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## From the Other Side of the Desk

So I'm out in the pouring rain, with a huge, embarrassingly located stain on my pants. I have a pair of socks in my hand, and I'm hoping for a miracle.

*Let me back up a bit.*

**Twelve hours earlier...** in a quest to have Holli see the ocean for Mother's Day, we head toward the nearest ocean (technically, the Gulf of Mexico) in the pouring rain.

**Ten and a half hours earlier...** we leave a restaurant in Corinth, happy to have gotten dinner out of the way, but not happy with the choice we had to make. As usual on a Friday night, the good places were all full and the bad places were all bad.

**Eight hours earlier...** still raining... I see a car up ahead on the side of the road with its flashers blinking, so I change lanes to give them some room and BAM!... I hit some debris in the middle of the road. At about 70 m.p.h. As soon as we landed back on the road, I managed to get the van over to the side of the road, flat, exploded tire and all. We get out and stare at the damage. At least it had stopped raining.

**Seven hours earlier...** Eventually, with the help of the guy who had his tailgate on his work truck fall open and distribute paving equipment and other things all over the road, we got back on the road and to a motel. I looked up a tire place that was open on Saturday, since the "tire" we put on was only good for 70 miles at 50 m.p.h. We couldn't get home. They opened at 8:00 a.m.

**Twenty five minutes earlier....** I wake up and get out the door... stopping for a bit of coffee... get into the van and start driving to the tire place... I then spill the coffee all over my pants and the van seat.

**Ten minutes earlier...** I arrive at the tire place... there is no towel... there are no other pants... but I find my bowling shoes in the back of the van with a pair of socks in them... and as the rain comes down and as I'm drying off the seat of the van and my pants with my socks, I hear someone walk up behind me...

Um, Uh, Sir...can I help you?

*Darrell Teubner, Editor*

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# The Gas Problem

A spent budget line item and a communication breakdown left the Hardeman County Sheriff's Department with no credit cards for gas on May 10, although a budget amendment was made to fix the issue and gas credit was being given by a local vendor without any interruption of service.

The county uses a company called WEX, which is a credit card-like card that allows deputies to make gasoline purchases at any station that honors the card. The credit limit of \$27,200 was exceeded on May 9, prompting the credit stoppage, according to the Hardeman County Sheriff's Department.

"The money actually ran out in March," said Hardeman County Sheriff John Doolen, noting gasoline prices are up more than 20% in this fiscal year and that they only get reports from the county mayor's office every other month, "But we didn't find out about it until May 3 when we got our report from the county."

Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain said his office notified the Sheriff of the problem in mid-April. On April 17, Diane Barber of the Hardeman County Mayor's office sent an email to Doolen, Chief Deputy Greg Moore, and administrator Norma Greve stating the money left in the budget would not be enough to pay the March 31 invoice of \$11,683.62, which was due April 26 and had been turned into the mayor's office on April 11.

Sheriff Doolen submitted a budget amendment request on May 3, but the bill for April, dated April 30, in the amount of \$12,774.53 had been sent by WEX as well, totalling \$24,458.53, just short of the credit limit. On or about May 9, the credit limit was reached and the cards were suspended by WEX.

Sain said his office was following county policy.

"The county policy says invoices have to be signed by the elected official. It needs to be done and given to us in a timely manner. If the funds are in the budget, the bill is automatically paid. It is the responsibility of each elected official to track his or her budget to assure that funds are available.

## Democrats to Wait for Verdict

Bolivar City Councilman Jonathan Joy's indictment for overbilling Hardeman County will not result in his removal as Chairman of the Hardeman County Democratic Party.

In April, Joy was elected as the chairman.

"As democrats, we believe in the rule of law. Jonathan Joy has been indicted, not convicted," said spokesperson Meryl Rice.

"We will respect the judicial system and not draw conclusions until the case is finished."

An investigation by the Tennessee Comptroller's Office has resulted in the indictment of Bolivar City Councilman Jonathan Joy alleging he overbilled Hardeman County for the sale and installation of five air conditioning units.

Joy, who was elected to city council in 2017, will be up for re-election in 2021. If convicted, Joy would be removed from the council, according to the City of Bolivar charter.



It is not the responsibility of the county mayor to track everybody's budget. If funds are not available, it is red flagged and cannot be paid."

Doolen says the problem has come up in the past, but they were covered before.

"In the past, they would keep paying the bills, but they would let us know we needed to do a budget amendment. But this time they just stopped paying," he said.

