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"Should I, shouldn't I"? MeMe questioned - - decided maybe I shouldn't, after all, I came to find Grandpas story book - I'll tell Grandpas children about the box - let them decide what they want to do with it.

The more MeMe searched and searched for Grandpas story book, the more MeMe thought about the box - -. Private - don't open - - why would Grandma and Grandpa not want us to see? Must be something valuable inside - - maybe - -.

Eventually inquisitiveness got the best of MeMe - - went back to the box - - held it - - looked at it - - turned it over and over - - should I - - shouldn't I - - then - - I'll just peek inside, won't hurt anything and besides - - no one knows I'm here.

Shaking from fear and excitement MeMe held the box - sat in the old rocker - - "here goes" and opened the lid - -.

Sunlight glistened thru the broken windows and fell directly on the box, "Must be a sign," thought MeMe for inside lay an enveloped addressed to - -MeMe - - what's going on - - screamed MeMe - - is this some kind of joke? Sat for a few minutes - to shocked to continue - -. Finally composing the thoughts - - MeMe opened the letter and began to read - -.

Dear MeMe

Was hoping you would be the one to find and open this box - -. Remember when you were little and told do not open until Christmas -- well. Grandma always knew when you were in her Christmas presents cuz the one with your name on - - after Thanksgiving she would check presents when everyone left and yours was always the one with little pieces of tape missing - she would smile and say - MeMe did it again - -. So if we ever wanted you to know something we would put - don't open- don't look inside -.

Embarrassed to say the lest - - MeMe put the letter down - - there was more but for now MeMe just needed to let the shock, of opening the box, finding the letter and then knowing that Grandma knew all along, what MeMe had done, and never once let on - - that was a lot to comprehend.

Sun moving to other corner of the room brought MeMe back to reality - - knowing tomorrow was a work day, needing to get back home, MeMe picked



up the letter and continued.

Because Grandma and I realize how energetic and adventurous you are, we have one last request - -.

There is another envelope hidden in the back pages of my story book - - open it and - - then Grandpa told MeMe where the story book was hidden - - count 10 bricks to the left in the old fireplace - - then 5 to center. MeMe did as explained there it was - -.

Opening the book - final instructions - - in the back of book - open - and - - you will find - - a picture. Unfold and remember - - keep it in your heart, never never let it go, no matter how hard life gets hang on to the picture in your heart - pass it around - show it to everyone you meet - -.

Then someday you and I will meet again - this picture will always keep us united - -.

Love you MeMe!

Love Grandpa.

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Easter

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Let us take the next few days, before our farmers get into the fields, to thank God for each and every farmer/ rancher - - without them we would have no ham/Easter eggs - etc. etc.

Have a Blessed Happy Easter and again - be thankful for every person you meet.

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Eido/Connect Country

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Marine Awarded for Superior Financial Management within the Marine Corps



Gunnery Sergeant Bradley J Schwartz Son of Doug and Carol Schwartz, Bowman ND

Alexandria, VA Mar 25, 2024: On 22 March 2024, Gunnery Sergeant Bradley J. Schwartz of Bowman, North Dakota was awarded the Financial Management Resource Analyst Staff Non-Commissioned Officer of the year at a ceremony hosted by the Marine Corps Association for the United States Marine Corps Deputy Commandant for Programs and Resources during an award luncheon at the Doubletree Hotel, Alexandria Virginia. Schwartz was one of nine Marines and Civilians recognized for their contributions within the financial manage-

ment community. The Marine Corps is leading the audit effort for the Department of Defense in several metrics. Substantial progress was made toward remediating material weaknesses, financial modernization, and resource allocations that accelerated the path to an unmodified audit opinion. This effort required significant contributions from individuals within the Financial Management community that are deserving of recognition. GySgt Schwartz was one such individual

Schwartz, currently assigned to the 23rd Marine Regiment, demonstrated superior

performance by dedicating thirty off-duty hours to attain a professional license in Power Bl. His initiative resulted in the development of data analytic tools that significantly increased the efficiency of the Marine Forces Reserve accounting team, reducing unmatched transactions from sixty thousand to twelve thousand per week. Schwartz's strategic use of queries and artificial intelligence realigned accounting priorities, allowing for a focus on higher-level issues and providing accurate guidance through budget execution dashboards. His significant contributions, technical proficiency, and wide-reaching impact reflected great credit on him and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and the United States Naval Service.

The Marine Corps Financial Management Awards Program was established in 2023 and is sponsored by the Marine Corps Association to recognize the outstanding achievements and innovation of individual Marines and Civilians who made significant contributions to the financial management community and exemplified superior excellence and dedication to the mission and audit readi-

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Thursday, March 28 11:00 am - 12:00 MT

Register at

Presenter: Acacia Stuckle, Family and Community Wellness, NDSU Extension/Emmons County

https://bit.ly/3SDf9ZM

Dementia Conversations: Driving, Doctor Visits, Legal and Financial Planning

Often, conversations with family about changing behaviors can be challenging and uncomfortable. Get tips for breaking the ice with your family so you can address some of the most common issues that are difficult to discuss: going to the doctor for a diagnosis or medical treatment, deciding when to stop driving, and making legal and financial plans for future care.

11:00 am - 12:00 MT Monday, April 8

Presenter: Erin Berentson, MPH, RDN, LRD

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Family and Community Wellness, NDSU Extension/Bottineau County

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Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body: Tips from the Latest Research

Get insights into how to make lifestyle choices that may help you keep your brain and body healthy as you age. Learn about research in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement, and use hands-on tools to help you incorporate these recommendations into a plan for healthy aging.

11:00 am - 12:00 MT Monday, April 22

Register at

Presenter: Rita Ussatis, MS, Family and Community Wellness, NDSU Extension/Cass County

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Hettinger County Health Maintenance Nurses Calendar for April 2024

April 4th - New England Senior Center 11am-1:30pm

April 9th - Regent Senior Center 11-12n

April 11th - Mott Senior Center-10am-12n

HM in Office--- by apt. Offering BP,P,wt. For foot care & immunizations or other needs call 824-3215.

ANNUAL MEETING

Bowman

Cemetery Assoc.
Annual Meeting

Monday, April 8th
7pm

Bowman Assembly
of God Church



Western Plains Public Health Hold Area Clinics

Tuesday, April 2 - Footcare - Almont Fitness Center (110 Main Street, Almont) 9:00 am - 11:30 am CT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 667-3370 for appointment.

Wednesday April 10 - Footcare - Carson Manor (410 Grant Street, Carson) - 12:30 - 2:00 pm MT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 622-3591 for appointment.

Wednesday, April 10 - Immunizations - Carson Courthouse at Western Plains Public Health (106 2 Avenue NE. Carson) Clinic hours are between 9:00 am - 12 noon MT. Please call 622-3591 for an appointment. "RSV immunization is now available. Please call 622-3591 to set up an appointment."

