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Weather, Weather everywhere. Everyone seems to be talking about the weather. Weather has very much been in the news here in Hart County and surrounding counties in Kentucky. Snow, freezing rain, more snow along with zero temperatures have created very hazardous conditions.

There were electrical power outages because of freezing rain breaking down power lines. Schools were closed, cancellations, rescheduling of events have been a common occurrence.

I am sure many of you are experiencing much of the same or even worse.

In all this we must not despair, spring will be here soon. Genesis 8:22 "While the earth remaineth, seed time and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter and day and night shall not cease."

God in His infinite wisdom continues to amaze mankind everywhere. Let us praise Him for all His mighty arts of nature.

Psalms 19:1 "The Heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament sheweth His handywork."

Hart County Singing

The Hart County Singing Convention that was scheduled for January 6 at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church was cancelled due to the severe bad weather and has been rescheduled for February 3 at the same place. Everyone in the Uno, Ky. area and surrounding areas are invited to attend. Rev. David South is the pastor. Courtney Spradlin is the President of the Hart County Singing Convention. The guest singers will be the Gloryroad Singers of Greensburg, Ky. Some local groups will also be singing.
President's Corner

Winter, snow, ice, cold temperatures, sometime get us down. But this could be a good time to invite some friends over for some good old fashioned Christian fellowship. You could have a sing-along, or maybe some Bible study. Just counting our blessings can be a great source of joy and happiness in our lives.

Ever have a great idea about having a special singing? Then find out all the groups you were planning to use are already booked. There is a very simple solution. Planning early.

During these winter months when we are not quite as busy, we have time to prayerfully seek God’s Will for guidance in planning revivals, Sunday school rallies, singings, youth rallies and other events. May we use our time wisely. This is God’s gift to us.

If we can be of assistance here at Gospel Reaching Out, feel free to call or write. May God bless each of you is our prayer. Continue to pray that we will be able to Reach Out to many more people in this another year.

Haskell McCubbins, Pres.
Gospel Reaching Out
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The winner this month of a free gospel album is: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Womack, 1717 S. Sunrise, Bowling Green, Ky. 42101.

Singing Cancelled

Due to the severe winter weather we are experiencing here in Kentucky and surrounding states, the singings have been suspended at the Hodgenville Pentecostal Church. The singings will resume at such time when the weather permits us to have larger crowds. Keep watching Gospel Reaching Out and local news sources for future announcements.

GOSPEL SINGING

February 25 - 3:00 P.M.

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What's Happening

The singings at The Hodgenville Pentecostal Church have been cancelled at the present time due to the severe bad weather in this area. Watch your local papers and Gospel Reaching Out for further information on these singings.

We are hoping that this New Year will bring happiness to all of you that read Gospel Reaching Out. We have had a bad winter with three deaths in our family in seven weeks. My brother Oscar Norris of Burkesville died December 17 of a heart attack. So give us your prayers. We have not taken any appointments for January due to this bad winter weather. We had a good singing December 31 at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church at Gold City, Ky. We thank all the people for being so nice to us. Love and Prayers, Earl Norris.

The regular first Saturday night singing will be held at Grace Union Baptist Church in Metcalfe County February 3 beginning at 6:30. Guest singers will be The Faith Singers. All other singers and the public are invited.

On February 3rd, the Bethlehem Baptist Church will be hosting a showing of a film, 'The Hiding Place' at Green County High School, 6:30 C.S.T. Rev. Gary Ervin, pastor invites everyone to come to the showing of this Christian film in Green County.

The Gospel Editions of Louisville, Ky. will be singing for the morning worship service at the Bethlehem Baptist Church on February 18, 11:00 a.m. C.S.T. Rev. Gary Ervin and the Bethlehem Baptist Church cordially invite all members and visitors to attend.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Gospel Reaching Out,

There is my money for another year for the paper. My husband and I enjoy it each month reading about the Gospel Groups. We would like to have more singing around Louisville where we could go. We do go to some far away. But can't go to them all. That is what we look for in the paper first to see if there is any singing around Louisville. We do love good Gospel Singings and pray for the singers May they keep up the good works for the Lord. May the Lord Bless, is our Prayers.

Mr. & Mrs. C.E. Tarter
Louisville, Ky.

Dear Editor,

We read Gospel Reaching Out and was very impressed with it. We are a husband and wife Evangelistic team. Our purpose is witnessing for Christ in song. His word and testimony. Pray for us as we go about doing God's Will.

Your Friends in Christ,
Robert & Mona Darnell
Elizabethtown, Ky.

Dear G.R.O.

I wish you could have a write up on the annual singing in the Smokies each year. I feel sure that a few subscribers to your paper attend this event. It is something out of this world. Thank you. Keep up the good work. God bless you.

The DeBells.
Rt. 1
Cox's Creek, Ky. 40013

The Bradshaw Family

The singing Bradshaw Family has just returned from Frankfort, Ind. where they enjoyed a great spiritual revival. God is really blessing in 1979. We had a wonderful time with the Fairhaven Church. We will return to Fairhaven for another revival April 6.

