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Martin Peter Ebner, Born May 28, 2024 Parents: Jayme and Amanda Ebner Mott, ND Siblings: Emma, Jack, and Lucy Grandparents:

New job - boss greeted MeMe - - "Follow me," Hand extended - - reluctant to shake hands but aware that this was the boss, the One MeMe needed to forgive -- took all the energy possible to shake hands. "Here goes," remembering Pastor's words about strength, forgiveness, MeMe extended hand. Bosses hand was very warm, inviting - - maybe - - and MeMe began following the man who was hated, despised, dreamed about - - lived with every day of MeMe's life since the day of the break down - from the time of the first day of hatred.

Introductions were made as one by one each employee was greeted with kindness, laughter, welcomes. MeMe felt -- something was different. Warmth filled the air and in return began to fill MeMe's heart. Funny feeling - - not quite sure how to explain - - but every employee was - - then MeMe remembered a story Grandfather had read. - Probably one of the first stories - - but one that Grandfather read over and over. "Must have been something important in the story."

Thoughts coming back to meeting the next person - tour finely completed MeMe was now shown the space where MeMe would work.

A resource room - - inviting colors filled the walls -- employees in good spirits, joking, smiling - - MeMe's inners finely quieted down - - job description - follow others - - and what they were doing was very easy - - one that MeMe figured would even be fun - - not hard - and the atmosphere was - - kinda made MeMe feel like being very small and Grandfather reading to the children - - warm - cozy - - happy.

The day went off better than MeMe had anticipated - - worry seemed to vanish, didn't have feeling of animosity toward boss - almost like a dream come true - - like when MeMe was picked for the Time Machine.

Leaving work for the day was almost like MeMe wanted to stay. The day was much more than expected. So much warmth was experienced that the hatred MeMe walked in the door with - - was forgotten about. Employees all smiled laughed and joked - - all said see you tomorrow.

As MeMe entered the car thoughts ran through body - - never experienced anything like it before. Maybe I am dreaming - - but just as driving out the entrance, horn beeped and brought MeMe back to reality.



Driving home, the cars speeding by, horns honking, red lights - - all MeMe could think of was - the Boss - that hatred and back to the day of the beginning of the animosity toward this person.

Entering the Time Machine MeMe once again set the brain in gear and all thoughts turned toward the Boss. The heart began to boil - - someday I'll get even - - someday he will know how he hurt our family - - someday - -.

Then Grandfathers story jogged MeMe's outburst of anger -- it went as such -- once upon a time a little boy was having an extremely difficult time with his older brother -- nothing seemed to settle the difference between the two. One day when Mother could no longer handle the outburst she made them run until they would forgive each other and don't you stop until you forgive. The two ran and ran and ran -- it was an extremely hot day. The faster they ran, the hotter they got -- and eventually turned into butter -- and Grandfather laughed and said your choice, you can be hard and cold like a rock or soft, warm and spreadable like butter, and touch many peoples lives --.

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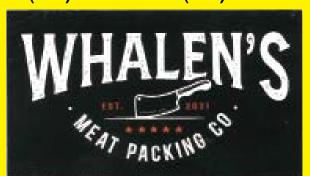
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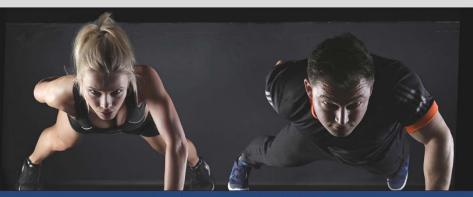
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BISMARCK, N.D. - An active weather pattern took hold last week, leading to several rounds of thunderstorms over western North Dakota

In the District 1 operations area, which includes Bowman and part of Slope Counties, aircraft conducted seven total flights last week including five seeding flights for rain enhancement and hail suppression, one flight for reconnaissance, and one flight for repositioning.

This week, high temperatures are forecast to be below normal early in the week before warming to near 90 by late week. Chances of precipitation appear to be minimal.

Badar facilities in 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.



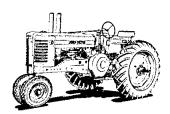
RDC Annual Meeting Wednesday, August 7th at The Slab.

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Grateful Givers Club Membership **Drive Extended** Through July 31st!

By Ted Uecker, WRHS Foundation

For all you believers and difference makers out there -- West River Health Services Foundation, the fundraising arm of West River Health Services and Western Horizons Living Centers, has extended their Annual Membership Drive for their 2023-2024 "Grateful Givers Club" to July 31st. Now, maybe more than ever before, is the right time to consider joining our Grateful Givers Club. After all, we're all going to need an Ambulance, an annual checkup or

a colonoscopy sometime. For a gift of \$100 or more over one year's time, any individual, family, business or organization can become a member of our WRHS Foundation's Grateful Givers Club. This fundraising club, formerly called Partners In Health Club, began in 2002 to create extra funds for needed equipment (beyond the yearly Capital Budget) at West River Health Services and Western Horizons Living Centers. That first year, two portable defibrillators were purchased for \$25,000. Last year, our Grateful Givers Club funded \$17,000 for the new Bathing Room at Western Horizons Care Center and \$17,000 for West River Ambulance. Just recently our WRHS Administration recommended and our WRHS Foundation Board of Directors approved the following \$54,200 worth of needed medical equipment from our Grateful Givers Club Fund for WRHS and WHLC: Colonoscope (\$26.7K), Cystoscope (\$8K), Traction Table (\$9K), Vaccine Refrigerator (\$7.5K) and Patient Lifts (\$3K). And the Club provides needed medical equipment in more places than Hettinger alone; as historically. Grateful Givers Club has also funded needed healthcare equipment regularly for WRHS satellite clinics in Bowman, New England, Mott, Scranton and Lemmon, SD. Plus, we have our Western Horizons Care Center and Assisted Living

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Services, West River Surgery Center, West River Eye Center, WRHS Visiting Nurse and more. Over the last 22 years, Part-

ners In Health/Grateful Givers

Club has raised over \$800K for

needed healthcare equipment! Now you can give \$100 or more to any fund over one year's time - and your gift will make you a member of our Grateful Givers Club. Currently, we are recommending gifts to our "Ambulance Fund"; "Grateful Givers Club Fund"; and our "Western Horizons Living Centers Fund"; as last December, 2023, the Hettinger Javcees took us over our \$500,000 "Healthcare Heroes Endowment Fund" goal (in only 28 months!). Currently we've raised \$532,289 toward this "Heroes Fund" and possess \$39,578 in interest, to utilize for: 1) significant \$5-\$10K "Academic Loans" for college upperclassmen, (we've already given \$5K-\$10K via Academic Loans to two senior nurses, who are planning to apply for jobs with us this summer. Plus, another might be on his way in Jan., '25!); 2) signing bonuses for critical, top-priority employment opportunities at WRHS/WHLC, and/or 3) bonuses for current healthcare heroes at WRHS/ WHLC. Of course, depending on the year, the interest can always be reinvested into the principal as well. We always will need more staff at WRHS and WHLC.

