



The Harvest Times

GET IN LINE IN '09!

"Get in line brother, if you want to go home!" This was the opening line of the very first song I heard my mom and dad and my family sing together. It was an old quartet song and my dad sang bass. I can hear him singing it so clearly, and immediately my mind is drawn to our current situation. With government officials wanting nothing to do with God in the affairs of men. With the sanctity of life being challenged. And with our moral decline speeding to an all-time low, Jesus said when you

see these things, know that His coming is near. We need to get in line for the Lord's coming, get in line to be counted worthy to escape the destruction that is coming, get in line for God's blessings and deliverance. Get in line brother if you want to go to heaven.

-Pastor Mike Stocks

Baptismals

"...for there is none other name ... whereby we must be saved."



"Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

On December 7, 2008, I had the privilege to baptize my son, Jacob Stephen Scarboro in JESUS name for the remission of sins—or "bad things" as Jacob refers to them. I look forward to baptizing Logan next.

-Bro. Stephen Scarboro



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Words cannot express the joy we felt seeing our two sons being baptized. Although they are young and they may not fully understand the importance of baptism, it was still touching to see their desire to do something that we have taught them is essential to making it to heaven. We are so proud of them!!

- *Joshua Usleman*
- *Justin Bowman*
- *Melody Stone*
- *Ashton Meade*
- *Caden Meade*
- *Jacob Scarboro*
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Members Of The Body



The Tubb Sisters (aka Sisters Heaven, Tonya & Crystal)



Brother Willie Cobbler—our inspirational speaker.



Sis. Crystal and Sis. Tonya—The things we have to do!



Youth at the Scarboro's home playing foot ball and volley ball.

Testimonies and Praise Reports



Praise the Lord everyone!

It has been a great year in the Lord so far. God is moving and souls are being added to his Kingdom. We have again begun with our Ladies Meeting, we had a great time in February, the first for this year, and once a month we will be getting together for a time of fellowship and bible study. Ladies, We can be used of God! Just search out the scriptures and you will find how God used women for his work. "Reach higher, pray harder, study longer and watch God work a great work in your lives!"

"The Main Thing is to Keep the Main Thing the Main Thing"

- Sis. Sharon Stocks

PRAYER CHANGES THINGS!!! BIG MOUNTAINS CAN BE REMOVED!!

We had several drug dealers around my house. I could walk from my house and get anything from a beer to crystal meth and that is just within walking distance. We use to hold (still do some times) a prayer meeting at different homes. Curtis & his family, Sandy & her girls, my mom sometimes, Crystal & Timothy, Ronnie & Michelle, me, Randy and Matt too. I requested prayer & we prayed about it! Not just once but several times. I prayed also on my own. If you get a Thomasville Times last week, you can read about our prayers!! Over 30 arrests were made on the crystal meth charges, one pill pusher that never has been busted and has been doing federal time. One of the dealer's son overdosed on pills & that put them on the down side. Also one dealer has been in a federal prison too, for a long time and will be there for a long time to go. I have one more of his drug dealers that I really want stopped. His name is Jericho!!! Ironic huh. My God is the God of Joshua!!! The walls will come down {{IN JESUS NAME}}!!!!!!! I will let you know when (not if) we win the battle of Jericho. God hears our prayers ask anyone on this prayer group!!!!

"The LORD will hear when I call unto him. He will fulfill the desire of them that fear him: he also will hear their cry, and will save them. I the LORD will hear them, my God will hear me, they shall call on my name, and I will hear them:"

-Sis. Sharie Turner

Announcements

- March 12-13: Ladies Conference
- April 16-17: Youth convention Durham, NC
- May 2: Church cookout and day in the park

Monthly Meetings

Choral Practice —1st Wed.
 Praise Singers— 2nd Wed.
 Ladies Meeting— 3rd Wed.

Birthdays

January - June

Brye Keener - Jan 7
 Peggy Broadstreet - Jan 18
 Joey Caudle - Feb 1
 Brandon Everett - Feb 21
 Aston Meade - Mar 3
 Wendy Turner - Mar 15
 Tonya Scarboro - Mar 16
 Virginia Cummings - Apr 7
 Chris Meade - Apr 7
 Stephen Scarboro - Apr 11
 Melody Stone - Apr 10
 Mason Turner - Apr 12
 Pastor Stocks - May 9

Casie Williams - May 15
 Jacob Scarboro - May 16
 Freedom Keener - May 28
 Daniel Cobbler - May 30
 Caleb Scarboro - Jun 3
 Tyler Stone - Jun 4
 Bryson Turner - Jun 08

