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Eido Connect's  
Philosophy for 2023

- TIME -

## “Dream Land”

Much joshing went among the farmers as they laughingly gave Pastor Joe a rough time about his sermon. “No weeds, are not good, gotta get rid of them. Pastor Joe, what do you know about farming?” Anyway the farmers loved Pastor Joe and always gave him a bad time about his sermons. Sunday service over and farmers went back to work, every so often one farmer would call Pete

on his cell phone and they would laugh about the sermon. Sure created alot of comments, thought Pete. Throughout the day another would call - - interesting day he told Sarah and then proceeded to tell her about the phone calls. Eventually they said their good nights and off to dreamland they went.

Upon awakening in the morning, Sarah and Pete would always poke fun of each other, trying to figure out who had the best dream. Their parents had always told them, dreams are real, pay attention to them.

Sarah questioned, “I had no dreams, how about you?” Pete smiled and said yes and it was very good. He repeated his dream to Sarah about a grain of wheat, planted, nice rain, what grew into beautiful big kernel and is now laying on top of the grain, in a big bin. Sure was a good dream - - kinda like we want our lives to be.”

Harvesting began after breakfast, not the smooth harvest but a few break downs, phone calls, flat tires, some one called in sick, seemed like the day was one problem after the next. “Awful day,” announced Pete as he pulled the blankets over his head and said “goodnight.” Last thing he wanted was to talk about the day.

Pete tossed and turned, wondered if morning would ever come. Sarah noticing his toss-



ing and turning and keeping her awake went to the living room, pulled out a blanket and slept in the big chair.

Morning finally arrived - - Pete came out, sat in the chair beside Sarah. “You look happy, with such a rough night I expected something else.” Pete smiled - - “Yes, had the worst dream but after you left I sat on the edge of the bed and rehashed my dream.” “What were you dreaming?” questioned Sarah.

Then Pete began. “Before going to sleep I was fighting the anger of everything that went wrong during the day. Then I thought about pastor Joe and his weeds among the wheat and I thought how dumb he was, we need to get rid of the weeds - - then I drifted off to Dream Land - - a grain of wheat was planted - - hard soil - heavy rains wash it down stream, tossing, turning, brusing, struggled to find place to grow, hot sun, baked the wheat. Harvest time mixed in with pricikly weeds, poured into dark bin. Cold winter, elevator scraped wheat as was loaded into cold truck, pounded, until wheat was beat and turned to powder - sold to baker - turned into loaf of bread - - now feeds the hungry.”

Joe smiled, “Sarah if we take out the struggles of life we never learn to give to others - - Love Weeds among the Wheat!”

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Annual Budget Hearing  
6:00pm MT • September 11<sup>th</sup>  
City Hall Rhame

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St. Vincent's  
St. Henry's  
St. John the Baptist  
Catholic Church  
Schedule for  
September 9  
September 10

(M) 4:30 pm Sat.  
(R) 7:00 pm Sat.  
(NL) 8:00 am Sun.  
(M) 10:00 am Sun.



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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2023

### Heritage Hill

Horsedrawn Harvesting  
Starting around 10 am and throughout the day  
Family Crafts & Games and  
FLEA Market in the Red Barn

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

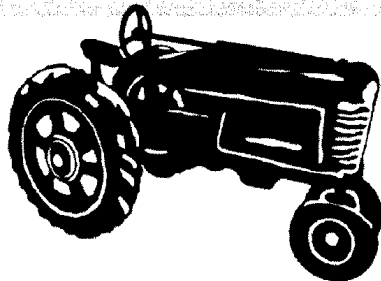
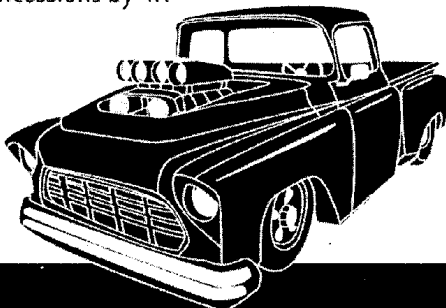
### Heritage Hill

7am - 11am - Pancake Breakfast in the Opera House  
Family Crafts & Games and  
FLEA Market in the Red Barn  
10 am: Antique Tractor Display  
11:30am: Tractor Parade  
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## New England Ambulance

District Budget Hearing  
Emergency Services Building  
New England, ND

**September 22, 2023**

8:00 pm

Agenda: Budget

## SAVE THE DATE

14th Annual Holiday Fair  
Saturday, December 2, 2023  
Elgin, ND

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The Bowman Methodist Church will have

## Religious Release

beginning on

**Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>**

**2pm - 3pm**

**at the church (107 5<sup>th</sup> Ave SW)**

If your child(ren) are interested in being part of this Christian Education, please contact the church office at 523-5492 or email us at [bmc@ndsupernet.com](mailto:bmc@ndsupernet.com). If we are not in the office, please leave a message.

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## THANK YOU

### Thank You

I would like to thank the doctors and nurses at West River Health Clinics in Bowman, Southwest Healthcare ER and the ER and ICU unit at Sanford Hospital in Bismarck for the care that Denis received when he was a patient there.  
To Bonnie N. for driving me to Bismarck and being my rock until my family got there.  
To my awesome family and Susie, I don't have the words to tell all of you how much it meant to me to have all of you there with me during the tough times of making decisions on what was best for Denis. Your support meant the world to me.  
Thank you John and family for arranging a place to gather and the pizzas before the family services.  
Thank you to the crew that mowed and trimmed at Bethany. It looked great!  
From my entire family and Denis's family: Thank you to all those who came to the family services and the funeral. Thank you for the memorials, plants, flowers and card. They were all greatly appreciated. Pastor Renee thank you for the phone calls, visits, hugs and doing the services.  
Trevor, thank you for all your help. You are such a kind-hearted person that makes the decisions easier. You truly are an asset to our community.  
Thank you to all those who came to Bethany for the burial and supper afterward. It was great to celebrate Denis's life with all of you. Pat, thank you for opening your shop so we could continue celebrating Denis's life after the supper.  
Susie, thank you for being with me, the hugs, the support, for organizing the cookies and bars after the funeral and helping with getting the supper going. Pam, thank you for all your help, especially for the cabbage rolls. Also for helping make sauerkraut with Denis's cabbage. And for all of your support.  
And to all those who made cookies and bars, thank you. Also for helping serve them and to those who helped serve the supper. Shelbi, the desserts you made for the supper were wonderful. Hopefully, I didn't forget anyone; if I did I apologize. My mind has been in a fog the last few weeks.  
Thank you for all the support and hugs my family and I have received, I'm taking one day at a time and trying to adjust.  
**Rhonda McGee-Luebke**  
Denis's Family  
**John McGee & Family**  
**Pat McGee & Family**



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### Card of Thanks

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who attended my memorable and happy 90<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration. Your many cards and kind well-wishes are greatly appreciated. May God Bless each of you.  
I am fortunate to live in such a wonderful and caring community.  
**Lenore Burke**

## 50 years from now?

By Kathy Craig Harteis

For a couple of hours last week we were 17 again.

In Deadwood, SD we attended the Happy Together Tour. The groups from the 1960's are in deed happy to be together again.

Our favorite was Little Anthony but the others were equally good.

We were asked by another attendee if in 50 years the music of today would still have the draw that of the 60's has now. Maybe not.

It may have been a packed house of balding heads and a few wrinkles, but the house was packed.

On the way out we met a 30 something couple. I commented that they were young and asked if they liked the show. "It's great," they said adding it was their second time seeing it.

For a minute we remembered a time and a place from our youth.

It's funny how a song can take you back to a moment you thought you had forgotten.

I remember as a teenaged girl I thought our music would be there forever. It would never change.

I was half right.

Music did change but ours is still here. It will always be special.

Of course the performers still singing it are in their 70's and 80's now, but it is all recorded. We still have it.

Most of us raised our kids with old time rock-n-roll. It won't be lost with our generation.

But when I see 81-year-old Little Anthony singing and dancing to "Shimmy Shimmy Ko Ko Bop" I can't help but remember and feel young again.

Life is good today.

## What's Happening Bowman, ND?

Exciting event coming to the City and County of Bowman, North Dakota in the coming months.

A New Plant Church, part of the Dakota Baptist Convention covering both North and South Dakota Churches. We are excited about sharing the news about this New Plant Church. Pastor/Planter Julian Burgess will be the Lead Planter for establishing the New Church and sharing information about the Church as it becomes available. We are also excited to be sharing our new website, where you will have an opportunity to have updates on the progress of the New Plant Church.

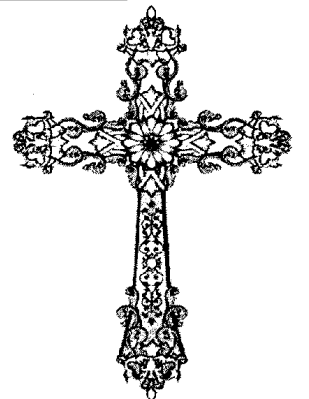
Also, our website will give you an opportunity to have input in the new Church thru a 4-question survey. The survey is in the Questions for you section of the website. When you take our 4-question survey it gives us valuable insight as to how we should proceed with the organization of this New Plant Church. We look forward to the coming days and hearing from you thru the website and survey.

I am Pastor Julian Burgess. I live here in Bowman, North Dakota. My phone number is 605-461-6727 please feel free to call or text me for more information or answer any questions that you may have.

The website is [www.plantchurchbowman.com](http://www.plantchurchbowman.com).

My email is [Dakotacowboy10@gmail.com](mailto:Dakotacowboy10@gmail.com) feel free to email me with any questions or comments you may have. I look forward to hearing from each person in Bowman County that would have any interest in becoming a part of this exciting New Church Plant.