Or maybe you'd like to give to another fund here at West River Health Services Foundation -- like Physician Recruitment Endowment, General Endowment, Surgery Center, Scholarship, a WRHS Satellite Clinic or the General Fund. That's entirely fine. We appreciate all gifts -- large and small.

Please consider joining our Grateful Givers Club by July 31st. It's easy! You can write a check to "WRHSF," and send to: 1000 Highway 12, Hettinger, ND, 58639; or give online at wrhs.com/giving; or call Ted Uecker direct at 701-567-3666. if you'd like to visit and learn more. We sincerely appreciate our West River Believers! 397 Grateful Givers Club Members and counting! Onward to continually improving our top-notch healthcare system for you,



by

Pat Merriman

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Earlier, I complained about the progressive reformation of language. Words affect thoughts and thoughts, ultimately, become actions. This past Saturday, we got a horrifying view of that phenomenon in my opinion. Others will be "investigating" HOW or WHY the young killer shot up that rally up in Butler, Pennsylvania, but, I wasn't there, I didn't participate, so, I'm not entitled to an opinion yet. The facts will, ultimately come out, and I encourage everyone to wait until the fiasco is sorted out before drawing a conclusion on the obvious, embarrassing breakdown of our Secret Service's protection that day.

Rather, I want to comment about the subconscious rewiring of the public for over 30 years by the Care Bears. Psychologists opine that in times of terminal, apex stress, our sympathetic nervous system triggers an acute response—fight or flee. And, it just ain't true. My experience in 35+ years of close protection work is that the response is actually flee or freeze and, that's what I saw in the videos this weekend. "Freeze" includes indecision where the victim waits for someone else to tell them what to do and just stands/sits there exposed. I've seen if firsthand-a crisis has occurred and 1st responders have to scream and shake a potential victim to get them to move. The bystanders can lift their iPhone to record for posterity but, they can't get down low to protect themselves or their loved ones.

We teach it to our youth-"don't you fight back, you find a teacher, boss, parent, etc." The problem is that can get you killed. In Butler, PA, very few civilian bystanders got down when the shooting started...they whipped out the old iPhones. Commencing in 1998, I use a video for CQB training and still do 25 years later. The murder of a deputy sheriff in Georgia whose only mistake was stopping a mentally-ill Vietnam War veteran for speeding. The vet recovered his own rifle from his pickup truck, walked to his toolbox in the bed, pulled out a loaded magazine, armed and fired the long gun killing the deputy who was frantically trying to contact a supervisor to tell him what to do while he stood there with his sidearm. On January 13, 2015, that shooter was executed by lethal injection but, the deputy, his wife and child still paid the ultimate price for indecision and, that was forever. Folks, we have to stop this nonsense and react to these emergencies instead of photographing them. If we can do it here in Mott, it can be done elsewhere and enough is enough. Put down that iPhone and, have a great time with your loved ones this week.

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Reflections on the Words of Life

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

We continue today to look at 1 Peter 1:3: "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His abundant mercy has begotten us again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead." Last time we noted Peter's response for the blessing of regeneration: thanksgiving and praise to God. This should be the response of every believer in Christ.

Peter goes on to list some specific blessings of the new birth, and the first one we find is "a living hope." It is important to understand what the Bible means here by "hope." It is not the way we normally use the word. Let me give an example. Someone might ask a friend, "Are you going to the football game this weekend?" The person might answer, "I hope so." This means is that he or she desires to go but is not sure whether it will be possible to go.

That is not what Peter or the other New Testament writers mean when they speak of the believer's hope. In the New Testament, the word "hope" means confident expectation. It includes desire, but it also includes confidence that desire

confidently expects to be with God forever in heaven. That is the believer's hope.

Let us imagine asking someone who is not a believer in Jesus Christ if he or she will go to heaven. The person may reply, "I hope so," indicating that he or she is not sure about going to heaven. The desire is there, but there is no confidence. However, even if the unbeliever says, "Oh yes, I know I am going to heaven," that is not true Biblical hope. For the confidence is misguided. God has not promised heaven for the unbeliever. In fact, God has promised that the unbeliever will not go to heaven.

On the other hand, a believer who is asked whether he or she is going to heaven may simply say, "Yes, I am." This is

I remember asking a lady if she knew for sure whether she would go to heaven when she died. She became rather angry and replied, "Nobody knows that!" She went on, "And you don't know that either." This lady thought it was arrogant for a person to have certainty about going to heaven. Why? Because she believed that people are saved by good works. That view precludes confidence about going to heaven since a person could never know whether he or she has done enough good works to make it.

But the Christian's certainty of heaven is not based upon anything in himself or herself. Salvation does not depend upon a person's performance or works. The believer's certainty stems from the fact that Christ is a perfect Savior and has provided a perfect salvation, and the believer is relying on that. The Christian has confidence in the promises of God. They are seen not as "wishful thinking" but as certainties because God Himself has spoken them. Possibly the best-known verse in the Bible is John 3:16: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life." Another wonderful promise is found in John 14:2-3: "In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also." The believer takes great comfort in these promises and has a certain assurance of spending eternity with Jesus. Friend, are you trusting only in what Jesus did on the cross to make you right with God? If so, then you have a solid basis for looking forward to eternity in heaven.

