

Spring Hill Church

PRAYER REQUEST:

- TERRY & SHANNON
- SHARON
- FRAN
- TOMMY & ANGIE
- CAROLYN
- PATSY'S FAMILY
- BRUCE & PATSY
- DALE & DONNA
- OUR CHURCH
- OUR MISSIONARY'S
- CAROL
- THE LOST
- CODY, LAURA & KIDS
- JAMIE, LACEY & KIDS
- ALL THOSE ON PRAYER BOARD
- FREDDY, JOANN & KIDS
- TRACEY
- LAWRENCE & JAN
- MARK & MICHELLE
- MIKE & MARY
- DON
- JESSE & CAROL
- HAROLD & JANE
- MIKEL
- DENNIS & SANDY
- ANDY
- ANDREW & CHELSEA
- WAYNE & CRIMSON

I GIVE YOU ME

Here is a true story about a nine year old little boy who lived in a rural town in Tennessee. His house was in a poor area of the community.

A church had a bus ministry that came knocking on his door one Saturday afternoon.

The kid came to answer the door and greeted the bus pastor.

The bus pastor asked if his parents were home and the boy told him that his parents take off every weekend and leave him at home to take care of his little brother.

The bus pastor couldn't believe what the boy told him and asked him to repeat it.

The youngster gave the same answer and the bus pastor asked to come in and talk with him.

They went into the living room and sat down on an old couch with the foam and springs exposed.

The bus pastor asked, "Where do you go to church?" The young boy surprised the pastor by replying: "I have never been to church my whole life."

The bus pastor thought to himself about the fact that his church was less than three miles from the child's house.

"Are you sure you've never been to church?" he asked again.

I sure haven't came his answer.

Then the pastor said: "well, son, more important than going to church, have you ever heard the greatest love story ever told?"

And then he proceeded to share the Gospel with the little boy. The young lad's heart began to be tenderized and at the end of the story, the pastor asked if the boy wanted to receive this free gift from GOD.

The youngster exclaimed: "You bet!"

The boy and the pastor got on their knees and the boy invited Jesus into his little heart and received the free gift of salvation. They both stood up and the pastor asked if he could pick the boy up for church the next morning.

"Sure," the boy replied.

The pastor got to the house early the next morning and

found the light's off. He let himself in and snaked his way through the house and found the boy asleep in his bed.

He woke the little boy and his brother up and helped them get dressed.

They got on the bus and ate a donut for breakfast on their way to church.

Keep in mind that they had never been to church before.

The church was a real big one.

The little boys just sat there, clueless of what was going on.

A few minutes into the service a couple of guys walked to the front of the church and picked up two wooden plates.

One of the men prayed and the kid with utter fascination watched them walk down the aisle.

He still didn't know what was going on.

All of a sudden like a bolt of lightening it hit the kid what was taking place.

These people must be giving money to Jesus.

He immediately search his pockets and couldn't find anything to give to Jesus.

With a broken heart he just grabbed the plate and held on to it for a bit.

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I GIVE YOU ME *CONTINUED...*

He then reflected on the free gift of life he had received just twenty-four hours earlier..

He finally let go and watched it pass on down the aisle.

He turned around to see it passed down the aisle behind him.

And then his eyes remained glued on the plate as it was passed back and forth, back and forth all the way to the rear of the sanctuary.

Then he had an idea. This little boy in front of God and everybody got up out of his seat.

He walked about eight rows back, grabbed the usher by the coat and asked to hold the plate one more time.

Then he did the most astounding thing I have ever heard of.

He took the plate, set it on the carpeted church floor and stepped into

the center of it.

As he stood there, he lifted his little head up and said:

“Jesus, I don’t have anything to give you today, but just ME.

I give you me!

BRING THEM TO CHURCH

Bring them to church. Saturate their lives with the Word of God. Even if they lay on the floor. Even if they need 437 goldfish and a sucker to be quiet. Even if you stand in the back swaying back and forth holding them. Even when it’s hard. Even when your row looks like a small hurricane just came through. Bring them to church, Let them see you worship. Let them see you running toward the Savior ...because if they don’t see and learn these

things from you, who are they going to learn them from?

The world will teach them it’s not a priority. The world will teach them it’s okay to lay out, not to pick up their Bibles. The world will direct them so far off course, confuse them, and misinform them that just being “good” is enough. The world won’t teach them about Jesus. That’s our job.

Bring them to church.

Matthew 18: 5-6

6. But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.

7. Woe unto the world because of offences! for it must needs be that offences come; but woe to that man by whom the offence cometh!

WHY A BUTTERFLY IS A SYMBOL OF JESUS

The butterfly has long been a Christian symbol of the resurrection, for it disappears into a cocoon and appears dead, but

emerges later far more beautiful and powerful than before. The three stages of the butterfly’s metamorphoses are sym-

bolic of the three stages in the life cycle of Christ. Life. Death and Resurrection

Be present.

Let the day flow with grace.

Expect joy. Be positive.

Serve with compassion.

Speak only kindness.

Impart only love.

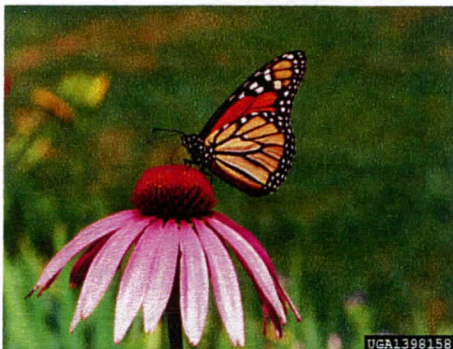
Never forget you're not alone.

Give thanks for everything.

See goodness in others.