Anniversaries

January - June

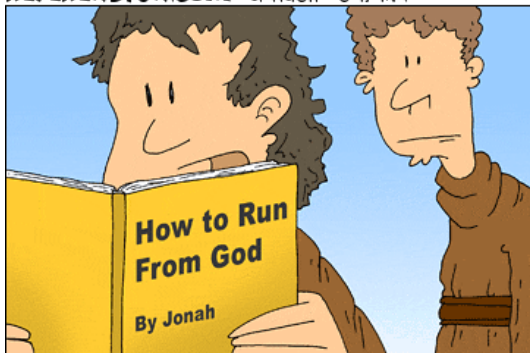
Stephen & Tonya Scarboro - May 13
 Nathan & Wendy Turner - June 24
 Bro. & Sis. Stocks - June 30

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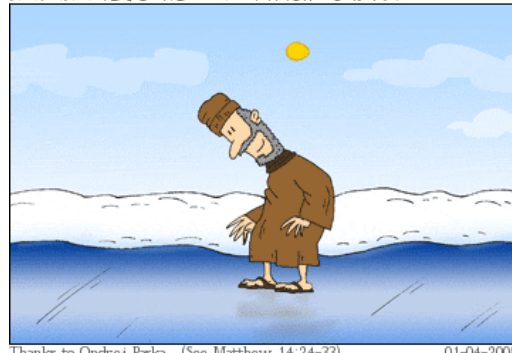
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 IT JUST SAYS "DON'T"

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Thanks to Ondrej Paska (See Matthew 14:24-33) 01-04-2008
 PETER FINDS HIS FAITH TO BE MUCH STRONGER IN THE WINTER



"...With My Song Will I Praise Him..."



Sister Stocks—My favorite song is "Holiness, Holiness is what I long for!, Holiness, Holiness is what I need!" God wants us to be holy, not only in dress, but also the inner man. If we desire to be holy, we will go beyond the norm of what is expected of us! My God is an Awesome God!

Bro. Keener- "Amazing Love"... Because I like the feel of the Holy Ghost when I hear it.

Sis. Heaven- Ummm... This is Hard because I have 2 favorites but I think my most favorite would have to be "I Need You."

Sister Peggy Broadstreet—"Jesus on the Main Line" is my favorite. ...[and]... I like it when people bring the older songs back.

Brother Justin Bowman—"I'm Still Standing"

In God We Trust

- Stephen Scarboro

On November 13, 1861, the Rev. M. R. Watkinson of Pennsylvania sent the following letter to the Secretary of the Treasury:

Dear Sir: You are about to submit your annual report to the Congress respecting the affairs of the national finances. One fact touching our currency has hitherto been seriously overlooked. I mean the recognition of the Almighty God in some form on our coins. You are probably a Christian. What if our Republic were not shattered beyond reconstruction? Would not the antiquaries of succeeding centuries rightly reason from our past that we were a heathen nation? What I propose is that instead of the goddess of liberty we shall have next inside the 13 stars a ring inscribed with the words PERPETUAL UNION; within the ring the allseeing eye, crowned with a halo; beneath this eye the American flag, bearing in its field stars equal to the number of the States united; in the folds of the bars the words GOD, LIBERTY, LAW.

This would make a beautiful coin, to which no possible citizen could object. This would relieve us from the ignominy of heathenism. This would place us openly under the Divine protection we have personally claimed. From my

hearth I have felt our national shame in disowning God as not the least of our present national disasters. To you first I address a subject that must be agitated.

This started the process in which "In God We Trust" begin to appear on the US currency. The sensitive times of the Civil War caused people to see just how weak and helpless "We The People" really were and caused many US citizens to again put their trust in God for strength and help. This helped to strengthen the foundation of our country and democracy as we know it today.

The fear of man bringeth a snare: but whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe. Proverbs 29:25

[It is] better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in man. Psalm 118:8

A Country Funeral

- author unknown

A young minister was asked by a funeral director to hold a grave-side service for a homeless man, with no family or friends. The funeral was to be held in a new cemetery way back in the country, and this man would be the first person to be laid to rest there. As the young minister was not familiar with the backwoods area, he got lost and being like some of the rest of us did not stop and ask for directions.

He finally arrived an hour late. He saw the back hoe and the crew, who were

eating lunch, but the hearse was nowhere in sight. He apologized to the workers for his tardiness, and stepped to the side of the open grave, where he saw the vault lid already in place. He assured the workers that he wouldn't hold them up for long, but this was the proper thing to do.

The workers gathered around, still eating their lunch. And the preacher began. As he preached, some of the workers began to say "Amen", "Praise the Lord", "Glory", and "Halleluiah".

Well, it kind of got him going and sort of got wound up and he preached like he'd never preached before: from Genesis all the way to Revelations.

He closed the lengthy service with a prayer, closed his bible and walked to his car. As he was opening the door and taking off his coat, he overheard one of the workers saying to another, "I ain't never seen anything like that before and I've been puttin' in septic tanks for twenty years."

If you would be interested in giving written feed back or any thought of your own, please send it to me right away! I would love to read anything anyone has to say on this topic or any other!

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