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Determination

is key

By Kathy Craigo Harteis

We should never doubt the power of a couple of old people and three young women.

It wasn't easy, but last week Tom and me with the help of daughter-in-law Becky and granddaughters Latrice and Lea assembled an 18 foot swimming pool. It replaced the one destroved by hail. It's tougher than the instructions say it will be.

Nonetheless we got it done, it's filled with water and ready for the first pool party of the year.

We will celebrate granddaughter Aubree's 11th birthday this week.

Time goes too fast. As much as we love to see the grandchildren grow into the great young people they are becoming, we still kinda wish they'd stay little just a bit longer.

In a conversation with friends last week we all agreed that the future for our young people is quite possibly going to be a struggle at best. There is no question that the challenges they face we'll be greater than those we faced in the 60's. Life was much simpler when we were kids.

Today we have managed to change all of that.

At the risk of sounding old, I have to say I sometimes miss the inconvenience of having to wait for things.

We had one phone. We waited our turn to use it. It sat on a table. We couldn't ignore each other and play games or watch a movie on the phone.

Instead, we played board games together or watched a program on the one and only television in the house. Before that, we sat on the floor listening to radio programs.

Do you see a pattern here? We were together as a family. If we wanted the access to communication or entertainment we did it together.

When we were teenagers my dad built sister Ann and I our own bedrooms by adding an upper story to our house.

We immediately started spending more time in our rooms. Even so, we still had one phone and one television downstairs and we ate our meals toaether.

There is a lot of good in the way it was then.

Yet, we move on. It takes more work these days to make sure our families remain close and in touch. I appreciate the parents my children and their spouses have become. Family time is important to all of them. That is how it should be.

Life is good today.

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> Jason Jung, New England City Auditor thru Aug 3

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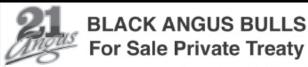
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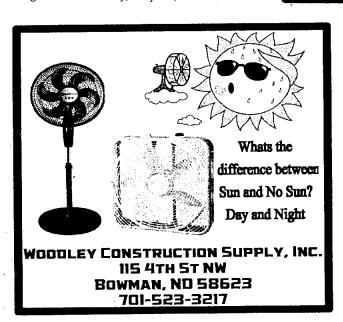
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Fr. Greg Hilzendeger, Pastor Holy Trinity-Hettinger, Sacred Heart-Reeder,

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There are many catchy savings which make their way throughout the Christian world and become quite popular, integrating themselves into the fabric of an ordinary Christian's spiritual journey. These are often quite good, but there are some, though certainly well intentioned and containing some real truth, that can miss some important truths about the Christian life. I want to speak briefly of two popular ones and offer corrections which I believe

make a profound difference. The first "saying" is often known by the popular acronym WWJD, which stands for "What would Jesus do?" Now, this phrase certainly flows from a beautiful intuition of wanting to become more like Jesus in all we do. Yet, it also lends itself to some unfortunate misunderstandings. By using the past tense, it can relegate Jesus to the past, treating Him merely as a historical figure who provides a good example for us. The question also implies an "if"; as in "what would Jesus do...if He were really alive...if He really cared...if He really could do something?" The truth is much more beautifully profound. Jesus is not just a historical figure and our task as Christians isn't just to try and imagine what Jesus would do in a similar situation. Jesus is alive and active! He is here in whatever decision or action we are contemplating. He is alive, He does care, and He can really take care of us! A slightly better way to put the saying would be "What is Jesus doing?" Though this also misses an important point. To ask this question makes it seem as though the Christian's task is to put on his or her detective hat and try to discover what Jesus is up to in order to help. But the faith is far more than an intellectual exercise. It is relational! The question to ask then is, "Jesus,

what are you doing?" Jesus is alive and active, and He wants to guide us through an intimate friendship wherein we speak to each other heart to heart. Whatever situation we face, whether a decision or a question of how to help and love another, we can speak with Jesus in praver about how He is acting in and through me. While the acronym JWAYD is admittedly not as catchy, I believe it makes a powerful and beautiful impact on how we live in relationship with Jesus.

The second "saying" I want to speak about is, "God will never give you more than you can handle." Again, there is a beautiful intuition here and it can provide great comfort. The problem is, it's wrong. God will absolutely give us more than we can handle. Ultimately, everything that happens to us is more than we can handle, for, as Jesus says in the Gospel of John, "Without me you can do nothing." By ourselves, we are weak and utterly dependent on God. This doesn't mean that we are without comfort and assurance though. The truth properly stated is, "God will never give us more than He intends to handle through His grace in us." When we encounter sufferings in this life, our duty is not to believe in ourselves more and try harder. This disposition will often leave us despairing and lamenting that God thinks we can handle so much. Rather, we are to immediately throw ourselves into the merciful arms of God, maintaining peace through trusting surrender to Him. We must trust in Him and let Him act, and then we will see the truth of Jesus' words, "with God, all things are possible.

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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.

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By: Vivian Hernandez

A Little Birdie Told Me: "Good Things Come In Small Packages.

The New England Library may be small but it like every library is full of adventures waiting to be experienced. I may not be a reader but I do love to wonder around a library, there's something about all the books.

Donna Jirges was dedicated to the New England Public Library for 17 years as its librarian. Donna passed away in 2023 after a battle with cancer, but her legacy lives on at the library. In memory of Donna her Husband Bryan donated a rocking chair to the library handcrafted by The Steel Woodpecker in Dickinson. The chair now sits in a place of honor at the library with the inscription: "In Memory of Donna Jirges 2007-2023 For Dedicated Service to Our Library."

Donna was a great advocate for reading and worked hard to ensure the library would be around for generations to come. The library is located in an old building and upkeep is never ending. Donna raised funds for a new furnace, windows as well as other needs of the library.

The library has opened a new chapter with Briana Harris. Briana is the new librarian who started in March of this year. Briana and her Husband Dave moved to New England from Boulder, Montana. They have five children the youngest, Lennie and Ezra live with them on Baldy Butte, one of the Rainy Buttes west of New England. Briana enjoys: photography, reading, cooking, camping, rafting and being a stay-at-home Mom. Briana is grateful for the warm welcome they have received, so stop by the library and say "Hello."

