

# GLAD THINGS



## OF GOOD THINGS

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"Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the Lord delivereth him out of them all".

Meetings are on the upswing at ELKWOOD. Sis. Ruth Adam's sister, Hester Heard, recieved the Holy Ghost on Thursday night, December 21st....Sis. Mandy Whisenant, who has been a child of God for over sixty years, edified the church here. She proceeded to tell how she has been sick and not able to take care of herself or to be at church for such a long time. She was thinking how God could take her on to glory instead of some younger saint who was able to do something for Him. (But as Sis. Lucille Smith said, "the Lord's ways are above our ways".) The Lord brought old Job before Sis. Mandy, how that he did nothing to cause his affliction, but he was tried and he endured it. She saw a vision during this time of a white dove flying straight down a narrow path that was so peaceful. The dove wasn't noticing the decaying things that were ready to sink on either side of this path.....The following service at ELKWOOD was one of "the old time meetings" with Sis. Mullins and Sis. Marie Patterson bound in the Spirit and Bro. Charles Underwood telling the people that they had been hearing the Word of God now is the time to shout, and they did...Bro. Willard Wooten was overheard to say the Lord was still at Elkwood. Everyone was refreshed in the Lord.

Sis. Sharon Campbell recieved the Holy Ghost at NYLA on the second Saturday night, while Bro. Charlie Brown was with them. On Wednesday evening of the 25<sup>th</sup> there were found a goodly number out at NYLA for mid-week meeting. There were saints from the upper end of Lookout Mountain, from Brown's Chapel (Bro. Edwin Spurgeon) from Huntsville (Bro. Joe Ventrus), from Scottsboro (Bro. Dudley and Sis. Ruby Gilliam and Sis. Essie Thompson) and from Skyline (Bro. Var-

nell and Sis. Doris Stevens) plus a few home folks and the Lord. All of the meeting was good with everyone talking the "good fight of faith". Bro. Edwin<sup>K</sup>Spurgeon lifted up the hearts of God's people by testifying how he loved the Lord and His children. He remembered when he was overseas the Lord made a way for Bro. Ned Lamb, from NEW MARKET, to be with them on some weekends. They (Bro. Edwin and his wife, Sis. Dean) were so proud to have a child of God with them in their one room home that they would hang up a sheet through the middle of the real small building and Bro. Ned would spend the night with them....Sis. Pearl Jones spoke of the time when she was working and how her mind would be caught away in the heavenly thoughts of the Lord and what he has prepared for those that love Him. Bro. Joe Ventrus was thanking the Lord for the time He made a way for him to have employment. It was after he obeyed the Lord and had Sis. Jean, his wife, quit her job. Bro. Varnell Stevens told of a similiar experience where he could not find work anywhere until one day he told his wife, Sis. Doris to quit work. When he did this he headed north and the next day he had a job and people told him, they had been trying for a lengthy time and could not get work. (Obedience is better than sacrifice). Almost every saint here testified and brought a good feeling with it. Bro. Buford Warren talked of expecting to go to a land where "flowers bloom forever". He has heard of so many beautiful places here, that men go to see the beauty and splendor of, that he has not had the opportunity to see. If he has a vacation he is in church services and besides he couldn't afford to go to these places. Bro. Buford said that one time the Lord told him how he could go to a place that sur-

passes anything that men's mind can imagine here. It brought tears of joy to hear him tell of this good land. (By the help of God I mean to go there). Bro. John L. Campbell's wife, Sis. Jewell was feeling real good in the Lord as also was Sis. Ruby and Bro. Dudley Gilliam, who was remembering how he came to the Lord. Sis Dollie and Bro. Coleman Sanders were both in the love of God.



Bro. Coleman & Sis. Dollie

Sister Dollie was saying that if we did not love all the children of God the Lord knew it and it did not please Him..... This was a good service from the time the saints started gathering in with the good love they had in seeing one another until it was dismissed.