Sometimes I forget how rich I am. my hot water works on a dime, my a/c works when I need it to. I can go to any grocery store and purchase what I please to eat. I have a clean kitchen to cook in, I have a clean shower to bathe in...sometimes I forget I'm beyond blessed.



Let's be clear. If you end up in a burning hell for all eternity, it won't be because you have a tattoo, or because you have a nose ring, or because you drink beer or smoke cigarettes, or because you cuss, or because you spent time in prison. It won't be because you didn't do enough good deeds. It won't be because you didn't attend the right church. It won't be because of that dumb thing you did that you don't want anybody to know about. It won't be because of what anyone else did to you. It will be because YOU refused to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Savior. He already paid for all the stupid stuff you have done and all the stupid stuff you are going to do when He died FOR YOU on the cross and rose again. He offers salvation as a free gift because let's face it, if it were up to us to earn it, we would have no chance. The gift of salvation is there for you to receive. The decision is totally up to you. The price for your sins has been paid, the way to heaven for you has been made. If you end up in a burning hell for all eternity, you have no one to blame but yourself.

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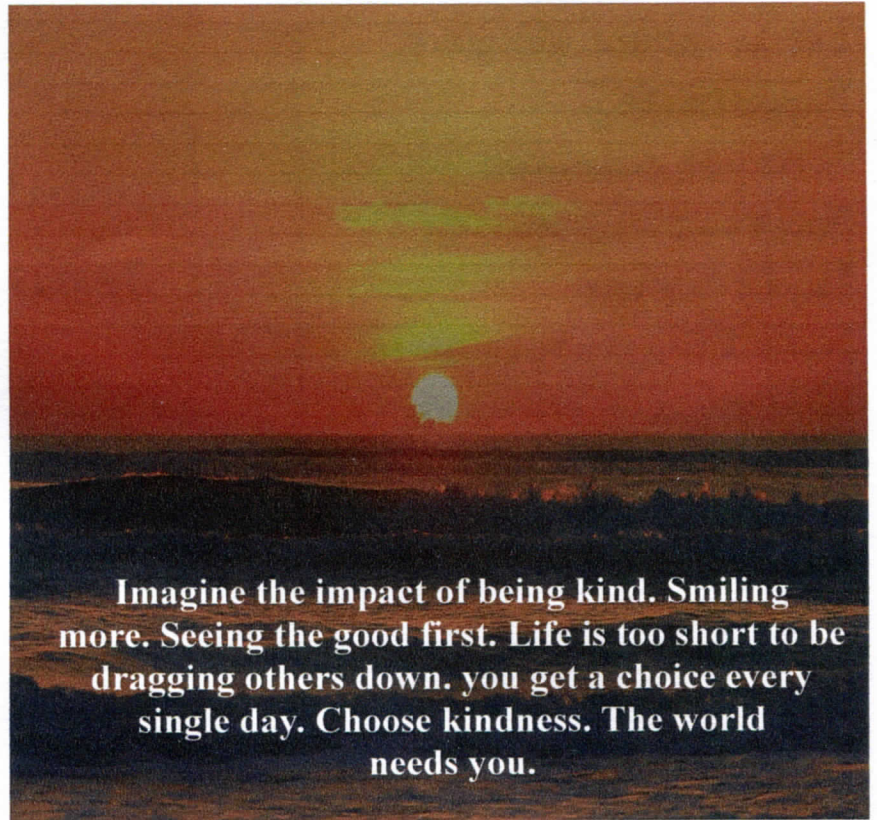
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WEDNESDAY NIGHT. 7:30PM

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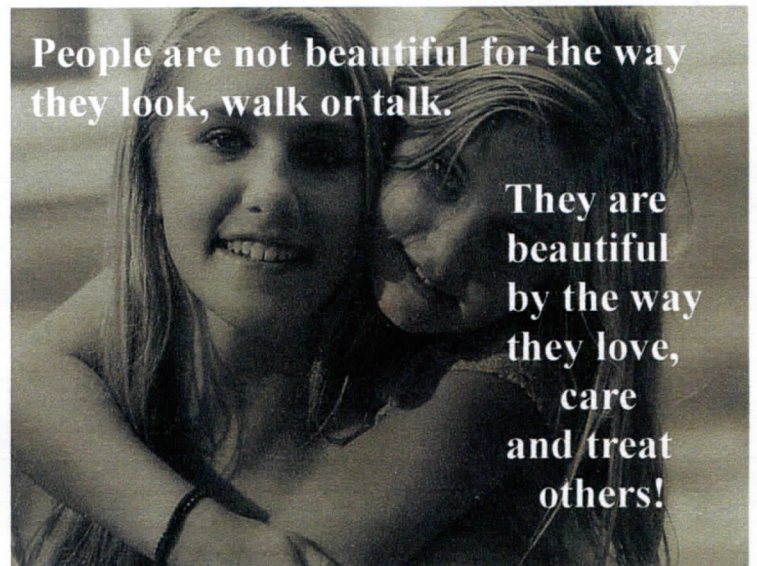
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YOU NEVER KNOW
HOW STRONG YOU
ARE UNTIL, BEING
STRONG IS YOUR
ONLY CHOICE.

*Don't let anyone rent
a space in your head
unless they're a good
tenant.*



Imagine the impact of being kind. Smiling more. Seeing the good first. Life is too short to be dragging others down. you get a choice every single day. Choose kindness. The world needs you.



People are not beautiful for the way they look, walk or talk.

They are beautiful by the way they love, care and treat others!

March 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 BRIAN & JERI	3	4
5 CONFERENCE	6	7	8	9	10	11 WORK
12 SHANNON	13	14 NOVA	15	16	17	18 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS SPRING FORWARD
19 RENEE ASHLEY	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 SANDWICH NIGHT	27	28	29	30	31	