**Pastor/Church Planter,**  
**Julian Burgess**



St. Vincent's  
Mott, ND  
Fall Dinner and Bazaar  
Sunday September 17, 2023

Dinner 11-1:00  
serving  
Fried Chicken, Meatballs,  
Potatoes, Salads and Pie

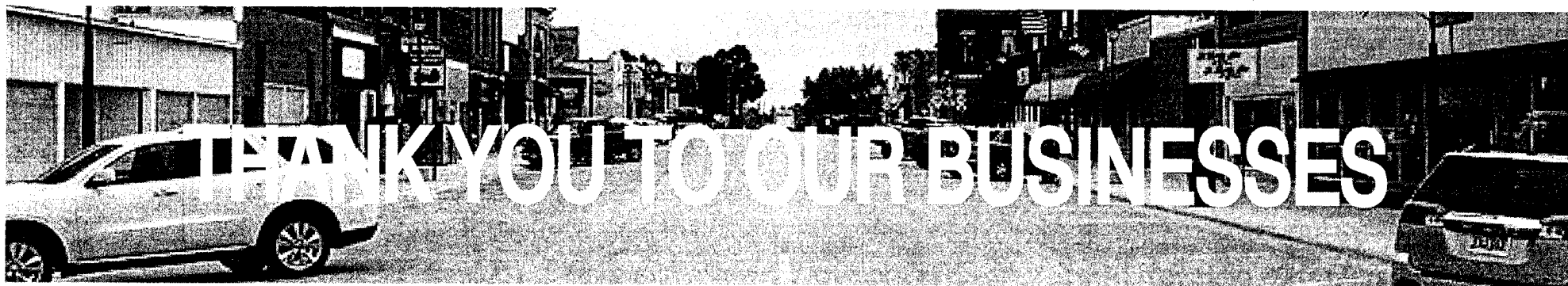
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## Power Failure Culprits...

by geno sloan

Our area suffered several hours of power failure recently. It caused much whining amongst us, as we awoke to NO COFFEE, dark showering, no hair curling irons, no morning tv, etc. It was quite a shock to our system, mine anyway. When out camping in the mountains, being without electricity is beautiful, but in my house I'm sort of a power baby.

One thing we can do without power is...PLAY CARDS! You don't need electricity for that, so on with the game! While at our regular game, we gals mulled over what might have caused this outage. Either it was China,

Russia, OR the Aliens! I choose Aliens.

You see, as they wander through interstellar space for centuries, eons of time, they need to find extra power for their spacecraft. Since our "space diplomats" in Washington have finally told us, there have been numerous UFOs sighted recently. The long-held secret is out, and we now are aware that these creatures are closer than we think. In fact, it is my sense that as they piloted their craft across North Dakota on early Tuesday morning, they needed another squirt of power, so they opted to swoop down and grab some from Hettinger County for a few hours. That is my take on the situation. The end.

## Reflections on the Words of Life

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

We resume our study today where we left off last time. Naomi was trying to persuade her daughters-in-law, Orpah and Ruth, to remain in Moab and not return to Israel with her. In Ruth 1:14 we read, "Then they lifted up their voices and wept again; and Orpah kissed her mother-in-law, but Ruth clung to her." Orpah decided to stay in Moab, but Ruth refused to leave her mother-in-law. And so Naomi has one last argument to try to convince Ruth, in verse 15: "And she said, 'Look, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return after your sister-in-law.'"

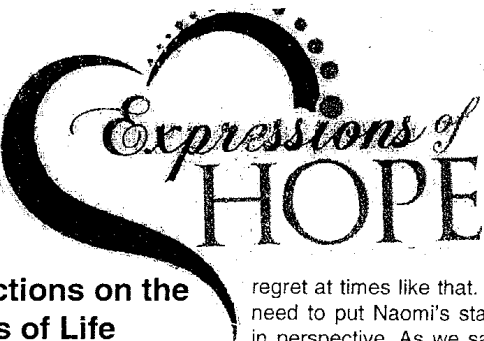
In Naomi's view, Orpah seems to have made the sensible choice, using the same logic which brought Naomi's family to Moab in the first place: The grass looked greener in Moab. And so Naomi urges Ruth to follow her sister-in-law's example.

Lord willing, we shall look later at Ruth's decision, but I'd like to back up a bit and address Naomi's statement which we mentioned last time in verse 13 as Naomi's most basic argument to persuade her daughters not to go with her: "The hand of God has gone out against me." Naomi was at a low point, and we often say things we later

regret at times like that. But we need to put Naomi's statement in perspective. As we saw earlier, she was right about the fact that the circumstances of her life had to be traced back to God, who is in control of all lives and all circumstances. But if Naomi was a true believer in the Lord and one of His own people, then there is a serious flaw in what she has said. You see, the Lord's hand is never against those who are His redeemed children. While it is true that God brings loving discipline into the lives of His children to correct them and keep them on the narrow way, that discipline is never done with hatred or enmity. We find repeated in the New Testament what is said in Proverbs 3:12: "For whom the LORD loves He corrects, just as a father the son in whom he delights." Notice that this correction comes as a father to the son in whom he delights. Yes, the circumstances in Naomi's life were God's hand upon her, but not God's hand against her.

If you are trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ alone for your salvation, you are one of God's children. He loves His children too much to let them stray far from Him. If they fall into sin, He will so work in their lives to bring them to repentance. As the writer of Hebrews says in Hebrews 12:9-10, "Furthermore, we have had human fathers who corrected us, and we paid them respect. Shall we not much more readily be in subjection to the Father of spirits and live? For they indeed for a few days chastened us as seemed best to them, but He for our profit, that we may be partakers of His holiness." We can see this in the life of Naomi. God in grace was bringing her back. She was miserable, but she was heading home, where God would bless her once again.

It is vital that we make a distinction between punishment for sin and discipline which is designed to keep believers from sin. The punishment for the believer's sin has all been put on the Lord Jesus Christ and paid for in full. That is not true for unbelievers, and that is why unbelievers will go to hell when they die. God will punish them for their sins because there has been no payment for them as there has for the believer's sin. Friends, please don't leave this vital matter undecided. Make sure that you are relying on Christ's payment for sin alone to make you right with God. The consequences for failing to do so are dreadful and eternal.



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## AREA COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

### First Monday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

Bowman Lions monthly meeting and dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Bowman Lodge and Convention Center

### Second Monday of Every Month • Scranton, ND

Scranton Lions monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

### Second Monday of Every Month • Scranton, ND

City Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall

### Second Tuesday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

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

### First Thursday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

**NOTICE TO ALL VETERANS:** Post 48 Local American Legion invites and encourages you to join our meetings. Back of the Crystal Bar at 7pm. For more info call Paul White, Adjutant, 701-574-3198.

### First Tuesday of Every Month • Amidon, ND

City Council Meeting at 8:30 a.m.

### Every Wednesday • Scranton, ND

Scranton TOPS meet at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Center.

### Third Wednesday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

The Bowman/Slope Community Cupboard is open from 3pm-5pm. No referrals necessary.

**Last Monday of Every Month • Check "Be the Light" on Facebook for the monthly location**

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Well, I'm in Kansas City, Missouri, right now and, either very, very happy or depressed depending on how the Detroit Lions did at Arrowhead Stadium last night. And, let me tell you, last minute prep. revealed some really flabbergasting details that have emerged since I went to my last game back in the 1990's. First, parking at Arrowhead. I now know HOW NFL teams pay these multi-million-dollar compensations. If you haven't driven to a game and actually tried to park THREE HOURS before kick-off, the sticker shock will let you in on how part of those salaries are being paid. Suffice it to say, I'm bringing 2 credit cards and some cash just to be on the safe side.

Second, I planned to pay a ridiculous amount to have a car-service drop me off and pick me back up to avoid the parking hassle. However, be advised, that today, you can't just have someone drop you off or pick you up just outside the stadium, that has to happen .8 mile away at the "welcoming center". That just didn't sound too welcoming and, in doing further research, Ubers and Lyfts are both off-the-hook and sketchy to get on game nights based on demand and "algorithms". At least, that's

what the Internet reviews told me. So, better to rent a car, park and creep back to your hotel in traffic which beats sitting with the other stranded at the welcoming center and "hoping" you can catch a ride back. Rule one for me is always—ensure transportation now (regardless of convenience) don't hope for transportation later.

Which brings me to the rental car companies. If you haven't heard, I guess the economy must be weak or something because most are now requiring that you buy "insurance" from them at the time you pick the car up at the counter. Unless, you can "confirm" (prove) that you already have that type of coverage. Which, of course, most of us do as a perk if you own a credit card. So, be prepared! Before you leave the house, dial that customer service number on the back of your credit card, wade thru the menu options to "benefits", wait to catch an actual rep. and have them email you a "confirmation letter" so you can tell the rental car folks—"Sorry, I don't pay for the same thing twice." Otherwise, it takes 5-10 business days to get it in the snail mail. Sigh, have a great week!

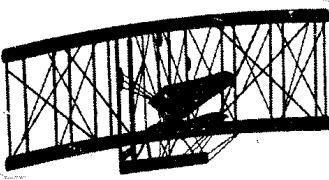
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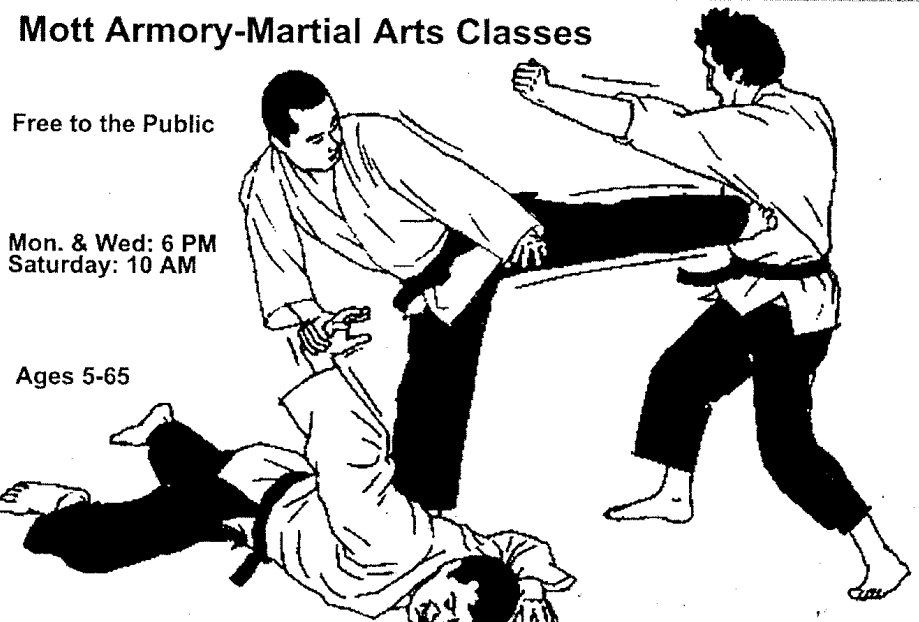
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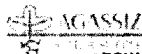
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the prescribed height of the stubble to be left, shall be of such height, as not to cause accumulation of snow on roadway.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN maps provided by townships designating the roads to be mowed, will be on file at the auditor's office for landowner or operators review.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Adams County Highway Department will mow County Roads only, by October 15th.

