



Times Remembered Betty A. Young

Teacher, homemaker, mother, state worker, farmer, student. Members of age 65 may remember what they were doing in 1968. Senior citizens today were probably all these..... and more.

I can't help but reminisce about where I was and what I was doing in 1968. I had just graduated from high school and had plans to attend Eastern Kentucky University, but that all changed. I got a summer job at Sylvania in Winchester; worst job I ever had; I said "If this is the only work for me I'd rather dig ditches and work in tobacco on a farm. "The work was hard but the smell of chemicals and no air conditioning was terrible. I was sick nearly every day. I did work three months until I moved to Ft. Hood, Texas. I took the Civil Service Exam and became a federal employee.

I wasn't thinking about elder care or Medicare which had just been passed. I never considered the fact that one day I might become a senior citizen much less what was happening to seniors or would happen.

Many male friends my age were getting drafted..... the call from "Uncle Sam." Most were headed to Vietnam; the horrible war in South East Asia where so many Americans lost their lives. The Tet Offensive happened in January 1968 and the war really heated up.

Some went to college or joined the National Guard to try to stay out of the military. Some worked in factories, farmed or went to vocational school.

Most females, if they didn't go to college attended business school or vocational school or worked in factories, or got married and had children and became

house wives.

The United States had a lot of problems: Lyndon Baines Johnson, "LBJ," was president, who faced war, racial unrest, riots, and protesters of the Vietnam War. It was a time of social unrest. He did manage to get Medicare passed and The Civil Rights Act of 1964 passed.

- Martin Luther King and Robert Kennedy were both assassinated in 1968

- The first jumbo jet, the 747 was introduced

- Apollo 8 orbited the moon

- North Korea captured a US ship, the USS Pueblo

- Average cost of a new home was \$14,000 to \$15,000 and a new car cost approximately \$2800.00

- Minimum wage was \$1.60 an hour

- First Big Mac sandwich at McDonald's was \$.49

These are just a few things that were happening in 1968.

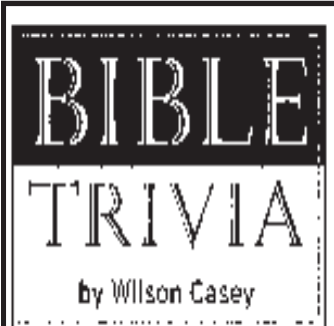
Medicare will celebrate its 50th anniversary in July. Many changes have taken place in that time. In 1966, the Part A deductible was \$40 and part B cost \$3 per month. In 2010, the Part A deductible was \$776, part B cost \$54 per month and 40 million lives were covered. Medication coverage has also been added. Today the average beneficiary spends \$5000 out-of-pocket for healthcare. Most live on fixed incomes of \$25,000 or less. The cost of Medicare has gone from 0.5% of our GDP to over 3.5%.

All of us were busy with active lives. Busy with paying bills, raising children, working and playing. None of us could ever have thought about being a senior. None of us could have ever seen ourselves enjoying activities and friendships and lunch at a Senior Citizens Center.

Thankfully, some forward-thinking Estill County residents had a vision for seniors. A vision of how the newly passed legislation, The Older Americans Act, might work out for Estill County.

Not one of us in 1968 had the maturity to know that years later we would be enjoying the fruits of someone's earlier vision. We couldn't think of being 60 much less having lunch or laughing with friends at a Senior Center, Playing cards or bingo were not even glimmers in our mind.

Thanks to our county and state for Senior Centers!



Is the book of 3 Chronicles in the Old or New Testament or neither?

2. Job and which other Old Testament book mention the constellation of Orion? Psalms, Isaiah, Daniel, Amos

3. What prophet took a wife of whoredom named Gomer? Hosea, Jonah, Amos, Micah

4. From Judges 14, what did Samson eat from the carcass of a lion? Manna, Honey, Berries, Figs

5. What sin against the Holy Spirit results in eternal guilt? Blasphemy, Adultery, Murder, Non-tithing

6. Who was the father of Joshua? Abraham, Aaron, Nun, Moses

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seeds of Hope



A wealthy gentleman was known for having an extensive violin collection. When Fritz Kreisler heard of the collection, he went to see the instruments and meet the person who owned them.