Wednesday, April 17 - Footcare - Hebron Senior Center (707 Main Street, Hebron) - 8:30 - 11:30 am CT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 701-622-3591 for an appointment. "RSV immunizataion is now available. Please call 701-622-3591 to set up an appointment."

Wednesday, April 17 - Glen Ullin Senior Center (110 S Main Street, Glen Ulling) - 12:30 - 1:30 pm CT. Call Western Plains Public Health at 622-2591 for an appointment. "RSV immunization is now available. Please call 622-3591 to set up an appontment."

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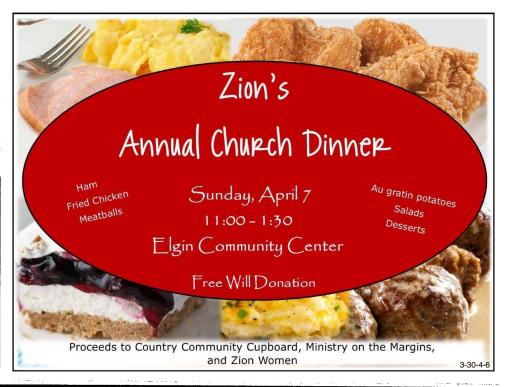


Annual Spring Crafter & Vendor Fair

NEW DATE April 6th

9:00-3:00 MT Elgin Community Center

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Have you said thank you?

By Kathy Craigo Harteis

Is there anyone in your life you need to thank?

If you are as guilty as me, there are plenty of people to which you are thankful but you haven't actually said so.

I know in my heart a gratefulness, but I may have been lax is actually saying it.

My list of people who helped me is long.

I am thankful to each person who taught to me a lesson, comforting or harsh.

Sometimes we are most grateful for those people who never let us slide.

Tough love they say is

sometimes needed.

I have no doubt I would not be writing without the help I was given along the way.

Of course the main source of help is first and foremost God. He has opened doors and He has provided the initial talent and courage to walk this path.

My earthly encouragers and teachers deserve to be thanked. So Deb Kantrud, Sharon Dietz, Erv and Donnavee Schneider and Darrel Oech; Thank you. That's a start.

That's just the tip of the ice-

I'm a 75 year old woman who has survived this long because of help along the way.

None of us succeed, survive or excel without the help of oth-

been applauded from time to time for re-inventing myself once widowed.

I deserve no credit. Without the help of God and a whole bevy of people my regrouping of life just would not have happened

Is there someone you need to thank?

This may be the day to start your list.

Because of the people in my path, life is good today.

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A Little Birdie Told Me

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By: Vivian Hernandez

A Little Birdie Told Me: "Easter Blessings to All!

With Easter this Sunday we've been planning our meal, which got me thinking about Easter traditions, and foods our family has shared.

Easter bread was something my Mom took great pride in making. The recipe called for lots and lots of egg yolks 14 to be exact! The egg yolks gave the bread a beautiful yellow color; brandy and saffron gave it the traditional flavor. Saffron is one of the most expensive spices on the market and we found out it's kept under lock and key.

Mom used empty tin cans to bake her bread in and also tied the dough in knots to create a nest. The nest was then filled with jellybeans to look like bird eggs; she also made large wreaths with jellybeans spread around. Later on Mom started dying bits of dough with food coloring and making the loaves of bread with the multi-colored

dough. My Husband claims he couldn't stand to look at the bread but he loved to eat it!

My niece also enjoyed making Easter bread except for one time. She placed the dough in a warm oven to rise and promptly forgot about it. When she went to check on the progress the dough had risen and filled the oven, poor girl could do nothing but sit in front of the oven and

An Easter breakfast tradition was a German dish called something I can't even begin to spell. Mom would sauté onions in butter, add sliced boiled eggs with salt and pepper then a generous amount of cream. This was served with fresh Easter bread, delicious!

Our menu this year will be a ham smoked by our son-in-law, Mitch, corn casserole, deviled eggs, peach and poppy seed kuchen, sadly no Easter Bread: Gluten free bread is just not the

A Little Birdie Told Me: "Like My Niece's Bread, HE IS RISEN INDEED!"

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EASTER BREAD

2 cups of milk, scalded or 2 cups of potato water and 1 cup of sweet cream

1 1/2 cups of sugar

14 egg yolks 1 cup of fresh butter

2 packages of yeast 8 cups of flour

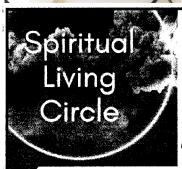
Preheat oven at 350 to 375 degrees. Mix to soft dough. Put in anise and food coloring or 1/4 cup of brandy and saffron juice. Fill cans 1/3 full. Put in oven when it reaches top of the can.

(Another version of Easter Bread)

Preheat oven to 3250 degrees. 1 pint of boiling water, cooled. Make a sponge of 2 packages of yeast and flour. Beat up good and put in fridge overnight. In the morning, take out and add 3 whole eggs and five egg yolks, beat real well. Add 1 1/2 cups of sugar (beat with eggs), 1 cup of warm cream, 1/2 cup of butter, 1/2 teaspoon of anise, 1/2 teaspoon of lemon, some saffron, 1 teaspoon of salt and 1/2 cup of raisins.







Rich Spiritual Conversation about the articles in the Science of Mind magazine

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APRIL 2

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APRIL 7

Enjoy Our Sunday Breakfast Buffet with all of your Favorite Items & Eggs to Order! Let us do the cooking! Rest & Relax!

It's getting closer to summer and we will be firing up the big grill on the deck for ribeyes!

In the middle of difficulty lies opportunity.

I may not be able to change the world I see around me, but I can change the way I see the world within me.



Reflections on the Words of Life

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

First Peter is a very important letter in the Bible, and I believe we shall see that it is intensely practical. The letter is designed to be an encouragement to believers who are living with the pressures, trials, and challenges of everyday life in this world. Peter was writing to believers scattered throughout the provinces of Asia who were confronted with many difficulties that resulted from the simple fact that they had become Christians. When one becomes a believer, he or she can no longer go along with the unbelieving world's outlook and way of living, and this brings believers into conflict with the popular way of thinking and living. This has been the story of Christianity from its very beginning and will continue until the Lord Jesus returns in His glory.

The epistle of 1 Peter gives us a much-needed perspective. The world, while very different technologically today than it was in Peter's day, is no different in the sense that it rejects and opposes the Lord Jesus Christ, His Word, and His people. Peter does not deceive his readers by telling them to expect life to get better. He does not tell them that becoming a believer means that problems will disappear. Rather, Peter tells them to expect difficulties for the very reason that they are Christians.

Let us begin our study by looking at 1 Peter 1:1-2: "Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, To the pilgrims of the Dispersion in Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace

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be multiplied."