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We recieved a lovely letter from Bro. Grady and Sis. Karen Cain who are stationed in Germany. They love the Lord and we know they need all the encouragement they can recieve. To those who would like to write these saints (we hope a number of you will) here is their address:

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We have glad tidings to share from the north. On New Years Eve, BLACK OAK held its annual midnight service. Even before its beginning some of the saints were discussing the good peaceful feeling that was present. And present it was, for He wonderfully blessed His children. The saints and seekers ushered in the new year in prayer. When the new year was about thirty minutes "new". all things became new

to Darrell Kilgore, as the Lord filled him with the good Holy Ghost. Bro. Darrell is the husband of Sis. Betty, daughter of Bro. And Sis. Harvey Carden. His mother is Sis. Maxine Kilgore of Lookout Mountain.

On Friday night, January 12<sup>th</sup>, the saints of God were called to the home of Sis. Marie and Curtis Letson to pray for their sick child. Before this prayer was adjourned, Larry Henderson's name was written in the Lamb's book of Life. Bro. Larry, who until recently lived in the south, came north looking for the Lord. He had never been around Holiness and found no satisfaction in the church he had been attending. He attended services a few times at BLACK OAK with his wife and Sis. Marie Letson (his wife's aunt) and began seeking the Lord. He didn't have to pray too many times until he made it right in the prayer service. The Lord is continuing to beckon those seeking Him and some are very close to God. Hopefully we will be able to share more of the same kind of good news with you this time next month.

(Bro.) Franklin & (Sis.) Nelda Duvall

It is indeed good to hear of the Lord blessing at BLACK OAK in this way. These saints go out of the way to treat you good when you visit them. Bro. Junior Arnold from SKYLINE was here for a singing this past fall and he was heard to say when he returned south, "that was the best I was ever treated in all my life"....Surely the Lord is pleased with this wonderful hospitality that is shown here and at SOUTH HAVEN and MARKHAM.

Our hearts are glad that the Lord has been blessing so many places in such a wonderful way this year. WILLIAMS COVE had a wonderful service over the third weekend. Bro. Clarence Williams was heard to say that it was one of the best services that he had been in here in 25 years. And the way the Lord blessed Bro. Clarence it is no wonder he enjoyed it so. The footwashing was one of the best in memory. The men and women were both shouting and praising the Lord at the same time.

Bro. Henry McLain and Bro. Frank Guffey were at SCOTTSBORO and helped in honoring the Lord's death and suffering another time this past second Sunday night. Bro Wesley Parker is still thanking the Lord for the way He blessed him on the

third Sunday night.

Sis. Minnie and Bro. Henry McClain say they are enjoying themselves at OAK GROVE on Gunters Mountain. This church had a good communion service on the third with the sisters feeling extra good. Sis. Minnie was healed and was lying flat on her back when she raised straightway up after Bro. Henry and Bro. Charles Willmon anointed her. She was still thanking the Lord for this healing the following week at HYTOP. The church at OAK GROVE is proud of everyone who will come and help them in the love of God.

The Lord is still helping at Old SARDIS. The last service of the old year was one that was filled up with love and encouragement. "One of the best ones of the year."...KEEL MOUNTAIN is still doing good. HUNTSVILLE has been having encouraging meetings....Bro. Dewey Barrier was helped at LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN on the third Sunday morning to preach "just what we were praying for". Bro. Dewey didn't find out what these saints were praying for but he was glad the Lord blessed him.

Bro. Jim Goza was preaching the Ways of God in its purity, the second Sunday at HIGDON. His sermon was centered around "if you love me you will keep my commandments" and "His commandments are not grievous"....Bro. Will Guffey followed Bro. Jim with "little children let no man deceive you; he that doeth righteousness is righteous. He that committeth sin is of the devil: for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil" and "who-soever is born of God doeth not commit sin."