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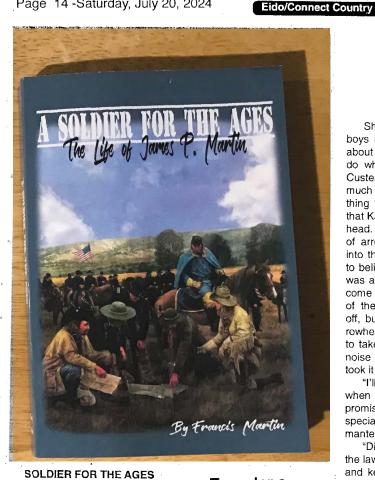
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By Francis Martin

Continued from last week

All Shorty could tell Morris was what he had heard from James and Dan'l after they came home. He didn't really know enough words to describe what really had gone on over there, so he told Frank Morris that the whole battlefield had been in complete chaos. Close fighting had gone on most of the afternoon. Bodies were piled up like cordwood. The NVA did this so the U.S. Army wouldn't be able to use their Air Cover to protect the ground troops. Then Shorty came to the hard part of the story. The 7th Airborne Cavalry was hit by enemy fire three times and had it not been for James, the man he was looking for, he wouldn't be sitting there now. He told Frank that James had said everyone there had fought hard and brave and that he should be proud of his brother. Frank Morris smiled back at him like the weight of guilt had just been removed.

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boys in the back seat chatting about what they were going to do when they got home. The Custer Battlefield hadn't held much interest to them. The only thing that interested them was that Kadee had found an arrowhead. Considering the number of arrows that had been shot into that hill, it was reasonable to believe that every time there was a frost heave, more would come to the surface. The tip of the arrowhead was broken off, but it was definitely an arrowhead. The boys kept trying to take it from each other. The noise got so bad that Kadee took it away from them.

"I'll help you put it in a frame when we get home," Shorty promised, "You can give it a special place on the fireplace mantel.'

"Did you know it's against the law to pick up an arrowhead and keep it/" Pauly said in his know-it-all voice.

"Then maybe we should throw it out the window," Nicky said, "Beats going to jail over a stupid arrowhead.

After seeing Yellowstone Park, they had very little to say about the Big Horn Battlefield. It had no forests, no bears that they saw, no elk, no deer, no lakes or streams. Yellowstone had it all. Shorty was actually sorry he had taken them to the place that celebrated death. The bovs didn't talk about it anymore and he was glad. It was too eerie to relåte to anyone, much less two imaginative boys.

"You're awfully quiet," Kadee said when they pulled into



Mustard seeds: Christian living is in the small things

Pastor Renee Johnson Dakota Prairie Lutheran Parish Bowman Lutheran in Bowman. Lebanon Lutheran in Amidon, First Lutheran in Rhame, Bethany Lutheran south of Rhame

Summer continues to roll by. We're on the other side of the halfway mark already. All around us crops and gardens ripen and prepare for harvest. Looking at all the bright blooms and deepening colors of red and yellow makes me think of the parable of the mustard seed that Jesus tells in the fourth chapter of Mark. "Jesus also said. "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade" (Mark 4:30-32).

It's just such a small thing, the little mustard seed. It hardly seems fathomable that a tiny little seed can become such a big deal that it provides shelter and shade and habitat for new life. Small things rarely seem to

garner our attention like large things do but when we think about it, small things are the very foundation of everything. From atoms and neutrons to cells and corpuscles, everything great is built on the small things. Martha Sterne, writing in "A Day of Small Things," made this connection as well and it's worth sharing with you here. It's worth thinking about and living out. She wrote:

"I hate to bring up The Ten Commandments when I'm preaching on the Gospel of Mark, but...remember that they are very rarely Cecil B. de Mille, big-screen, neon-sign events. They really aren't. They are small choices made on small days, over and over and over again. Such as choosing to remember that God made us for freedom and gave us as a gift, not a punishment, rules to live

Small things such as remembering God made us, so we don't make God. Such as remembering that we had better not put God's name on anything in a vain show of power. Such as remembering that if God made the universe from a little marble and rested, then we are just created and hard wired to let go of our tiny universes and

Little things, like remembering not just to honor your parents when they are old and gray, but also to train your own children to honor you. And don't let them get away with small, crummy, petty things. And don't lie in small things. Then the great truths within you have a

And don't strike up teasing, betraying relationships. Almost every adulterous relationship that people bring to pastors like me is when their miserable family is imploding. Every one of them begins with small, careless choices.

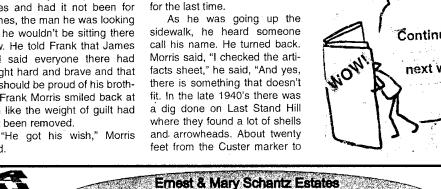
And don't murder, which may mean more than we want it to mean. And don't steal. I know that means more than any of us want stealing to mean. But if we don't steal in small ways, we won't get all messed up in big ways.

And then this last one, which this year I think is the biggest one. Don't covet. Don't waste your life wanting another life. An old friend calls it a case of the "I wants." Whatever "I wants" you have right now-bigger, better, more, different-find little ways of not renting that room in your head. Little ways, like "I will not think about this for five minutes" kinds of ways. Things perhaps no bigger than a mustard seed.

I follow the God who showed up two thousand years ago in small ways on days of small things. A healing touch here. A compassionate word there. Small things like not giving up on flawed friends. Like praying every day. Small things like enjoying life. Jesus really enjoyed life. Small things like speaking truth to power. Like giving his small, mustard-seed-sized life so that the great labor of the new universe of resurrected, reborn life could be created."

This author offers us words of wisdom that raise some questions for us and call us to reflect on our lives. How will our choices today show the world we love and follow the God of all things, big and small? How will the world see us spreading the love of Jesus in our words and actions? The small things we do, say and think each day, each moment, take root and grow and spread.

May all the small things you say and do continue to grow and feed and help your faith to flourish for your sake and for the sake of this world God so loves, and in all things, big and small, may you be a blessing to God and to all those you encounter.