The believers to whom Peter wrote were ordinary people. Yet, since they had become Christians, their lives were much more difficult than they had previously been. They were now disliked, even hated by people around them who were unbelievers. And what do you suppose the apostle Peter is going to say to these suffering brethren? We might think he would start with some words of sympathy. Or we might think that he would tell them to hang in there, that things would get better. But that is not how Peter begins his letter to these suffering brethren whom he deeply loves. Instead, he tells them that they were "elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ." He gives doctrine! He tells them what is true of them as believers in Jesus Christ. And the teachings he starts with are, by anyone's definition, "heavy." He jumps right in talking about election, foreknowledge, sanctification, obedience, and the blood of Jesus Christ.

What does that teach us here in the 21st century? It teaches us that the greatest need of the believer in Christ is to be grounded in the truth. Peter, under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, cannot think of anything more important, more comforting, more necessary for his dearly loved brethren who are going through tough times than to tell them what it means for them to be Christians.

Lord willing, we will delve into this in more detail next time. But in closing, let us realize that it is not just believers who need truth. ALL people need truth, though truth may at times be unpleasant. Mankind's greatest need is to be restored to a right relationship with God. But be-

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fore that will happen, a person must see that he or she is born in a sinful condition, separated from God and under His wrath. The only way to reverse this is to believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, who on the cross paid the penalty of sin for all His people. Through faith in Christ alone, a person receives forgiveness of sin and becomes a child of God. Friend, are you trusting in Christ alone to make you right with God?

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2024 Hettinger County Equalization Meetings

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to North Dakota Century Code Section 57-09-02, 57-11-01, and 57-12-01 that all Hettinger County organized townships and cities will meet for their annual equalization meetings at the dates, times, and places according to the following schedule:

Meetings to be held in New England at City Hall

Rifle Township	9:00 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
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Clark Township	9:30 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Kunze Township	10:00 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
New England Township	10:30 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Havelock Township	11:00 AM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Tepee Butte Township	11:30 PM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Strehlow Township	12:00 PM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Kennedy Township	12:30 PM Tuesday, April 23, 2024
Wagendorf Township	1:00 PM Tuesday April 23, 2024

Meetings to be held in Mott at the Hettinger County Courthouse in the Commissioners Room (First Floor)

St. Croix T	fownship	8:30 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Highland 1	Township	9:00 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Madison ⁻	Township	9:30 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Black But	te Township	10:00 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Campbell	Township	10:30 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Acme Tov	wnship	11:00 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Steiner To	ownship	11:30 AM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
Walker To	ownship	12:00 PM	Wednesday, April 24, 2024
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Farina To	wnship	10:30 AM	Thursday, April 25, 2024
Chilton To	ownship	11:00 AM	Thursday, April 25, 2024
Castle Ro	ck Township	11:30 AM	Thursday, April 25, 2024
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New England City	6:30 PM Monday April 1, 2024
Regent City	6:00 PM Monday, April 8, 2024
Mott City	7:00 PM Monday, April 8, 2024

EACH TAXPAYER has the right to appear before such board for a review of his/her assessments as determined by the office of the County Director of Tax Equalization.

If you have questions, please contact the County Director of Tax Equalization at (701) 824-5102.

DATED THIS 12TH DAY OF MARCH, 2024

Cathy Ebert
Director of Tax Equalization

Don't wish it were easier; wish you were better.
on't wish for less problems: wish for more skills

Don't wish for less problems; wish for more skills. Don't wish for less challenges; wish for more wisdom.

Wisdom is not a product of schooling but of the lifelong attempt to acquire it.

HETTINGER COUNTY WEED BOARD NOTICE

Eido/Connect Country

The Hettinger County Weed Control Board, Mott, North Dakota is looking for new nembers for this board. Not filling this board could determine whether they will be able o continue offering chemical dispersals.

You can contact Jeri Schmidt, County Auditor/Clerk of the Weed Control Board, by calling (701)824-2515 other contact other members of the Weed Board, Heidi Marxen, Cade Blickensderfer or Rex Kelsch, to let them know of your interest.

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ALDEN CEMETERY MAINTENANCE BIDS For 2024-2026

The Hettinger County Commissioners are soliciting bids for the maintenance of the Alden Cemetery located in the southwest corner of the SW ¼ section 14-133-95, Hettinger County, North Dakota. The expectations of the commissioners are as follows:

- 1. Successful bidder must supply his or her own equipment, fuel, oil and tools.
- 2. At a minimum, grass should be cut within one week prior to Memorial Day, around July 4th and again around Labor Day. Grass should not be cut more than five (5) times annually without authorization from the Commissioner from the center district of the County.
- 3. Grass should be trimmed around headstones, structures and fences.
- 4. Bids should be submitted on a "per operation" basis \$XXXX for each time the cemetery is mowed so that, should the cemetery require more than three operations, the price is already determined.
- 5. A separate bid on a per time basis for the trimming and tilling of the trees may also be submitted at the same time.
- 6. Bids should be delivered to the Hettinger County Auditor, 336 Pacific Avenue, Mott, ND 58646, marked "Alden Cemetery Bid", no later than 3:00 p.m. on April 9th, 2024.
- Bids will be opened at the Hettinger County Commissioners regular meeting on April 10th, 2024.
- 8. Bids will be accepted from individuals and organizations.

Hettinger County reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive any irregularities in the bidding process. And to award the bids in the best interest of Hettinger County.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE ON

SEALED BIDS

The City of Mott is accepting bids for the following properties:

- #1 Lots 26, 27 & 28, Block 28 of the Original Townsite of Mott (321 Brown Ave)
- #2 Lot 13, Block 29 of the Original Townsite of Mott (205 Brown Ave)

Residential:

- #3 Lot 8, Block 1 of Brown's First Addition (512 Hwy 8)
- #4 Lot 8, Block 18 of the Original Townsite of Mott (103 Wisconsin Ave)
- #5 Lot 10, Block 15 of the Original Townsite of Mott (302 E. 4th St.)
- #6 Lot 6, Block 19 of Original Townsite of Mott (102 Wisconsin Ave)
- #7 Lot 2, Block 13 of Brown's First Addition (314 Dakota Ave)

Bids must be submitted to the City Auditor at Mott City Hall, 202 E 3rd Street or mail to: City of Mott, PO Box 116, Mott, ND 58646 by 4:00p.m., Thursday, April 4th, 2024. Please write the property's number on the envelope, for example: "property #1 bid". The bids will be opened by the Mott City Council during their Regular Meeting on Monday, April 8th. 2024.

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- 6. Prepare reports as requested.
- 7. Attend meetings of the Weed Control Board as requested.

This position will be open until filled. Pay depends on qualifications. Travel is reimbursable. You can drop off a resume or request an application from Jeri Schmidt, County Auditor/Clerk of the Weed Control Board at 336 Pacific Avenue in Mott, or call (701)824-2515 if you have any questions.

