BIBLE TRIVIA

- 1.) Why did Daniel refuse to eat the king's food?
- 2.) Before Joshua died what decision did he ask the Israelite people to make?
- 3.) Who was Abraham's second wife?
- 4.) Which of the following cities did the Israelites build while slaves in Egypt?
- 5.) In the parable of the sower, what happened to the seed that fell on the rocky ground?

SERMONS FOR SUNDAY



A.M. Jamie Cobb "Let us Alone" (John 15:18-27)

P.M. Jamie Cobb "In the wilderness" (Exodus 16:2-4)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE DEVOTIONAL

Welcome Visitors

We want to personally thank you for joining us today. It is our prayer you leave our worship service with an uplifted spirit. Below is what you can expect during our services.

SINGING: Non-instrumental singing plays a great part of our worship services. We hope that you will find this to be an uplifting praise to the Lord. (Eph. 5:19)

LORD'S SUPPER: Each Sunday we observe the Lord's Supper, which reflects on the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord Jesus, and the hope of everlasting life we now can live through Him. (I Cor. 11:23-26)

CONTRIBUTION: During the service, we as members are given the opportunity to give a portion of what God has given us. This money is used to support the church and to help spread God's Word. (I Cor. 16:2

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.



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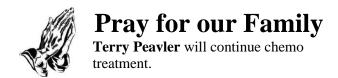
Some of the Traits Possessed by a Real Friend

King David is often remembered for his sin with Bathsheba, his victory against Goliath, or as "the man after God's own heart." Few take the time to reflect upon David's unconditional friendship with Jonathan, though the study proves to be immeasurably beneficial for those seeking true friendships. Friends and companions are often what make this life tolerable and enjoyable. They are a blessing from God that remind us that we are not alone and that we have a constant avenue of consolation. Consider some quick observations from Jonathan and David's friendship.

1. Jonathan was persistent for David (1 Samuel

18:1-4). The world and its opportunities allot for us to become "royal" in our own minds. True friendship must be willing to give up whatever it is that causes one to think this way, in order to help someone else. Jonathan was Saul's son which means he was heir to the throne. Rather than seeking to get rid of David who was competition to the throne, he helped his friend. True friends do not allow ego to interfere with their actions. Jonathan's persistency in his love toward David is incredibly remarkable. "Jonathan took off the robe he was wearing and gave it to David..."

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Donald Jones (Angela's brother) has a blood clot in the neck and will be treated with meds for now.

Queen Daily will be having surgery soon on her leg.

Debbie White daughter in law **Aubrin's** liver is not functioning and she may need a transplant.

Clarence Phillips awaiting results from recent tests.

Shundrea Jones (Angela's daughter) is expecting a **baby girl** in January. Please pray for a healthy pregnancy and healthy mom and baby.

Doug Allee is home he has good and bad days he is scheduled to go to MD Anderson the 14th. Please continue to keep Doug and Linda in prayers.

Please remember: Chloe Phillips, Erin LeDoux (COBB), Krystal Spearman, Joe Silva, Queen Daily, Cliff Redmond, Sandra Collins, Ira Goode, Sandra Frasier, Tywanna Williams, Karen Gentry, Yvonne Warner, Pattie Yazell, Andrea Rucker, Jackie Crawford, Michael Howsley, Lydia Walden, Emileigh Marsh, Doug & Linda Allee, Susan Wyche, Mark Florez, Linda Carpenter, Russel Dukes Jr, Scott Warren and ALL of the first responders and police.

Diaper Drive

Shundrea Jones is expecting a baby girl in January, Kamilla Ann



Starting Wednesday October 12th through Wednesday December 14th we will be collecting the following:

Baby diapers newborn to a year

Baby wipes

Sunday Morning Class Study "Overview of the book of Acts" (Acts 11-12)

Bible Trivia Answers

- 1.) Daniel 1:8
- 2.) Joshua 24:15
- 3.) Genesis 25:1
- 4.) Exodus 1:1
- 5.) Mark 4:5-6

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2. Jonathan was consistent for David (1 Samuel 19:1-5).

David was growing in success and Saul's jealousy of him grew more intense by chapter 19; he was ready to end David's life. It is in this section of scripture that we find Jonathan protecting David from his dad's wrath. Jonathan even takes it a step further by speaking well on David's behalf. An authentic friend doesn't speak badly of someone behind their back, even when it's the easy way out. Jonathan consistently spoke highly of David, no matter who it was or when it was. Unconditional friendship is that which always seeks the elevation of the other individual. "Jonathan spoke well of David..."

3. Jonathan was present for David (1 Samuel 20:1-4).

Finding fair-weather friends is easy. On the contrary, discovering companions that stick around when the storms brew are invaluable blessings. David was being rocked by quite the hurricane of life, yet Jonathan assured David that he was going to be there for him no matter what the circumstance was. At this point in 1 Samuel, there was a hostile relationship between David and Saul. Jonathan was unfortunately caught in the middle of it, but he wasn't willing to back down. "Jonathan said to David, 'Whatever you say, I will do it for you..."

These traits found in Jonathan are some of the finest traits that a friend can have. More than that, we see these same traits in our Savior. He is our friend (John 15:15). He gave up his royal attire on our behalf (Philippians 2:5-9). He defends us (1 John 2:1-21). He is there, no matter what the cost (Mark 15). By taking on the role of a genuine friend to others, we emulate the actions found by the Son of God. It was Jesus who commanded us to love our neighbor as ourself, and it is on this very basis that Jonathan committed himself to David: "he loved him as his own soul" (1 Sam 18:1).

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