When he saw them, he was overcome with joy. Turning to their owner, he pointed at one of the instruments and said, "May I play that one?"

"I'm sorry," said the owner, "but I will not allow you to touch that violin. It is too costly."

Kreisler visited the gentleman once again and made the same request. On this occasion, however, the man relented and gave him permission to play the violin. Gently and lovingly Kreisler

removed the violin from the case and played it as only a master could.

With tears in his eyes the owner said, "Take it - it's yours. It must be owned by someone who can play it as you can."

Make "music to Him on the ten-stringed lyre," said David. Every string on that harp was to be used to proclaim the glory of God in worship!

Someone has said that "the body is to be used as that ten-stringed" instrument. We have two ears, two eyes, two feet, two hands, one tongue and one heart. But as the owner had to give permission to Kreisler to play the violin, we too must "offer our bodies to God as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to Him." It's only "reasonable," says Paul, in view of all that God has done for us. Reasonable, indeed, but the choice is ours.

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But if a woman has long hair, it is a glory to her; for her hair is given to her for a covering.

I CORINTHIANS 11:15

Detail of "Woman At Her Toilet" by Edgar Degas (1834-1917)



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Sundays and Wednesdays

Ivory Hill Baptist Church

Brother Mike Hetrick and congregation invite everyone to services at Ivory Hill Baptist Church, 8430 Winchester Road in Irvine. Sunday School begins at 10:00 a.m. followed by morning service at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday. Wednesday youth fellowship is 6-8 p.m. with adult prayer meeting and Bible study at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome!

Sundays, 10, 11 & 6 and Wed. @ 7pm

High Street Full Gospel Church

High Street Full Gospel Church is having services on Sundays at 10 a.m., 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., and on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. The pastor is David Woosley. Everyone is welcome!

Through Friday, July 10th @ 9am

VBS at Williams Memorial B.C.

Vacation Bible School is being held at Williams Memorial Baptist Church, Poplar Street, Ravenna, which started Monday, July 6 and will be running through Friday, July 10, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon daily. The VBS theme is "Journey off the Map." Please call 723-3815 for more information.

Through Frida, July 10th @ 7pm

Revival at Stacy Lane PCofG

A revival which began Tuesday, July 7 at Stacy Lane Pentecostal Church of God, will continue through Friday, July 10. Services start at 7 p.m. each evening. The speakers are Bro. Frank Angel and his pastor from Spartanburg, South Carolina. Pastor Jason Riddell and congregation welcome all. For more information, call 726-9485.

Saturday, July 11th @ 7pm

Gospel Singing at House of Prayer

A gospel singing will be held at House of Prayer, 535 Dark Hollow Road, Irvine, on Saturday, July 11, starting at 7 p.m. Featured singers will be Larry and Becky Collins and the Praise Singers. Refreshments will be served following the singing. Everyone is welcome!

Sunday, July 12th @ 10:45am

Concert by The Joymakers

A special concert will be held Sunday, July 12th at Ravenna Church of the Nazarene! For over 50 years, The Joymakers have been sharing the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ through music. Join us this Sunday at Ravenna Church of the Nazarene to hear this wonderful Southern Gospel Group. The concert begins at 10:45 a.m. Call us (606-723-4259) if you have any questions or need directions.

A Sense of Urgency

by BOB CASEY, preacher

Cornerstone Church of Christ
Bond Street at Camp Avenue in West Irvine

In **Luke 14:15-24**, here is the story told by Jesus concerning the coming great supper of the Lord. Today I want to use one statement that should be a constant plea of every Bible reader, every preacher for sure, and this is found in verse 23 of one text, where it was said by our Lord to His servants: "Go out unto the highways, and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled." The word compel is rendered from the word urgency, also to necessitate, and constrain. If there was ever a time to preach these things, surely all can see it is needed more than ever today. How sad it is to see the majority of people pay little or no respect for our Lord and His people. Again, I repeat this warning to all of us, using **Matthew 7:13-14**, "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat, because strait is the gate and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it." Here is an alarming and also a sad warning.

