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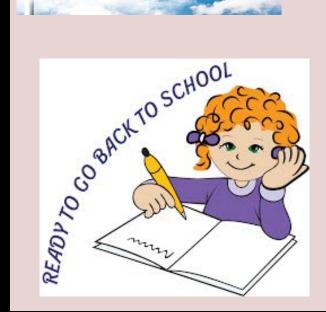
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Watch for these circulars in your area for this week!

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"New Community" Josh and Jen were, once gain, having a dispute over

again, having a dispute over who should run for president of their Community Club, who was responsible, who would help with projects - - etc., etc. The two had been chosen to be on the nominating committee mainly because they knew everyone and Josh - was president in the community he lived in before moving to - - weren't sure of the name of the community, it was newly formed - - about 20 miles from a big city and they wanted their own name.

People were moving in from other areas an d they

were just a little weary of each other. Needless to say there was a lot of work to be done - - how can we bring these people together when we don't even know their names. Even the children are realizing they are different then us. Josh and Jen definitely had their work cut out for them.

Seems like that was their total concentration - - then one day, as into discussing and fuming, their little one, Sammy, just happened to sneak out the front door. "Time to eat Sammy" hollered Jen - - no response. Looking everywhere, they found nothing. One last place to look - Sammy had fallen into an old sewage hole.

Josh grabbed his ladder, tripped and broke the ladder - - then heavy rains that were predicted began to fall - - not just drops but torrents of rain.

News spread fast about little Sammy. Soon the neighbors came out in the rain - - one after another, they came - - flood waters predicted - how can we protect little Sammy - -. One by one ideas were shared - - put tent over hole until we can reach her - - one person had tent



- more rain - - water coming down gutters - -.

Next idea, sand bagging around hole - - children, parents, grandparents all came to help - - a wall was built around the hole - - not a sound from Sammy - - is she okay - - find ladders - - ropes - -.

Work went on through the afternoon, rain pouring down, everyone standing, waiting, praying as firemen lowered their ladders - slowly reaching the bottom - - no Sammy!

Then a cry from a near by old pickup, left years ago in the bushes - - Sammy lifted her head and smiled. The soaked crowd cheered.

Josh and Jens discussions on who should be president diminished as the community all agreed.

This would be the name of their community - - "Together." For they realized they were all presidents when they offered to help, they were presidents when it didn't matter who they were, they were all presidents when they work together - -.

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Writers this week focus on time - time spent with self and each other. Good week to reflect on last weeks with children before schgool starts. Last weeks with farmers/ ranchers before they will soon be in full swing of harvest - -.

Take this week, enjoy your time together - and maybe if a little time you could make a church stop and thank the One who gave you this week to spend quality time with each other.



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bowmantheater@gmail.com

Sound of Freedom Rated: PG-13 · Run time: 2 hours 15 min.



Aug. 4th - 8th and Aug. 11th - 15th

Friday • 7:30pm Saturday • 7:30pm Sunday • 2pm & 6:30pm Monday • 6:30pm (Showing w/Closed Captions) Tuesday • 7:30pm

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9/22); Paw Patrol: The Mighty Movie (9/29 & 10/6)
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in conjunction with the Grant County Fair! Saturday, August 19, 2023

9:00-3:00 pm (all times MOUNTAIN TIME)



Registration: 9-11am Hole-in-One: 10am-1pm Burnout Contest: 12pm Awards Presentation: 2pm

Registration Entry fee: \$10





For more information, contact Dan Stewart (701) 226-8566 rodsnrock@amail.com

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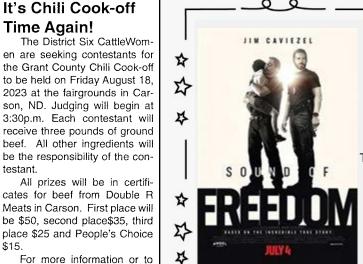
## 125th Anniversary of The Old Stone Church August 6th, at 12:00 PM MSDT (noon) at Stone Church

Located 7 miles north of Elgin on Highway 49 and 1 mile west on 63rd Street.

Pastor HarriSon, from the Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church will conduct a service with singing & memories from former members. Following the service will be a potluck picnic, fellowship & singing by Karen Weber. Please bring a dish to pass. All other items will be provided. Please help us honor this National

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Contact Colleen Vetter for details 701.220.6585



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Playhouse Theater 1318 Brown Ave · Mott, ND August 4-6

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## Sound of Freedom

PG-13 - 2hr 11 min

The incredible true story of a former government agent turned vigilante who embarks on a dangerous mission to rescue hundreds of children from sex traffickers.

Upcoming:

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Mission Impossible-Dead Reckoning-Part One Barbie

The Haunted Mansion



## Annual Danny Hauge TRACTOR TREK

10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. MT

Line up at Prairie Pit Stop (located on Main Street in Carson.)

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Bowman County Elementary Schools OPEN HOUSE for families in grade K-6th

August 21st · 4:00pm - 5:00pm Enter through MS Office Poor #12

Rhame Campus August 21st • 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Title 1 Parent Meeting will be held on Bowman Campus at 4:45pm in MS Commons Area

## ~NOTICE ~

thru 8-12

The Mott/Regent school board meeting on August 9, 2023 will be held at 7:00 a.m. instead of 7:00 p.m.

## Department Annual Burgers,

**Brats and Roast Beef** 

August 4th - 13th, 2023

10am - 8pm (or thereabouts)

The grill will be hot and the cooler chilling! Bring the family, come alone, or meet somebody there.

#### **Adams County Farmers Union** Sponsored A Vitalant Blood Drive July 25

45 donors participated that resulted in 35 procedures, of these, 13 doubles were donat-

ed. Contributing to the success of this drive were the Hettinger Research Center, Dakota Plains Credit Union, Kennedy's Super Value, Pepsi Cola, Cindy Vik, Bruce and Cheryl Hagen, Arlene Walch, and most importantly, the donors! Thanks you all during this urgent need.

## **Mott/Regent Public School**



Would like to welcome you Back to School

Community/Parent Picnic

Tuesday, August 15 from 4:30-6:00 in the lunchroom.

All are welcome!

## **Mott Food Pantry FOR MOTT AREA ONLY**

212 Iowa Ave. (located in the alley) will be open Friday, August 11, 2023 12:00 Noon until 1:00 PM

Any questions call 824-3209

**Scranton Lions Burgers in the Park** 4 Wednesday, August 9th

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> Donate via Venmo: @meowserscatrescue

#### **Featured Cat: Mocha**

Birthdate: 2/19/2021 (estimated) Vetting: Vaccinated, dewormed. FeLV/FIV tested,

**Sex:** Female (Spayed)

flea/ear mite treated

Color: Tortoiseshell

· Donate clumping litter and Purina cat food

**Announcements** 

· Be a featured sponsor

 Adopt, foster, or volunteer today Trapping in Bowman & Scranton this month

Mocha is a very VOCAL girl. She loves humans, but gets very sassy with other cats. She just wants to be the Queen of her own castle ;)

We are looking to relocate ASAP! Let us know if you have a property, preferably along one of the highways right out of town, that you would be willing to sell on payments while we apply for and receive grants.

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# What can you do to promote world peace? Go home and love your family.





Placemakers Hosts
5th Annual Live at
the Lake Concert

Series Lemmon, SD
For the fifth year in a row, music series "Live at the Lake" will be held at Shadehill Reservoir. The outdoor concerts, to be held Saturdays in August from 6-8 pm, have been a big success for the past two years. This year, new faces from the area will take the stage to offer up a fun variety of musical genres.

The line-up includes:
August 5 Russell King and
Konnie Hoffman

August 12 David Paul August 26 Missin' Spokes

The concerts will be held on Ketterling's Point at the day use shelter. People are asked to bring their own chairs or blankets to sit on and be prepared to spend a fun evening outdoors. The musical acts are sponsored by local businesses and individuals and are free to the public,

but a SD State Park entrance fee is required. T-shirts will once again be available to purchase during the concert series.