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by

Pat Merriman

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I have repeatedly expressed my misgivings about this new "digital currency" trend. This reared its ugly head again with my recent purchase of the new SUV. I didn't want to clean out the 'ol savings account, so, I put down some cash, financed the rest and will pay it off over the next 2 years, by making extra principal reduction payments, to avoid the ridiculous interest rates that are now prevalent after COVID. What astounded me was that the lender never sent me a payment book. The first payment was coming due, so, I called the 'ol "customer service" number and, was told, "Oh, we do that with automatic payment from your bank account now. It's all digital and it saves you time." Well, one of the best things about being a lawyer is that it doesn't cost me anything to hire a lawyer. I may have a fool for a client but, I usually get my way. So, after I pointed out that nowhere in the financing agreement (or anywhere else) had I agreed to this ridiculous proposal AND I like to pay my bills with an actual check, guess what? No payment coupon book but, monthly billing statements

And, here's my problem with this cashless "payment" nonsense. It is another Care Bear phenomenon. I'm old enough to pay my own bills! In my humble opinion, this nonsense actually spells doom for our financial privacy too. I cede control of my money to some service agent to pluck funds out of my bank account each month with

instead.

the HOPE that no one hacks that protocol and, decides to just steal my funds. That never happens, right? As also reported by the NY Times, the flip side are these "Suspicious Activity Reports" (SARS) which result in the bank freezing accounts or credit/debit cards; and, if you ain't got no cash in your pockets, you're broke until the matter is resolved. Think it's a trivial matter? Guess again! In 2014, financial institutions implemented 839,314 SAR's. By 2021, that number had increased to 1.4 million-a 70% increase! And, that doesn't include

the "account agreement violation" phenomenon where you are spending money on things which aren't "approved" by the bank or, you offend their political sensibilities. Now, I'm not talking about our local banks but, rather, the big credit card banks which decide to Go Green or, to back progressive political movements then, take umbrage at your purchasing history. I don't need big banks telling me how to spend my money! Enough said. So, electronic impulses are not currency and, again, letting someone else have access to your private financial means is just wrong no matter how many others decide to go that route. Sorry, my Dad always said, "if everyone else jumped off the bridge..." I was taught to make my own decisions, pay my own way and I frankly don't need a financial institution to do it for me, especially, at the ridiculous interest rates they are now charging! Have a great week.

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New life. Signs of it begin to pop up everywhere this time of year. For us Christians, Easter is an unmistakable sign of new life, too. It is a reminder of our died and rose from the dead for our sake. As we celebrate the Sunday of Easter with festive worship and jubilation, we are aware that every time we come together in our Sunday worship throughout the year we are, in reality, celebrating Easter; we are celebrating the wonder of God's love, revealed to us in the death and resurrection of God's Son. Each Sunday is, in effect, a "little Easter."

Since the early second century, Christians have been setting aside Easter Sunday as a special and distinct festival in the church. Easter, sometimes called the "queen of festivals," was actually the first festival included in the church year. Scholars think the earliest observance of Easter or Resurrection of Our Lord Sunday began in connection with the Easter Vigil-a service of waiting through the darkness of Jesus being laid in the tomb after his crucifixion to the dawn of Easter morning when the women returning to the tomb were told, "He is not here, he is risen."

Several history and wor-

new life in Christ, who lived and

ship resources note that Easter celebrates an event so great that it cannot be limited to one day. Thus, Easter consists of fifty days, a "week of weeks" (a period originally known as the Pentecost, from the Greek word meaning "fifty"). Since the time of the early Church. several practices have marked these fifty days including: kneeling prohibited on Sundays of Easter (because standing is the posture of resurrection); fasting prohibited (fasting is for Lent and Holy Week, but Easter is



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for feasting); and "Alleluia" is restored to the liturgy on Easter as a profound expression of joy in the Resurrection. At the same time, worship spaces that were stark and undecorated and devoid of flowers during the somber season of Lent are once again, on Easter Sunday, filled with decorations of gold and white and an abundance of

The celebration of Easter is a time for showing forth Christ's death and resurrection-the center, the root, the anchor, the heart of our life in faith. In Christ we are made new. In our great joy we rush to share the good news: Christ is risen!

We pray the essence of our new life in Christ and the Easter celebration in the words of the Prayer of the Day for Easter cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

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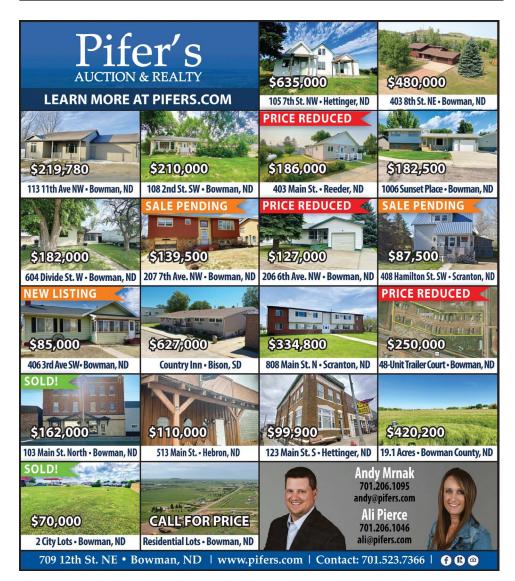
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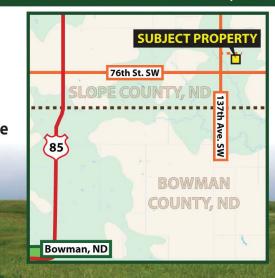


Live Wire 4H club was at the community cupboard on March 10. We started the day by collecting the totes for donated food we had put out around Bowman and brought them to the community cupboard. We then all helped stock shelves. Happy Easter from Live Wire 4H club!

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By Ted Uecker, Hettinger Public Golf Course Board of Directors

The Hettinger Public Golf Course absolutely outdid themselves at their "Seafood Fest" fundraiser on Friday evening, March 22nd. Over 130 people, who made reservations in advance, were amazed at the sensational and over-the-top decorations -- which included all of the windows being blacked out and string white lights from floor to ceiling wrapped in tooling, surrounding the perimeters of the establishment; plus clear balloons with lights in them on every bar table! With real white linen tablecloths, modern day battery operated candles, buckets for your crab shells, and butter warmers, the fifteen tables in the dining room were ready for guests. With nearly 40 attendees at each of the three sittings (5, 6 & 7pm), most every table of two to eight guests per group were filled. The first sitting was a little harried (i.e. challenging), but definitely improved as the night progressed.

Being greeted at the front door by volunteer hosts and longtime members Ted and Sheri Uecker, guests jackets were hung in the makeshift coat room. Some opted to start in the bar with a pre-dinner refreshment served by Manager Alissa Fitch and Board Chairperson Heather Ebert, while others were seated almost immediately. First, of course, the table's butter warmers were lit by flame and water glasses were filled by the amazing waitstaff (including Erin Timm, Corie Lien and Sheri Uecker). Then once seated, all attendees were wrapped in a "crab bib" in anticipation of the delectable meal to come.

It all started off with a refreshment order from our "on the move" volunteer waitress Kim Erickson, followed by a Rasberry Vinaigrette Romaine Salad with strawberries and red onions, flanked by Red Lobster Biscuits. Joelle Erickson and Corie Lien delivered most all of the salads and biscuits to the tables. The tasty Steak Tips or Crab Cakes appetizers came next. Then the Cheesy potatoes, to go with your cluster of Crab legs and a Skewer of Garlic Butter Shrimps.

