

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
Sinner's Faith - Acts 16:31; Mark 16:15-16
Sinner's Repentance – Luke 13:3
Sinner's Confession – Romans 10:10
Sinner's Baptism – 1 Peter 3:21; Acts 2:38
Christian's Hope – Romans 8:24-25
Christian's Faithfulness and Endurance –
Revelation 2:10; 1 John 1:7-10

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LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS

for today - June 21

READ SCRIPTURE:

Bryan Denison

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Sydney Bunnell

OFFICIATE:

Bill Brooks

SERVE COMMUNION:

Chris Burchett Bobby Bybee
Leon Seaton Bryan Denison

PREACH:

a.m. – Wayne Hatcher
p.m. – Wayne Hatcher

LEAD SINGING:

am – BA Fudge pm – Phillip Carter

WHAT MAKES A DAD

God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family need,
Then God combined these qualities,
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,
And so, He called it ... Dad
-unknown



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TIME OF SERVICES: **Sunday:** Bible Study 10 AM;
Worship 11 AM & 6 PM **Wednesday:** Bible Study 7 PM

CHURCH WEB PAGE: www.horsecavecoc.com

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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THE SILENT HONOR

This world has seen many fathers
Who have performed many great and noble things.

Strengthened a nation, Silenced fears, Relieved suffering
And changed the course of history.

Yet the most great and noble father I have known
Lives within the walls of my own home.

He performs no extraordinary tasks, No miraculous feats;
He just does what is right because It is right.

He needs no adulation, No praise or glory of men.
He just goes about doing good because
That is how it makes him feel.

But there are those that see his goodness. They are his children.

Indeed, they may not always see But they know
That this silent honor is what they will pass on to their children.

They know that true greatness needs no praise
It is found in the day-to-day living of unwearied goodness
They have seen their father give.

Such goodness is truly a remarkable thing,
Far greater than any glory found in the annals of history.

For one day the child will say: 'He is my father'
And know it is an honor.

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(A son writes about his father's goodness on Father's Day. He recognizes that though his father's actions will not go down in history books, it will go down in his children's memories imprinted forever.)

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PERSONAL NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Doug Edwards; Linda Forbes; James Horton is undergoing more treatments; Parker Bybee; Becca Napper; Chris Burchett; Blake Morris; Dennis Hatcher; Gerald Watt; Pat Bradford (Ruth's son); Dennis Hatcher's father and mother-in-law (Royce & Elizabeth Alexander); Buddy Logsdon, (elder at Cave City); Frankie Walters; little Lindley Hatcher (Mark & Jennifer Hatcher's granddaughter to undergo tests; Noreida Reesor (Vickie Houk's mother); several of our number are traveling

FRIENDS FROM OUR COMMUNITY:

Jim Reed; Krista Harris; Leslie Witty; Peggy Spann; Tony Bush in Iraq; Jerry Greer; Billy Ross; Roger Lile; Adam Neeley; Jeff Lile; Kay Bush, Mary Bush

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

Alma Reynolds Sally Marshall Johnalene Lancaster

THANK YOU NOTE:

I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards and support during my hospital stay. Please keep my family and me in your prayers over the next couple of months as I continue the healing process.

In Christian Love, Chris Burchett

HART COUNTY HEALTH CARE:

Hallie Davidson 403; Mary Edwards 502; Helen Stanley 707; Berdine Hogan 502 Alma Stilts 501

HIGHLAND RIDGE ASSISTED LIVING:

Ford Smith 164

NHC HEALTHCARE in Glasgow:

Robert Allen Edwards

MISSION WORKS WE SUPPORT:

Al Horne in South Africa
Mike Brooks in Bangladesh/Nepal
Patinya Thitathan in Thailand
Sammy Flanary – work in Europe
Danny McCain - Green Co. KY
Doka Obadiah in Nigeria, Africa
Jason Freed family going to France
Mid-South Bible Institute in Glasgow, KY
Jerry Carmichael — Grant Co. KY
Dhan Ramkelawan – E. TN School of Preaching
International Gospel Hour – Fayetteville, TN
Gospel Broadcasting Network – Dalton, GA
HTH/HTH ministry here in Horse Cave
Local Radio programs over WL0C-1150 AM
Darrell Wallace Sunset's Satellite Schools

AREA GOSPEL MEETINGS:

June 21-23 University Heights Church of Christ in Bowling Green with Bob Eddy

July 6-10 Beckton Church of Christ with Steve Higginbotham 7 pm

July 12-17 Hickory College Church of Christ with Kenny Hart

YOUTH DAY:

July 11 Mt. Vernon Church of Christ in Park City 9 a.m – 2 p.m. Speaker: Andrew Phillips, Minister, Crittendon Church of Christ in Russellville, KY

(see bulletin board for details of all events)

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ:

What is the first fruit of the Spirit?

The answer to last week's question was: Ephesus, Acts 19:18-19

He Walked With God

Some who die will be remembered for having possessed profound skill, such as Babe Ruth's ability to hit 60 home runs in a single season. Virtuous leaders of countries are mourned universally when they pass from this life - they are missed because of the good influence they had on millions of people. But, in the final, eternal analysis, is any of that really important? Would it not be far better to say of one who lives no more, "He walked with God?"

The prophet Amos said, "Can two walk together except they be agreed?" (Amos 3:3). He was not talking about man walking with man but our walking with God. If I don't agree with God, my attempts to walk with Him will not be joyful. It makes men miserable when they try to walk with God but do not agree with Him. It is not God who must agree with how I want things to go or what I like in religion, it is I who must agree with God in order to walk with Him.

"Walking" As God "Walks"

Most of us feel that our walking with Him could be closer — sometimes we feel close, other times we feel separated. That is usually true, because we have not spent time with Him in worship, prayer or letting Him talk to us through His Word. Closeness is identifiable in our lives with how much He lives in our thoughts and character. Walking with God means walking where He walks (cf. 1 John 1:5-6; 1 John 2:5-6). It also means that we walk in the same manner as He walks which involves a transformation of character to become like Him (Romans 12:2; cf. 1 Corinthians 11:1; Ephesians 4:23; Colossians 1:9-10; 3:1-10; I John 4:7-8). Have you ever noticed how much husbands and wives become very much like each other

after 50 years of marriage?

The Implication Of "Walking"

Walking with Him in light does not mean that we are perfect nor that we never stumble. God still walks with us, if we turn our feet back again to the pathway of righteousness (1 John 1:9; 1 John 2:1-2). "Walking" implies a direction, a consistency, not perfection. Building a closer walk with Him begins with an intimate knowledge of His character and will and is finalized in becoming like Him — Jesus is that perfect example that we are to emulate (1 John 2:6; 1 Peter 2:21).

Conclusion

The briefest but most praiseworthy epitaph of a man's life is recorded in Genesis 5:22 — "And Enoch walked with God..." When this writer crosses that river of death, all I really want to hear is "He walked with God." Nothing else really matters.

- Mike Riley

What Is A Dad?

A dad is someone who wants to catch you before you fall but instead picks you up, brushes you off, and lets you try again.

A dad is someone who wants to keep you from making mistakes but instead lets you find your own way, even though his heart breaks in silence when you get hurt.

A dad is someone who holds you when you cry, scolds you when you break the rules, shines with pride when you succeed, and has faith in you even when you fail...

by Susan Ceylise