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Mathew James Kerzman, 42, Fargo, entered eternal glory on Tuesday, July 9, 2024 at Sanford Medical Center in



the hour of Divine Mercy surrounded by the Love of Jesus and Mary. He was greeted by both his mom Lila Brunkhorst Kerzman (1986) and dad James Kerzman (2015). Mathew fought a long battle against a traumatic brain injury (TBI) he suffered on August 1, 2013.

Mathew's Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10 a.m. (CDT), Saturday, July 20, 2024 at Spirit of Life Catholic Church, Mandan with Fr. Dennis Schafer, Fr. Basil Atwell O.S.B., and Fr. Christopher Kadrmas as

concelebrants. Interment took place at St. Placidus, Mott following the Mass and luncheon at 2 p.m. (MDT). Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Vigil were on Friday at 7 p.m. (CT) Spirit of Life Catholic Church, Mandan.

Mathew was born in Hettinger, ND to James and Lila Kerzman of Mott, ND on June 11, 1982. He was an artistic and joyful child and the youngest of six children. After his mother Lila died when he was four, his dad remarried Jill Dietz Kerzman and added four new siblings to his life. Mathew always enjoyed music, art, friendships and just having fun as a kid. Mathew attended St. Vincent's Catholic grade school and then Mott Lincoln High School. Mathew faced challenges in his life, but also had strength and resilience in battling his addictions. While overcoming these challenges, Mathew began to study graphic design at Bismarck State College. He was also an entrepreneur, doing freelance photography and pottery and working as a representative for Cutco Knives. Mathew worked fulltime as a cook at Paradiso in Bismarck while attending BSC. He loved weight lifting, motorcycling, reptiles, stray cats and skateboarding. Mathew had a great heart and was always helping out a friend. Mathew

bought a motorcycle before he bought a car and when he did buy a car, it was bright sunshine yellow. Mathew also was a natural musician and taught himself to play the guitar, and the drums. He always had a strong love for music. He was very much an artist throughout his whole life with drawings, ceramics and tattoos. Many friends received his artwork and tattoos from him. On August 1, 2013, Mathew

suffered a traumatic brain injury

after a skateboarding accident.

Despite his life being forever

changed, Mathew REFUSED

TO SINK. His family never gave

up on him. Mathew worked very

hard for 11 years battling his brain injury. Even after his accident, Mathew went on to create artwork for so many people and even started his own blog (https:mjk-arts.weebly.com) to share his positivity and beautiful artwork. Shortly before his passing. Mathew became a member of the Knights of Columbus at St. Anthony's in Fargo, ND. Mathew refused to sink; that was not only his motto, but his heart. He would end his blog by stating "MJK, TBI Survivor. If I can stay positive...SO CAN YOU!" Mathew lived life to the fullest and loved his family and friends more than anything. Mathew loved everyone and despite his corny flaws, he always tried to make everyone laugh or feel better. At Kerzman gatherings, he was known for walking up behind one of his siblings and giving them the most amazing shoulder rub. He loved to play all games, including rummy, chess and cribbage. He loved to play these games before and after his accident. No one could ever leave his room without one of his free business cards to see his blog and his artwork. While in his presence, he made sure to tell as many jokes to make you laugh that he could. Music, art, jokes, massages, tattoos, writing, positivity and love are just a few reasons he will be missed so much by so many. Even though Mathew is now with the Lord, he will be greatly missed.

Mathew is survived by his mom Jill (Dietz) Kerzman, who was his mom since the age of five; his siblings, Lisa Marie Kerzman Miller, Minneapolis, MN, Scott (Shelly) Kerzman, Becker, MN, Lynn (Ryan) Adelman, Boise, ID, Brad (Jody) Kerzman, Bismarck, ND, Kysa (Kale) Rasmussen, Sidney, MT, David (Jessica) Kerzman, Fargo, ND, Kileigh (Jacob) Maki, Moorhead, MN, Nick (Emily) Gard, Fargo, ND, & Caleb (Amanda) Gard, West Fargo, ND; a special uncle that was like a second father to the family, Jerome Kerzman, Dickinson, ND; 28 nieces and nephews, one great niece, one great nephew, and a special friend that was like another brother Brian (Briana) Kautzman, Fargo, ND; as well as numerous aunts and uncles and cousins from the Kerzman Brunkhorst and Dietz families and many close friends and classmates.

Mathew was preceded in death by his parents (Jim and Lila Kerzman), his grandparents (James and Ione Kerzman, Lillian and Lawrence Brunkhorst. & Francis Dietz), and four un-

Go to weigelfuneral.com to share condolences and view the livestream of the funeral Mass.

Jess Strehlow Rites To Be Held

Jeff Strehlow, 62, of Hettinger, ND passed away from a tragic truck accident north of Haynes, ND on Thursday, July 11, 2024.

Service of Remembrance will be Monday, July 22, 2024 at



10:30 a.m. MT at the Hettinger Armory in Hettinger, ND. Deacon Mike Mellmer will officiate and burial will follow at the Hettinger Cemetery. Visitation will be from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Sunday, July 21, 2024 followed by a Gathering of Family and Friends at 6:00 p.m. all at the Centennial Chapel of Evanson Jensen Funeral Homes in Hettinger, 700 South 2nd Street.

Jeffrey Strehlow was born at the Hettinger Hospital on January 27, 1962 to Jeannette and Earl Strehlow. Jeff grew up on the farm west of Hettinger with his sister Linda and brother Eu-

Jeff graduated from Hettinger Public School in May of 1980. He attended ND School of Science in Wahpeton, ND for a short time. He then came home to milk cows on the family dairy farm. He did that until hardship fell on the farm and an auction was held on the cows and machinery. Jeff and his brother, Eugene had major life changes at that time. Jeff was able to buy some of the farm land and continued to live there.

Jeff was married to Sandy Couch on September 9, 1988 and to that marriage a son, Norman was born. Jeff began to grind hay in 1993 with Jim Thormodsgard and eventually bought his own grinder which became his life long career that he surely loved! He also went south combining with his brother, Eugene, from North Dakota to Oklahoma. They enjoyed every minute of working together.

