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The Estill County Middle School Girls Softball Conference Tournament was played on Saturday May 9th at Rockcastle County High School Field.

It's a bird, it's a plane, it's Superman. No, it's the ECMS Softball Team starting training in early December 2014. Members of this team began a super intense training

Estill County Middle Lady Patriots Softball

program that Coach Bob Young set into action.

Focusing on building muscles, confidence, endurance and a desire to achieve a goal of being champions brought this group back day after day, even with moans and groans filling the room for the first week of training. But as each girl realized what they were accomplishing in only a few weeks they were hungry for more intensified workouts. 25 pushups, 25 sit-ups, 25 dips, the dreaded "circle", weighted ball, duck walks, the agility ladder, cones over and over for an hour and half with only a three minute break. Don't feel sorry for them they got to rest a bunch..... in the push up position.

They laid on their tummies and backs in what was called the SUPERMAN; as they mimic flying and swimming.

Wednesdays were very special and received the label "BURNOUT," as everything was done at superman speed.

The girls would show up the next day flexing arm muscles, leg muscles and walking with swagger with their heads held high. Each day of superman workout would bring them closer to the start of practice. A day they eagerly awaited and anxiously anticipated.

Practice day finally arrived; only to be held indoors because of all the rainy weather we were experiencing. Actually, "Mother Nature," showed her strength quite often this season as 14 games were rained out. However, the 18 games that were played had plenty of action. These Patriot Girls are ripped with muscle definition as they threw harder, farther, and with great accuracy. Their bats

could be included in the song, "My Old Kentucky Home," because their bats made music all the day.

No coach could be any prouder of a team than Bob was of these girls. With determination they went on to win the conference season championship and finished their season as tournament runner up after a hard fought game in extra innings with Foley by a score 7-6.

The girls finished their season with 15-3 record and two beautiful showcase trophies. These young ladies are truly SUPERGIRLS.

Bob could not have accomplished all the work of coaching himself. He was surrounded by a fine coaching staff of Mike Long, Keith Adams, Tom Jones, Shaun Hale, and Lori Collins.

Having these people made his job so much easier. Thanks to all.

CHURCH NEWS

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Friday, May 15th @ 7pm

"Women of Faith" At New Life

Ladies are asked to join in "a time of refreshing" at the "Women of Faith" event at New Life Apostolic Church, 2502 Richmond Road in Irvine on Friday, May 15, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

There will be a special time of singing with Sister Tiffany Hampton and the Berea Praise Singers.

Special speaker for the event will be Lana Chandler, along with daughters Tiffany and Lindsey. The Chandlers travel all over the country, singing and ministering to others.

This event is hosted by Sister Melissa Conley and the ladies of Irvine. Come expecting great things from God.

Saturday, May 16th @ 6pm

Chandlers At New Life Apostolic

Tim and Lana Chandler and their daughters will be in concert this coming Saturday, May 16, 2015, at 6 p.m. at New Life Apostolic, 2502 Richmond Road in Irvine.

The couple began their musical career together when Tim joined Lana's family singing group in 1991. They married in 1992.

Today, they travel full time

in a ministry of singing and preaching; conducting concerts, revivals, camp meetings and conferences with their two daughters, Tiffany and Lyndsey. They minister in nearly 200 dates a year and have recorded several musical and vocal projects. Their song writing has been a blessing to many, with several groups recording their material.

Sunday, May 17th @ 10am and 6pm

Revival At New Life Apostolic

You are invited to special revival services at New Life Apostolic Church, 2502 Richmond Road in Irvine, on Sunday, May 17, 2015, at 10:00 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Rev. Tim Chandler will be leading the morning service

at 10:00 a.m. and Rev. Eze-riah Gorley will be leading the 6:00 p.m. evening services.

Rev. Ross Conley is the pastor. Need a ride, call 723-6158.

"Counting souls one soul at a time!"

Sunday-Wednesday, May 17-20

South Irvine Gospel Meeting

There will be a gospel meeting at the South Irvine Church of Christ, May 17-20. The times will be 10:00-12:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Sunday and 7:00 p.m. Monday-Wednesday.