Because it tells us this, for the rest of our lives most of the people you will meet will die having never obeyed the Lord's will, and will be cast into the lake of fire for all eternity. So then, is it possible to meet, teach, or preach without a strong sense of urgency? We need to show a greater attitude toward the unrepentant sinner, and also to the brethren whom have been complacent and relaxed in their faith. People are dying every day, young and elderly, so we need to show a greater sense of dedication to the call of our Lord. Where He says: "to come unto me." We need to urge everyone we meet to prepare to meet Jesus in judgment, and to meet Him as a saved person. How sad the words forecasted by our Lord in **Matthew 7:23**, "I never knew you, depart from me, ye that work iniquity." For the unsaved, these will be the last words you will ever hear, but they do not have to be. You have the power to make a change, by hearing, believing, repenting, confessing your sins, and to solidify your conversion, by being baptized for the remission of your sins. This is the word of God unto you today: obey them before it is too late. Jesus is coming again!

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

Sunday-Thursday, July 12-16 @ 6pm

Irvine Nazarene & Calvary VBS

The Irvine First Church of the Nazarene and the Calvary Baptist Church, 21 Glory St., Irvine, will be partnering together again this year for their VBS program. The date for the VBS is set for Sunday-Thursday, July 12-16, 6-9 p.m. and will be held at Calvary Baptist. Children of all ages are invited to attend.

The theme for this year's event will be: "Everest: Conquering Challenges with God's Almighty Power." Anyone needing a ride to the event is asked to contact Dan Glick at 606.723.2146.

Sunday-Friday, July 12-17 @ 6pm

VBS "Journey Off The Map"

Friendship Baptist Church invites children and adults to our 2015 VBS. **Where:** 126 South Hudson Avenue in Irvine. **When:** July 12-17 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. If you need a ride to VBS call- 723-4816

Come join us as we "Journey Off the Map" and learn how to walk in God's way.

Sunday through Friday, July 12-17

Bible School At Mount Carmel

The Mt. Carmel Christian Church will be having Vacation Bible School, Sunday through Friday, July 12-17, 2015, with SonSpark Labs for elementary age students. Children will explore God's life-changing plan for them as they find the answers to life's more important questions. Sunday VBS starts at 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, the event will be from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Call 606-726-9342 if you have questions.

Saturday, August 1st @ 1pm

Back to School at Panola B.C.

Panola Baptist Church at Waco is having a Back to School Event on Saturday, August 1, starting at 1 p.m., sponsored by Second Blessings in Winchester, Ky. You can donate school supplies to be given to area school children. Some join us for an afternoon of fun, games, food, and you will be greatly blessed. Everyone is invited to attend.

There will be two Bounce Houses, Slide, Cotton Candy machine, corn toss, food, and

Sunday-Thursday, July 19-23 @ 6pm

Salem Baptist Bible School

Salem Baptist Church on Highway 82 (4470 Spout Springs Road) will be hosting Journey Off the Map (Life-Way) Vacation Bible School, July 19-23 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. Classes will be held for all ages, Babies through Adults. A kickoff picnic, with water slide, will start the festivities: July 18, 6:00 p.m. at the Salem pavilion. Come join us for all of the fun and excitement.

Mon.-Fri., July 20-24, 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Bible - Blast to the Past

Ravenna Church of God is having our Vacation Bible School on Monday through Friday, July 20th - 24th from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. each night. The theme is "Bible - Blast to the Past" Lots of fun, games & snacks each night. Please join us for an awesome Bible School, as always!! For further information, 723-8596

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(Matthew 5:33-37, See Numbers 30:1-16)

³⁴Again, ye have heard that it hath been said by them of old time, Thou shalt not forswear thyself, but shalt perform unto the Lord thine oaths: ³⁵But I say unto you, Swear not at all; neither by heaven; for it is God's throne: ³⁶Nor by the earth; for it is his footstool: neither by Jerusalem; for it is the city of the great King. ³⁷Neither shalt thou swear by thy head, because thou canst not make one hair white or black. ³⁸But let your communication be, Yea, yea; Nay, nay: for whatsoever is more than these cometh of evil.

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