The Lord's death and suffering was remembered at ROCKY BRANCH this past third Saturday evening. The entire service was good especially the foot washing where Bro. Willard Wooten and Bro. Jack Denson had both their feet in the same wash basin. Bro. Hodgie Holman from Elkwood can tell you how good it really was for he enjoyed himself immensely...The Sunday morning service would best be described by the word "GLORY". It did not really start, but as the people gathered in, some (Bro. Ed Williams and Bro. Roy Walls) started singing among themselves until everyone was following suite. Bro.

Paul Guffey had an easy time of leading meeting (Bro Mitt McAllister turned it over to him and Bro. Paul accepted it with a ready mind). All seemed to be on fire to move and talk about the Lord and the ones that didn't was praising the Lord when the Lord's Spirit passed by. Bro. Hoyt McAllister Bro. Mitt's son, was lost in the spirit as also was Sis. Jean, his wife, and many, many more...Service that evening was lifted up with Bro. Hubert Sampson's "little is much if God is in it". The Lord blessed him all over this house as he mentioned if one saint can be led by God to just lay his hand on a sick person, it is much more than all the church doing it without the Lord leading them....(amen).

Bro. Clarence Williams of PLEASANT GROVE had the hearts of the church at BROWN'S CHAP-EL with him when he offered himself here on the first Saturday night. He testified again and again and each time he brought a good feeling. He was reminiscing back to the days when he first believed and how God stood by him in all his trials. He told of the time over forty years ago, the first years of his salvation, when one of his boys was very ill. As he called on the Lord, the Lord blessed him and his hands went on the child. By the time he was through praying the boy who was so near death was setting up playing. Bro. Billy Parker who was with Bro. Clarence, was not left behind in telling good things for he also had a lot to tell how God had been his hope in the time of need. Bro. Lawrence Brown was comforted and comforting with the scripture "my peace I give unto you, My peace I leave with you"...The Lord's Supper was divided among the saints and foot washing followed with the love of God abounding. These saints are like the saints in the north, when they was feet, THEY WASH FEET. They do not use a form but they carry it out in the freedom and love that they feel.... After altar call was over a large number stood up for the Lord and one that stood out was Bro. T. Pritchett telling of the time when he was having a terrific tooth ache that would not quit. Bro. T. said that his wife said one day, "you'll spit it out" and lo and behold two days later this brother spit out the tooth. Whew!!! That's having faith!....After church was dismissed and almost everyone had left, one brother was heard telling another how the Lord protected him when he was drafted into the service. He went in the

army but as a conscientious objector. They tried to put him to sleep and it had no effect on him. All the while this was happening to this brother, Bro. Aubrey Downer, the Holy Ghost was testifying within him. These men went as far as to push him in a HOT shower and Bro. Aubrey said, "it was cool"...Ahh, it sounds so good how God will take care of those who love Him.....After service Bro. Clarence Williams stopped off at Bro. Lawrence's where a few others were and over a bowl of delicious stew, Bro. Clarence went back in years when Bro. Brown came to Williams Cove. Bro. Clarence saw that he had his mind tangled up in another brothers fault. When this happened he started losing sleep and also the peace of God. When the Lord "got ahold" of Bro. Brown, Bro. Clarence could see himself, "it was like looking in a mirror and seeing yourself from the tip of your toes to the top of your head. I laid it down, and left it laid down." This brother went on to say "When I crawled into bed and rolled that pillow up and nestled into it, I went into the most peaceful sleep"....Surely we are kept clean by the Word....Bro. Edwin Spurgeon and his wife, Sis. Dean were both completely over in the will of God over the third weekend here. All three meetings were excellent.

We thought this of interest because all involved were God's children. Bro. Walter Hill of the BEND of PAINT ROCK, performed the marriage ceremony that united Sis. Martha Hill of BEND of PAINT



Bro. Walter, Bro. Early & Sis. Martha ROCK to Bro. Early Key of BRYANT..... We wish them many happy years together.