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By Pastor Mary Wiggins  
Scranton Area Parish

By the time you all read this, I will be packing for my annual pilgrimage to Medora. Every September, I join my Lutheran colleagues for a time of learning and worship put on by the Synod. This time has become a beloved ritual in my busy Fall Schedule because it guarantees myself time in the sacred North Dakota badlands at the end of Summer before Fall really gets full.

In our lives, we all hunt for scared places. And these are not necessarily just places of natural wonders or places in


which we find God, but we are on the hunt for personal sanctuaries where we feel like we can belong. A place where we feel safe and welcome. A place as comforting as a child in a parent's arms. We long for a place to belong where we are loved, accepted as we are, and that we have a place to safely lament. And this is especially true, I believe when we are in times of uncertainty, personal growth, and grief.

Theodore Roosevelt found such a place for himself in the Badlands of North Dakota. He discovered them during a trip to hunt Buffalo decades before he would be president. And he

fell in love with their beauty. It was a beauty that would soon become a comfort. A year after that first trip, he would lose so much. Devastated by the death of mother and his beloved wife, Theodore needed a place to dwell in his grief. He needed a home. And so back to North Dakota he went. He knew that there was a place for him there.

And there is a place for us as well. Not just in the badlands. We have a home in God. We belong to God, even when we don't feel like we should. Regardless of the circumstances that befall us. No matter the almost demonic forces that try to possess us. Or the burdens that weigh us down. We are welcome to dwell with God and find a home in the shelter of the divine. For just as Theodore Roosevelt found a home in North Dakota, we are home in mercy now and forever. In Jesus, we can find love, we can find acceptance, and we can find a place to safely be, laments and all.

Jesus is not only the foundation for the church, but he is why we know that we belong. As different as we all can be from one another, in Jesus, we receive the same gift. In him, we have acceptance, and we realize the outpouring of God's love. We don't have to worry about if there is a place for us, because we have a place to belong with God's church. Even when it doesn't always feel that way. God's tent has been opened to us and he is graciously waiting to welcome us.



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## NDCF Announces More Than \$300,000 in Grant Awards from Grid United's Community Investment Program

Bismarck, ND., September 1, 2023 - The North Dakota Community Foundation (NDCF) is pleased to announce it has awarded \$313,500 in grants from the Grid United Community Investment Program (CIP) to nonprofit organizations in southwestern North Dakota so far this year.

Grid United is an independent transmission company that builds new long-distance, interregional transmission lines to enhance grid reliability and resiliency. The CIP will support the six North Dakota counties in which Grid United's North Plains Connector - a transmission line connecting the U.S. eastern and western electric grids in Montana and North Dakota - will be located. These counties include Golden Valley, Slope, Hettinger, Grant, Morton, and Oliver.

NDCF utilized the local community foundations under its umbrella in this part of the state to distribute the CIP grant dollars. Each community foundation has an advisory committee of 5-9 local residents who know the needs in their area. Committees reviewed grant applications and recommended awards to those projects and programs that would have the greatest impact.

The grant awards by community foundation are as fol-

lows:

### Golden Valley County Community Foundation

- City of Beach: for the Pavilion Project "Making a Space a Community Place"
- Golden Valley County Fair Association: for a horse show/rodeo arena upgrade
- Golva Park Board: for W.P. Building and Park Renovations
- Golva Rural Fire Protection District: for a generator for the fire department
- Golden Valley County Historical Society: to replace a metal door in the museum

### Bowman & Slope County Community Foundation


- Slope Farmers Fair Association: for a concession stand update
- Bowman County School District #1: for a Bulldog Wellness & Performance Center
- Scranton Fire Protection District: for vehicle stabilization jacks - rescue equipment
- New England Community Foundation (Hettinger County)

### New England Community Foundation (Hettinger County)

- New England Community Grocery Store: for an updated POS/Inventory/Register system with WIC/EBT capabilities
- Mott-Regent Community Foundation (Hettinger County)
- Mott Gallery of History & Art: to re-roof the gallery
- Playhouse Theatre Inc: for exterior repairs and updates
- Mott Visionary Committee: for Community Event Signage on Main Street
- Maercklein Conservation & Charitable Corporation: for improvements to the Cannonball River Walking Path
- Cannonball Sportsmen: for shooting range improvements, equipment, and storage

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### Hettinger County Historical Society: for Zion Country Church

### Mott Country Club: for a cart shed roof

### Grant County Community Foundation

- New Leipzig Fireman's Auxiliary: for a Cascade System and Air Packs
- Elgin Fire Protection District: for turnout gear replacement
- Kidz Clubhouse: for improvement projects

### New Salem Area Community Foundation (Morton County)

- Almont Rural Fire Department: to replace the 1993 Fire Truck with a new truck
- New Salem Park District: for the Annette Rud Park
- New Salem Historical Society: for ceiling repairs in the Christensen House

### Flasher Area Community Foundation (Morton County south)

- Flasher Rural Fire Protection District: for the Flasher Fire Truck
- Louse Creek Golf Association: for maintaining a beautiful golf course
- Flasher Park Board: for beautifying the courtyard, park and ball diamonds
- Oliver County Community Foundation
- Small Hands Preschool and Child Care: toward the purchase of a vehicle to transport children to preschool, elementary school, and other activities
- Oliver County Fair: for arena light/electrical upgrade
- City of Center: to help replace the gym floor in the Betty Hagel Memorial Civic Center

There will be a second round of grants from the Grid United CIP this fall. Grant application deadlines vary by community foundation and can be found on each community's webpage, under the Learn tab, at www.NDCF.net.

Eligible projects must have a broad impact on the quality of life for a significant number of people in Golden Valley, Slope, Hettinger, Grant, Morton, and Oliver Counties. Ineligible projects include religious, partisan, or sectarian programs along with one-time events that are not part of longer-term economic and community development goals. Grants will not be awarded to individuals.

While grants must be used for projects benefiting communities in Golden Valley, Slope, Hettinger, Grant, Morton, or Oliver County, the grantee organization does not need to be based within these areas.

"These grants helped fund important projects in these communities that improve the quality of life for area residents," said Kevin Dvorak, President & CEO of NDCF. "We are grateful to Grid United and the Northern Plains Connector project for this incredible gift to southwestern North Dakota. We also appreciate our network of local volunteers who recommend the grants in their communities."

For more information about these grants or upcoming grant rounds, contact the local community foundation's chairperson or John Heinen, NDCF Development Director for Western North Dakota at John@NDCF.net or 701-590-4614.

## Fall Wood Pickup - Bowman

September 18th - 22nd

**Only Wood** items will be picked up in the alley: Acceptable **WOOD** Items: Trees, Branches and items made **only** of wood  
**Wood items** must be set out in the alley by **September 17th**  
City crew will begin on the east side of town and move to the west  
The crew will **NOT** backtrack

## FREE Landfill Use - Bowman

September 18th - 22nd

Landfill Hours:

Mon - Fri: 8am - 2pm

**Acceptable Items:** Wood, Metal, Wooden Furniture (No Upholstery), Appliances (Appliances containing Freon must be pumped & have a sticker stating this has been done.)

The above items are accepted **this week only** at **NO CHARGE**

Tires/Shingles are accepted for a fee

# Don't name a pig you plan to eat



25th Annual  
**Coal Springs Threshing Bee & Antique Show**

13291 SD Highway 73 MEADOW, SOUTH DAKOTA, 57644  
"On the Bismarck-Deadwood Trail" 2½ miles North of Jct Hwy 20E or 3½ Miles South of Jct Hwy 20W on SD 73



**FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 22<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

Threshing Blacksmithing Antique Tractors Horse Drawn Equipment Shingle Mill, Wagon Rides Kid's Activities  
Vendor Fair/Flea Market Auction Musical Entertainment Sunday Worship, Horseshoeing demonstration and More.  
Live Farm Animals

Admission: Free Will Donation  
Sponsored by the Coal Springs Antique Club  
For Reserved camping sites at the show grounds call John Lemke at 605-365-6753.  
Lunch will be available - Not responsible for theft or accidents.  
**DRUG AND ALCOHOL FREE GROUNDS!!!**

**FRIDAY (Note New Starting Time)**

10:00 am – Vendors and equipment demonstrations  
6:00 pm – Free Appreciation Supper  
7:00 pm – "A Place Called Shadehill" with Roger Merriman

**SATURDAY**

8:00 am – 5:00 pm Machinery Demonstrations  
9:00 am – 12:00 Children's activities  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm Vendor Fair/Flea Market  
10:00 am – Car show begins  
**12:30 pm – Parade**  
1:00 pm – Threshing and Tractor Pull – No Pickups  
3:00 pm – Fun with Art – Linda Mohagen  
12:00 pm – 4:00 pm Horse drawn wagon rides  
5:00 pm – Auction; Antiques, Homemade items, Hay, Misc. (Donations welcome)  
7:00 pm – Musical Entertainment by "The BlueStems"

**SUNDAY**

9:00 am – Church Service – Dave Holland  
10:00 am – 4:00 pm – Vendor Fair/Flea Market  
10:00 am – Machinery Demonstrations  
1:00 pm – Parade  
1:30 pm – Kids Pedal Tractor Pull  
2:00 pm – Threshing Demonstration

For more information call Wade Hofer 788-2854, Brian Flatmoe 788-2881, or Jens Hansen 788-2229.  
Interested in having a vending booth? Call Kelly at 605-281-0730  
Visit us on Facebook at Coal Springs Threshing Bee

2<sup>ND</sup> AND LAST ANNUAL  
**MOTORCYCLES  
ON THE LAWN**

**MOTORCYCLE SHOW & SWAP MEET**

**SEPTEMBER 23, 2023 • 10AM-3PM**  
REGISTRATION STARTS AT 8 AM

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ON SITE**

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**September 19<sup>th</sup>**

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**Regina Block Moving Auction**

**Saturday September 16, 2023 1:00 MT**

211 3rd Ave E  
McIntosh, SD

Kathy Hayes 701-928-0359

Lunch will be served!