"The sheriff was notified by accounts payable at least 13 days in advance that they had insufficient funds," said Sain. "He had made no attempt to do the budget amendment until after the fact. Someone at the Hardeman County Sheriff's Office has to put in the effort to track their budget. Blaming the county mayor is not the answer to their administration problem."

Doolen said he will ask for a formal budget amendment from the county commission on May 21, their next scheduled meeting, but would like the 2019-2020 budget to meet their needs from the start.

"We've gone over every year," said Doolen. "But they keep setting the line back to \$100,000."

## Early Voting Ending in Bolivar

With two days left in early voting in Bolivar, the vote totals are still short of ten percent of registered voters in the city.


The Hardeman County Election Commission reported the number of voters, 286 through 13 days of voting, as higher than the totals in 2015, when 106 had gone to the polls through the same number of days. According to the Election Commission, there are 3,237 registered voters in the City of Bolivar.

The most contested race in the election is for District B, Position 1, as incumbent Todd Lowe has challengers in Daisy M. Harvey and Jimmy W. Howell. Harvey is a first time candidate, while Howell most recently ran in 2017, losing to Suzanne Rhea by four votes.

Also running as an incumbent is Larry McKinnie, Sr. for District A, Position 2. McKinnie has Donell Polk, Jr. as an opponent.

Two open seats were created when Tommy Woods and Tracy Byrum

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# The Strayz are Coming to Bolivar

A never before in Bolivar group will come to the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre on May 17 when The Strayz come to Music on the Square.

The Strayz is comprised of four seasoned musicians who have all performed throughout the Mid-South area for over 40 years. Memphis is where the magic began. They first met there and quickly shared a common musical interest in many of the same artists, backgrounds and styles. Together they've created an exceptional blend of instrumentations and vocal harmonies.

The Second Chantz Band will open up the evening at 7:00 p.m.

If there is rain, the event will be moved to the Bolivar Farmers Market Pavillion.



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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Silerton

Mary Lynn Lambert  
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Condolences to the family of Danny Vales who passed away on May 3.

A big shout out to all the residents from our area who gathered at the Silerton Fire Department Tuesday, May 7. Jimmy Sain, Hardeman County Mayor and Mark Gillum, our commissioner, were present to hear comments regarding the closing of the convenient site. Mayor Sain did an excellent job explaining how the Hardeman County Solid Waste Committee works. Hopefully, in the very near future, residents will be able to meet with the Solid Waste Committee to share our comments with them and seek a solution to our garbage problem.

Larry and Anita Lambert traveled to Cookeville TN to see their granddaughter, Abigail Lambert, receive her diploma from the Tennessee Technological University with a Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering. Her concentration was in bio-molecular engineering. She graduated Magna Cum Laude and is currently looking to obtain a full-time position as a chemical or process engineer.

Steve and Linda (Hatch) Russell traveled to Martin to see their granddaughter, Abby Dixon, receive her diploma from the University of Tennessee. Abby obtained her degree in Veterinarian Technology. She received an award for outstanding veterinary health technology student. She also received the Jackson Wyatt Gallimore Memorial Scholarship to help aid with cost of National Board Examination. This summer she will be completing her internship at the Collierville Animal Clinic.

Archie Knipper traveled with his daughter and son-in-law, Kim and Don Ross, to Starkville, MS to see his granddaughter, Kaitlyn receive her diploma in Physical Therapy from Mississippi State at Starkville. She will be continuing her studies at the University of Memphis Medical Center.

Ann (Stack) Hinson traveled with her son, Darrell, to the University of Memphis to see her granddaughter, Talia Hinson, receive her bachelor's degree in criminal justice with a minor in psychology. She will be continuing her education at the University of Memphis.

Willard and Linda Beshires recently vacationed in Pensacola and Destin, FL. They enjoyed a day on Navarre Beach. They experienced seeing a beach wedding. A white horse pulling a white carriage came down the beach. A lovely bride dressed in her formal white wedding gown descended from the carriage and walked to the site where she would repeat her wedding vows.

Kevin and Melea Beshires got a head start recently exposing their son, Otto, to the fun of family vacation. They traveled to Cincinnati where they enjoyed watching the Cincinnati Reds play the San Francisco Giants. They also visited the Cincinnati Zoo. Otto was a wonderful traveler and many memories were made on their first family vacation.

David Siler from Powell, OH traveled to our area to attend the wedding of his niece, Kelly Stanfield on Saturday, May 4. Even though it was a very short trip, he made time to visit the Silerton Cemetery to leave flowers on the graves of his parents, Odell and Pat (Harris) Siler.