The SKYLINE community is still being encouraged in the Lord and in the Words of His mouth. On the fourth weekend of Dec-

ember, Christmas weekend, there were good services. On Monday night, Christmas Day, the Lord blessed Bro. C. T. Stevens' wife, Sis. Frances, all over the church house here. She had been having trouble with her legs before this. Bro. Frank Guffey, the Elder who conducts services here, was led to explain how "the kingdom of God was liken to a vineyard and the Lord has need of men to work in it and not to stand by idling away their time." "Go to work", Bro. Frank contiued, "and whatso ever is right the Lord will pay you"...It sounds good....The Lord blessed Sis. Edith Mc-Allister from Pleasant Grove and was followed by Bro. Clarence Willams who was glad the Lord blessed Sis. Edith. He was remembering how she and her late husband, Bro. Carl, were always so good to be out at church to help out. Bro. Foster Posey's wife, Sis. Betty, was testifying over in the hands of the Lord when her hands went on an aged sister who has been down weak physically and could hardly lift herself up. But the next day Sis. Gamble was exclaiming to her son-in-law, Bro. Frank, "See how I can get up without any trouble". Services were also good over the fifth weekend with Bro. Charlie Brown's wife, Sis. Gladys, from SOUTH HAVEN, telling how good the Lord had been to her and her family. She had the whole church up on their feet feeling God's goodness. Sis. Dollie, Bro. Coleman Sanders wire, was telling how she enjoyed a sister's testimony a few meetings before. This particular sister had stated, "Do I live the life for the Lord, that if I were a different person and was lost, would this life draw me to Christ?" Sis. Keeton was up thanking the Lord for being a help to her in the time of need. Bro. Charlie Brown talked on the necessity of meeting together with the saints in this perilous times we are living in.

The Lord is still blessing Bro. Morgan Fortner. On the second Sunday night he was stepping high in the love of God at BROWN'S CHAPEL. He was telling how little he felt but how great God was. Bro. James Castle and his wife, Sis. Martha, are still rejoicing in the Lord. Bro. James hasn't felt this good for this long, in all his years in this good way. Bro. Lawrence was visiting this night, (Beirnes Avenue) but the saints here had prayer that the Lord would bless him and use him wherever he was, for they all love him dearly..... Meeting was given out for Monday night because some of the people wanting the

Lord to come into their lives were very close to God. No one was born again this night, but so many of God's people were renewed up in the Spirit. One of these was Bro. Wayne Williams' wife, Sis. Gail. She was free in the spirit of God. This



Bro. Wayne and Sis. Gail

young couple comes from SCENICLAND on Look-out Mountain, where they both received the Holy Ghost. Sis. Gail was testifying how the Lord had helped them in the time of need....Bro. Lawrence was over in the good spirit bringing glad tidings of good things through the Word of God. At the ending he said his greatest desire was to live and keep God's commandments so that whatsoever he asked of God he would receive...(Amen.)

Meeting after meeting after meetings are good at BROWN'S CHAPEL, midweek and weekends services are all with the good love of God. Everyone that visits here is treated with a good hospitality and kindness. The fourth Sunday night services was one of those good ones with the Lord blessing in first prayer and all the way through. Saints were sometimes sitting and sometimes standing, but all were pleased with the love of God that was everywhere. Bro. Ben House was shouting and a number of the Lord's people remarked that they remembered when they were little children that Bro. Ben was doing the same way now as he did then. His son, Bro. Bobby, was also far along in the good spirit of God as also was Bro. Edwin Spurgeon (he usually is), telling how Bro. Bobby helped him come to God. The Lord used Bro. Edwin wonderfully. Saint after saint was testifying full of the joy

of God. Bro. T Pritchett, Bro. Morgan Fortner, Bro. Anthony Spurgeon, Sis. Santana Tinker, Bro. Sherrill Higdon and his wife, Sis. Lynda, Bro. Eddie Cuzzort and Bro. Lavon Pritchett were all in the excellency of Christ. Bro. Lawrence was beside himself in preaching, testifying, encouraging, praising God and rejoicing in the great hope. One of the better parts of this service was the encouragement that the Fortner family received in regards to the healing of their daughter, Annette, that they have hoped, pleaded and trusted for so long. The church as one man, was behind this couple in the assurance and anticipation that their Lord will heal their girl....We here have all of our hopes, too, to this end. May the Lord receive praise and glory forever. (Amen.)