And if that wasn't enough, the Homemade Cheesecake, all created singlehandedly by Jackie Muggerud, was served with an espresso brownie bite and your choice of toppings -either salted caramel or chocolate fudge. Jackie and Cindy Arndorfer served each of the grand finale desserts. And all of this four-course meal and décor for only \$40 per person! Amaz-

And then it was time for Board Members Rick Jacobson and Tyler Erickson to scrub, rinse and dry all those dishes for the next wave. Cindy Arndorfer and Ted Uecker jumped in there at the end, but Rick and Tyler did most of the cleanup. Thank you guys and Cindy!

The entire event was spearheaded by Christy Schmitz, Erin Timm and Kyle Kennedy. Once the new Board of Directors was established back in mid-January, this group of ten or so came to the board asking to do a fundraiser. The Board agreed and they were off! And their Team grew from there. Posters were developed by Erin Timm; decorations, crab and shrimp were ordered; and the Team was developed.

The following chefs and their assistants got after boiling the crab, grilling the shrimp skewers, cooking the crab cakes and steak tips, and delivering the tasty food directly to the hungry guest's tables: Kyle Kennedy, Greg Jensen, Shane Erickson, Garret Schmitz, Terry Lien, Chris Schauer, Tom Arndorfer, Todd Shirek and Brad Guthrie. Thank you gentleman for your volunteer efforts. We are grate-

Plus, before and after the meal, attendees enjoyed spirits in the festive light-up ballooned bar, where Manager Alissa Fitch and Chairman of the Board Heather Ebert, made sure everyone was fulfilled. It was as busy of a night as we've had in quite a while. Thank you.

Once all of the guests were full and heading for home, the entire volunteer staff of twenty or so, enjoyed the meal themselves. It was sensational! Kind of the same as our attendees felt, as they stated in the following Facebook quotes:

"Everything was delicious and the atmosphere was so warm and welcoming," said Sonell Van Niekerk.

"The décor was so beautiful and the food was delicious," commented Tammy Schneider.

"Fantastic event! A lot of fun

and the atmosphere was great," said Aaron and Katie Roseland.

"It was like a fancy restaurant, but in Hettinger. The food was delicious," said Sloan Ad-

"Every part of the evening was EXCELLENT!" commented Connie Messner

The Hettinger Public Golf Course is certainly grateful for our terrific members who made this sensational fundraising event happen. We are also thankful for all of the support from all of the attendees from the surrounding area communities. It appears that we grossed a little over \$8,500! The breakouts were: just over \$5,200 from meal revenue; just shy of \$2,000 in bar revenue; and over \$1,300 in gratuities! None of the bartenders, waitresses, cooks, etc. took any of the tips; as all we're donated back to the to fundraiser's gross. Depending on the food costs and a few decorations, we will most likely cleared somewhere from \$5K-

Our next Hettinger Public Golf Course Board of Directors Meeting is on April 16, 7:00pm. We look forward to determining where this superb fundraiser's net funds will be placed - most likely toward a needed piece of equipment outside on the course. The next function at the Hettinger Public Golf Course is "Cleanup Day" on May 4; "Mother's Day Brunch" on Sunday, May 12; and an "All Leagues Meeting" on May 15.

Thank you all. Come see us again sometime at the Hettinger Public Golf Course, "where evervone is welcome.







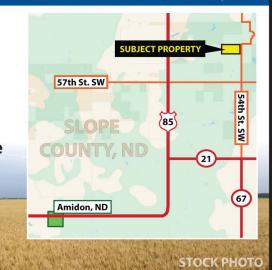


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St. Charles Catholic Youth Host Annual Widow's Supper

By Jackie Freitag The St. Charles Catholic Junior and Senior youth in Bowman hosted their annual Widow's Supper on Sunday, March 10th. This is a favorite tradition of the youth of the parish.

Each widow received a personal invitation to the formal event. The students planned, decorated and prepared entertainment for the special evening. The young men were on hand to pick up the ladies and escort them to the church. The ladies were presented with a flower and announced as they were seated.

Fr. Ben Franchuk offered a welcome and meal prayer. The students served the meal and poured the wine. This year, the meal featured chicken with a mushroom sauce over rice and

asparagus, along with a strawberry dessert. The meal was catered by Home Cooked Catering - Lennie Kempenich, Tessa and Thea Schmitt.

The students enjoyed their meals while visiting with the ladies. During the meal, Toby Njos, Sarah Jeffers, Jaci Fischer, Abigail Sonnabend, and Alyssa Martian performed "This is Amazing Grace". The ladies each received a potted succulent as a memento of the evening and a reminder of their resilience.

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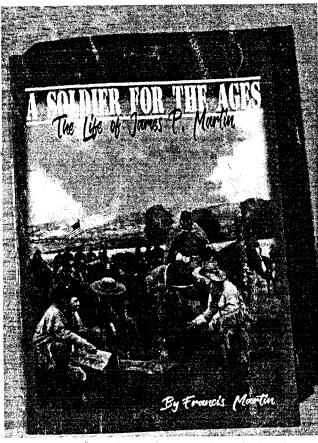
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SOLDIER FOR THE AGES By Francis Martin

Continued from last week

CHAPTER TWENTY-NINE

The only thing good that came out of Dan'l's year with Bollinger was that he had had time to heal. He was stronger than he'd ever been. He was free from pain. He had eaten and slept well. He'd had time to work out and even thought he weighed a bit more. He was lean and strong. He tried to look at his de-motion like an optimist. He was going to use his training as a helicopter tech and that was what he had planned to do in the first place.

And maybe he'd find James. All the helicopters that had flown into the airbase at IA Drang were what Dan'l called an Airborne medical exam. Because so many of them would be used in rescues, they had to be in top notch condition. They were all brand new, just off the assembly line. They'd been tested a hundred times over, and now, they'd be tested again.

Helicopters did not get the fuel mileage that regular aircraft got, but they got better mileage when they were in tune

The ones that were fitted out for hospital care were at the top of the list for tuning and testing. They gave Dan'l the creeps. ers body bags

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stacked one on top of the other and even on the skids outside.

He thought, 'I could end up the patient instead of the me-

He and about a hundred other men worked on the helicopter ten hours a day. Then they had three hours of instruction and an hour of lectures on why they were supporting the war against Communism.

Dan'l paid attention because he figured he just might learn something that would keep him, and James, alive. It was a 'moving' experience since the mechanics and electricians were on the go all day and sometimes half the night. There wasn't a day off or a Sunday rest. It wasn't very long before he knew what this constant work was all about. A thousand men were 10,000 miles from their girlfriends, their wives, and their friends. A whole city of bars illicit activities was only a walk away. Busy and exhausted men who worked, ate and slept 7 days a week got in less trouble.