Saturday August 19 will be the Thunderhawk Wide Open gravel bike race, with live music in the afternoon and evening at the Kokomo Inn Sculpture Garden in Lemmon. All live music lovers are encouraged to come into town to enjoy food and music for the after-race party. No musicians will be at the lake on that date.

For more information, call or text Judy Larson at 701-928-1195 or contact Placemakers via Facebook Messenger.

Group Information - Founded in late 2017, Placemakers creates a space for makers and do-ers to share ideas, collaborate, build relationships and use their varied talents for the good of the group and the community. Like their page on Facebook or follow them on Instagram by searching for Placemakers Coop.



Card Shower for

Bud Hawarson

Happy 90th Birthday

Please join in celebrating his birthday on August 14th by sending a card to:

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ABBY ELIZABETH SMYLE

**SATURDAY, 12 AUGUST 2023** 

4:00PM MST

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**Prayer** 



A Prayer To The Blessed Virgin

(Never Known to Fail)
Oh most beautiful flower of
Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor
of Heaven. Blessed Mother of the
Son of God, Immaculate Virgin,
assist me in my necessity. Oh
Star of the Sea, help me and
show me you are my Mother.

Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth. I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity (make request).

There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary, conceived without sin pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times).

Holy Mary, I place this prayer in your hands (three times). Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted to you.

Grateful thanks.

go at what I do as if there were nothing else in the world for me to do.

## Time is our most valuable asset, yet we tend to waste it, kill it, and spend it rather than invest it.

#### **WRHS** Foundation **Asking for Grant Applications To** Pay Forward \$10K To Area **Communities for Healthy Activities!**

By Ted Uecker, WRHS Foundation

Thanks to fabulous community support via sponsoring, running, walking, and purchasing thousands of raffle and bucket draw tickets, the West River Health Services Foundation raised over \$15,000 gross from its 35th Annual "Fun Run & Walk" event on the 4th of July! After expenses, over \$11,000 was netted, so the WRHS Fun Run & Walk Committee has decided to hold back \$1,000 for next year's event and pay forward \$10,000! You read that

right - your local WRHS Foundation is giving back \$10,000 of its Fun Run & Walk net funds to area communities for healthy activities!

How does this affect you? If you know of any healthy activities you'd like to see funded within the WRHS service area, between now and September 15th, you or your organization can go to our wrhs.com website and look for "Fun Run & Walk Grant Application." Any organization, business, family or individual can apply. All we need is for you to fill out the application with your name, a description of what your healthy community project or need is, the health and wellness impact it will make, the amount you're asking for (we've decided to cap individual grant asks at \$2,500 or less), and any other supporting materials you might like to forward.

The grant application will be

Mott - Dr. Kristen

Monday

8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Dickinson - Dr. Kristen

Tuesday - Thursday

7:00 AM to 4:00 PM

available to be completed starting on Friday, August 4th and the due date is Friday, September 15th. Our WRHS Fun Run & Walk Committee members will review each application and meet on September 21st to discuss and make selections. This gives everyone six weeks to apply. The Committee can give full or partial grants to individual grant applicants. We will then contact each recipient, congratulating them and explaining the process. Each grant recipient will have until January 1, 2024 to supply the WRHS Foundation with an order invoice for payment up to the total grant amount given. If no invoice is submitted from grant recipients between September 22, 2023 and January 1, 2024, then the Fun Run & Walk Committee reserves the right to select other applications to replace delinquent grant recipients.

Our Annual WRHS "Fun Run & Walk" event this past 4th of July witnessed nearly 200

St. Vincent's St. Henry's St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Schedule for <u>August 5</u> August 6

(M) 4:30 pm Sat. (NL) 7:00 pm Sat. (R) 8:00 am Sun.

(M) 10:00 am Sun.

runners and walking enjoying the crisp, cool morning jaunt around parts of scenic and full Mirror Lake in Hettinger. Peyton Tuhy and Sidra Sadowsky, our overall fastest male and female runners, covered the 3K+ course in blazing speed (13:52 and 14:40)! Chase Geaumont was the fastest overall Youth 11 and under speedster, to cover the shortened 1K youth course (3:44). Charlee, Maggie and Kaycee Weinert swept the girls youth divisions and Victor Woroniecki bested the 6-8 year old boys. The Manning Family participated with 32 family members! Wow!

Sponsors from \$175 to \$1,150 included Mizuno USA Jeremy Galbreth, Farmers Union Insurance - Kim Erickson Agency, City of Hettinger, Hettinger Public School, Braxton & Alyson Kornele Family, Twin City Roofing, Stippich Inc., West River Insurance Agency. The Bone & Joint Center, Dakota Western Bank, Campbell Seed, DTN Staffing, Salazar Family, Hettinger Family Dental, Mirror Lake Lodge, Shred ND, Dacotah Bank, Smith's Drug & Clothiers, Hands on Health, Consolidated, Gate City Bank, West Plains, Eye Clinic of ND and Uecker Yards Inc. Other sponsors from \$25 to \$130 included Hettinger Theater, Grand River Honey Company - Eric & Dana Andress, Troy and Patty Ness Family, Lemmon Country Club, Runnings, Doreen Weichman Massage, West River Veterinary Clinic, Touch of Heaven Massage -- Kim Petik and IGA grocery store. Thank you to all sponsors for giving funds and prizes toward our annual event. Many of these sponsors have been with us for many years. And hopefully, for many years to

And THANK YOU area supporters. Without your purchase of registrations, raffle tickets and bucket draw tickets, we have no event. Nothing to pay forward. TOGETHER we are RURAL STRONG - and we're making a difference!

Please consider applying for our \$10,000 in grant funding for healthy activities in our local area communities (maximum of \$2,500 for each application). You have 6 weeks to fill out the grant application form online at wrhs.com by September 15th. Until next year's 36th Annual "Fun Run & Walk" on the 4th of July -- Onward!



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### Western Plains **Public Health Hold Area Clinics**

Wednesday, August 9 - Footcare - Carson Manor (410 Grant Street, Carson) - 12:30 - 2:00 PM MT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 622-3591 for appointment

Wednesday, August 9 - Immunization - Carson Courthouse at Western Plains Public Health (106 2 Avenue NE. Carson)

Clinic hours are between 9:00 am - 12 noon MT. Call 622-3591 for appointment.

Thursday, August 10 - Footcare - Glen Ullin Senior Center (110 S Main Street, Glen Ullin) - 12:30 - 1:30 pm CT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 622-3591 for appointment.

Thursday, August 10 - Footcare - Hebron Senior Center (707 Main Street, Hebron) - 8:30 - 11:30 am CT. Call Western Plains Public Health 701-622-3591 for an appointment.

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Thursday 10th

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Friday 11th

Bacon Wrapped Meatloaf w/Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

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## AREA COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

First Monday of Every Month · Bowman, ND Bowman Lions monthly meeting and dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Bowman Lodge and Convention Center

Second Monday of Every Month · Scranton, ND Scranton Lions monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

Second Monday of Every Month · Scranton, ND City Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall econd Tuesday of Every Month · Bowman, ND

Southwest Cancer Survivors support group for anyone touched by cancer, 6:30pm • Bowman United Methodist Church, Questions call: 701-279-6603 701-523-4657 701-440-8344 or 701-440-8788.

First Thursday of Every Month · Bowman, ND NOTICE TO ALL VETERANS: Post 48 Local American Legion invites and encourages you to join our meetings. Back of the Crystal Bar at

7pm. For more info call Paul White, Adjutant, 701-574-3198.

First Tuesday of Every Month · Amidon, ND City Council Meeting at 8:30 a.m. Every Wednesday · Scranton, ND

Scranton TOPS meet at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Center. Third Wednesday of Every Month · Bowman, ND The Bowman/Slope Community Cupboard is open from 3pm-5pm.