Jeff had a way of getting under people's skin and giving people a "rash of B.S." to get a rise out of them. He loved every

Unfortunately, Jeff was killed

in an accident with his hay grinder truck on July 11, 2024 east of Hettinger, ND. With very heavy hearts we will miss Jeff and his "hearty" laugh.

He is survived by his wife, Sandy and his one son, Norman, his sister, Linda (Tom) Marion, brother, Eugene (Dee) Strehlow, numerous nieces and nephews who Jeff dearly loved. Jeff loved his special dogs, "Snuggles" and "Chip" along with the cats, cattle, horses and chickens too.

Jeff was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents, along with numerous aunts, uncles and his mother and father-in-law.

Condolences to the Strehlow family can be sent through our website at www.evansonjensenfuneralhome.com

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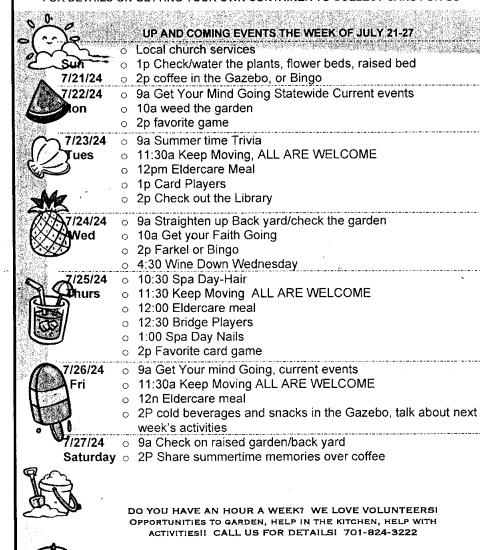
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Darrel Arnold Remington Rites To Be Held

Darrel Arnold Remington, aged 86, passed away July 7, 2024, in Hettinger, ND. A memorial service to celebrate Dar-



rel's life to be held at 10:00 am MST on July 26, 2024, at the Enchanted Castle in Regent, ND. Following internment at the Regent Cemetery a lunch will be held at the Regent American Le-

Darrel was born on a farm south of Mott on March 25, 1938, to Keith and Carrie Remington. He was the youngest of 8 children. Darrel began his educational journey in Mott, graduating in 1956 from Mott Lincoln High School, where he excelled in football and basketball.

From 1956 to 1960, Darrel served honorably in the Air Force, a period during which he developed a lifelong appreciation for discipline and service. His military tenure was a foundational experience, influencing his approach to leadership in his educational career. Darrel was stationed in Texas, California, and in multiple locations in Alas-

In February 1958 he married Arloween Wieland, a marriage that lasted 54 years until Arly's death in February 2012. After the Air Force, Darrel and Arly lived in Rapid City, SD, where

both of their sons were born. In 1966 the family relocated to Regent. A cascade of circumstances lead to Darrel enrolling in Dickinson State College the fall of 1967, driving daily between Regent and Dickinson for the next 4 school years. During this time, Darrell held a variety of jobs (often multiple at a time) including but not limited to managing the Regent Co-op Store; doing the accounting for Regent Lumber Company and Newby Lumber; insurance adjusting for crop damage throughout the Dakotas; and managing the local credit union.

After Darrel graduated from Dickinson State in May of 1971, he substitute taught for various schools in the Regent area. He also started coaching 4th-6th grade basketball that year, eventually adding the 7th-8th grade team 2 years later. Darrel was a highly successful grade school and junior high coach for many years. He started teaching in Regent the '72-'73 school year. In the summer of 1975, Darrel was hired to be the principal of the Regent School while still teaching 1-2 classes per year. He was hired as the Regent School Superintendent in the summer of 1980, which is also when he completed his Masters Degree from the University of North Dakota. Darrel stayed in Regent until June 1984. After 1 year as the Superintendent in Crary, ND, Darrel transitioned to being the high school Principal at his alma mater in August 1985, and advancing to become the Superintendent of Mott Schools the following school year.

In June 1999, Darrel and Arly both decided to call it a career, supposedly heading to retirement. However, in September 1999 Darrel became the "part-time" Superintendent for the Belfield School System, a position he held until June 2013 when he retired for good and

moved back to Regent. During his tenure in Education, Darrel was well known for his knowledge of school finance and served on many state boards, including the ND Board of Career and Technical Education and the ND State Board of Public School Education, of which he was also the Chairman for many years.

passionate Darrel was about his gardening, with his friends and family often reaping the benefits of his diligent efforts. In addition he would have his Farmer's Market where people could buy his produce. Darrel loved watching college sports on TV, especially football and women's basketball. He was infamous for saying, "That is the worst call in the history of football!" while watching a game. Darrel also was a closet fan of the Minnesota Vikings as he did not want to open himself up to annual disappointment. Darrel was also active with the Regent Senior Citizens Center. Because of the importance in his life, he always treasured visits and successes of former students, staff, and school board

Darrel is survived by his sons Todd (Anne Thordal) Remington, Bismarck, ND; and Kevin (Lisa) Remington, Regent, ND; grandchildren Jennifer (Jeffrey) Paredez, Boerne, TX; Kevin (Brittany Wiedeman) Remington, Fargo, ND; Kori (Tyrel) Messer, New Salem, ND; Jaqueline (Johnny) Moreno, San Antonio, TX; and Andrea Remington, San Antonio, TX; sisters-in-law Cleone (Larry) Guinn, Cornelia, GA; and Twila (Robert) Marthaller, Bismarck, ND; 9 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Arly; sisters; Ethelyn Marthaller, Grace Fulton, Edith Kilzer, and Arlene Heinzman; brothers; Kenneth Remington, Wallace Remington, and Robert Remington; and grandson Scott Remington.

Evanson Jensen Funeral Home of Mott, ND, is assisting the family with arrangements.

Death Notice for Rodney "Rod"

Rodney "Rod" L. Kosmicki, marck.

A Celebration of Rods Life will be held on Friday, August 2, 2024 at the Rhame Legion Hall

at the North Dakota Veteran Cemetery in Mandan, ND, on Monday, August 5, 2024 begin-

Rodney Louis Kosmicki, known to some as Kos, Kosmo, Papa, Rocking Rod, Hot Rod, Poppy, uncle, brother, bartender, friend and most recently Speedster, given to him by the nursing home staff in his many attempts and successful escapes from the nursing home, age 88, and a resident of Bis-



marck, ND, died on July 8, 2024 at St Vincents Nursing home in Bismarck, ND.