**Shop Related**

Saws, Planers, Moving cart  
extension cords, gas cans, car ramps  
pipe wrenches, crescent wrenches  
portable air tank, creeper, hammers  
craftsman grinder, wrenches, drill bits  
punches, chisels, circular saw  
bench grinder, leather punch, sockets  
files, tarps, wrecking bars, fence plyers  
Levels, chains, squares, solder irons  
Ladders, Jacks, Jack stands, Binders

**Outdoor Related**

Garden tools, Tile spade, Potato fork  
wheel barrow, Shovels, Rakes  
Snow fence, Live cages, gas cans  
propane tanks, hand cultivator  
Fishing poles, tackle box, fish net  
minnow traps, post hole digger, ax  
post pounder, windmills

**Vehicle**

2017 Silverado 1500K 4x4 17160  
miles, tonneau cover ( NICE!!!)

**Household Related**

China Set, Kitchen table, Dressers  
Whirlpool Washer (like new), Whirlpool Dryer  
Amana stove, Whirlpool Refrigerator  
Knives, Knickknacks, Glassware, Gun Cabinet  
Propane Grill, Fabric, Quilting supplies



**Antique/ Collectible**

Carnival glass, Depression glass  
Oil Lamps, Blue jars, Butter churns  
Hesston buckles (1975-2014), Crocks  
Luggage, Collector Mugs  
Meat grinders, Luggage, Corner table  
Radio, Old lanterns, Whiskey jugs  
Sad irons, Cream cans, old stove  
ice sled, Hiawatha bike, wagon  
Hand ice cream maker, torches  
old wrenches, forge tools, old saws  
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### Fall Foliage Tour Coming Soon!

Fall Foliage Tour through Spearfish Canyon

**Tentatively Scheduled for OCTOBER**

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Adams, Bowman, Hettinger & Slope Counties of ND

# Dennis & Roene Hulsing Estate

## Construction & Plumbing Business

# AUCTION

## SAT., SEPT. 23, 2023 • 9:00 A.M. (MDT)

LOCATED: 100 SOUTH STATE AVE. IN DICKINSON, ND

Watch for Signs

THIS IS JUST A PARTIAL LISTING - THERE IS A VERY LARGE INVENTORY TOO LONG TO LIST!!! MORE PICTURES WILL BE ADDED CLOSER TO AUCTION DATE AS IT IS SORTED THROUGH. PLEASE CHECK BACK PERIODICALLY!!!



### TRACTOR - ATTACHMENTS

LS P7010 Tractor with Loader Bucket, 400 Hrs., 3-pt., 3-Range Shuttle Clutch, Heat, Air, Radio (Ser. #P004028)

LS 10 Ft. Rough Cut Mower, 3-pt. Pellet Fork Attachment

LS 7 Ft. 84" 3-Pt. Tiller

Pull Type Compact Disk



### TELEHANDLER

2008 Lull JLG 944 E-42 Telehandler, 2,262 Hrs. (Ser. #ENCLT8696W00814)



### FORK LIFT - GENIE LIFT

CAT VC 60C ForkLift, 8,810 Hrs. Genie Super Lift SLA-15

Genie Boom Lift S45-14164 4x4



### BOBCAT ATTACHMENTS

2014 Bobcat HB 980 Hydraulic Concrete Rock Breaker

2013 Bobcat 84" Parking Lot Sweeper

25 HEAVY DUTY PALLET RACK SHELVING

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Whisperwatt 7000 Generator

Heat King Mobile Heating System

Hilti TE 300-ABR Jack Hammer Concrete Breaker

Husqvarna C760 Concrete Saw

Bosch Brute Electric Jack Hammer

(2) Lg. Job Master Model 4824 Tool Chests on Wheels

(6) Wheelbarrows • (20) Come-A-Longs

Numerous Extension Ladders, All Sizes

(10) Sets of Werner Scaffolding

Paint Stripper • Lots of Saw Horses

John Deere Snowblower Attachment for Garden Tractor • (11) Space Heaters

(2) Pallet Jacks • Gas Tubing Flex Hose

Air Compressors

Assorted Lumber, New & Used

Pile of Rebar • 55 Gallon Barrels

2-Wheel Dump Trailer

Lots of Gas & Diesel Cans, Various Sizes

Delta 10" Table Saw

Propane Tanks, Various Sizes

Extension Cords, All Sizes, Some Heavy Duty

DeWalt 12" Radial Arm Saw

2-Wheel Carts

Schumacher Battery Charger/Booster

Gas Tubing Flex Hose

Pallet of Brick & Cinder Blocks

Drain Tile • Styrofoam Insulation

Folding Chairs • (6) Toilets

Various Pumps • Electric Motors

2" Water Pump Hose • PVC Plumbing Pipe

Hydra Gas Valve • Pump Tester

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Makita Cut-Off Chop Saw • Caulking

Thermostats • Drill Press w/Hole Cutter

Ready Rod • LOTS of Copper Tubing 1/2"-2"

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LOTS of Plumbing Supplies of All Kinds

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Utility Carts • Sump Pumps

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DeWalt Hand Saw • Levels

Welding Helmets • Painting Supplies

Tin Shear • (5) Air Nailers

DeWalt Cut-Off Saw • Wagner Paint Sprayer

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10-Speed Drill Press

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Plastic Sheeting • Floor Fan • Tarps

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Pile of Sheet Metal

4' x 8' Sheets of 4" Thick Insulation

Sheets of Plywood • Lg. Workbenches

Lg. Pile of Steel Studs for Building

Lg. Roll of Wire Fence • Lg. Doors, NEW

(3) Lg. Tables w/Drawers • Used Tires & Rims

New Floor Tile, New in Boxes

Lg. Glass Windows & Doors

Pile of 2"-4"-6" Plastic Sewer Pipe

Plumbing Supplies of All Kinds

Rack of Plastic Pipe, All Sizes

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Sheet Metal Nails

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## Yesterday's Farmers

41<sup>st</sup> Annual

# Threshing Bee

SATURDAY & SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 9 & 10, 2023

at the Yesterday's Farmers Grounds - West Edge of Bowman ND

### Tractor Parade

Saturday - 9:00 AM

from Yesterday's Farmers down Main Street and back to Yesterday's Farmers Grounds

Sunday - 12:00 PM

at Yesterday's Farmers Grounds

### Touch A Truck Event

on Saturday

Proceeds going to The Tot Lot

### Concessions

Saturday - Noon - Sloppy Joe's & Brats

Evening - Roast Beef & the Fixings

Sunday - All Day

Served by Volunteers

Proceeds go toward the Glue Tree

Anyone wishing to volunteer - call Edna - 701-440-8320

1:00 PM Both Days - Corn Chopper

2:00 PM Both Days - Threshing --- 3:00 PM Both Days - Baling

Log Saws • Blacksmith • Working Windmill • Horse Drawn Well Digger

Stationary Engines

Portable Case Steam Engine • Reeves Steam Engine

PARTICIPATION ENCOURAGED for Displays & Activities

### Flea Market & Swap Meet

space available for \$5.00 Charge

All Antique Engines, Tractors & Appropriate Antique Farming Equipment

Admission: \$5.00

Under 10 FREE

Use button for admission

Yesterday's Farmers

### Produce For Sale

As Available

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8-12,26-9-9,23-10-7,21



# Dakota Buttes Museum, Hettinger, ND

Another stand- ing-room-only crowd on Monday, September 4, at Dakota Buttes Museum, Hettinger, ND, brought to a close the 2023 season with special speakers and a bus tour of coal mine areas in eastern Adams County (see photo).

"A program like this on Labor Day was a great way to remember the hundreds of men and women who labored long and hard in and around the many coal mines in the area," said one committee member.

Special speakers for the event at the museum were Michael Howe, Environmental Engineer Abandoned Mine Land Division, ND Public Service Commission; Duane Wamre, retired Registered Land Surveyor, ret., Kadrmas, Lee & Jackson; and Isabelle (Deavy) Howe, local life-time resident who grew up on a mine site. Participants then gathered on the buses for a drive-by tour of some mines and the stop at a third.

The two-bus tour ended near the site of the original Ihle Coal Mine northeast of Hettinger with a complimentary supper and historical information provided by Glenn and Jan (Ihle) Nelson. "Great to see so many people and to hear stories they remembered of family members who worked in the mines," said one participant.

This program and bus tour was the sixth such event organized and promoted by Dakota Buttes Historical Society/Museum, the official historical society of Adams County. The first five end-of-season programs and bus tours took place from 2014-2018 and were (in this order): Adams County Bridges, Churches, Homestead Dwellings, Barns, and Schools. After the Covid "break," DBHS/M is again able to provide learning opportunities like this for the area.

DBHS/M board members (in alphabetical order): Ceil Anne Clement, Karan Ehlers, Joey Erickson, Tom Jacobsen, John Joyce, Loren Luc-kow, Kristi Kay Miller, Darin Seamands, Bonnie Smith, Betty Svihovec and Cindy Vik. Contact any of these if you are interested in joining the museum board or working with them on its mission.



Photo by Mary Montee Blumhagen, formerly of Reeder, ND.