No referrals necessary Last Monday of Every Month · Check "Be the Light" on Facebook

for the monthly location

Be the Light Suicide Support Group • 6:30pm. Everyone Welcome. If you have a nonprofit, community event you would like

published, free of charge, on the Area Monthly Community Events Calendar, Send them to: Eido Connect, PO Box 97, Bowman, ND 58623 by 4:00 p.m. Wednesday

# Support your communities - they care about you!

Friends, let me conclude

## Never look back unless you want to go that way.



August 7<sup>th</sup> - August 11<sup>th</sup> Lunch Specials served 11am - 2pm \* Subject to change

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Monday 7th - CLOSED

Tuesday 8th - CLOSED

Wednesday 9th - Wing Wednesday - Buy 10, Get 10 - 50% Off Soup: Wisconsin Cheese

Thursday 10th - Meatloaf, Baked Potato & Veggie

Friday 11th - Homemade Tomato Basil Soup w/Grilled Cheese

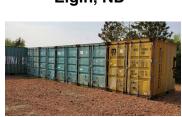
Steak Night • Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> Includes: Choice of Potato, Veggie & Salad

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#### Reflections on the Words of Life

by Pastor Paul Ferrie, Grace Reformed Church of the Lord Jesus, New Leipzig

We have seen in the first two verses of Ruth that a man named Elimelech took his wife Naomi, along with their sons Mahlon and Chilion, and moved from Bethlehem to the pagan country of Moab during a time of famine. We saw that God had made it clear that His people were not to join themselves with the heathen nations. Elimelech should have led his family in looking to God to provide for and take care of them. Jesus gave His people a wonderful promise in Matthew 6:31-33: Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added

How quick people can be to look for "greener pastures" when they don't see things going their way. How easy it is to complain and wish for a different job or spouse or set of circumstances. For the believer in Jesus Christ, when we run away from our difficulties, we are likely running from the very things God wants to use as part of the sanctifying process that makes us more like Jesus. We may know people who are willing to move almost anywhere to get that job which they feel will provide the things they want. But do they think about whether it is what the Lord wants for them? For a Christian, factors more important than money should be considered when deciding about relocating. The Christian should ask questions like these: Is there a church in the area where God's Word is faithfully proclaimed, one where I can worship and which will help me bring up my family in the nurture and admonition of the Lord? Will there be a good fellowship of God's people in this place to help keep me focused on what is most important in life?

Elimelech might have thought that his choice would somehow turn out well. After all. he and his family would at least have food in Moab. But we shall see next time, Lord willing, that his expectations were not realized. Everything was about to

with a few comments on the marvelous promise mentioned above: "But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things [necessities of life] shall be added to you." What does it mean to seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness? It starts by realizing that as we come into this world, we are NOT memhers of God's kingdom. The Bible tells us that we are born under the domain of darkness, and we need to be delivered and transferred into God's kingdom. We read Paul's description of what has happened to the believer in Colossians 1:13: "For He delivered us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son." How does this deliverance occur? God causes a person to begin to see that he or she is not righteous but is a sinner needing forgiveness. Then God reveals to that one that He has provided a way of escape from the kingdom of darkness by sending His Son, the Lord Jesus, to pay the penalty for the sins of His people by His substitutionary death on the cross. When we personally place our trust in Christ's payment for our sins, we are forgiven and granted the gift of Christ's perfect righteousness. Only then can we begin to put God first in our lives as we grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior. Please don't be depending on baptism or confirmation or church membership or good deeds or anything else to place you into God's kingdom. Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you shall be saved. Then God's wonderful promises for His people will be yours.

lappiness is not based on possessions, power, or prestige, but on relationships with people we trust and respect.



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## **Elgin Community Clinic**

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Glen Ullin Family Medical Clinic

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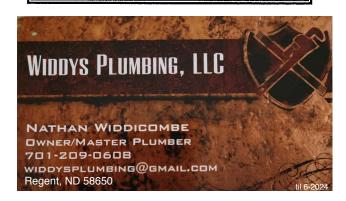


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ran the last few yards in his

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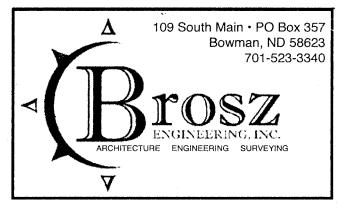
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Note: For my article, I thought I would pass onto everyone my reflection on a recent continuing education event in Phoenix, Arizona, which I included as part of my August newsletter to my congregations.

After a day in the scorching heat, after it was all said and done, I slowly enter into the water of a rooftop pool surrounded by skyscrapers. And it feels so good. The bits of water from misters around the city and the cool air conditioning were a nice little respite from the heat that was unavoidable every time one went outside.

But it was not like sinking into the water and letting it flow all over you. Surrounded by skyscrapers, with the only light above being that of neon, I immerse myself in the cool(ish) water of the pool. I lay back and let myself sink into it. I let the waters cover my head and my ears so that all was quiet. All I could hear was the sound of water and my thoughts.

Back and forth I swim. My eves to heavens trying to make out any sign of stars. I can hear only the soft splashes as I move across the pool. Until that is I come up to see where I am. And to turn around without crashing into the pool wall. And then I feel the heat and am reminded of the world I am in and with all its sounds. The city. The men talking in the hot tub beside me.

It is a holy time, where my mind is drawn to thoughts of vocation, baptism, God's story and all the images in it. I reflect on all that I saw and heard in the past

few days. Reminding myself of how sometimes I to just pause and be still. And reminding myself of the deep steadfast love that surrounds me and is within

In our lives, we need to take time to immerse ourselves in the Holy. Not just a little bit. A prayer here or there. But to totally immerse ourselves in holy time with God. Our souls need to take time and soak in so much holiness its overwhelm-

The little bits we get in life are great. But sometimes our cups need to overflow with the abundance of the gifts God gives us. We need tor us to be overwhelming covered by the presence and the promises of God and to know nothing but those promises.

So, I encourage you dear ones. Take that time. Set time in your life. To come to worship. To dwell in God's word. To love your neighbors. Immerse yourselves in the holy. In little doses as your busy lives allow you to do. But also, in large chunks. Overflowing and overwhelming moments of time for your soul.

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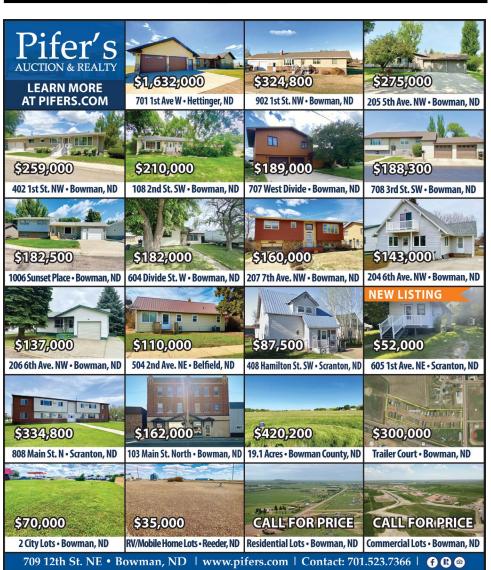
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then this past school year

he took a class in mechan-

ics that he liked. He even did

some work on the superin-

tendent's car. My dad had an

old tractor that he wanted to

run so he could drive it in the

Fourth of July parade and

James took it all apart and

put it all back together and it

up that has an engine in it

that ain't so good. I bought a

new pickup last summer, and

you know how it is. You tell

yourself that you're going to

fix the old one, but you never

do. Well, it's taking up space

in the garage and I thought

if your boy was interested in

fooling around with it, I'd give

quainted with Kraske. He

wasn't among those who

went to the same church.

There was a gravel road

and two fences between him

and Kraske. About all Paul

knew about him was that

he was on his second wife.