Bill and Vonda Siler are enjoying the Yard of the Month sign in their yard. They do a wonderful job of mowing and keeping their yard neatly manicured. The sign has a way of appearing in well-manicured yards. Hopefully all residents would desire to see their arduous work recognized by having the sign appear in their yards. Pretty yards make our town a much prettier town.

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## Toone

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Howdy from the Town of Toone! I hope all of you mothers out there enjoyed a special day of pampering and spending time with your families. Even though my Mom has been gone for 13 years now, Mother's Day is still a difficult for me, especially when I see all the photos on Facebook of everyone being with their moms. It's supposed to get easier with time, but I actually miss my mother now more than ever. I guess it's because the older we get the more we appreciate what they did for us and the legacy they left for us. I just wish my grandchildren could've known their

grandmother. For those of you who are fortunate enough to still have your mothers, always tell them how much you appreciate what they've done for you and the sacrifices they made for you.

As the school year draws to a close, the kids are enjoying many year-end activities. Toone Elementary School held their annual Field Day, Monday, May 13. Students wore their school T-shirts and shorts and enjoyed an afternoon of fun and games and tasty refreshments. Field Day is always a fun time at TES.

TES teachers and staff we're honored last week during Teacher Appreciation Week. Each day the teachers were treated to a special meal along with little gifts and small tokens of appreciation for all they do for the students. The TES - PTO would like to say thank everyone who volunteered to provide food and gifts for the teachers.

Family and friends gathered to help, Miss Vivian Babb, celebrate her 92nd birthday, May 9. Happy Birthday, Miss Vivian, and we wish you many, many more happy days!

Happy Birthday greetings go out to, Kelli Tucker, on May 24. I'm sure that Brad and the kids are planning something very special for her.

Happy Birthday to, Carolyn Carter, on May 25. I hope she will post a photo of the birthday cake that Ricky bakes for her!

With the end of school comes lots of fun trips and activities. Be sure to share your summer vacation plans with your neighbors via the information at the heading of this article. Until next time. . . talk to your neighbors!

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## Middleton

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Continue to remember the sick and shut ins in your prayers. Those I know of are: Helen Daniel, Sissy Pogue, Benny Weatherly, Peggy Baker, Helen Coffman, Linsey Parmley, Travis Kennedy, Johnny Matthews, Betty Matthews, Clara Jones, Ray Jones, Sandy Rodgers, Lloyd Bell, Patsy Bell, Margaret Brumbelow, Annette Allen, Charles Lanier, Isla Rose McAlpin, Liam Cruz McAlpin, Cheryl Russell, Cindy Rixie, Foy Norwood, Zack Wilson, Drew Wilson, Brian Clifton, Lauren Clifton, Rickey Bass, Carl Gibson, Tina Luttrell McKelvey, Dale Wyman, Sylvia Childers, Craig Glenn, Bill West, Mark Powers, Dorris Medlin, Barbara Hamilton, Barbara Senzig, Doris Vickers, Wilton Morrow Brown, Buddy Vickers, Robbie Robertson, Cheelzee Cannon, Bobby Woods, Benny Luker, Larry Hodge, Danny Plunk, Marion Shearon, Liz Sanders, Lawrence Williams, Charlotte Haddix, Ella Smith, Vince Rainey, Mike Ivy, Anne Kenley, Kenston Forshea, Don Pulse, Kay Curtis, Joe Ed Kirk, Mary Elizabeth Johnson, Jimmy Thompson, Keesha Lamberth, Keith Grantham, Doris Mott, Shelly Rice, Betty and Paige Gillon. There are so many sick and families going through troubles. We would surly want someone to Pray if it was our family.

Let's remember our children in school and all those that work with them in prayer. Middleton Civitan will meet June 3 at 6 p.m. at Southwind. Everyone is welcome. Watch for date and news for picnic coming soon.

Jesus Name Community Church will have their Young at Heart lunch the 3rd Tuesday which will be May 21 at 11 a.m.

Grady Watson says come on out to MIW at 108 Henderson St., Friday night. Doors open at 6 p.m., wrestling starts at 8 p.m.

Thanks to those who are saving the Best Choice labels for the Middleton Woman's Club. This helps with the ongoing projects the Middleton Woman's Club does. We now have a container at Food Giant that you can deposit the Best Choice Labels in at the service desk. Thanks to those calling and giving me people that are sick and/or news. Call 731-376-8202 or email at bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net with any news.

