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Vol 9, No 12.

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DECEMBER 1981



To all our dearest friends, go heartfelt wishes for a season rich with love and joy, and blessed with warmth and contentment.

From all the Staff Gospel Reaching Out



McCubbins-Tharp Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell McCubbins announce the engagement forthcoming marriage of their oldest daughter, Jane Ann, to Mr. Barry Tharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tharp.

The wedding will be at the Munfordville Baptist Church on December 19, 1981, at 6:30 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Jane Ann is a student at Western. Kentucky University and Barry graduated from Western in 1980 and is employed by the Hart County Board of Education.

Watch Night Service

There will be a Watch Night Service at The Lone Oak Baptist Church in Hart County on December 31 beginning at 7:30. The Cavelanders and The McCubbins Family will be singing. There will also be some guest speakers. Everyone is coridally invited to attend.

Hart Co. Singing

The Hart Co. singing will be held on December 5 at The Monroe Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m. The Stewards of The King will be the guest singers. Courtney Spradlin. president, invites everyone to attend.

"Early Deadline Next Month"

We urge all groups to send in news articles, advs., and dates by the 10th of December due to Christmas Holidays - thanks The Editor

From The President

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Peace on earth good will toward men.

May the same spirit that was felt on that special night be in our hearts both now and throughout the years.

On behalf of the staff of G.R.O. we wish you a very Merry Christmas.

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Haskell McCubbins, president.

Grace Union Singing

The regular monthly singing of the Grace Union Baptist Church in Metcalfe Co. will be held on December 5. Inspirational IV will be the guest singers. Sherman Hurt is the president. Service begins

A watch night service will be held at the Grace Union Baptist Church on New Year's Eve, December 31 in Metcalfe Co. and will feature The Joyful Four, Seminary Quartet, The Spirits and The Spirituals.

Everyone is urged to attend. Services begin at 6:00.

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The dinner will start at about 6 p.m., Central Standard Time (Munfordville time). Then the singing will get underway at about 7:15 p.m., C.S.T.

The guest singers will be THE SPIRITUALS OF EDMONTON, KEN-TUCKY; THE CHOSEN GENERATION AND THE GOSPEL LIGHTS both from Glasgow, Ky.

This will be the FIRST concert EVER in the Green County area for the Chosen Generation and the Gospel Lights.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the meal may feel free to bring a dish of your favorite food. HOWEVER, it is UNN-CESSARY for anyone to bring any kind of food. We want the public to feel free to come and be with us in this great service.

PLEASE let me definitely say once

again that YOU DO NOT have to bring any food at all, unless you wish to.

We want to invite all of our many friends, and neighbors in the Gospel Reaching Out area to come and be with us. You're always welcome to worship with us at anytime at Old Salem.

Bro. Chester VanDyke of Campbellsville, is our supply pastor. Mrs. Victora Davis is session clerk. Mr. Billy Holland is our Sunday School Superintendent. The elders of the church are Edwin Holland, Ernest Simpson, and Winfred L. Noe.

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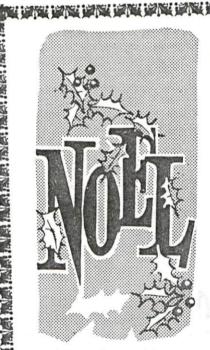
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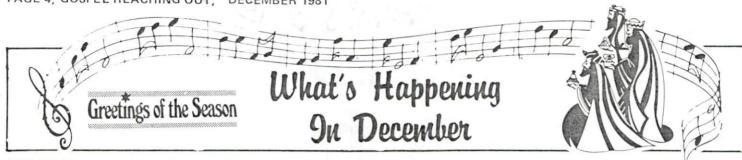
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December 4 - West Union, Ohio, community building, 8 p.m.

December 13 - Aberdeen, Ohio, Enon Christian Church, 10 a.m.

December 17 - West Union, Ohio, T.V. Taping, 7 p.m.

December 18 - West Union, Ohio, Cable T.V., 8:30 p.m.

December 31 - South Shore, Kentucky, Church of God, 8 p.m.

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Saturday, December 3 - Will be in Bowling Green at 10th St. Baptist Church

Sunday, December 6 - At Madison, Tennessee at Madison Missionary Baptist Church at 2 p.m.

Sunday night, December 6 - Bays Fork, Ky.

December 31 (New Years Eve) will be at Faith Baptist Church in Bowling Green.

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December 5 - Hart County Singing, Monroe Baptist.

December 6 - WAIN Radio, Columbia, 9:30.

December 6 - Sparksville Baptist, 11:00 December 12 - Log Cabin Pentecostal Church, New Salsbury Indiana, 6:00

December 13 - Lowell General Baptist, Columbus, Indiana, 10:00

December 14 - Homewood Rest Home, Glasgow, 6:30

December 15 - Barren County Rest Home, Glasgow, 7:00

December 17 - Abundant Life Rest Home, Glasgow, 7:00

December 22 - I.C.F. Institution, Glasgow, 7:00

December 31 - Cain Valley Baptist, Columbia, 8:00

January 2 - Knob Lick General Baptist, 7:30

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December 1-30 - Time off to prepare for Jane Ann McCubbin's wedding, which will be held at Munfordville Baptist Church December 19 at 6:30 (announcement in paper)

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Also Lucindy, Sherice's and Jane Ann's birthdays are in December. Lucindy - December 9, Sherice - December 18, Jane Ann - December 30.