He drove a near-new pickup

truck and it seemed strange

that he would give a pickup

away. He hesitated. "James

doesn't have a driver's li-

done with building a new en-

gine in this pickup, he proba-

bly will be," Kraske said with

a big smile, "He'll have to

figure out a way to tow it and

it's a wonder he didn't wet

his pants. He got right on the

phone and called Dan'l. "I'm

gonna have a pickup before

Shorty does! Are you busy?"

lame questions like 'Where'd

you get it? What kind is it?

Where is it? Is it any good?

How long will it take to tow

it?' Then he said, "Ah, I can't

leave right now, you know?

his dad or even his grandpa

to help him tow the pickup,

but he wanted to share his

Tony the pony coming over

the hill and it didn't look like

Dan'l on his back because it

can't be any help. She can't

pulled his bridle. He wan-

dered up to the yard and be-

gan to eat grass. It was the

only place any place where

there was any green grass

see over the dashboard!"

"Shoot!" he said, "She

She slid off the pony and

wasn't. It was Kadee.

An hour later he saw

new fortune with his friend.

James could have asked

Can you wait till evening?"

Dan'l asked the usual

James was so excited,

I'm sure he can do that."

"Well, by the time he's

Paul wasn't well ac-

it to him."

cense yet."

"I got a nice-looking pick-

ran. Why do you ask?'

You have to push the clutch clear in," he told her,

"Can you reach it?" "Can we pull the seat up a little further?"

They struggled with the old lever that held the seat until it came forward leaving a pile of debris behind. "How old is this thing, anyway?"

"Well, it's post war, so say

She slammed the clutch down and after pulling the choke it roared to life. They cut across the north pasture laughing and yelling over the sound of the bad muffler. At the cattle guard James got out and opened the gate. The cattle guard had filled full of sand over the years and the cattle didn't pay any attention to it. They turned north and took the gravel to Kraske's mailbox and turned onto his lane ½ a mile down the road. Kadee parked by Mr. Kraske's garage, and he came out to meet them.

"Kadee," he said kindly with a twinkle in his eyes, "Haven't seen you in a long time. You in high school vet?'

"Next year if Dad will let me

"Why wouldn't he let you go?" he asked with a quizzical scowl on his square face.

"He doesn't think girls need any education," she said with a shrug.

"That's a bunch of bunk, and you know it. Look at ver mom. You know the meaning of a successful farmer? His wife has a job."

"James' mom doesn't have a job.....

"That's because she has a good husband and because she does more for this community than anyone, man or woman. You go to school. You'll never regret it."

She wondered why her own father couldn't talk to her like that. She felt lighter, smarter, useful, determined and thankful.

Kraske said, "Come on, James. Let's get this thing hooked up. It'll give you something to tinker with."

He had pushed it out of the garage and already had his new pickup inside. James looped the chain around the back fender of his dad's old pickup and around the front cross piece on his new toy. It was shiny black and right away he noticed that it had tires that actually had tread on them. He thanked Mr. Kraske and shook his hand vigorously. "You drive, Ka-

dee," he said, "All you have to do is keep from running into me. (and my new acquisition).

She couldn't believe it. James was going to let her drive his new pickup. She grabbed her pillows and stacked them on the driver' side of the new pickup. Slowly James tightened the chain and began to pull it away. She made sure it was in neutral. She checked the brake pedal. She was as excited as James was. The seats weren't torn or radged. The windshield didn't have any cracks. The doorknobs were all on. It had a radio, and the windshield wipers weren't worn out.

Wow! Wow! Wow! The only thing it didn't have was an engine. It was a dry year and he doubted that he'd be able to find any work that paid. Maybe he could work for someone who had one to pay for it.

At the shop, they had to take off the chain and switch places so he could use the old pickup to push the new one in the stall. It was just a little uphill. Kadee had to strain to look over the dashboard, but they got it inside where they slapped hands, and had a good laugh at their exploits. He couldn't wait to get started. So where was Dan'l? They had both taken 'shop' in their freshman year. With a book and James' father they knew they could take it apart and rebuild it. Maybe he wouldn't have to buy an engine. Maybe they could just rebuild the one that was in it.

By the time Paul came home, James already had the hood off, the carburetor, generator distributor and exhaust manifold off. He was laying under the front end loosening the radiator hoses.

Paul stood to the side and said, "Nice outfit, James. Did Kraske tell you what is wrong with it?"

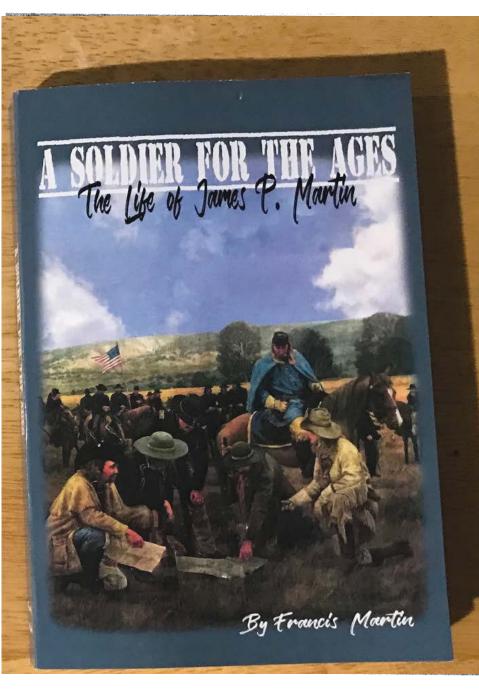
James scraped himself out from under the pickup. 'Yeah. It doesn't run."

"Did they teach you in 'shop' that before you do any work on a vehicle that you need to put it in gear and put chucks against the wheels?"

"I forgot."

"Don't forget, James. The worst thing that could happen is that it would fall on you, and you'd live but you'd never be able to do anything again for the rest of your life."

Continued next week



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## **CHAPTER SEVEN**

If it hadn't been that Dan'l was already registered for his first year in Dickinson High School, James would not have known anybody. He signed up for basketball right away, but it looked like a hopeless case. There were just so many students and some of them were taller than he was. The team captain was a tall glass of water by the name of Cory Winslow. He lived in town, and he'd been captaining the year before when he was an eighth grader. Dan'l told him that Winslow had had an emergency appendectomy during the last summer and his recovery hadn't done him any favors, but he wanted to

Dan'l and James spent all their time on the bench with half a dozen other players that hadn't been chosen to play. It was after four o'clock. The boys were actually relieved when Dan'l's mother came to pick them up. "How'd things go?" she asked as soon as she got on the road.

"There's a lot of competition" Dan'l said gloomily.

Kadee was in the front seat and the boys were in the back.

"If we're gonna do any playing this year, we'll have to fix the hole in the roof of the old sheep shed that Mr. Marten blew a hole in," Dan'l said, "We better get with it."

So that's what they did until it got so cold that they couldn't play there anymore.

James changed his basketball time to Auto Mechanics. He spent the whole school year learning how to fix machinery. He was disappointed until his dad said, 'It doesn't hurt anything to know how to fix things.' Since he and his dad had 'fixed' things together since the time he knew the difference between a screwdriver and a pair of pliers, it was an easy class. Once he even tuned up a car for the High School Superintendent and he gave James a \$5.00 tip.

Spring came cold and dry. There was a lot of wind and gray skies but no rain or snow. Paul and Caroline stood in the open door of the shop in their winter clothes and watched the dry snow rush by at their feet. "What are you going to do?" she

"Pray for rain.... it's so dry right now that I'd be thankful for any kind of moisture.... even the hard variety."

"I've always wondered how the ground can be frozen when it doesn't have any moisture in it."

"I don't know, but I guess there's always enough moisture to make it freeze."

"If you plant wheat, won't it just be wasted? You know, bird feed?"

"I suppose they have to eat, too," Paul said, "We can be thankful that I've got this little parttime job at the elevator. At least we'll eat.

"I hope we'll be able to grow some potatoes," she mourned, "I just can't imagine not being able to have a garden."

"Carol, the well won't go dry. If it comes to that I'll fix an irrigation system."