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## Hornsby

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Hello to all! Well Hornsby Baptist Church had another wonderful Sunday as moms were celebrated with each being give a red carnation and then were able to enjoy a wonderful meal after the service. We appreciate the wonderful people who work in the kitchen to get everything prepared. Remember we are doing Mayberry Bible study this Sunday night at 5:00 p.m. with choir practice following. We truly receive a blessing from being a part of the Bible studies and choir practice and

would love for you to come join us. Project 4:13 still has a couple of Wednesday nights and then VBS will take place on June 2 through the 6th. If you would like to know more information about helping or attending, please call Jennifer Aylor.

Hornsby Elementary School will have its awards day and 8th grade graduation Friday starting at 8:30.

Those celebrating birthdays the 1st through the 15th are: Keaton Henson, Loren Houston, Gunner Gilbert, Jessica Sanders, Aryanna Amos, Liam Howell, Peyton Hodge, Matthew Smith, Trevor Gilliam, Morgan Houston, Kaynon Swift, Sarah Montgomery and Hannah Bencini. We wish you all a very Happy Birthday on your special day. School will dismiss at 11:30 on May 23.

Hardeman Healthy Outreach (H2O) through the UT Extension office grant program is still needing more surveys to be done. The program is about improving access to healthy foods and physical activity of the people of Hardeman County. Please do a survey, and if you would like to know more please call me and I will be happy to give you some information. Folks this is a great thing for Hardeman County!

I know our prayer list is long but please lift these people up in prayer. If you know of someone who has a need please contact me. Prayer is a powerful thing and I know there are a lot of wonderful folks who are happy to pray for you or someone you know. Kathy Anthony, Sydni Aylor, Laura Baker, Terry Baker, Ricky Bass, Max Beck, Melanie Bowers, Eddie Bryant, Gawaine Carroll, Sandra Carroll, Amanda Cornelius, Kenneth Crawford, Sue Day, Ed Emerson, Rachilda Emerson, Sherry Doles, Robert Gibson, Sue Hall, Thomas Green, James Hanna, Marilyn Hanna, Richard Hazelwood, Ann Hornsby, Joy Herriman, Janya Hertweck, Sue Hodge, Jo Edna Howell, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Jaxon King, Lucy King, Debbie Laster, Shirley Lindsey, Sandy Malone, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Joan McMahan, Orville McMahan, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Callie Nuckolls, Dan Nuckolls, Joyce Overton, Gay Pierce, Eloise Poole, Gail Pope, Don Pulse, Keith Raines, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Susan Thompson, Marshall Tucker, Bertha Vaughan, Martyn Venuti, Tommy Warner, Eddie Webb, Jennifer Wheeler, Piper Williams, Monica Yopp, the family of Norris Jacobs, the men and women who serve our country, the families of the ones who are fighting cancer and especially the ones who are lost.

His Word for the week in honor of all graduates: Deuteronomy 31:6 "Be strong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them; for the Lord thy God, He it is that doth go with thee; He will not fail thee, nor forsake thee." Praise God!!

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EDNA'S PAGE



- 1. Which group had a hit with “Since I Lost My Baby”?
- 2. Name the 1968 song that focused on orange images, such as pumpkin drums, tangerine dreams and carrot trumpets.
- 3. For which musical was “Send in the Clowns” written?
- 4. What group released the pop standard “Never My Love”?
- 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: “I told her that I was a flop with chicks, I’d been this way since 1956.”

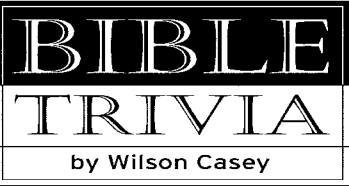


- 1. Two pitchers in major-league history have compiled nine seasons of 40-plus saves. Name them.
- 2. When was the last time pitchers from the same team were the top two in leading a league in ERA for a season?
- 3. How long was the Air Force football team’s streak of consecutive games in which they scored before Army ended it during the 2017 season?
- 4. In 2018, DeMarcus Cousins recorded the 10th 40-point, 20-rebound, 10-assist game in NBA history. Which player accomplished this feat the most?
- 5. Who played the most NHL games in New York Rangers history?
- 6. Joe Gibbs Racing, in 2019, finished 1-2-3 at the Daytona 500. When was the last time a NASCAR team did that at this race?
- 7. In 2019, tennis star Novak Djokovic broke a tie with two other players to become the winningest men’s singles champion at the Australian Open (seven times). With whom had he been tied?