The Lord is working in a marvelous way at HYTOP. He was with them throughout their third weekend services with Bro. Willard Wooten and Bro. Frank Guffey helping. All three meetings were good with Bro. Obie Clark way over in the hands of the Lord and Sis. Betty Parker was feeling the joy of her salvation as the Lord blessed her. Bro. John L. Campbell, who always seems to work and enjoy himself in the Lord, being "renewed up" on Sunday evening. He was a sight to behold as he



Bro. John L. & Sis Jewell

rejoiced in the glory of God. These meetings were so good that they were again given out for Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, with the Lord helping in all of them. Monday night service was good with the Lord blessing Sis. Olean Neeley, who was rejoicing in the Lord. Also, was Sis. Thelma Hensley who was beautifully in the hands of the Lord skipping, laughing and rejoicing all over the HYTOP church. Sis. Lila Guffey was not far behind her feeling just as good. Ever since the Lord blessed her so good at

PLEASANT GROVE the previous Thursday evening, Sis. Lila has been over in the Holy Ghost praising the Lord. (Sis. Lila has been a light to us here through the years that we have known her). Sis. Dollie Sanders was happy in God as He used her in a wonderful way. As she was praising the Lord, He led her to the middle-back of the church house and over behind a bench where she laid her hands on a mother and a new born child. What was so good about it, this mother, Charlotte Finlayson and her daughter, Carma Jean, were having problems that are not strange among newborn babies. This little baby was not receiving the right amount of nutrition needed for it's growth. This same day the father and mother had decided (over the phone) that instead of turning to other means, they would turn it over to their Father and let Him handle it as it pleased Him. They had not told anyone of their problem and decision, but the Lord moved with the touch of Sis. Dollie's hands and now little Carma Jean is improving each day..Thank the Lord!...There was one theme that ran through these meetings and Bro. Frank and Bro. Vernon Stevens both talked about it and it was "praise the Lord for what He has done". The Lord blessed Bro. Henry McLain to be here some and also the aged Bro. Will Guffey. These both pointed to the way of God and how it must be pressed into. Sis. Helen Wade, Sis. Carolyn Parker, Sis. Mary Jones, Sis. Annie Ruth Brewer, Sis. Gail Williams, Sis. Paula Warren, Sis. Joyce Davis, Bro. Ray Davis and others were in the hands of the Lord. Sis. Mary Jones came up thanking God after Sis. Annie Ruth Brewer, who was wonderfully over in the Spirit came by and laid hands on her son who had a bad boil on his neck. Sis. Gail Williams from SCENICLAND was delighting in God as she "shouted" all around the church altar...Tuesday night service started not with a song, but with a testimony and it didn't slow down until it was dismissed with singing "happy birthday" to Sis. Charlotte Finlayson on her (forgive me Charlotte) thirty eighth birthday. This sis is still floating with the great love and affection these humble people have shown her. They had a beautiful birthday cake, plus more cakes, pies, cookies and cool drinks of which they served on tables in the building. And besides this she received gifts and means for a new dress by the help these people gave her.

I want you all to forgive us for taking up so much space with this sister in this paper, but she has given me eight fine children and she has been by my side through thick and thin. I don't see how we could have made it with out her trust and love that has braved every storm. Her price is indeed far above the price of rubies.

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Bro. Lige Wooten & Bro. Jim Goza  
This was taken in 1920 or before.