It was mid-March, a month that can have four seasons. It snowed an inch and most of it blew away. In April. to their surprise and their anguish, it rained eleven inches. The ditches filled. The river ran from wall to wall. Then it quit. Completely. As soon as Paul could get in the fields, he drilled the with a lawnmower.

School let out the week of Memorial Day. James hadn't farm. They had seventy cows and 68 calves. There was no snow, and the cows had all calved in the pasture. "It's better that way," Paul said to James, "When there's no puddles the calves have less of a chance of getting scours." They had one calf on the bottle because the cow wouldn't take her.

how they were standing for hay, Paul put on his John Deere cap and went outside. Sore point. When he came back, he said, "It's a good thing I didn't sell the excess hay we had last year. We can hold off feeding since there's no snow. If we don't have to feed until January. I think we'll make until the grass comes up, that is, if the grass comes up."

man who had been in Gladpretty fair mechanic?"

"Yeah. He's been baptized into mechanics and

wheat. The alfalfa sprang to life. By June first, the ground was as dry as tinder. Nearly every day he could see clouds far off pouring down rain here and there. Sometimes the river would be running high, but the water had come from someplace else. The alfalfa bloomed but it was only six inches high. The Johnson grass that was always so high along the roads could have been cut

been much help around the

When Caroline asked

Paul was at the elevator in Gladstone when one of his neighbors from the north came in. His name was Al Kraske, an old farm family stone since the homesteading days. He was gray and wrinkled. He said to Paul, "Did I hear something about that tall boy of yours being a

because Caroline watered it. "Where's Dan'l?" James asked in a grievance. 'He ain't commin'," she said in like manner, "Dad is on the warpath. I sneaked away. You want help or not? As soon as Tony gets some food in his belly, I'll go back and face the music and you can tow the pickup home on

your back. Ha. Ha."

Dad was at work with the good pickup but the old one was parked there alongside the shop. "Let's go," he said. He went to the house and got two pillows off the couch and threw them to Kadee who was in the passenger seat. He threw a log chain in the back end of the pickup.

"I'll drive," she said, and she got out with the pillows and went around to the driver's side and walked around James and arranged the pillows and got in. There wasn't

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Ukraine trip by Owen Blickensderfer Sunday, August 13 at the **Mott Nursing Home** at 6:30 PM

#### Our Ukrainian Hosts, Yuri **And Nina**

by Owen Blickensderfer

Yuri and Nina are a middle aged couple of moderate means. They live in a small farm community in Southern Ukraine. Their children grew up in some of the finest farmland on the planet. Ukraine is the breadbasket of Europe, Asia and Africa. To get to the home of these kind people, I traveled for two days through an endless, boring landscape of wheat, sunflowers, canola and vinvards. It was as if I flew in an airplane for a day and a half to get to the Red River Valley, and never actually left North Dakota.

The townspeople were forced to evacuate ahead of the advancing Russian military. Their homes were swallowed up in the "gray zone," a no-man's land between two armies. They

were lucky that the Ukrainians were able to stop the Russian military before they got to their town. Others were not so fortunate and their communities were pounded to dust.

Inch by inch the Red army was driven back and the townspeople were allowed to come back after being away for nine months. Their house was still standing, but badly damaged. The Ukrainian army used the town as a base of operations, and soldiers had used their home to sleep and prepare meals. A note was left by the soldiers to express appreciation for the use of the home and to apologize for the condition the house was in when they left. Furniture had been hastily moved to provide a shield against shrapnel and bullets. The house was in shambles inside and out. Things were missing from the home, no doubt used to provide for the needs of an army

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that spent months trying to stay A social worker told us that alive. Although the Russians there is a dread hanging over did not occupy the town, they everyone in her country. It usushot missiles from miles away ally doesn't show, but it is like to harass and terrorize anyone carrying a rock in your stomliving there. A rocket landed in ach. It astonishes me to see the garden, thirty feet from the how Ukrainians are managing house. It wasn't a direct hit. to have a life, despite all the but the explosion sent a shock heartache and sorrow that they wave that broke the windows. must endure. The roof repair we Shrapnel tore into the fence by did seems to be so insignificant the street, knocking some of it in the bigger picture of Ukraine. down and leaving ugly holes as But one person said to our leada silent reminder of what had er, David, "When you send aid it happened here. The side of the helps us. But when you come, it house has the same unsightly gives us hope." decoration as the fence. The

Many people couldn't make it to my presentation of my trip two weeks ago. I am planning to give another talk on Sunday night, August 13 at the Mott Nursing home at 6:30. Please put a reminder in your smart phone so you don't forget. I will also willing to give presentations to groups if

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When they first returned to their homes, The town was so very different. One home that housed twelve Ukrainian servicemen had been destroyed, killing the occupants. Many homes were damaged beyond repair, and the owners abandoned the idea of ever coming back. About 100 roofs are covered by blue tarps provided by Samaritan's Purse as they wait for money and manpower to repair them. About forty percent of the townsfolk have come back. For two weeks my friends could only find the emotional energy to walk aimlessly around the town weeping, looking at the destruction. Finally, they cried until they couldn't grieve any more. The crying didn't help anything. So Yuri and Nina went to work to clean up the yard and replace windows. Not being farmers. their jobs in the town didn't exist any more, so they had to rely on savings.

metal roof covering the court-

vard shielded us from the sun

when we ate the delicious Ukrai-

nian meals that Nina prepared,

but the slashes that the flying

metal tore won't keep rain out.

An unexploded rocket still sticks

out of the ground across the

street from Yuri's house. Yuri's

son had to search the tall grass

for it to show it to me.

Eventually, Yuri connected with someone from the mission, "Restore Ukraine." After building a relationship with them, the couple became "point people" that could help distribute food and materials to the community to help everyone to get back on their feet.

So Yuri and Nina took the job of housing our group of twelve as we descended upon the town to replace a roof. On our second day, I asked Yuri (through an interpreter) if he ever had bad days any more. He paused for a moment as he thought about it. Then he said, "No, that is all behind us now."



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#### Gerald "Jerry" **Eugene Schafer** Rites Held

Gerald (Jerry) (Shifty) Eugene Schaefer, age 79, passed away on July 17, 2023, at Rosebud Health Care in Forsyth, Montana after battling heart disease for 40 years. Services were held at the Stevenson and Sons Funeral Home in Forsyth on Thursday, July 27,2023, at 2:00 p.m



Gerald was born on July 1943, to Eilene (Harris) and Walter Schaefer in Bowman, North Dakota. His mom said, "He was a pretty good little feller." He started school in Rhame, North Dakota for the first year and a half, then went to Harper Township school for six and a half years. He then returned to Rhame and graduated in 1961. One of the most favorite stories about Gerald's high school shenanigans was when he had his feet out in the aisle

in the classroom and tripped the teacher as she walked by Someone had rolled out a roll of toilet paper on the floor.....was it Gerald? She walked down the rows, and as she went by Gerald kicked her in the butt. This of course got him sent to the principal's office immediately!! When the principal asked him what they should do about this situation, Gerald's smart remark was, "I think you should FIRE HER!" Consequently, Gerald was expelled for several days!

Gerald worked around the Rhame area and went into the United States Army from March 6, 1963, to March 5, 1965. Then he "goofed around" for a while and went to Sonora, California for a year. Gerald went back home to Rhame and bought the local CCC bar which he owned for 2 years. It is now called the Waterhole. He worked on the railroad tie gang from Lemmon, South Dakota to Terry, Montana. After attending school in Wahpeton, North Dakota for three years, he received a plumbing degree. From there he moved to Forsyth, Montana in April of 1973 and worked for Ernie Post for six and a half years, and for Al Critelli for one and a half years. He then went out on his own and worked until in "his words"... he got OLD, and then... "kind of quit."