Coming Events From Green County

The Bethlehem Baptist Church will be having some special singings in the coming months with some of the nations top professional groups coming.

On April 15, Easter Sunday morning, The Telestials will be there. In July the Thrasher Brothers. In September the Rex Nelson Singers. In November the Kingsmen will be returning for another big sing.

Make plans now to attend one of these singing at The Bethlehem Baptist Church.

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The Bracelet
(taken from Guideposts)

Jenny's birthday party had to be special this year. Her father was dead, and as her mother I wanted to make up the loss to her. So did friends and relatives. The gifts piled high. A tiny gold bracelet with "Ten Commandments" charms became her immediate favorite. She wore it as she and her cousins went out to play.

"You might lose it, Jenny," I warned. No more losses. God, I thought silently. We can't stand any more losses. Even small ones.

I joined my young sister and her husband in the living room. They sat close together, hands entwined and smiling. The way Dave and I used to do. Their intimacy seemed complete and exclusive. I felt stirrings of pain. They're ignoring the other guests, I thought irritably. And then another thought came.

It isn't fair that they're together and I'm alone. There it was. Envy. The words struck like a bolt of lightning.

"Mom," Jenny called running in. "The catch opened and I lost my bracelet. Help me find it, Mom."

Grateful for the chance to hide my face and feelings, I went outside and dug through leaves and flowers. We found the chain quickly, but one of the charms was missing. On my knees in the grass I hunted. At last a glimmer caught my eye. The tenth charm. I picked it up. Tiny engraved letters on gold: "Thou shalt not covet."

Everything became still. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's happiness, I thought. Or thy sister's joy. I walked slowly back into the living room and stood looking at them. I felt their love, and suddenly its warmth seemed to draw me in. Quickly I bent down and kissed my sister's cheek.

Doris Haase, Burbank, California

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Recipes

7-UP CAKE
1 box lemon supreme cake mix
1 small box pineapple instant pudding mix
¾ cup Wesson oil
4 whole eggs
Mix all together, then add 1-10 oz. bottle 7-Up. Beat well and pour into 3 - eight inch round cake pans that have been greased and floured. Bake at 325 degrees for 30 minutes.

Icing
1 small can crushed pineapple
1 stick margarine
2 teaspoons flour
2 whole eggs
1½ cups white sugar
Mix sugar and flour, then add eggs (beat 3 minutes). Add pineapple and butter. Cook over low heat until thick, when cool, add 1 can Angel Flake coconut. Spread on cake.

BANANA SPLIT CAKE
Mix 2 cups graham crackers crumbs and 1 stick of melted margarine, press into an oblong baking dish. Pour over crumbs mixture 1 large can crushed pineapples, (well drained). Mix together 2 eggs, 1 stick melted margarine and 3 cups powdered sugar, and pour over pineapple. Slice 3 bananas over sugar mixture. Spread one large carton of Cool Whip over bananas, sprinkle a few crumbs over all, chill thoroughly.

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News From Crites Family

Greetings to all our friends and neighbors in Christ:

We pray you all had a nice Christmas and that the new year will bring much peace and happiness to each of you.

We were in a wonderful New Year's Eve service. God blessed in a great way and at 12:00 midnight we were all praying around the altar. We are so thankful for the year 1978. God blessed us in so many ways and as we look back we can see so many lessons the Lord taught us. The year 1978 was a very busy year for us. We are so thankful for all the new people we came in contact with.

We are already beginning to see our summer dates filled, so if you would like to have the Crites Family Gospel Travelers in your area, I would suggest you contact us as soon as you can. We would love to come your way.

On February 25, we are having a Gospel Singing at the Little Nashville Opry House on State Road No. 46 South of Nashville, Ind. The following groups will be there: The Gospel Light Singers from Indianapolis, Indiana; The Thrasher Brothers from Birmingham, Alabama; and The Crites Family Gospel Travelers from Bloomington, Indiana.

We have a special treat coming up for all you people who like Gospel Singing on a boat.

On April 28, we will have our first Gospel Singing of the year on the Belle of Louisville ship. We go aboard at 12:00 Noon. The following groups will be on the ship: The Pathways from Sandusky, Ohio; The Gospel Light Singers from Indianapolis, Indiana; and the Crites Family Gospel Travelers from Bloomington, Indiana.

The ship cruises down the Ohio while you sit back and relax and enjoy some good old time Gospel Singing so do come and join us for an evening of fellowship and sharing. We know you will enjoy it.

Again may we say thank you from all the Crites Family. Gospel Travelers for being so good to us in year 1978 and we hope to come your way in 1979.

The Crites Family Gospel Travelers

Card Of Thanks

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your prayers and support during my illness. After a few short days in the hospital I was released to come home. I am doing fine now, thanks to the good Lord and to you for all your prayers. May God bless each one of you. We hope to see you all soon.

Haskell McCubbins of The McCubbins Family