EDNA'S PAGE  
ANSWERS ON A7



- 1. MOVIES: What was the name of the team in the movie “Major League”?
- 2. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the first president to be born in the 20th century?
- 3. ANATOMY: In the human body, where are the islets of Langerhans located?
- 4. HISTORY: Who commanded the first space shuttle into space?
- 5. GEOGRAPHY: On which Hawaiian island is Pearl Harbor located?
- 6. TELEVISION: What tagline described this 1960s cop drama as “one white, one black and one blonde”?
- 7. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What was the name of the horse that won the Triple Crown in 2018?
- 8. MUSIC: Where was the house in “The House of the Rising Sun” located?
- 9. PSYCHOLOGY: What is gamophobia a fear of?
- 10. ADVERTISING: Which popular brand of cigarettes was named after an animal?



- 1. Is the book of Esarhaddon in the Old or New Testament or neither?
- 2. In Esther 2, what was Hegai “the keeper of” regarding King Ahasuerus? *Holy Grail, Weapons, The women, Grain of the fields*
- 3. What New Testament person was the “voice of one crying in the wilderness”? *Judas, Jude, Jehovah, John the Baptist*
- 4. From Proverbs 22, what is bound up in the heart of a child? *Foolishness, Mischief, Love, Rebellion*
- 5. In biblical times, what were small copper coins called? *Pennies, Shekels, Mites, Paschals*
- 6. From Judges 10, who had 30 sons that rode 30 donkeys? *Elijah, Jair, Ezekiel, Job*

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Super Crossword

SIX-WAY  
ARRANGEMENT

ACROSS

- 1 Taken — (surprised)
- 6 Beach flier
- 13 Opens, as some jackets
- 20 “Gigi” star Leslie
- 21 Talk-show host Hall
- 22 River of Washington, D.C.
- 23 Teaching a dog to stay in a pen
- 25 Law
- 26 Ease off
- 27 Many, informally
- 28 One, in Berlin
- 30 “Invisible” singer Moyet
- 31 Epsom product
- 33 Mineral required only in minute amounts
- 36 Tex-Mex snack
- 37 Less tough
- 40 Develop
- 41 Sorority letter
- 44 Learning by repetition
- 45 Brooklyn art institute
- 46 EMT skill
- 49 The mark “^”
- 53 Quietude

- 54 “The Cosby Show” son
- 55 “I love,” in Latin
- 56 False identity
- 57 Castro of Cuba
- 58 Pulitzer winner Dove
- 59 “NY Ink” design
- 60 Stoop (over)
- 61 Regard as
- 63 Fretted
- 65 Very slow pace
- 67 Feature of the starts of 23-, 33-, 49-, 86-, 100- and 114-Across
- 70 Petri dish gelatins
- 71 “Howdy”
- 74 Use a pressing tool
- 75 Lacking color
- 78 Tipping type
- 79 Tennis’ Nastase
- 80 Use as a dining surface
- 82 Took to the slopes
- 83 Suffix with Timor
- 84 Musk of Tesla
- 85 Lacking color

- 86 One who may carry around a plate of hors d’oeuvres
- 89 Tarzan player Ely
- 90 Emmy winner Woodard
- 91 Got a perfect score on
- 92 Broadway loc.
- 93 Camporee participant
- 94 “Jobs” star Kutcher
- 96 Terminal guesses, for short
- 100 Free rein
- 104 Involve in strife
- 107 Cautions
- 108 Mythical bird
- 109 Artist’s prop org.
- 111 Teachers’
- 112 Put in position
- 114 Have a pronounced response
- 118 Forced out
- 119 Confess having done
- 120 Author Zora — Hurston
- 121 People on a quest

- 122 Unintended radio silence
- 123 Grant giver
- DOWN
- 1 Allow in
- 2 Entertainer Streisand
- 3 Syrian’s language
- 4 Bivouac bed
- 5 Posed to propose
- 6 “No Exit” dramatist
- 7 History units
- 8 Laos locale
- 9 Mil. title
- 10 Start to cycle?
- 11 Having one dimension
- 12 Sound reasoning
- 13 Raises
- 14 Very
- 15 Least fresh
- 16 “Sorry, can’t, I’m late”
- 17 Make smile
- 18 “Cry, the Beloved Country” novelist Alan
- 19 Snell
- 24 Stubbable body part
- 29 Closed in on
- 32 “Unh-unh”
- 33 One of the Jackson 5
- 34 Film segment