The guest preacher will be Jim Stillwagoner. Brother Jim has lived and preached in this area for many years and preaches the gospel of Christ

with love and dedication. Everyone is invited to come and be with us during this four day worship event which aims to honor and praise the Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

If you have questions or need a ride, please call the local preacher, Tony Belcher, at 606-975-0550.

Monday, June 1st, 9am-4:30pm

Free Day Camp At Aldersgate

Start off the first day of summer break with a BANG! Day Camp at Aldersgate Camp will be held for incoming 3rd thru 6th grade Estill and Powell County students.

The Methodist Churches of Estill and Powell Counties have teamed up with Aldersgate Camp to provide a free one day camp on Monday, June 1st from 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Lunch, and a morning and afternoon snack will be provided. Also, limited transportation will be available at Cedar Grove, Clay City, Irvine, Jackson Chapel and Wisemantown United Methodist Churches.

Registration forms are available at Citizen's Guaranty Bank in Irvine, and at any of the United Methodist

Churches mentioned above or at the Aldersgate Camp web site: aldersgatecamp.org.

Activities for the day will include field games, working with farm animals, crafts, Bible study, climbing the clay wall, hiking to Buffalo and Sugar Camp Cave, swimming in the pool, and visiting and learning about the Fitchburg Furnace. It will be a great way to start your summer vacation.

Enrollment will be limited to the first 75 young people to fill out and turn in their forms, so hurry and get registered.

Aldersgate is one of the jewels of our community. June 1st with the Day Camp is one day you don't want to miss.

MORE OBITUARIES
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Thursday, May 7, 2015

Wanda Faye Willis, 69

Wanda Faye Isaacs Willis, age 69, of Winchester Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Thursday, May 7, 2015, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington, following a long illness.

She was born March 15, 1946 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Elbert and Letha Mae Rose Isaacs. She was a homemaker and a member of the Baptist faith. She was born and raised at Red Lick and resided in her later years in Estill County, mostly at Wisemantown.

Ms. Willis was the ex-widow of the late Dewey Deffort Willis and long-time partner and love of the late Daniel "George" Jones.

She is survived by her son: Marvin Shawn Willis, Waco; two sisters: Alma Willis and Beatrice Eileen King, both of Estill County; five grandchil-

dren: Christy Michelle Willis, Ashley Nicole Willis, Miranda Willis, Michael Shawn Willis and Brian Keith Best; four great grandchildren, and one special honorary beloved friend, Anna Lois Embs

Ms. Willis was preceded in death by two children: Regina Marilee Willis and Kevin Timothy Willis; one sister: Wilma Lee Isaacs; and three brothers: Eugene, Omie and Charles Graydon Isaacs.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:00 p.m., Monday, May 11 at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Marvin Neal. Burial was at the Tackett Cemetery. Friends called after 10:30 a.m., Monday, at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Brian Best, Shawn Willis, Jordan Alexander, Dwight Willis, D.J. Couch, and Darryl Foster. <TolerFuneralHome.com>

Saturday, May 9, 2015

Nicholas Ray Witt, 36

Nicholas Ray Witt, age 36, of Manna Drive in Richmond passed away Saturday, May 9, 2015, at the Baptist Health, Lexington.

He was born June 5, 1978 in Madison County and was the son of Roger Ray and Jackie Lynn Barnes Witt. He was an employee of Bluegrass Plating.

Survivors include his parents, Roger Ray and Jackie Lynn Barnes Witt; one daughter, Nikki Morgan Witt; one son, Brody Ray

Witt; one brother, Brian Michael Witt; one nephew, Lincoln Oliver Witt; and his girlfriend, Stephanie Thompson, all of Madison County.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 13th at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be at the Beatty Place Cemetery. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Tuesday, May 12th at the funeral home. <TolerFuneralHome.com>

The Coming of The Lord
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The writer of the Acts of the Apostles said in chapter 4, verse 12: "For there is none other name under heaven given among men whereby we must be saved."

This says very clearly that there is no one else to look unto for our Salvation. This also alludes to the fact that all have sinned and stand in need of forgiveness.

Luke wrote in chapter 19, verse 10 stating that Jesus came to seek and to save the lost. So still today our Lord is still in the saving mission. But still, and how sad it is, that the majority of all people still have not recognized, or have accepted his terms of pardon.