He married Marilan Schmeling on January 24, 1970, in Golva, North Dakota at the Saint Mary's Catholic Church. They had three children: Jay, Jo, and Jodi Schaefer. He was very proud of his children and had lots of fun with them. He also had many good times with his

special friend, Holly Negaard. Gerald was an avid hunter, fisherman, and enjoyed gardening. He especially liked shooting prairie dogs with his great friends from Forsyth. He was a member of the Forsyth Fire Department for 25 years. Gerald was known for his wittiness, his smirky grin, his twinkling eyes, and his rare sense of humor. He also liked to flirt and tease with the pretty girls.

Gerald is survived by his three children; Jay Schaefer, North Pole, Alaska; Jo (Jo Jo) Schaefer, Laurel, Montana, and Jodi Schaefer from Billings, Montana. His older brother, James (Donna) Schaefer, Beulah, North Dakota, Les (Lynette) Schaefer, Rhame, North Dakota, Terry (Nancy) Schaefer, Bowman, North Dakota. Sisters; Brenda (Gene) Davis, Rhame, North Dakota, and Marlys (Duane) Hendrickson, Parker, Colorado. Several nieces and nephews that loved him dearly and his special grandchildren, Rayla, Maddi, Owen, and great granddaughter JJ. He was preceded in death by his mother. Eilene (Harris) Schaefer, and his father, Walter Schaefer.

A special thank you to Veterans Affairs for the many years of care and kindness given to our dad. Also, to his many caring and kind friends who have helped him in so many ways on his journey through life.

PS: "Gerald, turn that damn TV down!"

#### **Betty Fischer Juhl** Rites Held

Betty Marie Fischer Juhl, age 95, of Bowman ND passed away on July 24, 2023 at Southwest Healthcare Services, Bow-

A memorial service was held at the Bowman Seventh-Day Adventist Church on August 4, 2023, at 2:00pm MST and a graveside service August 7, 2023 at the Bowesmont Cemetary 2:00pm CST Drayton, ND where she will be laid to rest

next to her husband Ralph Juhl. Betty was born on August 27, 1927 to Ben and Lulu Fischer in Taylor ND, the 3rd of 5 children. In1937 the family moved from Taylor to the Red River Valley, Bowesmont, ND where her father bought a farm. She attended schools in Taylor Bowesmont, Sheyenne River Academy, Harvey, ND and Union College, Lincoln NE. She was enrolled in the nursing program when Ralph returned from the war in Europe, which ended her college education. They were married on March 25, 1946, in Spirit Lake, Iowa.

They made their home in Bowesmont, ND and farmed for many years. Ralph and Betty



were a team always working together raising 3 children and farming, growing grains, beans and sugar beets. Betty loved working outdoors in her flower and vegetable gardens. She also drove farm equipment and at one time had her own combine and sugar beet truck!

Later in years, she along with Ralph volunteered for over 30 Maranatha Mission Projects building schools and churches all over the world where she cooked for the volunteers often in the most difficult circum-

Betty was an active member of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church all her life and loved the Lord and talked often of meeting the Lord when He comes again.

Survivors include daughters: Caren (Bob) of DeBary, FL, Charlene Hansen of Bowman. ND one sister Helen Juhl of Middle River MN. Grandchildren: Tami Juhl Boyd, Scott Juhl, Jodi Juhl Opitz, Andrea Hansen, Allison Hansen Engelhart, and 10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Ralph, son Jerry, son-inlaw Curt, brother Bob and sisters Dorothy and Stella.

#### Robert (Tag) Stinchfield Rites Held

Robert "Tag" Stinchfield, 95, passed away peacefully at his Billings home after a long ill-



ness. He was surrounded by his loving wife, Marcelline, and all his kids. Rosary and sharing memories was at 6:00 PM, Monday, July 24th at Dahl Funeral Chapel. Funeral services was held Tuesday, July 25th at 11 AM, at St. Pius Catholic Church.

Robert Vernon Stinchfield was born on March 23rd. 1928. in the quiet farming community of Bowman, North Dakota to Mark Glidden Stinchfield and Marion Jane (Cunningham) Stinchfield. Dad had five siblings - twin sisters -Dorthy and Doris, brothers George, Kenneth, and his brother Joseph. Who is his last living sibling.

Being born months before the Great Depression started, which led to a hardscrabble life on their small farm. As Dad said, 'Yes, we were poor but so was everyone else." As children, he regaled us with what a treat it was carrying radish sandwiches in his lunch pail to the one-room schoolhouse he and his siblings attended. The walk was far, and he and Joe knocked each other into the ditch all the way. Dad being, the youngest, loved to "tag along" behind the older kids earning him the nickname "Tag" which he carried to this day.

We think this illustrates the character of our father. Dad told a story of being at the local pool hall when he was 15 and finding a \$20 bill on the floor (at that time a week's wages or more for a working man.) He immediately took it to the bartender who thought Dad was nuts to even turn it in. "I will put it behind the bar, Tag," he said, "but if no one asks about it by tomorrow, I am gonna let you know to come and get it". No one came to ask about it. Dad reluctantly took the windfall but worried about the poor person who had lost it.

After graduating from high school, he worked different jobs at the grocery store and cooking at Gene's Cafe in Bowman to help support his parents. In September 1950 was drafted into the army and sent to Korea. A small-town boy who had really not traveled much Dad told of waves as tall as buildings slamming the troop's ship. All but a lucky few were sick all the way over. Dad was not lucky. He was also assigned to the North Korean POW camp in Koje when a brigadier general was taken hostage and pulled into the prisoner compound. "Even the cooks were armed 24 hours a day". His discharge came in February 1957.

While at a baby shower for his brother Kenneth's wife Liz, he met her cousin, a tiny auburnhaired farm girl named Marce, who was working at Bowman Hospital. Smitten, she became his "best gal" and on January 10, 1956, they were married at St. Charles Catholic Church. It was a Monday to accommodate all the farmers. Mom says if Dad had been a farmer, she would have had nothing to do with him! in June 1957, their first child Gary Robert was born. Doris Ann-Ann, October 1958, Lorrie Marie February 1960, Sheryl Lynn April 1963, Thomas Mark April 1964 (yes, one year to the day), and Janel Renee December 1965.

Dad's career with Sweetheart Bakerv led him to a supervisor position that required hours on the road and relocating every 6 months - to Baker, MT; Aberdeen, SD; Casper, WY, and then to Billings. In 1963, Gary was about to start school and Mom said she didn't want to move again. That year they purchased the home on Miles Avenue where they lived to this day. They absolutely hit the lottery of fantastic friends and neighbors in our Miles Community. With this final move, Dad went into sales with Sweetheart, a position he occupied for 35 years, retiring in 1988.

Dad was known for his dry sense of humor which his kids and co-workers appreciated -Mom only to a small degree. He could deliver a one-liner like no other. We have fond memories of Mom and Dad dancing at the KC Hall and Moose Lodge.

Not too many folks are blessed with 35 years of retirement, but Dad took advantage of the time to travel to the ocean with Mom and Shervl and to visit friends and relatives in Bowman and an annual road trip to Arizona. He even road-tripped to a Tom Petty concert with his granddaughter, Amanda. He loved his garden flowers and liked his yard bursting with color. He used old tea kettles, failed clay pots, barrels, you name it. We joked "Don't put your glass down or Dad will plant something in it." He made himself a mancave in the garage with a recliner, heater, and 8 tracks of his favorite artists. Dad also enjoyed refinishing wood furniture and did many pieces for his kids. (And when we say pieces, some were in pieces and missing parts.) He also enjoyed sneaking off to a casino to play a quick \$20 during mom's nap-

Dad was not a sports guy but showed up to every event for his kids and many grandkids to show support. He fulfilled a bucket list item with a trip to Alaska with his son, Tom, sonin-law, Tim, and grandson, Tony.

Our Dad was a great man of faith and a devout Catholic all his life. He was a great believer in the power and meditation of the Rosary and could be found sitting in his recliner using his pocket, Rosary. When we were kids, he would shut the T.V. off and lead us to the Rosary as we knelt around the living room. He was a believer in caring for others, visiting the elderly, and helping them care for their homes.