- 35 Pencil tip
- 38 Naval fleet
- 39 Cries hard
- 42 Steady
- 43 Elba, for one
- 45 — donna (vain sort)
- 46 Group of matching dishes for fancy meals
- 47 1975 World Series MVP
- 48 Open-top, two-seat car
- 49 More apt to attract attention
- 50 City in Texas
- 51 Movement around an axis
- 52 Yang’s partner
- 54 Calc prereq, often
- 57 Flowerless plant
- 61 Fix, as holey socks
- 62 Braggart’s problem
- 64 Employees’ check time
- 66 “— pigs fly!”
- 68 Weeper of Greek myth
- 69 Get along
- 72 Seafood chain
- 73 Sharp scolding

- 76 Churchill’s title
- 77 Rough- —
- 81 Dental buildup
- 82 “Undo” mark
- 86 Dough
- 87 Yearn
- 88 Champagne bucket
- 90 Protective sheet of film
- 93 Punched, e.g.
- 94 Bow (to)
- 95 Trojan War sage
- 97 Resident of an island kingdom
- 98 Danny of “Off Key”
- 99 One doing in a dragon, e.g.
- 100 Bulk buys
- 101 Full of zip
- 102 Knot again
- 103 U.S.-Can. air watch
- 105 Body of eau
- 106 Fair-haired
- 109 Kett of old comics
- 110 Bubbly wine, familiarly
- 113 Zine staffers
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GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

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The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

Baked Sweet Potatoes with Browned Butter, Bacon and Herbs

Ingredients

- 2 large sweet potato
- 4 tablespoons unsalted butter
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/4 teaspoon paprika
- Pinch of salt
- 4 slices bacon
- 2 tablespoons desired herbs (parsley, rosemary, sage, etc)

Instructions

- Preheat oven to 400° and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- Poke holes all over the sweet potatoes with a fork. Place on baking sheet and cook 45-60 minutes depending on how large your potatoes are.
- While the potatoes are cooking brown the butter by place 4 tablespoons in a small pot over low heat. Once the butter starts bubbling wait a few minutes for it to start foaming. Once foaming it will turn brown rather quickly. Don’t walk away at this point. Once it’s reached a nice golden brown color strain the butter through a mesh sieve to remove the milk solids (if avoiding lactose, if not there’s no need to strain it) stir in the nutmeg, paprika, and salt and set aside.
- Fry the bacon until crispy and chop into bite size pieces.
- Once the sweet potatoes are done simply slice down the middle and fluff the insides a bit. Top with the bacon, herbs, and browned butter. You may also want to add another pinch of sea salt but be sure to taste it first.



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### Rotary's April Students of the Month



The Bolivar Central Rotary Students of the Month for April are pictured left to right: Brianna Gooch with her parents, Mark and Michelle, and Jamaya Burkley with her Mom, Tosha Reaves. In the center is Rotary Club President Henry Wilhite.

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## Why Should Recent Graduates Care About Retirement Planning?

If you've graduated from college in the past year or so and started your first job, you're no doubt learning a lot about establishing yourself as an adult and being responsible for your own finances. So thoughts of your retirement are probably far away. And yet you have several good reasons to invest in your 401(k) or similar employer-sponsored retirement plan.

First of all, by contributing to your 401(k), you can get into the habit of regular investing. And since you invest in your 401(k) through regular payroll deductions, it's an easy way to invest.

Furthermore, your 401(k) or similar plan is an excellent retirement-savings vehicle. You generally contribute pre-tax dollars to your 401(k), so the more you put in, the lower your taxable income. Plus, your earnings can grow on a tax-deferred basis. Your employer might also offer a Roth 401(k), which is funded with after-tax dollars; although you can't deduct your contributions, your earnings can grow tax-free, provided you meet certain conditions. And with either a traditional or Roth 401(k), you generally have a wide array of investment options.

But perhaps the main reason to start investing right away in your 401(k) is that, at this point of your life, you have access to the greatest and most irreplaceable asset of all – time. The more time you have on your side, the greater the growth potential for your investments. And by starting to invest early in your plan, you can put in smaller amounts without having to play catch-up later.

Suppose, for example, you begin investing in your 401(k) or similar plan when you're 25. For the sake of simplicity, let's say you put in \$100 a month, and you keep investing that same amount for 40 years, earning a hypothetical 7 percent rate of return. When you reach 65, you will have accumulated about \$256,000. (Your withdrawals will then be taxable, unless you chose the Roth 401(k) option.) But if you waited until you were 45 before you started investing in your 401(k), again earning that hypothetical 7 percent, you'd have to put in almost \$500 per month – about five times the monthly amount you could have invested when you were 25 – to arrive at the same \$256,000 when you turn 65.

