

THREE THINGS GOD DOESN'T KNOW

1. God doesn't know anyone that He doesn't love. God doesn't look past our sin, but He looks past our sin to love us (Rom. 5:8). It is hard to conceive a love as great as God's love (1 Cor. 2:9-12).
  2. God doesn't know anyone who doesn't need salvation. The wages of our sin is judgment and death (Rom. 6:23). There is no one who has not sinned (Rom. 3:23). Yet, there is no one whom he will not forgive or refuse salvation when the sinner comes to Him in repentance and obedience. (1 Jho. 1:9).
  3. God doesn't know anyone who can save himself. There is none pure enough to merit salvation (Rom. 3:10). In saving our own lives we only lose them (Matt. 12:25). Yet, nothing can separate us from the love of Christ except ourselves (Rom. 8:35-39).
- One more thing; God doesn't know a better time for you to be saved than right now if you are in need of salvation!

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THE REMINDER

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Class.....10:00 A. M.  
 Worship..... 11:00 A. M.  
 Afternoon..... 1:30 A. M.  
WEDNESDAY  
 Ladies' Bible Class..... 11:00 A.M.  
THURSDAY  
 Bible Class..... 6:30 P. M.

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YOU WILL ALWAYS BE WELCOME  
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NEWS AND NOTES

WELCOME VISITORS! Please fill out a visitor's card so we will have a record of your visit.

PRAYER LIST: Ryan (Jessica's son - neurofibromatosis, Kyle and Brad Young-health issues, Deby Maldonado, also her son Michael- health issues, Verdos & Wanda Mullins-heart issues and cancer, also John and Dorothy Callahan their care giver, Rita Blair, Dub Holland, Sarah Hickman, Dick Keith, Cathy Parker and her brother.

SINGING GOSPEL MEETING- Information of bulletin board. July 8<sup>th</sup>, presentation on World Bible School.

July 14<sup>th</sup>, NM Children's Home truck. (Need paper towels).

A SPECIAL THANKS for your care and concerns that you have shown during our time of lose. Also, a special thanks to the ladies for providing the dinner. You went beyond the call of duty to provide such a meal. Everyone enjoyed the food and the time together. A big thanks! --The Robertson family

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JUST FOR THE RECORD Last Week Last Year

SUNDAY:

Bible Class	23	10
Worship	34	29
Evening	23	14
THURSDAY EVENING		
Bible Study	23	12

CONTRIBUTION \$1095.00 \$845.00

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WORDS OF WISDOM

Pray for a faith that will not shrink when it is washed in the waters of affliction.

Some people never get excited over Christianity. The truth is, you can't get excited over something they don't have.

Tact is the unsaid part of what you think.

DON'T GIVE MORE THAN THEY CAN ABSORB

Eurychus in Acts 20:7-13, is a gentle reminder to preachers to be merciful in planning the length of their lessons. Some wise person once observed that the brain can only absorb as much as the seat can endure. The story of Eurychus is a forewarning to those who sleep in worship of embarrassing, even serious things that can happen to them. For example, the song leader who fell into such a deep sleep that the standing congregation had to wait unto someone woke him to lead the invitation hymn. Then, there was the brother who fell out of his metal folding chair, dropped his tape recorder and put new life into the rest of the service.

When I preached in Anthony Kansas, we had a brother who could not stay awake during the sermon, and if he should wake up, there was no telling what he would say. During a gospel meeting, the preacher as the question, "And what would do with a man like that?" About this same time this brother woke up and responded, "Throw him out of the synagogue." You can imagine what the response of the congregation was.

We are reminded of another kind of sleep more dangerous than that of the physical kind. The apostle Paul exhorts: "... already it is time for you to awake out of sleep... the night is far spent, and the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness and let us put on the armor of light" (Romans 13:11-12. "Therefore He says: 'Awake, you who sleep, arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light'" (Ephesians 5:14).

Brethren, we need to awake to the life we live in Christ and its glorious possibilities; awake to duty and it splendid rewards; awake to Christ and His saving power; awake to eternity and the end of life here on earth.

--Floyd

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- What God claims, I yield;
- What I yield, He accepts;
- What He accepts, He fills;
- What He fills, He uses;
- What He uses, He blesses.