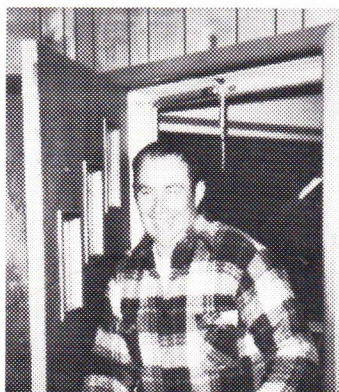
#### PRAYER REQUEST

Sis. Lucille Smith has asked prayer for a brother-in-law, Floyd Key, who has Rheumatic Arthritis. He needs to work and carry on for his family. But most of all he is lost and trying to come to God. Remember him when you pray.

Bro. Arlene House is requesting prayer for Dan Worley of Memphis, who is lost and has an advanced stage of lung cancer. Remember him.

Sis. Ruby Patterson, who has been ailing for some time ask for the saints to remember her in prayer for her trust is in the Lord. Sis. Ruby is from OLD SARDIS and she suffers so that sleep at night escapes her. Remember her to the Lord. "Delight thyself also in the Lord; and He shall give thee the desires of thine heart"

After meeting on Monday night at HYTOP a few of the saints went by Bro. Ed Avons for awhile before going home. The "awhile" turned into quite awhile. Bro. John L. and Sis. Jewell Campbell and another family were enjoying themselves when in came Bro. Arville



Bro. Arville

Stubblefield. After a while Bro. Arville tried to leave but something kept him here. This happened two or three times until he finally settled down and started telling how when he was a lost man and in the BLACK BLOCK in an Army correction compound, that the Lord commenced working with him. The black box was a solitary confinement and all he was allowed to have was a bible for he was completely alone. "When you are in a place like that you have a lot of time to think", Bro. Arville said. He was confined in this predicament for 33 days. He started to look at his life and see which way he was headed and as he read "the book" he found he was headed in the wrong direction. When he was released from the service he went into business and he could have become wealthy, (his father and brothers are), but he became more concerned for his soul. He gave up his work and turned it over to his father and he finally ended up receiving the Holy Ghost at HYTOP... Before this small group at Bro. Ed's departed they had prayer together and the Lord was in their midst and blessing them. It was a good place to be... One night the same week Bro. Arville was up at Hytop telling how the night the Lord came into his life the Lord told him to do one thing for him and Bro. Arville said, "I'm willing Lord, I'm willing". What it was he had to do was ask prayer for Bro. Bub Wright who hit his foot that day with an axe and cut it real deep. When Bro. Arville got to church and went inside and sat down right by the door, he had an enormous load on

his soul and when the saints got ready to go on their knees to pray he finally asked them to pray for Bro. Bub. Bro. Arville said when he did this the burden just rolled away and before long, at HYTOP, he became a new creature in the Lord...

SCENICLAND had good services over the fourth weekend. Bro. Paul Guffey set the Lord's Supper on Saturday evening and as all the saints were about to wash feet, Bro. Paul was pressed to ask if any one had decided they would still like to honor the Supper and three more received it. Sis. Louise Harris had been asking the Lord if Bro. Paul would offer the Supper again she would take it. The next day Sis. Louise was over in the goodness of the Lord telling about it. Sunday morning, Bro. Henry McLain was out and the Lord was using him and also Bro. Paul Guffey. Bro. Dewey Barrier was remembering how he came to the Lord and it edified the body of Christ. Also he encouraged the saints to "present their bodies a living sacrifice holy and acceptable which was just their reasonable service. Bro. James McLain "took" the service with his testifying how the Lord never has forsaken him especially when he was in the Service in Germany. Bro. James had the congregation on their feet praising God. But then he does this often for he is much loved by the Lord's people.....Service was dismissed with a "happy birthday" sung to Bro. John Scott



Bro. John & Sis. Oneida

who is now into his 60<sup>th</sup> year. They had a very delicious meal afterwards.

"I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, fear not; I will help thee."