Robert is preceded in death by his parents and all his siblings except Joe, and his oldest son, Gary, daughter-in-law Jolene, and grandson, Travis.

He is survived by his wife, Marcelline (Steier) Stinchfield, and his children: Doris (Tim) Stricker, Lorrie Stinchfield, Sheryl Stinchfield, Tom (Sharon) Stinchfield, and Janel (Troy) Wangsness. His brother Joe Stinchfield. And grandchildren Tony (Morgan)Stricker, Mark (Nikki) Stricker, Amanda (Mike) Driskell; Robbie (Sadie) Stinchfield; Rebecca (Austin) Oblander: Montana Wangsness and Alexandra Wangsness. And Great Grandchildren Kennedy, Kallyn, Thorsen Stricker, and Jaxon Stinchfield. And numerous brothers & sisters-in-law. nieces and nephews.

We are going to miss him more than words can say. Our family is very grateful to Riverstone Hospice and the extraordinary care from Nurse Linda Hampton and the crew. Thank you, Jesus, for calling him home and ending his suffering. Dad, we look forward to seeing you in Heaven.

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The business manager is required to attend and take minutes for all meetings of the Board of Trustees, act as custodian of all records and documents of the District, prepare legal notices, election notices, as well as any other notices concerning the District's business, is responsible for accounts payable/receivables, payroll, and reconciliation of cash balances for the district. The business manager must act as an advisor to the Superintendent on all questions relating to the business and financial affairs of the district, ensuring the fiscal integrity of the district, helping to prepare, develop, and administer the annual budget, administering a budget control system for the district, and oversee the maintenance of accounting equipment.

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To Apply: Please send a preliminary packet including a resume, cover letter, and three current letters of reference. Successful preliminary candidates will be asked to complete a district application.

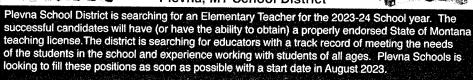


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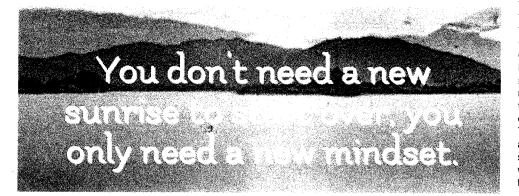
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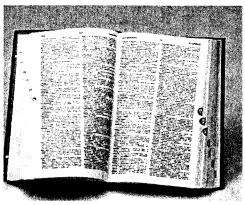
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Successful preliminary candidates will be asked to complete a district application.
All application materials should be emailed to Superintendent, Timberly Kelly at tkelly@plevna.k12.mt.us.





Wordsmith

Whereas the prefix, sub, means beneath, below, under, less in rank, position, or importance, the word, sub-lime means noble, majestic, having grandeur. If you are sub-jective, you may be sub-missiive to the sublime

A person who is submissive shows a tendency to submit without resistance. Being submissive is first cousin to obedience. (Love, honor & obey?)

Ecc. 8: 9 says, 'Man has dominated man to his own injury,' and man has dominated woman to his own injury.

I knew a man who, during the Korean war, met and married a lovely young Japanese woman because he had been told that Asian women were more submissive than American women. He wanted to be sublime in his household, but because he'd been in the army, he wanted his wife and 2 children to march in a straight line, salute, obey, and be submissive to the ultimate degree. It took him twenty years to figure out that they submitted but they had no respect for him.

He shot his wife. His daughcommitted suicide and his son moved to China and changed his nationality.

I'm just guessing, but I think that's where the expression, 'under one's thumb' came from.

The Apostle Paul advocated being content with sustenance and covering.' He didn't say 'be naked and go on a fast. That would be a contradiction tohis instruction to work hard with your own hands. Sustenance from Latin sustinere, That which sustains life, water, air, food, and God. He did not say, 'Man must live, not by bread alone, he must have eclairs, cookies, and ice cream.' He said, 'Man must live, not on bread alone, but on every utterance coming forth from Jehovah's mouth."

During the Russian revolution in the early 19th century, it took a wheelbarrow of money to buy a loaf of bread.

The rise of the Bolshevik (communist) government put an end to the subsistent farming. Subsistent farming is when the farmer raised enough food for his family plus enough to sell for other necessary things. The family farm disappeared. The farmers still had to work but the government decided how much of his produce he could keep for his family. The word 'communist' comes from the word, commune; to work together. Property was held im common with the common man. Right? Wrong. The government was sublime, and the people became subversive, and the common people were without covering and sustenance

It is ownership that spurs a

what they're for.

A capitalist government is one where one man builds a house and someone else lives in it. The builder lives in a hovel and has to pay rent to a millionaire. The farmer plows and seeds and weeds and someone else eats what he has worked for. Isaiah 65:21 & 22. The auto worker works to make new, expensive automobiles, day after day, night after night. He goes to work with a neighbor and comes home on the bus.

Did you ever hear that song they sang in the 60's and 70's culture era that says, 'He never returned, no he never returned. His fate is still unlearned. He may ride forever neath the streets of Boston. He's the man who never returned.'

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farmer to provide from his own

land his family's needs. After

the government confiscated the

land, what reason did he have

to work? Some people cannot

work with anybody else. I know

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If you are interested in applying, contact Diane Hoffman at 584-2178.

#### JMHCC becomes training center for lifesaving courses

Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center (JMHCC) has become a training center to offer courses accredited through the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians, and continues to offer a wide range of classes for everyone, from those wishing to learn CPR to higher level care providers.

As JMHCC began operations of the New Leipzig-Elgin ambulance service, it also offers training for emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and drivers to keep the ambulance staffed. That's why JMHCC has initiated an extensive catalog of courses to help save lives in the community - and the region. Courses range from basic lifesaving care to advanced training for professional health care workers. Volunteers for ambulance services and firefighters will also benefit from the courses.

Becoming a training center requires trained instructors, an instructor coordinator, the proper supplies and a space to teach, and is an important step in lifesaving care in the region.

"For the state of North Dakota's emergency medical services (EMS), that's a pretty big deal. There are only a couple training centers in the state and most of those training centers don't offer enough classes," said JMHCC's EMS Director Amy Jimenez.

One class being offered now through the training center is "Tactical Emergency Casualty Care." which teaches how to respond to and care for patients in a civilian tactical environment. The class is open to police, military, fire and EMS personnel. Other classes will be added lat-

JMHCC also offers classes to the public, with basic life support and CPR courses scheduled for any member of the public to learn those skills. A calendar for those classes is posted on the JMHCC Facebook page and website.

"When bystanders or others witness an emergency event and are trained to administer CPR, call 911 and use an AED, the patient's chances for survival are much higher," Jimenez

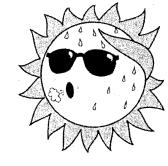
Those courses include:

· Emergency medical responders (EMRs) provide immediate lifesaving care to critical patients who access the EMS system. EMRs have the knowledge and skills to provide immediate lifesaving interventions while awaiting additional emergency medical resources

to arrive. The course offered here utilizes a mix of distance learning, classroom instruction and hands-on skills to meet National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) standards for certification at this level.

- · EMTs function as part of a comprehensive emergency response system, under medical oversight. EMTs perform interventions with the basic equipment typically found on an ambulance. This EMT course combines web-based video instruction, in-person classroom trainings, ambulance ride-along and emergency department rotation training to prepare the students to pass the NREMT EMT examination.
- · Through the STOP THE BLEED® course, you'll gain the ability to recognize life-threatening bleeding and intervene effectively. Take the course and become empowered to make a life-or-death difference when a bleeding emergency occurs.
- · The American Heart Association's (AHA) Heartsaver First Aid CPR AED course is designed for anyone with little or no medical training who needs a course completion card for their job, regulatory or other requirements, or anyone who wants to be prepared for an emergency in any setting.
- The AHA basic life support (BLS) instructor-led course teaches both single-rescuer and team basic life support skills for application in both prehospital and in-facility environments, with a focus on high-quality CPR and team dynamics. BLS is geared toward prehospital providers, like EMTs, paramedics and firefighters, as well as in-facility hospital providers such as nurses, physicians and CNAs. Upon successful completion of the course, students receive a course completion card, valid for two years.
- · An AHA advanced cardiovascular life support (ACLS) course is designed for paramedics, physicians, nurses and any other discipline involved in advanced resuscitation efforts in the prehospital or hospital environments.
- The goal of Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) is to save a life. For a child or infant experiencing serious injury or illness, your action can be the difference between life and death. This AHA-certified, provider level class is for new students or students looking for recertification and is good for two years.