## DUNN COUNTY LAND AUCTION

**Monday, October 16, 2023**  
**1:00 P.M. (MDT)**

**Catholic Workman Hall • 313 Lafayette St. • New Hradec, ND**

For additional terms, information and photos on this auction visit our website [www.bigd-eauction.com](http://www.bigd-eauction.com)

**Land Location: From New Hradec, ND go 1 mile west to 114th Ave. S.W. and 1/2 mile north to 28th St. S.W. and turn left.**

**OWNERS: RICHARD AND DONNA JABLONSKY**

**Offering: 932.38 +/- Acres**

**Parcel #1**

Section: 24 Township: 141 Range: 97  
E 1/2  
290.00 +/- Total Acres

**Parcel #2**

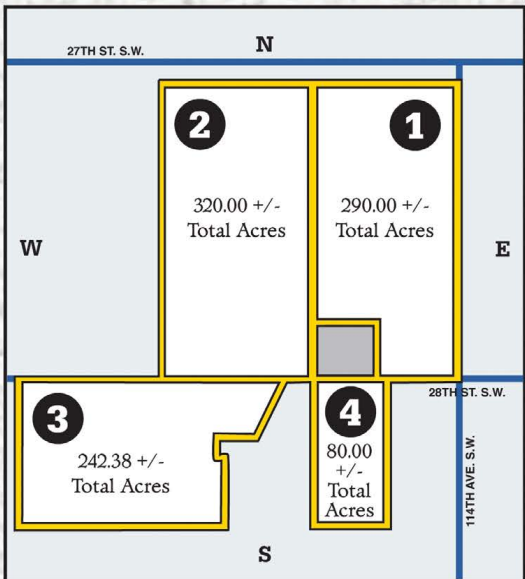
Section: 24 Township: 141 Range: 97  
W 1/2  
320.00 +/- Total Acres

**Parcel #3**

Section: 26 Township: 141 Range: 97 E 1/2  
Section: 25 Township: 141 Range: 97 NW 1/4  
242.38 +/- Total Acres

**Parcel #4**

Section: 25 Township: 141 Range: 97  
W 1/2 NE 1/4  
80.00 +/- Total Acres



**Auctioneer's Note:**

Richard and Donna Jablonsky have decided to go into retirement and offer their land at public auction. The land offers excellent fishing and wildlife habitat with the Green River running through Parcel 3 and a spring-fed creek running through Parcel 4.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
**RICHARD JABLONSKY (701) 483-4825**  
**OR DELVIN PRAUS (701) 290-5081**

**TERMS:**

- 10% down sale day with balance due upon closing.
- Property sells subject to all existing easements.
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- The seller reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids.
- Sellers reserve all mineral acres.
- Sellers reserve 50% of all aggregate acres owned.
- Sellers will bring abstracts up to date.
- Buyer pays closing costs.
- Property to be sold as is - where is.



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## RUMMAGE SALES

**RUMMAGE SALE:** Household sale. 215 1st ave E, New Leipzig. Sept. 22 & 23 9am-5pm. Various household & shop items priced to sell. Come browse & buy and while in town enjoy the Octoberfest fun! Look for signs & balloons.

9/9, 16c

## EMPLOYMENT

**HELP WANTED:** Stateline Grain Cleaning is looking for seasonal help October thru March. Hours and schedule flexible. Would consider anyone from Mott, Regent, Elgin or Lemmon area. Call 701-260-1398. tfn

**Full or Part Time Mail Carriers WANTED:** In the Hettinger Area. Call 701-567-3508. tfn

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**NOTICE** - Will do repair for Lawn, Garden equipment, ATV's and Small engine. Will buy ATV's, Zero Turn and riding mowers. Call John at 701-870-0905. 9-9, 16c

**WANTED:** Someone to mow 1/4 mile of ditch on the SW end of Mott, call 701-440-0698. 9,9,16pd

## WANT TO BUY

**WANTED:** Hay and Feed Grain. Call Leo Heinrich 701-523-6840. TFNc

## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** 2014 Jeep Cherokee, 106,000 miles. \$9,000 OBO. Call Kevin or Roxanne evenings at 701-523-5769. 9/9-TFNc

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**FOR SALE:** 2 bedroom mobil home on 2 lots. Single garage, house needs work. \$28,000.00 East side of Lemmon, SD. 605-374-3424. 8-26 thru 10-14pd

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## CONTACT US

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Fax: 701-523-4579; Email:  
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## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:**  
Payloader with 3rd valve  
For Sale or Rent Vans  
Gooseneck Flatbed Trailers  
2 New Flatbed with 15,000 axles  
48 ft. Wilson Flatbed  
2 - Semi End Dumps  
2 hyd. hanger doors, new  
Mack A400  
3 Cat Engines - 3406E, 343,  
and 353  
Self Contained Snow Blower  
sits on a Payloader  
96 4700 IHC Mechanic Truck  
service box.  
6 Standby Generators  
Guard Rail . . . . . \$4.00 per ft.  
Sucker Rod 3/4", 7/8", 1"  
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Poly Pipe 20 in. x 50 ft. long,  
weights 2700 lbs. per joint,  
ideal for culverts  
3 Cabin Boats  
New 30 Gal. Totes - \$10 each  
2005 Excursion Class A  
Motor Home  
Call for more information.  
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**government surplus size**  
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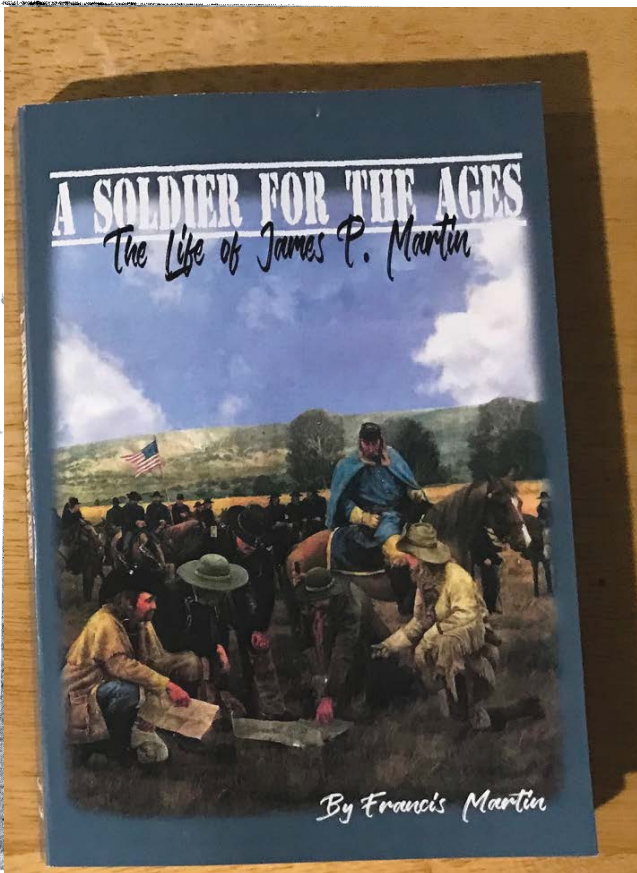
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SOLDIER FOR THE AGES  
By Francis Martin

Continued from  
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CHAPTER TWELVE

It was mid-January and North Dakota was having what is called a False Spring. An Alberta Clipper had blown in from Canada with warm air in front of it. What little bit of snow there had been had evaporated. The ground was frozen and dry. James had saddled one of the horses and ridden the trail that edged the river. In his imagination he saw Custer doing the same thing. Why not? This trail had been there since time immemorial. It was so deep from the thousands of hooves that had taken the buffalo down to water that now when it rained, the path became a creek. The river took a hook and then came back in a loop where there was a wide mound with limestone rocks for a shore. Maybe that's why it never washed away. He said to himself that if he had been leading and administering to 1200 people, he would have set his tent right there on that mound. There was water on three sides and a little grove

of cottonwoods. Now they were big old trees and James could just imagine that they had been there for at least a century. Yes. This would be the perfect place for a great leader to conduct business with men (and women, maybe) There would always be the need of a decision maker, someone they all looked up to. With water on three sides, he would only have to have a couple of guards. He could bathe in the river. They could build a fire hole and keep it burning all night. He could get some sleep. In the morning when he joined those on the hill (that was now an alfalfa field) they would see a well-rested, respectable leader, a born leader. They would feel confident in his presence. When the Indians were put out of existence (the only good Indian was a dead Indian) these men would ride home with their heads high and tell their wives and children and parents that they had been privileged to ride with Custer.

At the house he rummaged around in the magazine rack until he found what he was looking for. It was an outdated catalog from some outfit in Fargo that carried Army Surplus. It was Saturday night. No school, no games and for some reason,

no Dan'l. James stuffed some pillows behind his head and made himself comfortable on his bed. He found the date on the catalogue. It was two years old. As far as James was concerned, it had everything in it. There were pages of stuff for a cavalry that at one time had used horses. Harnesses, bridles, collars, reins from six feet long to the length of two teams, horseshoes, a whole section of ropes and halters and books for veterinarians. Then he found what he was looking for: tents, everything from a pup tent, that wasn't any more than a canvas roof open at each end, to tents big as houses. Mess tents, divided tents for privacy, kitchen tents and some that were just big pieces of canvas with ropes at each end that a soldier could tie between two trees. There were canvas bags that a soldier could roll his sleeping bag in to keep it dry. There were even tarps that you could cover your horse with. And here was one that could be used as an office. It had a canopy that rolled out from the door so business could be conducted outside without getting rained or snowed on. It was divided in the center making two rooms.

He dumped the jar he kept change in and counted it. With what bills he had in his wallet he could buy this tent. He would be short on gas money, but maybe Rummel would let him work a few hours after school and he could restore his meager fortune.

"What in God's name is this?" Caroline asked her husband, Paul, "Did you order something from ah...."Army/ Navy Surplus?"

It took both of them to lift the heavy box from where the mailman had left it and set it on the tail gate of his pickup. "Must be something James ordered," he said with a grunt, "I didn't order anything."

He turned the box over and read the back. It didn't tell him anything. "We're going to the game tonight, aren't we?" he asked her.

"As far as I know. This game is really important to him. They are playing Mandan here. What do you want to do?"

"Nothing. He's not ordering booze or guns or ammunition and it's not books. This must be something important to him. He spends his money like a miser.

He never asked me for any, so I think we just should be good parents and let him enjoy himself."

It was a tight game. Mandan had more students to choose from. They had one of the best coaches in the country. Paul and Caroline sat about halfway up on the bleachers. It was cold outside, and every time people came into the gym they brought a lot of North Dakota air with them. Yet these basketball players were in jerseys, and she could see the sweat on their faces. The clock was winding down and Mandan was one whole point ahead of Dickinson. Then both coaches blew their whistles.

Foul! The ball was tossed to Dan'l. He stood on the line, eyed the basket and made the shot. The ball teetered on the rim. There was a loud groan from the audience and then another kid on the Dickinson team jumped and tripped it into the basket. Was this allowed? The coaches gathered in a huddle and waved the team captains over. Dan'l was sent back to the line and this time he shot it right through the net. Dickinson won 39 to 38. But for some reason, James wasn't happy. He'd never encountered such a move. This kid who tipped the ball into the basket was on the Dickinson team. His name was Allen Mott and except that he was a good player, James didn't know any more about him. The coaches had not penalized him, so they must have made some kind of decision. Leave it, he told himself. It was a good thing they hadn't asked him because he didn't have an answer. He hoped they kept this Allen Mott on the team. He was a good strong player and good strong players were hard to find.