Rod was born on June 29, 1936, in Rhame, North Dakota to Emma (Rud) Kosmicki and Louie Kosmicki. He was the big brother to Lenore (Tom) Boushele, Shirley (Jerome) Jalbert, Nelda (Rudy) Susa, Virgil (Micki) Kosmicki and Dick (Julene) Kosmicki. On May 29, 1971 he married

Teresa (Kempenich) Kosmicki. Although he was pretty adamant he did not want children. His cookie, Amber was born June 30, 1974 which interrupted his golf game and not wanting her to be a single child, his Ruthie, Ruth was born November 8, 1976. Thru the years he came to call another daughter his, Kari Buzalsky was a part of his family for many years. He often stumped people when they asked how many kids he had and he answered 3 girls, Amber (Dennis) Torgerson, Ruth (James) Gameon and Kari Buzalsky. Rod was blessed with 6 grandchildren, Ruth's children John Ryan Manning (Grace), Brooke (Gameon) Petersen married to Garrett, Molly Manning (Jake) all from Three Forks, MT) and Amber's children Tyler (Lydia) St Onge, Amara and Jaela (all of Bismarck, ND) 3 great grandchildren belonging to_Brooke and Garrett, Hayzleigh, Peytyn and Greysyn. He was preceded in death by his parents Louie and Emma, his sister Nelda and husband Rudy, brother Virgil and wife Micki, brother in laws Jerome Jalbert, Tom Boushele and grandson Peyton.

Rod went to school and graduated from Rhame as valedictorian of his class. The Pirates were his team. I even think he cheered for the Pirates when Ruth and Amber were playing sports against them (at least he did sit on the Pirates side of the bleachers). Rod was a basketball player, his basketball career for the Pirates even took him to Germany to play basketball for the Army. Rod enlisted in the Army on September 30, 1954 and spent his time in Germany.

A few years back when asked about his prior work history Rod said, "I had a few jobs, but not too many." Some of those few jobs were working for the Minneapolis tribune, managing the CCC Bar in Rhame, he worked in lumber mill and bar in Canada 125 miles south of Dawson creek volunteered on the ambulance squad in Bowman and was a volunteer fireman, he was one of the "Dirty Dozen" that owned Has Beens Bar. He was an impeccable insurance agent and always looked out for his customers. When the spring storms rolled in he spent late nights writing crop hail (usually over a Christian Brothers at the bar). Even in his last days he was always arguing with family and staff at the nursing home that he had to get to work. After he retired from the Insurance business, he took 2 weeks off work before he went to serve coffee at the bar in Wor-

den for a good friend Tom. After Tom passed away, Paula at the Longbranch snagged him up and he was there serving coffee until he just couldn't work anymore due to health reasons. He loved visiting with people. I am sure we missed many ventures as Rod was always involved with whatever crazy scheme his friends could talk him into. His most important job was being a husband, father, Papa (grandpa) and great grandpa, along with being a brother and uncle.

He had many hobbies in life and enjoyed life. He often could be found on the golf course. Rod loved to fish and hunt and shared his joy with his daughters at a very young age. Rod was a member of the Rhame Legion, lifetime member of the Elks and VFW. He was always involved in the community and community events. He enjoyed casino games and having a Christian Brothers as well.

When his grand children were little he would often be found sitting with them in his lap reading books, playing put put golf or golf, cribbage, riding bikes and going for lots of ice cream. Rod loved to watch and attend all types of sporting events. He loved Sioux hockey and went to a couple games, he enjoyed going to and watching Montana State Bobcats football when he and Teresa lived in Montana.

Trying to condense a full life of 88 years on paper is impossible. The ventures with his friends from Bowman and Rhame (stories you would think were made up but I can tell you they were true happenings) to times with his brother, Dick and friends from Billings/Worden area, memories that will be held dear to our hearts.

Memorials can be made to the Rhame Legion hall. Please wear your favorite golf shirt when you join us in Rhame

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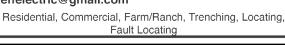
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at Grant County Junior High/High School Elgin, ND

for all students in grades 7-12.

Juniors and Seniors - Thursday, August 2, 2024 7:00am - 9:30am

Sophomores and Freshmen - Thursday, August 2, 2024 9:30am - Noon

7th and 8th Grade – Thursday, August 2, 2024 1:00pm – 3:30pm

In order to have a smooth flow of students for registration, it is very important that you arrive to registration at your designated time.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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If you have any questions, please call

Mr. Bentz at the school at 584-2374.

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2024-2025 GRANT COUNTY JH/HS

START UP DATES FOR THE FALL SPORTS SEASON

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FOOTBALL							
GRADES 9-12	Gear Handout	8/5	5 – 6:00pm MT	Elgin			
	1st Practice-Grades 9-12	8/8	7:00am MT	Carson			
GRADES 7-8	Gear Handout	8/5	5 – 6:00pm MT	Elgin .			
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YOUTH 4-6	Gear Handout and Meetir	ng 8/5	5-6:00pm MT	Elgin			
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VOLLEYBALL							
GRADES 7-8	1st Practice-Grades 7-8	8/19	6:00pm	GCHS Gym			
GRADES 9-12	1st Practice-Grades 9-12	8/19	6:00pm	GCHS Gym			
GIRLS GOLF	1st Practice-Grades 6-12	8/5	8:00am MT	Elgin Course			
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Monday, August 5th at 5:00MT/6:00CT

at Grant County High School in Elgin. Equipment handout for all 4-6 athletes will take place.

The Youth Storm policies will be reviewed, concussion management plan will be discussed, the coaches will provide important information such as practice and game schedules and parents will be able to meet the coaches prior to the season beginning.

At least one parent should be present with the athlete. If you haven't completed a participation form and paid the fee, you can do that at this time as well.

