



II Cor. 3:17 - "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is..."

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DOES IT GRIEVE YOU?

Does it grieve you to know that so many homes are being broken up by divorce, drink, debt, drugs, disease, disrespect, despair, doubt and disobedience? Many homes in America are on the rock and not on the "rock of ages"... Jesus Christ. All other foundations but Jesus are sinking sands, and when the rains and floods come, they will fall. Many of God's people are a disgrace to the family of God... they are conforming to the world, saying what the world is saying, singing what the world is singing, going where the world is going, drinking what the world is drinking, living like the world lives, acting like the world acts, smelling like the world smells, and talking and walking like the world talks and walks. Is this an unfair judgment?

It is impossible to walk with God and in the world at the same time. We cannot serve God and mammon. We cannot walk in light and darkness. We cannot walk with God unless we agree with Him. It is not "our way", but His way. If we are God's property, redeemed by the blood of Jesus, we must walk in the way He chooses. When we try to please God, and at the same time have fellowship with the world, we only bring a reproach on the church and on Christ.

J. Harold Smith

From the Lips of Mil- lionaires Who Were Married to Money

I have made many millions, but they have brought me no happiness. —Rockefeller

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The care of \$200,000,000 is enough to kill anyone. There is no pleasure in it. —Vanderbilt

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I am the most miserable man on earth. —John Jacob Astor

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What can I say? I only know I am desolate. —J. Paul Getty

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I was happier when doing a mechanic's job.

—Henry Ford

In Days Gone By

On Feb. 23, 1836, the first revolver was patented. Samuel Colt was the inventor.
On February 26, 1846, Buffalo Bill was born. His real name was William Cody.
On February 27, 1922, voting by women was declared legal.
On February 28, 1854, the Republican Party was started in Ripon, Wisconsin.

WISDOM

- The law of gravity says no fair jumping up without coming down.
- You can listen to thunder and tell how close you came to getting hit.
- If you don't hear it, you got hit, so never mind.
- A vibration is a motion that cannot make up its mind which way it wants to go.
- It is so hot in some places that the people who live there have to live in other places.
- The word "trousers" is an uncommon noun because it is singular at the top and plural at the bottom.
- Vacuums are nothings. We only mention them to let them know we know they're there.
- One of the main causes of dust is janitors.
- The inhabitants of Moscow are called mosquitoes.
- Rain is saved up in cloud banks.
- Mushrooms always grow in damp places, which is why they look like umbrellas.
- Momentum is something you give to a person when they go away.

WELCOME
to our
5th and 6th
Grade Class!



FROM
FIFTH
AND
SIXTH
GRADERS



- Genetics explains why you look like your father, and if you don't, why you should.
- To keep milk from turning sour, keep it in the cow.
- Some people can tell what time it is by looking at the sun, but I have never been able to make out the numbers.
- When planets run around and around in circles, we say they are orbiting. When people do it, we say they are crazy.
- For asphyxiation, apply artificial respiration until the patient is dead.
- The spinal column is a long bunch of bones. The head sits on the top, and you sit on the bottom.
- I'm not sure how clouds are formed, but clouds know how to do it, and that's the important thing.

The real problem with America is not that the world is walking together with Christianity, but rather, too many Christians are walking with the world.

You talk about your business,

Your bonds, and stocks and gold,
And in all worldly matters

You are so brave and bold.
But why are you so silent

About salvation's plan?
Why don't you speak for Jesus,
And speak out like a man?

You talk about the weather,

And the crops of corn and wheat;
You speak of friends and neighbors

That pass along the street;
You call yourself a Christian,

And like the Gospel plan ...
Then why not speak for Jesus,
And speak out like a man?

Are you ashamed of Jesus,
And the story of the Cross,

That you lower His pure banner
And let it suffer loss?

If not, then live and speak for Jesus,
And speak out like a man!

I must have God!

*I couldn't walk this thorny way
With stone beneath and cloud above,
Or meet the struggle of each day
Without His love.*

I must have God!

*I couldn't stand the hours at night
Or troubled day with all its length,
Or overlook what others say
Without His strength.*

I must have God!

*I couldn't share the grief of those
Who need my help along life's way,
Or comfort one in need of peace
Unless I pray.*

I'M FREE

Don't grieve for me, for now
I'm free.
I'm following the path God
laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard
him call.
I turned my back and left it
all.
I could not stay another day.
To laugh, to love, to work or
play.
Tasks left undone must stay
that way.
I found that peace at close of
day.
If my parting has left a void,
then fill
it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh,
a kiss.
Ah yes, these things I too will
miss.
Be not burdened with times
of sorrow.
I wish, you the sunshine of
tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored
much
Good friends, good times,
a loved one's touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all
too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with
undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share
with me.
God wanted me now; He set
me free.

Car sickness is sometimes
that feeling you get at the
end of the month when the
payment comes due!

Miscellaneous.

Leonard R. Dice, Editor and Asst. Pastor

*STORIES
*EVENTS
*VIEWS
*NEWS



THE SECRET OF WHAT MADE THE DIFFERENCE

A young bride from the East, during World War II, followed her husband to an army camp on the edge of the California desert. The only housing she and her soldier husband could find was a shack near an Indian village. The daytime heat was stifling. The wind blew sand every long and boring day. The only neighbors were the Indians, few of whom spoke English.

To make conditions worse, her husband was ordered farther into the desert for two weeks of military maneuvers. The loneliness and wretched conditions depressed her so much she began to regret coming to live with him. She sat down and wrote a letter to her mother, describing the depressing environment and stating that she was planning to come home.

In a few days she received this terse reply from her mother:

"Two men looked out from prison bars,

One saw mud, the other saw stars."

The young bride read the couplet a dozen times. Suddenly she gathered her spirits. She didn't want to desert her husband. She didn't want to go home. She wanted to see the stars, too.

She made friends with the Indians, asking them to teach her weaving and pottery. They soon responded to her and began to help her in other ways.

She became fascinated with Indian culture and history. She studied the desert and its strange formations, and it turned from being a forbidding enemy to a friendly arena for discovery and fulfillment. She dug in sand hills and found sea-shells! How could such wonders be? She learned the desert had been an ocean floor centuries ago. She reveled in her discoveries—a changed woman.

What had changed? Not the desert, not the Indians. It was her attitude. A searching mind and true grit transformed the soldier's wife even as they lifted the jobless lady who once believed she had no future.

—Jacob Harvey

(Note: How many times this has happened to the wives of missionaries in a foreign country who were depressed about their surrounding and circumstances...until...they changed their attitude, and spent the rest of lives with a people and country they had first hated. Attitude makes a big difference.) —LRD

ALL IT TOOK WAS ONE LETTER OF THE ALPHABET!

"Just one letter of the alphabet makes all the difference between us now, said a recently converted young woman to an unsaved friend, who could not understand the great change that had come over her. "You love the WORLD," she said, "and I love the WORD."

—Word of Life