Clearly, the expression "time is money" applies when it comes to funding your 401(k) – there's just no benefit in waiting to contribute to your retirement plan. This isn't to say that you have a lot of disposable income, especially as you may be paying off thousands of dollars in student loans. But, as mentioned above, the money for your 401(k) is taken before you even see it, so, in a sense, you won't miss it. And you can certainly start out with small amounts, though you'll at least want to put in enough to earn your employer's matching contribution, if one is offered. As your career progresses and your salary goes up, you can steadily increase the amount you put into your 401(k) or other retirement plan.

When retirement is decades away, it can seem like more of an abstract concept than something that will one day define your reality. But, as we've seen, you have plenty of incentives to contribute to your 401(k) or similar plan – so, if you haven't already done so, get started soon.

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GOVERNMENT

HARDEMAN COUNTY ARREST REPORT

**Karen Nichole Barnes**, 27, 2527 Shaw Chapel Rd., Brownsville, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$2,500, court date 5/21 (released)

**Anthony Devon Blockett**, 26, 1085 Morrison Ln., Whiteville, TN, Meth-mfg/deli/sale/poss w/int., no bond, court date 9/4 (released)

**Kenneth Ray Brown**, 40, 5601 Armour, Somerville, TN, Driv on susp 5<sup>th</sup> offense, No insurance, Violation of registration, Child restraint, Open container law, Child endangerment, Theft of property less than \$500, bond \$15,000, court date 5/24 (released)

**Quinn Anthony Brown**, 25, 710 Fisher St., Bolivar, TN, Publix intoxication, Resist/stop/frisk/halt, Violation of probation (GS), bond \$5,000, court date 5/2 & 5/21 (held)

**Marcus Lenard Cheairs**, 44, 90 Hollywood Acres Ln., Bolivar, TN, Agg domestic assault, bond \$20,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Mekhia Sontice Chism**, 21, 525 Middleton Loop, Bolivar, TN, Driv under influence, Landed for traffic, Implied consent, bond \$5,000, court date 7/26 (released)

**Akisha Nichole Coby**, 41, 1460 Oak Hill Rd., Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear, no bond, court date 5/24 (released)

**Denise Lovetta Crisp**, 53, 105 Edwin St., Bolivar, TN, Theft of property \$1,000-\$2,500, Official misconduct, bond \$10,000, court date 5/16 (released)

**Wendy Michelle Dodd**, 40, 935 Forrest Hill Rd., Bolivar, TN, Man/sell/del/poss meth, bond \$75,000, court date 5/16 (held)

**Wheatley Graham**, 31, 111 Jackson St., Whiteville, TN, Sch II drugs (Cocaine ½ gram), 2 counts Sch II drugs (Cocaine .5 grams), bond \$100,000, court date 5/16 (held)

**Randy Cordanyl Heard**, 32, 307 Jackson Ave., Whiteville, TN, Poss sch VI w/int, bond \$25,000, court date 6/27 (released)

**Cherry Hill**, 51, 1059 Gibson Rd., Michigan, MS, Theft of property \$1,000-\$2,500, Official misconduct, bond \$10,000, court date 9/10 (released)

**Chad Lawrence Houske**, 43, 7285 Peavine Rd., Middleton, TN, Violation of window tint, Man/sell/del/poss of meth, Simple possession, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, no bond, court date 5/21 (held)

**Britz Carti Hoyle**, 34, 12800 Hwy 18 S., Bolivar, TN, Contempt of court, bond \$750, court date 5/8 (released)

**Sonja Fay Irons**, 46, 556 Old Humbolt Rd., Jackson, TN, Theft \$1,000-\$2,500, Official misconduct, bond \$10,000, court date 5/16 (released)

**Wilbert Jarmon**, 46, P.O. Box 912, Whiteville, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$5,000, court date 5/28 (released)

**Christopher A. Jimenez**, 27, 15055 Hwy 64, Bolivar, TN, Drivin w/out license, bond \$5,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Charlie Cornelius Joy**, 35, 221 Mitchell St., Whiteville, TN, Poss sch II drugs (cocaine .5 grams), Poss sch

II (cocaine) .5 grams or more, Poss sch II (cocaine) less than ½ gram, bond \$150,000, court date 5/9 (held)

**Jonathan Joy**, 35, 220 Cross St., Bolivar, TN, Theft of property \$1,000-\$2,500, Official misconduct, Cash purge bond, bond \$10,528.48, court date 5/9 & 5/23 (released)

**Cora Denise Luellen**, 58, 239 Joy St., Grand Junction, TN, Domestic assault, Resisting arrest, Assault, bond \$20,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Ronquita Sheree Luellen**, 35, 100 Smith Dr., Grand Junction, TN, Theft \$1,000-\$2,500, Official misconduct, bond \$10,000, court date 6/27 (released)