He got up Saturday morning and dressed and ate and started out the door when his mother told him what a great game he'd played. He shrugged his shoulders and went out the door. It was cold and he had to choke his pickup to get it going. He was expecting to get a package any day from the Army/Navy Surplus Store, and he needed to earn some money. He checked to make sure he had his lined gloves before he took off. His mother rapped on the window and held up his lunch sack and thermos bottle with a question on her face. Rummel had not

called, and he had not called Rummel. They had an unspoken agreement that whenever James could work, he would.

Caroline said to him, "Isn't it awful cold to be working on old junk?"

He bent out the window and kissed his mother on the cheek. "Naw, Mom," he said, "I'm made out of good stuff." And he drove away.

He drove through Miller's gate and picked up Dan'l who shoved his lunch box in ahead of him.

Dan'l was strangely quiet. "What's goin' on?" James asked as they turned onto Highway 10.

"Oh nothing. Same old stuff, you know. Dad came home in the wee hours, drunk and slamming things around and cussing mom....and me. Same ol' same ol'."

James changed the subject. "Good shot last night, Dan'l. I'll make an athlete out of you yet."

"What did they decide? The coaches, I mean?"

"I haven't a clue. They called me over there and then they ignored me. Do you know Mott?"

"I know he's a good player. I'm glad he's on our team and I'm glad I don't have to make those kinds of decisions. But what the heck? We won, didn't we?"

Rummel was bent over the counter reading from the Bismarck newspaper. The counter is to your left as you come in the door. It's made out of bridge plank. It has the oily sheen of the ages on it. For the most part, it is covered with parts and tools that haven't been put away. There's just this place where Rummel is leaning over it that hasn't got

anything on it. Rummel has on a grimy old Pea coat with frayed cuffs and one big navy-blue button that's held there by the spider web of a thread. He's got on a stocking cap and brown cotton gloves with holes worn in the fingers. James didn't have to look to know that he had on big old overshoes that didn't buckle any more. There's a handmade barrel stove in the middle of the room where Rummel burned old oil for heat. It stunk, but it kept the place warm.

He didn't say 'good morning'. He just grunted and tapped his finger on the article that he was reading. He said, "Didja read this?"

"We don't get the paper," James said, "What is it?"

The headlines said, "U.S. Military on Alert."

James and Dan'l leaned over and read it together. The subline said: "Chinese Forces Invade Saigon."

Then Rummel said, "It's Saturday and the backyard mechanics will be looking for parts. Don't freeze your hands. Some guy, aaaah, Duffy, yeah, Curt Duffy. He called last week, too, but he said my price was too high and he was gonna look around. Well, I guess he looked around and found out he'd spent more time and money looking around than he would have if he'd just bought it off a me."

"What?"

"He wants the hood off that pickup that got hit in the rear. You better take a shovel. There might be some snow around it." And he went in his "Office".

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## Rites Held for Roger Goodfellow

Roger H. Goodfellow, 71, of Scranton, ND, passed away on August 23, 2023 in Dickinson, ND.



Memorial Services for Roger were held on September 7th at 2:00PM at the Abundant Life Assembly of God Church in Hettinger, ND. Pastor Allen Wickstrom officiated. Please join the family on Saturday, September 9, 2023 at 1:00pm at the Gordon Methodist Church fellowship hall in Gordon, NE for a Celebration of Life for Roger.

Roger Hugh Goodfellow was born November 24, 1951, in Gordon, Nebraska to Dorland "Hugh" Goodfellow and Lois (Purdy) Goodfellow. He was the oldest of 3 children, and has one sister, Susan, and one brother, Ron.

After graduating from Gordon High School, Roger enlisted in the US Navy and was assigned to the NSA as a computer programmer. Following his discharge from the Navy, Roger attended The National College of Business in Rapid City, SD where he met Rita Brethour. They started dating in the fall of 1975 and then married June 5, 1976. They briefly lived

in Rapid City, then moved to Scottsbluff, NE and lived there for nearly 2 years while continuing college, before moving back to Gordon, where they started their family of two children Ryan and Rhonda.

In Gordon, Roger worked as an assistant manager at Farmer's Coop, and attended night classes at Chadron State College to earn his master's degree in business administration, with the goal to advance into a General Manager position. Stepping into this role led to several moves for the family, first to Ogallala NE, then Maryville MO, and eventually to what would become the family's hometown in Scranton ND in 1995. There Roger served as General Manager of Scranton Equity Exchange for 18 years before retiring in 2014.

Roger loved "Do It Yourself" projects and fixing houses, and enjoyed fixing up their house in the country just outside Scranton. Following retirement he and Rita were able to make his lifelong dream of owning a cabin in the Black Hills come true. Working on the cabin was a great project for Roger and the whole family!

But among any achievements or titles Roger may have acquired throughout his lifetime, his favorite was the title of Grandpa. The oldest grandkids, Ali and Damon have so many fond memories of their time and adventures with Grandpa Roger - many of which included the instruction "Don't tell Grandma..." His enterprising nature, love for adventure, and laughter were evident from early childhood and teenage years and remained a strong part of

his character into his grandpa years. That same spark is notable in all his grandkids!

Unfortunately, only a couple years after retirement, Roger began displaying signs of dementia, eventually progressing beyond what could be managed at home. The family moved Roger into Country House in Dickinson on August 23, 2022 and it was an excellent place for him to spend his final time - he passed away exactly 1 year later, in the early hours of Aug. 23 surrounded by family.

He is preceded in death by his Grandparents Ernest and Dorothy Purdy, & Hugh and Minnie Goodfellow, Uncles Jack Cobb, Roger Purdy and Lawrence Rock, Aunts Geneva Cobb and Vivian Rock, Parents Hugh and Lois Goodfellow, Parents-In-Law Roy and Dolores Brethour, and Brother-In-Law Randy George. He is survived by his wife Rita Goodfellow, Children Ryan (Alicia) Goodfellow, Josiah Chinburg, Logan Goodfellow and Laney Goodfellow, And Rhonda (Ryan) Huiner, with grandkids Andra Huiner, Damon Brackel, and Kale Huiner, aunt Maureen Purdy, sister Susan George, brother Ron (Jim Kirkness) Goodfellow, as well as brothers-in-law Vern Brethour and Fr. Gary Brethour, and 3 Nieces - Abbey (Shinze) George, Shaley George, and Annie (Stephan) Eichermueller. As well as numerous cousins and several great-nephews.

## Rites Held for Patsy Septon

Lorraine "Patsy" P. Septon, 98, of Bowman, ND, passed away on September 1, 2023 at the Southwest Healthcare Long Term Center in Bowman.



Funeral Services for Patsy were held on Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at 1:00 pm at the Bowman Lutheran Church in Bowman. Pastor Galen Strand officiated with burial following in the Bowman Cemetery. Visitation for Patsy was on Monday, September 4, 2023 from 12-9 at the Krebsbach and Kulseth Funeral Home Chapel.

Services will be live streamed on the Bowman Lutheran Church Facebook page.

Patsy was born in Rhame, ND, on May 14, 1925, the daughter of Oliver and Nellie Erickson. She was the young-

est of four children. She lived in Rhame until she was a second grader. Her family moved to Scranton where she attended school until she was a sophomore. She and her family then moved to Bowman where she finished high school and graduated in 1943. Patsy met Martin Septon through their siblings and they married in Baker, MT, on June 22, 1943. Patsy was a stay-at-home mom through most of her children's youth. That meant we walked home for "dinner" which was our big meal for the day. She was always home when we got home from school and we were often greeted by the smells of freshly baked buns or cookies. She also found time for coffee with neighborhood friends when they gathered in someone's kitchen and they developed very close friendships. Martin and Patsy were excellent dancers, and they enjoyed many evenings with friends at the Flagstone Terrace with breakfast afterwards at someone's house. Martin and Patsy were members of the Bowman Lutheran Church for their entire 67 years of marriage and were longtime members of the Sons of Norway. Patsy started working at the Sunset Home in 1968 in the kitchen and then the laundry room where she worked until her retirement. Patsy was an amazing cook and an excellent baker who showed her love through food. She used to start her Christmas baking shortly after Thanksgiving and continued up until Christmas. We have many Septon family favorites, but she is best known for her homemade buns and soft molasses cookies. The recipe for soft molasses cookies was given to her mother by a family friend, Mrs. Clara Skare, who worked at the Butte Café in Rhame, which was owned by Patsy's parents. Mrs. Skare didn't use a recipe but made them from memory. Nellie was always encouraging her to write the recipe down, which she never did, until Nellie sat her down one day and made her write the recipe down for her. Patsy and Martin had a home in Bowman where she lived until after Martin died in 2010. She then moved in the Sunny Apartments where she lived until entering the nursing home in 2019. She kept up with current events and was our person to ask when we needed to know what was happening, past or present. It was amazing.

Patsy is preceded in death by her parents Oliver and Nellie, husband Martin, son Richard, grandson, Darin, brother Warren Erickson and sisters, Marion Ehrmantrout and Bernice Schoen.

She is survived by her three children; James (Cooky) Septon

of Bowman, ND, Lynn (Renee) Septon of Williston, ND, and Lola (Adrian) Hovda of Fargo, ND and daughter in law, Rita Septon. She was a grandmother to 10 children, great grandmother to 15 children and a great-great grandmother to 1.

She is also survived by a nephew and 2 nieces and a very dear and caring friend Lee Ann "Frieda" Frei whom she loved like a daughter. Our entire family is forever grateful to Frieda for all the love and care she provided mom over the years.

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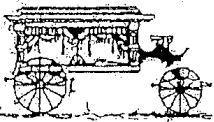
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I used to say, "I sure hope things will change." Then I learned that the only way things are going to change for me is when I change."

"Two Separate Dakotas"

By Don Taskila  
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Before there was "Two Separate Dakotas", back on Saturday, March 2, 1861, shortly before the outbreak of the American Civil War, the Dakota Territory was created by an Act of Congress, which was ratified by the departing 36th Congress—being the U.S. Senate, and the House of Representatives, and signed by James Buchanan, the 15th President of the United States. The Dakota Territory's borders were often altered. Originally, the territory comprised an area that included the present states of North Dakota, South Dakota, and much of Montana and Wyoming.