As our Saviour was born in a manger in Bethlehem it is stated by the Holy Spirit that His name was to be called Jesus and that He would save His people from their sins (Matthew 1:21). Then in Luke 2:32, the scriptures include all the Gentile nations as well. Still most remain committed to their earthly pursuits only.

How then are we too arouse people to the need of Jesus? Well, the only recourse that any preacher has is to preach about the impending judgment that we will all appear at. Hebrews 9:27 declares it. Also men need to be warned of the fire of eternal damnation that will be awaiting all unbelievers. Revelation 20:10-15 also reveals this tragic event.

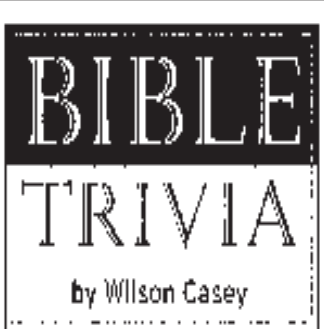
It is very tragic because all the unfortunate who go there, did not have to. But in the meanwhile, they spend their days always meaning to give time to preapre to die, but most again never do!

Many will buy marble headstones in a beautiful cemetery preparing for the burial of the body, but make no preparations for the eternal place, either in heaven or hell. In Matthew 25:41-46 the writer tells of this awful place that is awaiting all the disobedient, calling them cursed. He also says the punishment is everlasting, and besides this the disobedient will have the devil, and all his angels for their neighbors. He then concludes that they will all go away. This can only mean that the opportunity for any form of redemption will be gone forever.

In closing, why would anyone choose this place of terror for themselves? You might say, "I am to obey," but it you are not presently saved, you have made the choice to disobey up to this point, and if death were to overtake you today, you will live forever with the choice you made. So I encourage you to listen to Jesus, your friend. He will save all who will obey His voice. Read Hebrews 5:8-9. See if I tell the truth.

Call or visit with us the next Lord's Day at the corner of Bond Street and Camp Avenue in West Irvine. We meet at 9:45 a.m.

Sincerely, Bob Casey 1-859 (Waco) 364-4165



1. Is the book of Galatians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Joshua 6, on the seventh day, how many times did the men of war march around Jericho? 1, 3, 5, 7
3. In His first recorded

miracle, what did Jesus turn into wine? Goat's milk, Grape juice, Fig cider, Water

4. From 1 Chronicles, what king was buried with his sons under an oak tree? Neco, Jehoash, Saul, Rezin
5. How many New Testament (KJV) books are named for a woman? 0, 1, 2, 3
6. In the story of creation, what did God call the darkness? Blackness, Night, Fourscore, Trinity

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THE ILLUSTRATED BIBLE

Canst thou draw out leviathan with an hook? or his tongue with a cord which thou lettest down? Canst thou put an hook into his nose... canst thou fill his skin with barbed irons? or his head with fish spears?... He maketh the deep to boil like a pot... he maketh a path to shine after him; one would think the deep to be hoary. Upon earth there is not his like, who is made without fear.
Job 41:1, 2, 7, 31, 32, 33

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The uncertainties of life always end with the certainty of death. We know it is there waiting for us. No one knows when their heart will stop. Yet, when the time comes, most individuals have a few last words.

Cardinal Borgia said, "I have provided in the course of my life for everything except death, and now, alas, I am to die unprepared."

Tony Hancock, a British comedian said, "No one will even know I existed. Nothing to leave behind me. Nothing to pass on. Nobody to mourn me. That's the bitterest blow of all."

Elizabeth the First: "All my possessions for one moment of time."

Phillip III, King of France: "What an account I shall have to give God. How I should like to live otherwise than I have lived."

Voltaire, a religious skeptic said, "In twenty years Christianity will be no more. My single hand shall destroy the edifice it took twelve apostles to rear." Some years later, Voltaire's house was used by the Geneva Bible Society to print Bibles.

When Jesus died the words of Psalm 31:5 were on his lips, "Into Your hands, Father, I commit my spirit." As He was ending His life's work, hanging upon His cross and dying for our sins, He declared His faith, hope, trust and confidence in His Father. There was no fear, no regret, no questions about life or death. Only the assurance that His spirit was in His Father's hands.

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