Bro. Robert Warren was in the north over the second weekend with Bro. Joe Ventrus. He brought back glad tidings of a wonderful communion service at BLACK OAK with Bro. Charles Houston lost in the Spirit during the foot washing. Also, at South Haven was the goodness of the Lord shown. We do not have all the details as of yet but it is indeed good to hear of the Lord blessing his saints. Bro. Henry McLain was heard to say how proud he was to hear how the Lord is blessing and helping at so many places this year...Amen.

Bro. Danny Farris' wife, Chris, came to the Lord at NOAH ARK'S church in Atlanta. She is the first to receive the Holy Ghost in their new building. Sis. Chris is originally from Missouri. She came to Atlanta to visit relatives, where she met and married Bro. Danny who was a "hippie". They then started going to meetings with the Sealy family here. Bro. Danny came to the Lord in the summer of 1971. We are glad the Lord has also brought his wife in.

Don Countryman's wife, Sis. Sarah, was having serious difficulties with her back and to make matters worse her new born child, Barbie, was sick, so sick that the doctor stated after giving medicine for the child, "If she isn't better tomorrow (Saturday) we will have to put her in the hospital"....On Friday night this family, Bro. Wayne and Sis. Gail Williams along with Bro. Lawrence and Sis. Maude Brown met at the Finlayson home for a fish fry. Before eating, as is customary in this home, they had prayer first. During this prayer the fish was forgotten for God came in the midst and honored this little group. He touched Sis. Sarah and also little Barbie. The next day at the office, the doctor told Don and Sis. Sarah, "That medicine sure did help her". One sister commented after hearing the statement of the doctor, "He will try to use that medicine on all of the kids now". It caused us to grin. Sis. Sarah told someone the next week when ask about her back, "Why, its alright, I had forgotten all about it."

Bro. Lawrence Brown was a help to the saints at BROOKLYN on Brindley Mountain on the fourth Saturday evening, and also on the fourth Tuesday night at SCENIC-LAND.

Sis. Irene, Bro. Jimmy Paradise's wife, was completely over in the goodness of God

at SKYLINE, the fourth Sunday evening. Sis. Thelma Hensley is still rejoicing in the Lord and also the Lord blessed Sis. Patsy Chapman, daughter of Bro. Gin Arnold, and she was so happy.

We keep hearing more and more about the good Lord's Supper and foot washing at WILLIAMS COVE. Almost everyone is saying that it was one of the best they were ever in. Bro. Charles "Fats" Butler was lost in the love of God as the saints were showing their love one to another. Bro. Hassle "Whitey" Summerford is still thanking God for what he felt that night.

#### NOTICES

There will be dedication services at NOAH'S ARK CHURCH on Noah's Ark Road in Atlanta Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, at 11:00. This is formerly the BUFORD HIGHWAY church, but a new building and location.

Memorial services will be held at ROCKY BRANCH, Thursday night, February 22nd. This is in commemoration of the starting of services here three years ago from this night.

Bro. Alvin Bailey's daughter and son-in-law Mr. & Mrs. William Powell of Lookout Mountain wish to send out a large and appreciative THANK YOU for all the assistance that they received when their home burned just before Christmas. The help they received came from so many different people and churches it was impossible to contact each person, personally.

#### ASLEEP IN CHRIST

"The memory of the just is blessed."

Sis. Jeannette Spurgeon finished her pilgrimage her, in her 82nd year, on January 2nd. She resided in Birmingham and was the mother of Bro. Roy Spurgeon of Gunters Mtn.

Sis. Lona Beatrice Holman of Kelso, Tenn., died in the Lord, January 11<sup>th</sup>, in her 73rd year. She was the mother of Bro. Hodges Holman from Elkwood.

Sis. Renner Wilbanks went on before to be with the Lord on December 21st. She was from Huntsville.

Bro. Grady Humphrey went to meet his reward on Januray 29<sup>th</sup>. He was from Atalla, Ala.

Sis. Alma Austin, wife of Bro. George Austin of Pleasant Grove, was taken home by the Lord on February 2nd, in her 67th year.

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