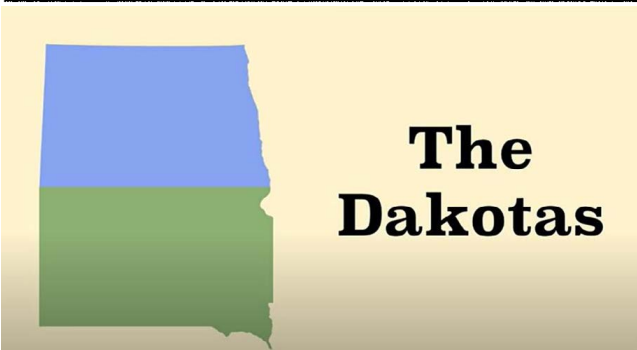
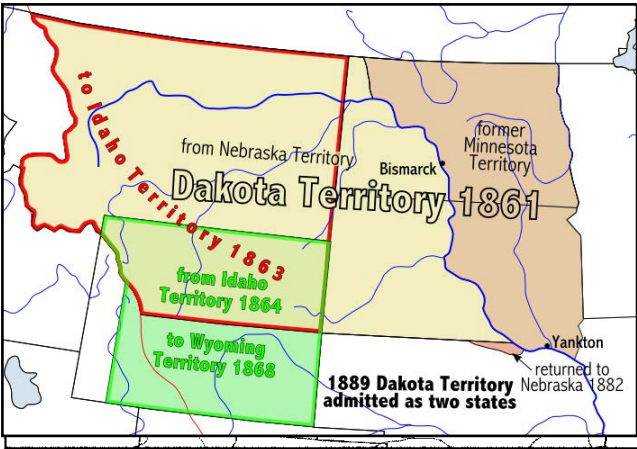
While not taking part directly in the American Civil War, which was also called the War Between the States, a four-year war (beginning April 12, 1861, and lasting until April 9, 1865) between the United States and 11 Southern U.S. States that seceded from the Union and formed the Confederate States of America. Notably, the Dakota Territory did organize some troops to guard the farming settlements created as a result of the 1862 U.S. Federal Homestead Law, which developed gradually after the first claim west of the Red River was made in 1868. According to history, the expansion of the railroad network further into the West gave the new Homestead Act farmers access to markets for their crops and livestock production. The commerce lines supplied by these railroads provided access to various commercial hubs from both the northern and southern halves of the Dakota Territory. The northern region of the Dakota Territory through Fargo and Bismarck was more personally connected to Minneapolis-St. Paul. The Southern region, on the other hand, was more closely connected through trade to Sioux City, Iowa, and from there to Omaha and Chicago. Residents of various regions of the territory became less connected to one another as a result of these divergent economic ties.

Politics, trade differences, and personality conflicts brought about the idea of creating "Two Separate Dakotas" because it was thought that taking such action would generate more Washington, D.C. government support and thus facilitate more opportunities for both the North and South regions of the Dakota Territory.

The two regions of the Dakota Territory had diverse populations from the start. The Southern half of the Dakota Territory increased from around 10,000 inhabitants in 1870 to nearly 100,000 in 1880. Only about 40,000 people were liv-

ing in the Northern half of the Dakota Territory at that time, according to the US census. But overall the Dakota Territory had a significant "boom" in settlements. Then, a U.S. Territory was typically expected to become a state after reaching the threshold of 60,000 inhabitants and also after they completed their proposed state constitution draft, which defined the supreme law as well as the fundamental citizens' rights that would be put forth to govern the state. However, there were some exceptions, as the U.S. Constitution did not exclude Congress from establishing unique requirements for specific territories that wanted to become U.S. States—population totals being one of them that often got adjusted.

On Saturday, November 2, 1889, America's 23rd President Benjamin Harrison signed the Act of Admission papers declaring North Dakota as the 39th U.S. State and South Dakota as the 40th U.S. State of the United States of America, respectively. North Dakota and South Dakota, were both admitted to the Union as American States on the same day. With President Harrison's signature, the Dakota Territory was split into a North and South half, resulting in the creation of "Two Separate Dakotas" that then largely mirrored the boundaries of today's states. On Friday, November 8, 1889, Montana became the 41st state to be admitted into the Union. The finding of gold in the area led to the creation of the Montana Territory in 1864. On Sunday, July 10, 1890, Wyoming officially joined the union as the 44th state. In 1869, when Wyoming was still known as the Wyoming Territory, it became the first state to offer women the right to vote. Let me reiterate: All four (4) of the United States States named in this sentence were 1st part of the Dakota Territory.



To conclude with agreeable contrasts... the "Two Separate Dakotas" would likely believe THAT:) Construction season is the worst necessary season, and Winter is the longest season. That:) If you can't never trust the weatherman. It's best to always be prepared. THAT:) Purchasing sweet corn from a stranger in a parking lot is commonplace. that:) There are always more deer nearby when you see one. THAT:) North Dakotans don't need an explanation for this one... The phrase "UFF DA" can be used in a variety of situations, and those of us who live here frequently use it. If this is one of the stereotyped behaviors South Dakotans associate with North Dakotans, then it is true.

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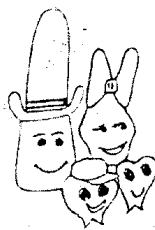
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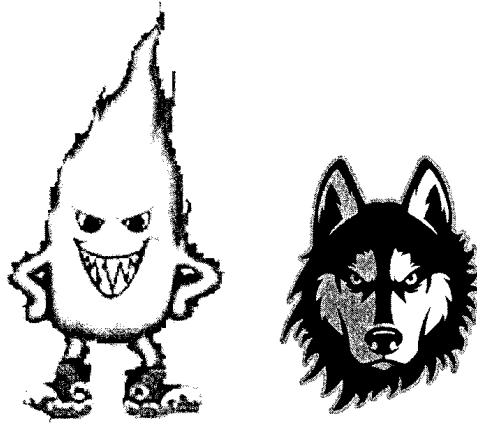
  
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- Tuesday, September 19: Twin/Adam Sandler Day
- Wednesday, September 20: School Spirit Day  
Pep Assembly: 1:07, MRHS Gym  
Parade: 2:30, Main Street
- Thursday, September 21: Ag Day (Farmer or Rancher)/Throwback  
HS VB Homecoming Game vs Beulah, 4:00 @ Mott Armory
- Friday, September 22: V FB Homecoming Game vs New Salem, 6:00  
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thru 9-30c

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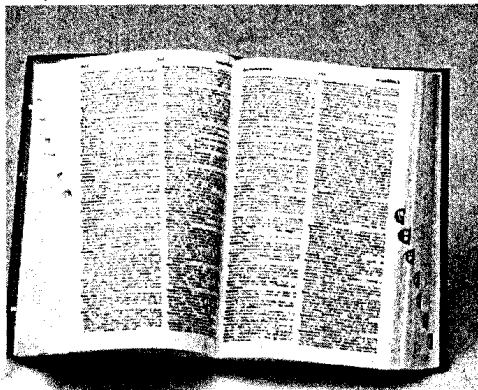
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### Wordsmith

I wrote a book called 'YOU DON'T SAY.' It is a book of quotations. "Quotations by no one in particular and everyone in general."

1 "There's nothing out there but rattlesnakes and cowboys

and sometimes it's hard to tell the difference."

2 Elaborate coffins are a pathetic attempt to evade the carbon cycle.

3 When I die, I want the floor swept clean behind me; all trace of me gone, nothing left.

4 If cleanliness is next to Godliness, this would make you the Anti-Christ.

5 Man is a very successful kind of parasite that is destroying its host.

6 A certain man had his eye put out in a car accident when he hit the St. Christopher statue on the dashboard. He was blinded by religion.

7 A compromise is an agreement that satisfies no one.

8 A child who is uncertain of his date of birth is a classic symptom of family disfunction.

9 Nobody is ever divorced 100%. There is always residual affect.

10 There is a price to pay for daring to dream.

11 He died of chronic bitterness.

12 The creator of a masterpiece died in the throes of post-partum depression.

13 If you don't stand for something you are liable to fall for anything.

14 She had cancer of the personality.

15 The yard was so small it looked like a grass throw rug.

16 Every man must risk something so that in the end he does not have to risk everything.

17 Time is a great teacher. Unfortunately, it kills all of its pupils.

thru 9-30c

## ~ School News ~

### Elgin/New Leipzig Public School

#### Monday, September 11th

Elementary GBB @ Flasher @ 4:00  
JH VN @ Glen Ullin/Hebron @ Hebron @ 4:00  
JH/JV FB vs Hettinger/Scranton @ Hettinger 4:30 MT

#### Tuesday, September 12th

VB ABC vs Heart River @ Belfield @ 4:00  
Pre School 8:15 - 3:15  
ASVAB Testing @ 8:30 JRS

#### Wednesday, September 13th

Pre School 8:15 - 3:15  
Adult Water Aerobics  
School Board Meeting @ 7:00

#### Thursday, September 14th

Pre School 8:15 - 3:15  
JH VB vs Flasher @ Elgin @ 3:30  
VB ABC vs Flasher @ Elgin @ 4:00

#### Friday, September 15th

HS FB vs New Salem/Almont @ New Salem @ 6:00 MT

#### Saturday, September 16th

Elementary GBB @ New Salem/Almont @ 9:00  
JH VB @ Flasher @ 9:00

### New England Public School

#### Monday, September 11th

• 2:15 p.m. dismissal for JH/JV FB traveling to Richardton for 4:30 & 6:00 p.m. game  
• 4:00 p.m. 7/8 VB vs. Hettinger/Scranton in our gym

#### Tuesday, September 12th

• \_p.m. dismissal for 456 FB traveling to Elgin for 5:00 p.m. game.  
• 4:00 p.m. 456 GBB vs. Heart River in our gym

#### Wednesday, September 13th

• Religion Release begins at 2:10 p.m.  
o St. Mary's: K-10  
o Our Redeemer's: K-9

#### Thursday, September 14th

• \_p.m. dismissal for 7/8 VB traveling to Dickinson for 4:00 p.m. game vs. Heart River & Trinity  
• 2:40-3:00 p.m. Kindergarten "Read with a Grandparent Day"  
• 4:00 p.m. 456 GBB vs. Hettinger/Scranton in our gym  
• 5:30 p.m. AB VB vs. Richardton/Taylor in our gym

