

SPRING HILL CHURCH

APRIL 2023

PRAYER REQUEST:

- > SHARON
- > JASON
- > NICHOLAS
- > FRAN
- > MIKE & MARY
- > TOMMY & ANGIE
- > DON
- > KENNY
- > JAMIE, LACEY & KIDS
- > FREDDY & JO ANN
- > GANNON & HAILEY
- > DALE & DONNA
- > SPRING HILL CHURCH
- > BRUCE & PATSY
- > PATSY'S MOM
- > LAWRENCE & JAN
- > MARK & MICHELLE
- > CODY, LAURA & KIDS
- > SHANNON
- > CHRIS & JENNA
- > ASIAN MISSION
- > THE LOST

THE SECRET THAT LASTS A LIFETIME

I interviewed a couple that just had their 60th wedding anniversary and I asked them one question.

"How does a beautiful couple like yourself keep such a healthy marriage for over 60 years?"

She told me, "Wait right here young man" and she went back to their bedroom and pulled something from a weathered roll top desk.

It was an old worn out Bible.

She said "This right here is what has got us through everything life has thrown at us for the past 60 years."

She went on about how it completely

changed their lives and it taught them numerous things that should be a staple in all relationships this day and age, no matter how long you and your significant other have been together.

She said,,,,,

We learned how to forgive each other.

We rebuilt trust when it was broken.

We always listen to one another.

We apologize for things when we are wrong.

We always make time for each other.

We learned how to communicate.

We always put one another first no matter the circumstance.

We never stopped dating each other.

We always tell each other "I love you" before we go to bed. We always pray for each other daily.

We never make permanent decisions based on our temporary emotions.

She said..."This is just a few things the Bible has taught us."

I decided to ask her one last question.

I said, "After 60 years, are you worried about what tomorrow brings?"

She said something I'll never forget.

She said, "I trust the next chapter of our love story because I know the author,"

Having God in your life should be a staple not only in relationships but in everything you do in your life.

~Cody Bret

Did you know that the Eagle is the only bird that flies directly into a storm?

While other birds "run" from the weather, the Eagle actively engages these stronger winds and, instead of seeking shelter, uses the turbulence to push itself higher.

The storm allows the Eagle to enter a space it can not normally reach in good weather. As a reward for this act of boldness, the Eagle is given a broader view of its surroundings. And, once above the storm, the Eagle is clear of the rough winds, and its flight becomes smoother,,, with less effort.

So embrace change... fly into the storm... and you might just be rewarded with a new point of view and a smoother ride.

ANOINT MY HEAD WITH OIL

When the two ears are put side by side it forms the shape of the heart.

Interestingly, the word 'ear' sits right in the middle of the word 'heart' (h-ear-t). The ear is the way to the heart so if you want someone's heart, learn to listen to them, if you want God's heart learn to listen to him.

*THE MOST
INFLUENTIAL
PERSON IN YOUR
LIFE
IS THE ONE
YOU REFUSE
TO FORGIVE*

I always wondered what this verse from Psalms 23 meant. I thought "He anoints my head with oil" was a figurative language meaning God kept the psalmist healthy. I never knew this parallel.

"You anoint my head with oil" Sheep often get their heads stuck in traps and die trying to untangle themselves. And there are horrible flies that like to torment sheep by laying eggs in their nostrils that then turn into worms and drive the sheep to hit their heads against rocks, sometimes to death. His ears and eyes are also susceptible to the storm of insects. Then the shepherd anoints the whole sheep' head with oil. And just like that the sheep manages to have peace. That oil forms a barrier of pro-

tection against the evil that tries to destroys them. Do you have mental storm moments? Do worrying thoughts invade your mind again and again? Do you bump your head against the wall trying to stop them? Have you ever asked God to anoint your head with oil? He has an endless supply! His oil protects and enables you to fix your heart, mind and eyes on Him...today and always!

There is Peace in the Valley! May our Father anoint your head with oil today and always so that your life may overflow with His Spirit, health and blessings forever!

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and staff they comfort me.

Thou prepares a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

PSALMS 23

DON'T HOLD A GRUDGE. IT'S NOT WORTH THE PAIN.

JESUS

BORN AS A BABY

PREACHED AS A CHILD

**KILLED AS A MAN
AROSE AS A VICTOR**

COMING BACK AS A

KING

If we could all see
into hell for just
one second...

Every altar in
every church would
be flooded with
repentance today.

To be rich is not
what you have in your
bank account,
but what you have
in your
HEART

If you ever get
the chance to treat them
the way they treated you,
I hope you choose to
walk away and do better.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00AM
SUNDAY WORSHIP. 11:00AM
SUNDAY NIGHT. 6:00PM
WEDNESDAY NIGHT. 7:30PM

EVERYONE WELCOME

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Be strong but not rude.

Be kind but not weak.

Be bold but don't bully.

Be humble but not timid.

Be confident but not arrogant.

A lady had a pet snake that she loved very much. The snake was about 7 ft. long and one day it just stopped eating. After several weeks of trying everything the lady still couldn't get the snake to eat. The woman took the snake to the vet and explained her situation. The vet replied "I see...has your snake been sleeping with you at night or snuggling real close and stretching himself out?" The woman said "Yes. Everyday and it makes me so sad that I can't help him feel better."

The vet said to the lady "Ma'am your snake is not sick. It has been preparing to eat you. He's been sizing you up everyday so he knows how big he has to be. He's not eating so he has enough room to digest you.

Moral of the story:

Recognize the snakes around you.

Everyone's intentions aren't pure. Just because they seem close to you, doesn't mean their intentions aren't to devour you.

Some people aren't PRAYING for you, their PREYING on you!!

GOD

**IS STILL THE BEST DOCTOR
AND PRAYER IS STILL THE BEST MEDICINE.**

AMEN

April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 CONFERENCE	8 ANGEL	9 KENDON	10	11	12	13 WORK DAY? <i>(may move to the 27th)</i>
14	15 CARLEIGH	16	17	18	19	20 WHITFIELD PLACE 2:00 PM
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 HOMECOMING FLOYD	29	30				