If you have any questions, please contact the

Coach Matt Nipe at 719 258-7992
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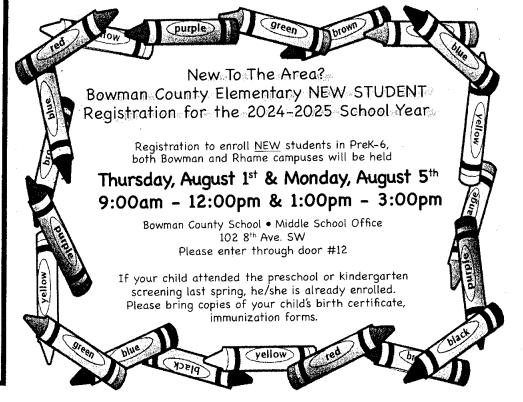
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Thoughts for the Week

by June Schmidt

It amazes me the response that people have to violence these days. In light of the recent events this last weekend that made national news, there were a lot of people expressing sadness that something like this could happened. However, I noted a few very unkind remarks and one was from a prominent political person's staff and the remark made was more than unkind and actually resulted in that individual losing their iob over it. Have we become so jaded that violence is not only a normal occurance but generates verbal agreement to violent behavior? It is appalling that anyone would wish harm on

another person and even go so far as to voice that opinion on a public site.

It makes me wonder how people that wish others harm were raised. Is it not normal practice that we raise our children to be kind to others? If you are Christian or whatever religion you practice, there is always guidelines about how to treat others, the golden rule says to treat others as you would like to be treated, so where does this fail? Even if you have no religion, common sense would say that you do not wish to see harm as in pagan religions it says do no harm as it may come back to you three fold. So where does this fail? Are we just so used to seeing violence on television programs,

movies and video games that somehow this is all justified? How do we change the future for our children if we cannot control our own attitudes?

As far as what was used, I am sure that the first thing we are going to hear is that we need more laws to control events like these. Laws are to keep people from doing bad things, but it cannot stop bad people from doing bad things. Laws are followed by honest people, and generally people who purchase items used for protection are honest so putting more laws on these people, since they are generally not the ones that cause the problems, cannot solve problems caused by people that choose not to be honest. In fact the more laws that you put on honest people the less likely they are able to protect themselves from people that are not honest. If you

research the states that have put on stricter laws than other states, you may find that regardless of all the laws, the crime rates have not decreased and in fact just prevent those that may need protection from getting protection in the first place. There is a reason why our Consititution protects our right to bear arms as they were devised at a time when the government wanted to restrict those rights.

freedom of speech. It means that we have the right to disagree with someone else and we cannot be prosecuted for that disagreement. It does not mean that we have the right to damage property or hurt someone that disagrees with our opinion. So those that choose to destroy property or harm others because they are unhappy with what they say should not be able to walk away without consequences. But it appears that those that verbally disagree with others, feel that they have the right to do whatever they wish as no one wishes to enforce the laws and if you do it in a big enough crowd with enough noise and publicity, it is then considered a 'peaceful protest' and so what if you burned up a building or two and if you take property that doesn't belong to you at the same time, you are entitled to it. How sad that we have been reduced to such a state. Every person has a right to their opinion and your opinion is not better than anyone elses. If we cannot at least act as if we are a civilized nation, how do we

The other right we have is

22 oz. cottage cheese 1 stick butter 1 large onion, chopped cream, optional for serving Mix eggs, salt, flour and cottage cheese together to form a

stiff dough. The texture should be similar to cookie dough and may be sticky, too. Fill a large kettle with water and 1 tsp. salt and bring to a roll-

ing boil. Using a teaspoon 1/2 to 3/4 full, drop cheese button

dough into boiling water. Stir and boil for about 5 minutes.

LAZY CHEESE BUTTONS

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In a large frying pan, sauté onion in butter with 1/2 tsp. salt. Transfer boiled cheese buttons to pan and fry in the buttered onions. Enjoy as is or serve with cream - and don't forget the sausage on the side!

Tip: You can flavor your cheese buttons more by adding about 1 1/2 cups chicken broth or chicken bullion into the water during the boiling process, then fry as directed.

6 eggs, beaten

1/2 tsp. salt

4 cups flour

expect others to see us as such. So what can we do about this? Are we just as guilty in our actions in our little area as are those in the bigger cities? Are we justified in our verbal assault of others when they do not share our opinions? Are we showing kindness to others when we are around our children in sports events? Do we correct them when they say bad things about others in the privacy of our own homes, or do we just laugh it off

as childish behavior? We are under an obligation to teach our children to be good people, but we are also obligated to do that in private as well as in public by example to them. If we do not, we can only expect more of this behavior to continue as each generation builds on the prior. Only by breaking the chain of violence and bad behavior can we expect them to be the people that we want them to be. God Bless you all.



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Hettinger County Fair and Reunions

Class Reunions

by Marlene Kouba

County fair time is often a great time to celebrate reunions for family and graduating classes. The annual parade is fun to be in but you can't see any others in it. Kids love the candy along the way.

The graduating class of 1953 of Mott Lincoln High School had 43 members in their class. They were young and eager to start their plans for the future-some for college and a career, some for marriage and a family and others to meet life as it would come.

That class has held various reunions in the past with the last one on their 65th in 2018 with a flat-bed trailer pulled by a B John Deere tractor. Only 6 gathered to be on it.

Now time has moved on and there are only 10 remaining graduates that are known to be alive with two others unknown for location or status in life.

The parade in Mott this year had only one participant for the class of 1953-71 long years ago. It was Marlene Weinberger Kouba of Regent who is the only remaining graduate of that class still living in Hettinger County and was the youngest in the class. Other survivors are Darlene Kallis Auch in Minnesota, Janet Austin Ryan in Nebraska, John Haas, Gary Kelsch and Francis Mayer all of Richardton, Carolyn Hirsch Twite of Bismarck, Beatrice Rosen Vadner of Bowman, Nick Wegh of Dickinson and Delores Wolf Hoff of Fargo.

The same pair of vinyl signs has been used for most of the class reunions but are now showing their wear and will be retired. There will be no more gatherings or parades.

The signs may be retired but our memories will continue with us. Filled with expectations, they really were the good old days.



Class of 1974 hold reunion during Hettinger County Fair



Class of 1984 hold reunion during Hettinger County Fair



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