The reputation of the 'city' beyond the base had preceded it. When Dan'l saw men, red eyed and puking at roll call, he was reminded of his father. Dan'l had gone into the service erating table, a floor drain, beds to get away from the atmo- ter, Kadee, whom he regarded

sphere his father's drinking had created. He had made himself a vow not to take that route. Nearly every night, when the soldiers were planning to escape to the bars and whore houses 'across the tracks' he was goaded to go with them. All he had to do was think about his father. After a while, they quit asking.

He wouldn't have any wild stories to tell his grandchildren, but he would have a clean conscience.

He was surprised at the number of women in uniform that were on the base. He saw some who were real beauties but they, as he thought of it, they were plainly wrapped for a good

So where would James be if he was at this base? And how was he to find him among thousands of men? He didn't see any basketball court. Maybe there was a library. Where there was literature about Gen. Custer is where James would be. He saw an office and went

She had her sleek brunette hair swept back in a long ponytail and held tight with a rubber band. She had a square face and big brown eyes. She sat there watching him without saying anything. Her face said it all. He couldn't remember what he had come in there for.

She let him squirm while she toyed with her pencil. She said, "I believe I know you."

"Ahhh....

"You and that other guy, ah, #12. You played against the Bowman Bobcats (?) and beat them like 80-10. Right?"

"The other guy?????"

"James Martin," Dan'l finally managed to say.

"I guess. It was what? Three or four years ago?" "Yeah. And you are?" She

stood up and held out her hand and he shook it. Well, anyway, he shook.

"Grace Polsky." "You're from Bowman?"

"Scranton."

"What are you doing in the military?"

"What I always wanted to do. Well, no, that isn't what I wanted to do. I wanted to be a cop, but I didn't pass the test."

"What part of the test didn't you pass?

"The part where you have to be male and over five foot five," she said with a coy smile on her delectable lips.

Dan'l had never had a girlfriend. He had girls who were friends but none of them ever struck him like this one. He had listened to his father's opinion of women forever. He had a sis**DEUTSCHER CLINICS PC**



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Food Prices By The Ounce

By Marlene Kouba

Food is purchased by the bag, box, or bottle and all list their weight by ounces, liters, pounds, etc. What does your meal or snack really cost? The figures below were compiled from local sale bills in March, 2024.

Steak .37 cents Ham .28 " Tuna .06 " Chicken legs .10 " Cheese .26" Butter .24" Cooking oil .30" Potato chips .22" Potatoes .03" Pizza .19" Peanut butter .19" Ice cream .22" Blackberries .19" Banana .04" Orange juice .06" Oatmeal .31" Ketchup .16"

AGRI-BITS 1. It takes 40 minutes to boil an ostrich egg.

2. The raspberry is a member of the rose family. 3. A can of cola has about 2

cents worth of sweetener. 4. Canned rattlesnake meat

was first sold on May 22, 1931. 5. The orange is actually a ber-

6. Americans use more than 25 billion foam cups a year.

7. It takes 40 gallons of maple sap to make 1 gallon of syrup. 8. Cotton is the world's most

important non-food crop. 9. It takes 120 drops of water to fill a teaspoon.

10. One barrel of crude oil will make 21 gallons of gas.

11. Americans eat more than 10 million bowls of soup a year.

12. Ketchup originated in Mexi-CO.

13. Cows provide 90% of the world's milk.

14. In the 1880s fish scales and egg shells were used to make toothpaste.

15. The first cheeseburger originated in Louisville, KY in 1902.

as a pest. Later, when he realized that his best friend, James Martin, saw his sister differently he had to adjust his opinion. Especially in high school, when he was a handsome basketball star, the girls were all over him, but he was too shy to respond.

"Now how can I help you?" "I just wanted to know if

there was a library on the base." She took a card out of a drawer and filled it out and gave it to him. The next thing he knew he was walking across the tarmac with her arm tucked in his. She was a Staff Sgt. And he was out of his class and they both

knew it.

"You say the library is in the Officers Club? Why would they put it in there?"

"The story is that the boxes of books came before they had a building to put them in," she said, "Well, as you know, it rains here nearly every day, so the books were sitting out in the open and the closest place to put them was in the officers' club house and they've been there ever since."

"So, every time somebody wants a book, they have to have permission?"

She looked up at him with her big, brown eyes and nodded. And Dan'i's heart flipped.

They went into the Officers' Club. Overhead was a badly may have been the shortest ropainted sign that said 'Library'



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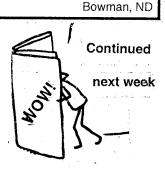
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with an arrow to his left. She excused herself from him and went into the bar area. Dan'l followed her with his eyes. Several officers rose from their stools and hugged her. One big bruiser

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Dan'l went into the library. It mance in history.

kissed her, and she let him.





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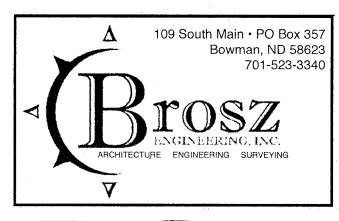
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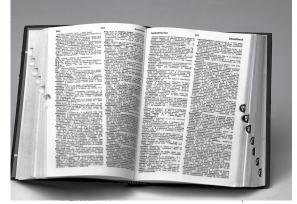




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From old English, a cipher is the equivalent of 'nothing'. Zero, nil. none, "0" was a symbol of nothing, the value of naught. A person of no importance was labeled a cipher, sort of like today's nerd. He was a nonentity. Writing in code is as old as, well, as old as writing. Ancient kings, knowing that the letter he was writing might fall into the hands of his enemies, devised codes.

Without the code breaker, the instructions therein, were useless to whoever managed to steal it. It didn't matter that the messenger might lose his head while bearing the message, the message was more important than the life of the messenger. (Don't blame me. I'm just the messenger.) The Jews, while in captivity in Babylon, were adept at writing in code. Some

Correction does much, but encouragement does more.

of the sacred scriptures were written in code. The Jews were forbidden by Babylonian law from copying the ancient scriptures so the 'scribes' (ciphers) wrote in codes. To the onlooker he appeared to be 'scribbling'. Hence, we get the title Scribe. The writing was done on velum (thin leather or parchment) and came to be called a scroll. God intended his word to be preserved for all time for all people. Clay jars (pottery) have been in use since the first drought. When the clay is baked, it is solid and stays that way forever. The Dead Sea Scrolls were preserved in such jars 100 years before Christ came until they were found in 1947. What was written on them then, is the same as what you will read in Isiah today. The scriptures are

called a codex.

Before the advent of the computer, business men (and women) kept a codex of cards on an axel that allowed the CEO to keep track of often used names, addressed, telephone numbers (and mistresses). When a crime was being investigating. The first place the detective looked was in the codex which were often in code. Before the detective could make heads or tails of what was in the codex, he had to decipher the

The prefix, de, spoken with slight stress, comes from the French, to separate. The cipher is the writer of the codex, so the detective has to separate the code from what the message really says. Parents do that with their teenage kids all the time.

