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** The Tie That Binds **

by Dale Jenkins



Welcome! We are here today because 2,000+ years ago Jesus did what only Deity could do. By the power of His might He rose from the dead to never die again. And we believe that anyone who can do that is worth following and that if That Person says something any sane person would do it. In the process He conquered spiritual and eternal death for all who in turn believe in Him. We celebrate his death and resurrection every week. Today is special.

I need and want to say "thanks" to all who were a part of Sunday. Our Spring Fling was so super! What a great day. One of our biggest crowds! Many guests AND so many of you serving. I feel blessed to be among such beautiful servants.

This morning most of our folks will be back from Lads to Leaders. Over 20,000 people are a part of this convention weekend. What an

amazing event. Thank you all for being a part of making it special for our children. And, kids, I am personally proud of you.

Congratulations to ALL of our participants at Lads to Leaders! We also want to thank all of the workers that helped make this event the success that it is!



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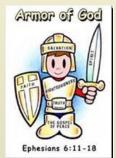
Children's Bible Hour Sunday mornings for ages 2 to 1st Grade!

HE IS NOT HERE

FOR HE HAS RISEN

2-year olds will meet in the 2's classroom. <u>Teacher</u>: Lindsay Ward and Allison Crump. **Bible Hour for ages 3-6 will meet in the classrooms. <u>Teachers for April</u>: Brooke Kalb and Kelly Estabrooks. <u>Nursery Attendants</u>: Tami Heffington and Cathy Swiercz

Wednesdays 6:30 pm (PreK-5th) New Study *Armor of God*



Join us every Wednesday night! Bible lessons, singing, crafts, snacks/games, puppets and more.

Adult Classes Sunday Night at 5pm

Steve Peden (Auditorium) Adult Class Dan Winkler (Kitchen) Adult Class Scott Ford (Puppet Room) Romans Jacob Campbell (Office) College Age Class - Parables of Christ

Wednesdays at 6:30pm

Dale Jenkins (Aud) "2 Peter"
Brent Spicer (Office) Leadership - Men's
Class

Susan Johnson / Brenda Miller (Hallway) Women's Class - Ladies' Panel

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Angela Collins' mother, Sarah Griggs will have another skin graft on both legs in 4-6 weeks. Her home address is: 8049 Sunrise Circle, Franklin, TN 37067.

Russ Belue (son-in-law of Will and Linda Frye) had triple bypass surgery. Please pray for continued healing.

Richard Surber has asked for prayers of encouragement for him in his daily Christian walk.

Expectant Mothers: Hunter Gunnells.

Tristan Roa, Ryan Smoot, Military: Andrew Goolsby, Andrew Arnett, Jeff Neely Jr. (Grandson of Bob & Karen)

Continue to remember: Scott Thornton, Larry White, Caroline Thurman, Susan Campbell, Ronnie Strickland, Chip McGee, Bill Baldy, Tony Hearn, Teresa Giuliana. Annabeth Kinnard, Phillip Brown, Jen Thorne, Johnny Smith, Crystal Bowman, Dawn Darden, Terry Alsup, Stanley & Janice Bradway.

Carlos Equizabal's brother, Sympathy: Giovanni, was killed in a church van accident in El Salvador. Giovanni was a minister and only 37 years old. This was a youth group trip and others were hurt in the accident. Please pray for these families and the church in San Miguel.

UPCOMING EVENTS....

Ladies Bible Class meets on Thursday mornings at 9:15 AM at the building. The study book will be Ruth by Kelly Minter.

The Signal Mountain CofC is collecting gently used tennis & walking shoes, sturdy sandals or boots. We have volunteered to assist them in achieving their 10,000 pair goal by 4/15. There is a large box in the foyer. AII sizes accepted. www.Partners4Africa.com.

April 14 - Empty Nesters 50s Night at the Tennessee Children's Home (6PM)

May 12 - Stamp Out Hunger!!!! As Dale mentioned last week. over 100 volunteers will be needed. Please mark this date to help!

NEW BABY: Congratulations to Matthew and Amber Bradley of the birth of their daughter, Abigail Jane Bradley. She was born on March 22 weighing 6 lb 4 oz. She and mom are doing well.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We need teachers and helpers for the summer quarter in the 2-year old, 3-year old, kindergarten, and 1st grade There is a sign up classes. sheet on the bulletin board next to the lobby.

SMA is a finalist for the best preschool in the Macaroni Kid You can Gold Daisy Awards. vote now until April 4th at franklintn.macaronikid.com.

DIVORCED? SEPARATED? Find Help. Discover Hope. Experience Healing.



SUNDAYS AT 6:10 PM BEGINNING JAN 21

BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning......455 Sunday P.M.....N/C Wednesday Night......208

\$13,875.56 Contribution: Weekly Budget: \$14,270.00

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CHESTER DARDEN, SCOTT FORD, STEPHEN HEFFINGTON, GARTH PINKSTON, BRENT SPICER **CHUCK TERRY**

*THE ELDERS MEET ON WEDNESDAY **EVENINGS AFTER CLASSES.***

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Spring Meadows Youth Group

Leaders weekend!

Sign-Ups!

Maury Christian Camp- June 3-8 and 10-15.

www.shortmountainbiblecamp.com Horizons at FHU - July 1-6 (camp is filling fast) www.fhu.edu/horizons.

Some have asked about a trip to Alabama to work the tornado damage. We have some contacts there and we will see when the best time for us to go.



Thank you all for a GREAT Lads to It's time to sign up for our FAMILY RETREAT April 20-22.

> Place: Camp Ney-a-Ti- Guntersville, AL. Cost: \$35.00 per person.

Includes 2 nights and 4 meals.

Retreat Theme-It is....well, I will reveal in a video later! We want ALL to come.

We will provide transportation for those that



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