Those who wish to enroll in a course may email Amy at aiimenez@imhcc.org or call her at JMHCC at 584-2792.



#### **Mott-Regent** Community **Foundation Announces Special Grant Deadline SEPT 30th** for 2023

The Mott-Regent Community Foundation has announced that it will be holding two grant rounds in 2023 with significant additional grant dollars available from Grid United's Community Investment Program (CIP). Applicants must be a 501(c)(3) nonprofit tax-exempt organization, a government agency, or have a fiscal sponsor with one of those designations, and must provide services in Mott, Regent, or the surrounding area.

Grid United, an independent transmission company and donor to the region, is gifting money to be granted in 2023 alongside the foundation's endowment earnings of \$6,200. The grant dollars will be divided up into the two grant rounds as follows:

- **SPRING** (AWARDED) SPRING 2024 TBD
- FALL Round (applications due by September 30): \$50,200 Available
- Organizations may apply in both rounds.

Apply online TODAY at www.NDCF.net/MottRegent.

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Click on the "Apply for Grant" tab, review the information there, and then click on the "Apply Here" button to start the pro-

Applications will be reviewed by the local foundation's advisory committee. Members include Morgan Kouba (Chair), Alex Aldinger (VP), Karen Kouba (Past-Pres), Kevin Carvell, Linda Swindler, William Gion, Katie Kouba, and Kendra Carlson. For more information, contact one of the committee members or email them at MottRegent@ NDCF.net.

SPRING 2023 awards were: Hettinger County Historical Society-Building Upgrades, Maerchlein Conservation-Walking Path, Cannonball Sportsmen-Youth Shooting Range improvements, Mott Gallery of History and Art Roofing, Playhouse Theatre-Exterior Repairs and Updates, Mott Visionary Committee-Main Street Event Signage, Mott County Club-Cart Shed Roof Repair

The Mott-Regent Community Foundation is a component fund of the North Dakota Community Foundation (NDCF), a qualified 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Earnings from the fund and special gifts from donors are distributed to organizations that serve Mott, Regent and the surrounding area. For more general information please contact John@NDCF. net the Regional Development Director for NDCF.



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# Life is a unique combination of "want to" and "how to," and we need to give equal attention of both.

## Thoughts for the Week

by June Schmidt

We live in a world where we can get much of what we want in a short period of time, if not instant, nearly so. We can connect to the internet and find out information at the stroke of a few keys, we can order what we want and get it within a few days, longer if we have to wait

for mail time, but still faster than those good old days that people rave about. If we really desire something, we can get in our cars and drive to where that item is located and get it without too much trouble, and we are teaching our children by these actions that we live in a world of instant gratification. But is it really that way in reality, since those are just things?

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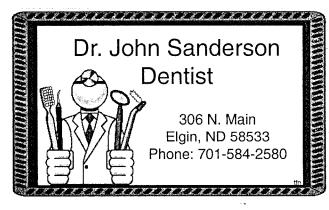
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we move on to the next thing that we just can't live without. Parents always want what is best for their children and often will do without what they need to be sure that their children have what they want. But without the effort of obtaining something by working for it in some matter, that item can have less value than what it really is worth. Sometimes, by requiring a child to work in some manner for the item that they want and absolutely have to have, because everyone else has one and if they don't have that item, they will no longer have life as we know it, they can realize that it takes effort to get what they want and it is therefore that much more precious. In our throw-away society, it is easy to replace items, but not so easy to build self-esteem. Obtaining the item that they want, by working for it in some way can give a child much more than that item and they are more likely to understand value and work ethics that they need to survive in the world in this

This is also true for future

When we are young, we

see things as black and white.

We either get what we want or

we are totally devastated. For-

tunately, our devastation lasts

only as long as our desire for

that thing that we wanted, and

success in life. Without an understanding of what it means to complete a job and acquire skills, we hamper our children in their future. When children are young, they quite often enjoy doing things with their mother, dusting the house, helping with cooking, helping to get things for Mom or Dad and they take pride in doing these things. Even being able to pick out their own clothes for the day, matched or not, or putting away their own toys can give a child a sense of accomplishment. If learned when they think it is just play instead of work, we instill in them a desire to complete a job of some kind. If they get rewarded for it with something that they want, that can be a driving influence for future accomplishments. There is a fine line between encouragement and complaining, and each parent has to walk that line to achieve results that are beneficial to both. Often children are discouraged from obtaining a job until after they have completed their education. and without any work experience they find that it is harder to get ahead without it. Contrary to common belief, we cannot get a high paying position just by walking in and demanding it, as

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there is no instant gratification in the real world workplace.

So what do we do to help our children understand that instant gratification is only possible in movies?We need to give them the tools to survive by teaching them early. We need to fall back on some of the things that our parents did and teach them the basics of life, as the world around them now gives them ideas, but very few solutions. We need to show them that the simplest of jobs are worth doing if we do them right, and that no job is beneath them if it gives them satisfaction of completion. We need to let them try things and fail and teach them that failure is not a bad thing if it teaches us what we did wrong and how to do things better in the future. We need to explain to them that popular opinion is not necessarily the right thing and that they need to walk their own road with pride. Only by these actions do we raise a generation that becomes self reliant and prosperous, not necessarily monitarily, but in pride and ethics, and give them the tools to pass those on to future generations as well. Life is short enough, so if you sit by the sidelines and wait for something to be given to you, it will pass you by and there you will be still sitting there and complaining about what didn't happen in your life. Life takes work to be gratifying, there is no instant success in the majority of our lives, but there can be much joy and love waiting for you if

you just go out and work for it.

God Bless you all.

## RECIPE OF THE DAY

#### **DELICIOUS ZUCCHINI SALAD**

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Cut up Zucchini - add - can be used over and over just add more Zucchini

#### Cloud Seeding Operations Summary for July 24-30

BISMARCK, N.D. – Southwestern North Dakota experienced hot weather last week with high temperatures mainly in the 90s. Isolated strong to severe thunderstorms moved through the region over the weekend.

In the District 1 operations area, which includes Bowman and part of Slope Counties, five flights were flown for hail suppression operations last week. Rain enhancement operations remained suspended last week.

Southwestern North Dakota's temperatures should begin this week topping out around 90 degrees and then cool down into the 70s by the weekend. Daily chances for isolated showers

and thunderstorms are fore-casted.

Radar facilities in Bowman operate around the clock during the NDCMP. Radar images can be viewed on the Atmospheric Resource Board's web site at http://www.swc.nd.gov/arb. The NDCMP will continue through the end of August.

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## A Little Birdie Told Me

By: Vivian Hernandez

A Little Birdie Told Me: "There is a Season for Everything and a Time for Every Purpose Under Heaven."

Life has taken some crazy turns the last few weeks and I am trying to catch my breath and make sense of it all. I have my to-do-list short and long term: always adding and hopefully crossing off a few.

I'm always so busy and the business of life tends to make me ignore the most important things, God, Family and Friends. "If the devil can't get me to sin, he'll make me busy." (Anne Lamott)

This week's story is short so I can pay attention to things I've been neglecting God, Family and Friends, so please enjoy the pictures and take time out of your busy life and appreciate all God's gifts.

A Little Birdie Told Me: "Never be in a Hurry: Do Everything Quietly and in a Calm Spirit, Do Not Lose Your Inner Peace for Anything Whatsoever, Even if Your Whole World Seems Upset." St. Francis de Sales.











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