#### Friday, September 15th

• \_ dismissal for XC traveling to Beulah  
• 6:00 p.m. Varsity FB vs. Linton

#### Saturday, September 16th

• TBA B VB Rich/Taylor JV Tourney in Richardton  
• TBA 5/6 GBB Tourney in South Heart/Belfield

### Mott/Regent Public School

#### Monday, September 11

College Fair @ DSU for Juniors  
Finance Committee Meeting, 7:00 AM  
JH/JV FB @ Richardton/Taylor, 4:30  
HS VB (JH, A,B) vs Bison, SD, 5:00

#### Tuesday, September 12

Elem GBB @ Hettinger, 4:00  
HS VB (AB) @ Lemmon, 5:30

#### Wednesday, September 13

Budget Hearing, 6:30  
School Board Meeting, 7:00

#### Thursday, September 14

Elem GBB @ Taylor vs Richardton/Taylor, 4:00

#### Friday, September 15

V FB @ Linton, 6:00

#### Saturday, September 16

HS VB (B) @ Richardton/Taylor JV Tourney

## Area School Calendar September 11<sup>th</sup> - September 16<sup>th</sup>

### Bowman County

11 5pm FB JH/JV vs Baker @ Home	12 9am G Golf JH/JV @ Home 4pm JH VB @ South Heart 5pm VB (ABC) @ Belle	13	14 4:30pm VB (ABC) vs Killdeer @ Home	15 TBD G Golf @ Beulah 10am XC @ Beulah 6pm FB @ Shiloh	16 TBD JV VB Tourn. @ R/T 9am JH VB Triangular @ Home Noon XC @ Bismarck
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### Scranton

11 4:30pm FB JH/JV vs Grant Co @ Hettinger 4pm JH VB @ New England	12 4:30pm VB (ABC) @ Harding Co.	13	14 4pm VB (ABC) @ South Heart	15 6pm FB vs Beach @ Scranton	16 9am JH VB @ Bowman Co. Triangular TBD JV VB Tourn. @ R/T
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### Harding County

11 5pm FB JH/JV @ Lemmon 5:30pm JH VB @ Lemmon	12 5:30pm VB (AB) vs Nighthawks @ Home	13	14 5:30pm VB (AB) @ Phillip 5pm JH VB vs Bison @ Home	15 7pm FB @ Newell 2pm XC @ Newell	16 10am JH FB @ HC Jamboree 10am VB JV Quad @ Newell 9am JH VB Tri. @ Bowman
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### Baker, MT

11 5pm FB JH/JV @ Bowman	12 TBA VB @ Colstrip	13 College Fair for Juniors	14 4pm JH VB @ Beach	15 7pm FB vs Huntley Project @ Home TBA VB @ LG/LD	16 11am XC @ Home TBA VB @ Huntley Tourn
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There is no sadder sight than a young pessimist.

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Thoughts for the Week

by June Schmidt

It's really amazing to look at all the things on social media and see all the opinions on what you should eat, what you should wear, and in the last few years, what you should think in this world. Where is the chutzpah (definition for those that have never heard this word: extreme self-confidence or audacity) to believe that you can tell people what is right and what is wrong for them. But what is worse is that there are those that read these things and believe what they say.

I am not sure where some people lost their self-confidence, but I think the start of us having self confidence in the first place is when we are children. For many children, they have more self-confidence then they should have. I am sure that many mothers can relate when they see their children playing with things that they should not have, and then saying: See Mommy, what I did? This can involve makeup, scissors, making breakfast for Mommy and helping Mommy clean the house. It may depend upon Mommies reaction whether they try it again, but the more audacious the child, the more times the Mommy has to 'fix' whatever it is that their child has gotten into. It also may not just be Mommy who has to face the results of a child and their desire to do something good, as Daddies also have probably faced this situation and if they were smart Daddies, they took a deep breath and counted to five before explaining just why this should not happen again and how to do it better the next time.

Some children are naturally recessive in temperament and need more than usual encouragement to become confident in what they do or what they want to do. Even if a child is gifted with a talent of some kind, without parental approval or encouragement by someone

that they look up to, which could be a teacher or an older person that they respect, they could lose their confidence in their ability. This results in an introverted child that is afraid to risk criticism from peers and adults and this can erode whatever confidence they have. Sometimes they grow out of this over time when they become adults, but sometimes it never happens for them. They can become unhappy and depressed and pessimistic over their future. They may not be able to learn in the same manner as another child, and become lost in the system, adding further to their unhappiness. Not all children will be affected, as some become determined to succeed just to be able to prove to everyone that they can do what they choose to do. Children from confident parents are more likely to be confident as well, while children from recessive or domineering parents tend to be more introverted.

The hardest thing to combat is the public opinions that children are bombarded with on social media. It has always been hard to fight popular ideas, and children that do not have self-confidence can be forced to follow with the crowd rather than blaze their own trails in life. It is difficult to be the person that disagrees with the majority of the population regardless whether it is familial, childhood friends or social media, but at no time prior to the advent of technology is it so prevalent. Before social media appeared, our opinions were based on family information or friends conversations. It was not always correct, but generally it was confined to our area of the world. Now we are bombarded with opinions from the entire world and it is not just our parents who have the last word. Children are being told that they should disregard parental, or 'rents' opinions as old fashioned and out of touch. Not that this a new thought as each generation has thought that they knew more than their parents

and doubtlessly this will continue in future generations as well. However, we had much more basis in fact given to us in history, social studies and accuracy in information. Now most information that is passed around is opinion based on ratings and attempts to steer conclusions by biased reporting on many fronts. People that we used to trust to tell us truth, now either fail to give us the entire story, or give

deliberately false information and then have the audacity to not even be surprised or guilty when they are found out.

So what can we do about this situation. We need to become more active with our children in conversation and in our children's lives and in their opinions as well. We need to learn to praise and not criticize when we feel they are trying to work through something and encourage rather than discourage their attempts. Nothing builds more self-confidence than praise from a parent or a respected adult, but praise without justification only creates conceit, and it is our job as adults to teach them the difference. In any case, it should bring you closer rather than drive you apart, if done correctly. This takes practice and if you fail, try again and never give up. This is life, and it takes work, so strive together and make every day a learning lesson in love. God Bless you All.

RECIPE OF THE DAY

CHOCOLATE ZUCCHINI BREAD

2 1/2 c. flour

1/2 c. cocoa

2 1/2 tsp. baking powder

1 1/2 tsp. baking soda

1/2 tsp. salt

1 tsp. cinnamon

3/4 c. butter

2 c. sugar

3 eggs

2 tsp. vanilla

2 c. grated zucchini

1/2 c. milk

1 c. walnuts

Sift together dry ingredients in a mixing bowl. Cream together the butter and sugar. In a separate bowl, mix eggs, vanilla, zucchini, milk and nuts. Alternate combining the wet ingredients and dry ingredients with the creamed mixture. Spread batter

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## A Little Birdie Told Me

By: Vivian Hernandez

A Little Birdie Told Me: "Don't Be Ashamed Of Your Story. It Just Might Inspire Someone." (Toby Mac)

The Little Birdie started her adventures on a farm south of New England, North Dakota. After graduating from High School I flew the coop in the Fall of 1980 and landed at NDSU in Fargo. I quickly realized college life was not for me.

What to do now? My Sister lived in Greeley, Colorado and was going back to school in Denver to earn her Geriatric Nurse Practitioner Degree: I flew south to help out with her two children. I became a CNA at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Greeley and soon changed positions and worked as secretary in the Maintenance Department.

Colorado introduced me to authentic Mexican and Italian

food and The Fawn Brook Inn just outside of Estes Park, Colorado: The food at the Fawn Brook Inn was like nothing I'd every tasted before, at the time North Dakota was a "food desert!" I also tried skiing, but were not gonna talk about that!!

My Sister completed her degree and after 2 years I decided to head back to North Dakota. I moved back to the farm and worked in Mott at the Good Samaritan Center, before moving to Bismarck. I worked at the former Bismarck Hospital, Med-Center One now Sanford. I worked as a CNA and Ward Clerk, home health was a new thing and I liked the idea of taking care of people in their homes so I gave it a try.

In the Fall of 1984 I went on a blind date to the Lakota Fireman's Ball and met my Husband Dave. I moved to Lakota, North Dakota and we were married in August of 1985.

Dave worked for the Soil Conservation Service and was

transferred to Bowbells, North Dakota where our two oldest children were born. While in Bowbells I did Daycare, worked at the Kenmare Hospital and Home Health for Ward County.

In 1992 Dave was again transferred, this time to Bowman, North Dakota. We lived in Bowman for almost 20 years and our third child was born. I worked at the hospital, nursing home, The Depot, St. Charles Catholic Church, The Eido Connect and 18 years managing the Cedar Chest. In 2010 we were given the opportunity to buy my parent's farmstead, life had come full circle.

We spent the last 13 years updating, fixing and remodeling and just when we got it the way we dreamed it should be we decided to sell the farm. It was the most difficult decision we've ever had to make, we thought we be there forever. Lots of things played into the decision, most importantly was our health and being close to our Kids and Grandkids.

We listed the property in late June and on July 21st had an offer. We now had 7 weeks to clean out 2 poll barns, 2 ga-

rages, 4 outbuildings, the house and yard full of junk vehicles and salvaged steel! Thankfully we have amazing kids and sons-in-law, they spent the next 5 weekends fillings 2 roll-offs, 27 flatbeds, 3 semi-trailers, a horse trailer and 2 vans filled to the tops! The final load left the farm on September 5th and we headed to Hettinger to sign closing papers.

So now where has the Little Birdie landed? Hazen Bay, North Dakota! We have a lovely view of Lake Sakakawea from our deck and the dock is just 2 minutes away! I'll be helping out at our Daughters' Store, The Dash and loving-up our Grandsons!

Change isn't always easy, but it was better to make the decision for ourselves than to have it made for us later. The move is certainly bitter sweet for The Little Birdie, the memories will stay with me and by the Grace of God we'll make many, many more.

A Little Birdie Told Me: "My Past, O Lord, To Your Mercy: My Present, To Your Love: My Future To Your Providence." (St. Padre Pio)



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