December 31 - Lone Oak Baptist Church Watch Night Service, Hart County.

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Nov. 29 - Trinity United Methodist Church, Wayne St., Columbia, Ky. - 7:00 C.S.T.

Dec. 5 - Beckham Ridge Separate Baptist Church, Russell Springs, Ky., pastor Donnie Smith - 6:30 C.S.T.

6th Charity Baptist Church, Homesbend Rd., Columbia, Ky. 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Dec. 12 - open

Dec. 13 - Purdy Separate Baptist, Highway 206, Columbia, Ky. - 6:30 slow time, Clifton Cowans, pastor.

Dec. 19 and 20 - open

Dec. 31 - Walnut Hill Separate Baptist Church, Highway 127, Liberty, Ky. - 7:00 E.S.T.

Dec. 31 - Miller Fields Brethren in Christ Watch Night Service with other groups, pastor Ervin Parker, Highway 76, Columbia, Ky. - 8:00 C.S.T.

Jan. 17, 1982 - First Assembly of God, Jamestown St., Columbia, Ky., Steven Burd, pastor - 10:00 a.m. C.S.T.

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Dec. 12 - Tracy Meth. Church, Tracy, Ky. 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 13 - General Baptist 10th St., Bowling Green, Ky. 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 31 - Rayon City Baptist Church, Old Hickory, Tenn., 7:00 p.m.

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Dec. 5 - Barren Co. Gospel Singing - 7:00 p.m. - Lera B. Mitchell Clubhouse, Glasgow.

Dec. 13 - Bear Creek Meth. Church - 6:30 p.m. - (Burksville area)

Dec. 26 - Old Fashion General Baptist - 7:00 p.m. - Knob Lick, in Metcalfe Co.

Dec. 31 - Grace Union Baptist Church - 8:00 p.m. New Year's Eve singing.(near Edmonton.)

Jan. 10 - Dover Baptist Church - 6:30 p.m. (near Mt. Hermon)

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Dec. 6 - Arthritis Foundation, First General Baptist Church, Madisonville, Kentucky - 2:00 p.m.

Dec. 12 - Countryview Baptist Church, Henderson, Kentucky - 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 19 - First Baptist Church, Crete, Illinois - 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 20 - First Baptist Church, Crete, Illinois - 10:00 a.m.

Dec. 31 - Cornerstone Baptist Church, Madisonville, Kentucky - 8:00 p.m.

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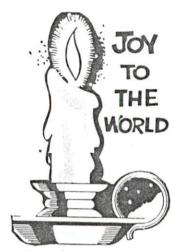
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They sing around forty weekends a year and have sung in Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, and Tennessee.

The Singing Jolly's sing mostly southern gospel music.

Dennis has been singing gospel since 1966, starting at the age of 15, has sung and traveled with six different groups. After meeting and marrying his wife Annabelle, they started traveling as a husband and wife team, and occasionally adding their son Troy.

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We have been singing approximately two years.

We sing nearly every weekend, sometimes as many as five dates. Most of our bookings are presently in Kentucky, Indiana and Tennessee but our schedule for next year also includes Virginia, Florida, N. Carolina, and possibly other states. (Garry preaches "gobs" of revivals also).

Our "sound" is basically southerngospel with a touch of variety as we write a lot of our own songs. We are developing our own unique style, we feel.

We use only the piano at present, and it is played by Bobby Lee. Bobby started at the age of 6 and spent hours and hours learning mostly on his own to develop his Godgiven talent for the keyboard and music in general. He has played in recent years for his high school choir, for weddings,

funerals, churches, various groups including the "Telestials" of Nashville, Tennessee (a full-time group) and presently teaches nearly 60 piano students at his Columbia home.

The group originally started as a part of the "Polston Family" when Garry sang with his twin brother Larry, and their mom and dad, well-known and highly respected singers in the Ky. area. To make a long story short, Mom and Dad had about decided to retire from the road in their older age and thus grew out of this group "The Brotherhood Quartet." Bobby, who had gone to Nashville to play for the "Telestials" came back to work with the group and to promote a dream that is becoming a reality - to have a full-time evangelistic team that travels for the Lord, winning to lost to Christ, thus both preaching and singing. Garry Polston, who had pastored in the Meth. church gave up his pulpit and is now a full-time evangelist. Larry Polston went on to sing with Mom and Dad and Kenny, Allen and Don were later added to the group as the "Brotherhood Quartet."

Garry occasionally takes some schooling in the Methodist Church organization but most of us are working at jobs through the week.

The "Round Man" is thus named (and has been for years) because he is F.A.T. All of us have a sort of second name (except Bobby) and they are "Body Man" (Don Parker who used to work and still does, in his body shop, painting cars, etc.), the old "Body Guard" is Kenny Roberts, who used to be a wrestling champ in school, and "Big Al" Allen Wiggington. As for Bobby, he sprays his hair with Lysol! (by mistake once when taking pictures in the studio).

We presently use a step-van (bread truck) you might say, that is quite comfortable but just doesn't enough room.

We are very serious about our ministry and its goals for the "soul" purpose. We are writers, singers, preachers (only Gary is a preacher) and determined to succeed in our efforts in this evangelistic team.

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