian Church.

**Through Friday, Oct. 4th @ 7pm**  
**Boone's Creek Association Revival**  
The Providence Baptist Church at Winston will host the Boone's Creek Baptist Associational Revival through Friday, October 4, 2013, starting at 7 p.m.  
There will be a different evangelist each night.  
Gary Willoughby, pastor of Powell's Valley Baptist Church, will be speaking on

Wednesday, October 2. This is designated as youth night.  
Barry Proctor, pastor of Spears Mill Baptist Church, will be speaking on Thursday, October 3.  
Todd Wiley, pastor of Reid Village Baptist Church, will be speaking on Friday, October 4.  
Everyone is invited.

**Saturday, October 5th, 10am-4pm**  
**FREE Clothing Give-Away**  
Beech Grove Baptist Church on Red Lick Road in Irvine, will be having a free clothing give-away on Saturday, October 5, 2013, from 10:00 a.m. until 4 p.m. There will be lots of good clothing for everyone, and everyone is welcome to attend.

**Saturday, October 5th, 10am-4pm**  
**Pig Roast & Gospel Singing**  
The annual Pig Roast & Gospel Singing at Ronnie Coffee's will be held on Saturday, October 5, 2013 from 11:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Singers will be The Praise Singers, The Smith Sisters, The Webb Family, and others.  
Bring a lawn chair, a covered dish and soft drinks, and spend the day with good gospel singing and fellowship. The event is located at 98 Summit Drive (off Sandhill Road) in Irvine. Everyone is welcome!

**Saturday, October 5th, 7pm**  
**Gospel Singing At Pine Hill**  
There will be a gospel singing at Pine Hill Baptist Church, this coming Saturday, October 5, 2013, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Featured singers will be The Burns Family from McKee and others. Everyone is invited and welcome to attend!

**Sunday, October 6th @ 10:30am**  
**Old Fashion Service At Epperson**  
Epperson First Church of God is having an "Old Fashion Day Service" on Sunday, October 6, 2013, starting at 10:30 a.m. Dress casual. The Bluegrass group, "Kentucky Mountain Trio," will be singing. There will be an old fashion meal following the morning service. Bring nothing but yourself.

**Sunday, October 6th @ 9:45am**  
**Ivory Hill Baptist Homecoming**  
Ivory Hill Baptist Church will be having its annual homecoming on Sunday, October 6, 2013. Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m.; morning worship is at 11 a.m. followed by a potluck meal. Pastor Ted Barker and congregation welcome all!

**Wednesday, October 9th @ 7pm**  
**Benefit Singing at Stacy Lane**  
Stacy Lane Community Pentecostal Church of God will have a singing on Wednesday, October 9th, beginning at 7 p.m. This singing is to pay for propane gas to heat the church this winter. Singers will be Bro. Frank Sparks, Sister Mrytle Rudie and Sister Irene Delph, Bro. Dexter Banks and family, Bro. Mike and Sister JoAnn Perry. Pastor Jason Riddell and congregation invites everyone to attend. For more information, call (606) 717-0216.

**Thursday-Sunday, October 10th-13th**  
**Revival At South Irvine Baptist**  
South Irvine Baptist Church will be having its Fall Revival, Thursday-Sunday, October 10-13, 2013. Thursday's speaker will be Bro. Mark Campbell, pastor of Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church in Salyersville. Service begins at 7 p.m. Bro. Keith Murray, pastor of Olive City, Kentucky, Baptist Church will be Friday's speaker at 7:00 p.m. On Saturday, at 7:00 p.m., Bro. Joe Hendricks, pastor of Glen Lilly Baptist Church in Bowling Green, Kentucky, will be the speaker. Sunday morning service begins at 10:00 a.m. with Bro. Hendricks, followed by a potluck meal. Pastor Donnie Burford and the congregation welcome everyone to attend all of these services.

**Thru Fri., Oct. 4th and Sunday, Oct. 6**  
**SI Christian Revival & Homecoming**  
The annual fall revival at South Irvine Christian Church will be held through Friday, October 4, 2013, followed by homecoming on Sunday, October 6th. Revival services begin each evening at 7:00 p.m. Ministers for revival services will be as follows:  
Wednesday, Oct. 2nd - Bro. Chad Broadus;  
Thursday, Oct. 3rd - Bro. David Bingham; and  
Friday, Oct. 4th - Bro. Mark Pearson.  
Sunday morning homecoming service begins at 11:00 a.m. A potluck meal will follow. Everyone is welcome at all of these services.

**Thursday, October 3rd @ 7pm**  
**Gospel Singing At Stacy Lane**  
Stacy Lane Community Pentecostal Church of God will have a singing on Thursday, October 3rd, beginning at 7 p.m. Singers will be Bro. Ronnie Messer and family, Bro. Mike and Sister JoAnn Perry, Bro. Dexter Banks and family, Bro. Fred and Sister Stacy Lee, and the Stacy Lane Singers. Pastor Jason Riddell and congregation welcome everyone. For more information, call (606) 717-0216.

**Friday, October 4th @ 7pm**  
**Singing At Harg Ch. of God**  
Harg Church of God will be having a special singing on Friday, October 4, 2013, starting at 7:00 p.m. Special singers will be "The Jackson Family" singers from Winchester. Pastor Forrest Turpin and the congregation welcome everyone to this special singing service.

**Friday & Saturday, October 4th & 5th**  
**Green Meadows Fall Convention**  
Everyone is invited to attend the Green Meadows Gospel Music Association Fall Gospel Sing Convention on Friday, October 4, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, September 5th at 12:00 noon at the Trinity Full Gos-

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