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April 1st - April 6th

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Elgin/New Leipzig Public School

Monday, April 1

Easter Monday - NO SCHOOL (Possible Snow Day) JH Track @ Bowman County Invite @ Bowman @ 2:00

Tuesday, April 2

Open Swimming 6-8

4 5 6 Elementary VB vs New Salem and Glen Ullin/Hebron @ 4:30

HS Tract @ Bowman County @ 2:00

Wednesday, April 3

Adult Water Aerobics 3:30 - 4:30 & 5:30 - 6:30

Thursday, April 4 Open Swimming 6-8

4 5 6 Elementary VS Triangular @ Glen Ullin/Hebron @ 4:00

State Science @ Grand Forks Vocal Music @ Trinity - TBA

Friday, April 5

State Science @ Grand Forks

Saturday, April 6

HS Track @ Bowman County @ 12.)0

Sunday, April 7 Open Swimming 1-3

Adult Water Aerobics 3:30 - 4:30

New England Public School

Tuesday, April 9th

6:45 a.m. leave time for HS Track & Field traveling to Watford City 4:00 p.m. 456 VB vs. Hettinger/Scranton - Lemmon in the new gym

Wednesday, April 10th

Religion Release begins at 2:10 p.m.

o St. Marv's: K-10

o Our Redeemer's: K-8

Thursday, April 11th dismissal for 4-5-6 VB traveling to Richardton for match vs. Belfield - Rich/Taylor at 4:00

Friday, April 12th No School - PD Day

Mott/Regent Public School

Monday, April 1

No School – Easter Monday

JH Track Meet @ Bowman County Invite, 12:00 Tuesday, April 2

HS Track @ Bowman County, 2:00

Elem VB vs New England, 4:00

Wednesday, April 3

Grade 9 Service Hours at the Food Pantry HS Math Meet @ DSU, 8:30 AM

Thursday, April 4

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Death Notice for Donna Faye Parrish

On March 18, 2024, Donna Faye (Werre) Parrish, of Rapid City, SD left this world to join her Heavenly Father. Her departure followed complications from Alzheimer's Disease.



Donna Faye Werre was born to the late Raymond and Esther Werre on May 16, 1946, in Baker, MT. She grew up living on the family ranch near Bowman, ND. She graduated 8th grade at Spring Creek Elementary School in 1960 and from Bowman High School, Bowman, ND in 1964. She attended one year at Dickinson College in Dickin-

accepted Jesus Donna Christ as her Lord and Savior in 1980 and was faithful to Him all her life.

Donna's marriage to Jim Collins in 1969 ended after several years. She married Richard Holle of Billings, MT. in 1983. She loved and cared for Dick's three daughters, Kim, Kristen, and Shawna. Dick Holle died

in 2000 following complications resulting from Alzheimer's Disease. Donna married David Parrish of Rapid City, SD, in 2002, and they lived in Rapid City, SD until her passing. Donna and David were active in Toastmasters International clubs in Rapid City, ballroom dancing, and volunteering 12 yrs. on the Adult Committee of Young Life Rapid City Ministries.

Donna excelled working with banks and credit unions in Federal Way, WA, Billings, MT, and Rapid City, SD. Among her awards for excellence was Businesswoman of the Year. Donna worked for several years as a phlebotomist at United Blood Services, Rapid City, and as a Caregiver with Comfort Keepers. Rapid City.

Donna enjoyed gardening, flowers and music. She used her beautiful soprano voice to sing her favorite Gospel songs, especially with her sisters. brothers and cousins. She is remembered as cheerful and fun by all who knew her. She welcomed everyone into her home with her gracious sense of humor and her delicious meals.

Donna is survived by her husband, David Parrish, Rapid City, SD, along with her stepsons, Chris, his wife, Sharon, and their three children, Emory, Copeland, and Lucy, Rapid City, SD, and Brandon, his wife, ivi chelle, and their three children, Elias, Isabel, and Declan, Sanford, FL, stepdaughters, Kim and her husband, Tony Alcorn, Broomfield, CO, Kristen Beller and sons, Campbell, CA, and Shawna Marsh, Spokane, WA, her brother, LeRoy Werre, Arlington, WA, her sister, Dianne Engesser and husband, Tom, Clark, SD, sister, Della Peacock and husband, Ken, Atlanta, TX, and brother, David Werre, Bowman, ND; and a number of nieces and nephews who dearly love her.

Donna was preceded in death by her parents Raymond and Esther Werre, sister, Bonita Rae and brother, Dale Marburg-

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Over the 101 years of Mom's ife, if you got the chance to visit with her, you all became ner friends and part of her family.

Thank you all!

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THANK YOU

The family of Leona Stern would like to thank all who shared their thoughts and prayers at the passing of our Mother. Thank you to the women of Immanuel Lutheran Church for preparing and serving the post funeral lunch. Thank you also to the teams at Dakota Hills and Benedict Living Community for providing excellent care and comfort to Leona during her final months, and to all who visited her and shared memories of their time together. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated and will always be remembered.

> The Family of Leona Stern: Bradley Stern; Dale and Jean Stern; Douglas, Susan and Katelyn Stern

THANK YOU

Growing up in a large family, inevitable skirmishes were an ongoing occurrence. Many drove one or another of us to want to scratch the eyes out of one or more siblings at a time or at the least chase them out of the house wielding the business end of a claw hammer.

Little did we know that one day those bitter enemies would become our best friends. You know - that person you call 24/7 at 3 a.m. and help was at hand.

That was brother Eric and I suspect there were many more than just his siblings who could count on him in just the same way. Above all Eric was a friend.

Hard to use the right words to express our gratitude for the tremendous number of acts of kindness shown by so many to our family over the loss of our Eric. Phone calls, prayers, cards. memorials, flowers, trips to Bismarck to attend his service and the many, many kind words spoken upon a personal encounter.

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our Truths to live by. Our relationship solely depends on our time we spend in Prayer and the time that we spend reading His Word. Without Prayer and without Bible time, there is no relationship. Relationship is what He desires. My question to you, where is your relationship with Jesus? He gave you everything, His life. What are you willing to give Him? God Bless each and every person of Bowman County. My name is Pastor Julian Burgess. If there is in any way that myself, or Western Plains Baptist Church can be of help to you or your Family, please reach out to us. My number is 605-461-6727,

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1994 Trailman 30' tandom duly gooseneck trailer, steel bed Homemade dump trailer

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ditioner head JD 240 14' mower conditioner Swather transport

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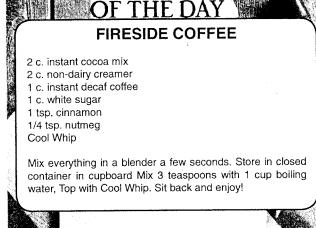
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Thoughts for the Week

by June Schmidt

As I sit here contemplating an article, I am listening to the wind as it blows the snow around. I can remember other spring storms around this time of Easter and am hoping that it does blow over before then as it is predicted to.

There are may words to describe the sound of the wind, depending on the one that sounds like what you are hearing at the time. The wind can roar, howl, scream, thunder, whisper, sough, sigh, murmur, suserate or tinkle. Wind can be soothing and there are sound machines that mimic the sound of wind so that people can sleep since it can cover other sounds that are occuring in the vicinity. Wind can also cause some people anxiety since it seems never ending at certain times and can cause buildings to creak and depending on the season can make rooms feel colder.

Hippocrates was convinced that west winds were worse, and that people exposed to them became pale and sickly with digestive organs that were "frequently deranged from the phlegm that runs down into them from the head." Theophrastus noted that it was in southerly winds that "men find themselves more weary and incapable" due to thinning of the lubricant in their joints. While the north wind was described by Spenser as "bitter, black and blustering," by Shakespeare as "wrathful and tyrannous," and held responsible for "gout, the falling evil, itch and the ague."

The direction, it seems, is unimportant. But there is general agreement amongst Byron, Columbus, Dante, Darwin, Humboldt Luther Mich lo, Milton, Mozart, Napoleon, Nietzsche, Rousseau, Schiller and Wagner that wind does make a difference, turning both body and mind. Goethe thought it "a pity that just the excellent personalities suffer most." But the winds are nothing if not democratic. Roughly 30 percent of all people everywhere are sensitive in some way to their touch. There is something about wind, quite apart from its cooling influence, that directly affects our well-being.

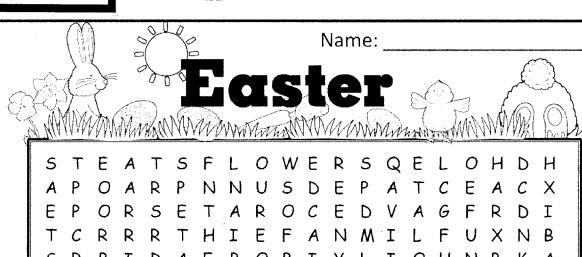
One study of performance in physical fitness tests at a variety of temperatures, found an efficiency peak with wind blowing at 25 kilometers per hour (force 4), with energy falling off at both lower and higher wind speeds. Observation of the behavior of children in the playground of an American school, revealed that the average number of fights per day doubled when wind speeds crossed the biological threshold above force 6.

As a species, we seem to have a high awareness and a surprisingly low tolerance of wind. There are individual differences of course, some of which are apparently sex-linked.

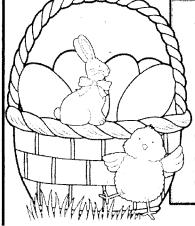
Most women, very sensibly, seek shelter from the wind. But there is something about an approaching gale that makes men verv restless. Almost as though the sight of swiftly-driven cloud or the sound of air rushing through the trees were stimuli that triggered some deep-seated response. A fisherman on the Dalmatian coast of Yugoslavia described the shrill scream that warns of an approaching storm as "a desperate sound that causes a man's heart to trem-

There is no doubt that days with a lot of wind were once dangerous ones, destroying shelters, dispersing warning scents, and masking the sound of an approaching predator. And it may well be that, even in our modern microclimates, men in particular are still excited and disturbed by the old signals.

In any case, wind can be a blessing to some and a bother to others, but since it doesn't ask our opinion when it comes and we have no choice in the matter now long it stays, the best thing that we can do is to understand that it is part of Nature, cannot be avoided and to learn to live with it. If it does bother you to excess, find a program to watch, other than the weather channel, turn on a music station or if you are so inclined grab a good book, a warm blanket and a comfortable chair. A good beverage would not go amiss either. God Bless you All.



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Vomen's Lenten Retreat "For the Good"

On Saturday, March 23, with an impending winter storm looming over their heads, but "probably not until evening", 50+ women gathered to renew their faith and share their love for Jesus during this Lenten season. Chad and Amanda Njos, owners of Cow Chip Creations (9 miles south of the abandoned town of Griffin, between Bowman and Rhame, ND) once again hosted this third annual retreat. It proved to be the perfect haven in the winter weather. The renovated barn, with its nostalgic charm and expansive gathering space, quickly invited the guests to settle in for a beautiful day of sharing.

Katie Dilse and Jackie Freitag, facilitators of the retreat, shared the theme song "For the Good", by Riley Clemmons, taken from Romans 8:28 "For we know that all things work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to His purpose." Each guest chose a piece of pottery from a wide variety of choices upon their arrival. They shared how these pieces of art, however humble or ornate, reminded them of themselves. Several ladies saw beauty, functionality, uniqueness. Some pointed out flaws or chips, some saw strength and sturdiness. All were aware of how fragile each piece was.

The first morning speaker was Terry Walter. As Terry shared the story of her battle with cancer and the loss of her husband, she referenced Romans 8:28, which carried her through some very difficult times. In and through it all, she could see God's hand at work, and she looks back with much gratitude at all the ways God has brought forth good from her suffering.

The activity that followed required each woman to break their piece of pottery. There were gasps of disbelief as the Japanese art of Kintsugi was explained to them. The name Kintsugi comes from the Japanese Kin (gold) and Tsugi (join). Literally, golden joinery or "mending with gold". Each piece of pottery was first wrapped in a cloth, symbolizing those things which hold us in our lives. Then each woman took a hammer to

their piece of pottery. They explored the brokenness beneath the cloth before opening it up to reveal the broken pieces. This is a strong metaphor for life, as we all experience difficulties and traumatic events in our lives. After sitting a moment with the broken pieces, each woman began to strategize how to put the pieces together. The beauty of kintsugi is that gold is added to the adhesive. When the pieces are rejoined, gold squeezes out from the cracks. The beautiful golden scars give a new perspective and remind us of our uniqueness, our inner strength and resilience. We are able to discover meaning in the most challenging life events.

Following the activity, Yolanda Martian shared her story with the group. Yolanda's story of losing their daughter in a car accident and her subsequent journey of faith was a beautiful testament to Romans 8:28. Their family has established Squirt's Bridle and Bible Camp in memory and honor of their daughter, who loved Jesus and horses. Beauty out of ashes... Yolanda has also gone on to teach religion classes and to teach and share the mysteries of the rosary. "For we know that all things work together for the good..."

A delicious lunch of meatballs and salads and dessert was provided by our hostess, Amanda Njos and Amy Burke. After lunch Maretta and Aftin Hendrickson and Jackie Freitag shared stories and pictures of their mission trip to the God's Child Project in Guatemala in January, which was a life changing experience for all of them. They were part of a group of 21 who were able to build 3 houses and pool resources to provide much needed stoves, beds, and water filters for families in need.

Fr. Greg Hilzendeger brought the retreat to a close as he challenged the group to look for Jesus in the present moment, when we are so often tempted to look behind us or ahead of us. Jesus provides what is sufficient for the present moment. Even if we have not yet seen the "good" that is promised from our situation, we can always know that He is with us as all things work together For the Good.





















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