**Michael Lynn Malone**, 30, 7730 Hwy 64 W., Bolivar, TN, Man/sell/del/poss meth, Simple possession, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, no bond, court date 5/21 (held)

**April Nicole May**, 23, 213 Rocky Point, Dyer, TN, Violation of probation (GS), bond \$2,500, court date 5/10 (released)

**J.W. Miller**, 38, 1033 Pruitt St.,

Bolivar, TN, Child support, bond \$1,000, court date 6/5 (released)

**Raven Sherrell Perry**, 32, 358 Simmons St., Whiteville, TN, Child endangerment, Open container, bond \$5,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Telissa Trevell Pigram**, 40, 132 Martin Luther King Dr., Bolivar, TN, Agg perjury, bond \$20,000, court date 5/9 (held)

**Lachunda Rena Smith**, 44, 1875 Hardaway Rd., Michigan City, MS, Theft of property, bond \$1,500, court date 5/21 (released)

**Donald Thomas Stagner**, 34, 405 Fritton Spur Rd., Bolivar, TN, Meth-MFG/del/sale/poss, bond \$150,000, court date 5/9 (held)

**Jamuel Terrell Stewart**, 42, 4295 McKinstry Rd., Moscow, TN, 2 counts Violation of probation (C), bond \$250,000, court date 6/27 (released)

**Marcello Lamar Stewart**, 37, 145 Cheairs Ln., Grand Junction, TN, 4 counts Meth-MFG/del/sell/poss w/ intent, Poss sch II w/int., Simple

possession, Unlawful drug para., bond \$150,000, court date 5/9 & 5/21 (held)

**Tabitha Lashun Valentine**, 37, 125 Jenkins Rd., Grand Junction, TN, Sch II drugs in drug free zone, bond \$2,000, court date 5/9 (released)

**Tommarion Latrez Williams**, 25, 117 Martin Luther King Dr., Bolivar, TN, Theft of violation 39-14-103, bond \$1,500, court date 5/21 (released)

**Adarius Adtavion Woods**, 22, 240 Nails Rd., Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$5,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Christopher Jordan Woods**, 24, 4260 Mecklinburg Dr., Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$5,000, court date 5/21 (released)

**Tiffany Consualo Woods**, 43, 790 Sugar Hill Loop, Bolivar, TN, Violation of light law, Susp drivers license, No financial responsibility, no bond, court date 5/14 & 6/14 (released)

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING FOR ASPHALT BIDS

Thursday, May 23, 2019, at 5:45 p.m.  
Bolivar Municipal Center,  
211 N. Washington St. Bolivar, TN 38008

The meeting is scheduled to open bids for asphalt street resurfacing for the Bolivar Street Department.

NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 67-5-508, Tennessee Code Annotated, the property assessment records of Hardeman County will be available for public inspection in the Assessor’s Office during normal business hours. Any person desiring to inspect these records may do so at the appointed time and place.

The Hardeman County Board of Equalization will begin its annual session to examine and equalize the county assessment on June 3, 2019. THE BOARD WILL ACCEPT APPEALS FOR TAX YEAR 2019 ONLY UNTIL THE LAST DAY OF ITS 2019 REGULAR SESSION, WHICH WILL BE June 7, 2019. The Board will meet each weekday from the hours of 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the conference room of the County Courthouse. Any owner of property who wishes to make a complaint or appeal to the County Board of Equalization must appear before said Board at this time personally or by personal appearance of an agent for the owner bearing the owner’s written authorization. Failure to appear and appeal an assessment will result in the assessment becoming final without further right of appeal. Please call the Assessor’s office for an appointment. The number is 731-658-6522.

GRAND VALLEY AREA FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL MEETING

DATE: **MAY 18, 2019**  
PLACE: **LONE OAKS** (corner of Sain and Lake Hardeman Roads -entrance on Lake Hardeman)  
TIME: **10:00 A. M.**

Anyone in this district should attend. There will be an election of board directors. Please come to be involved in this Fire Department community.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE’S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on June 6, 2019 at 1:00PM local time, at the west door, Hardeman County Courthouse, 100 N. Main Street, Bolivar, Tennessee pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by Angela Goodman, to Transcontinental Title, Trustee, as trustee for First Residential Mortgage on August 28, 2003 at Deed of Trust 596, Page 162, Instrument No. 42233; conducted by Shapiro & Ingle, LLP, having been appointed Substitute or Successor Trustee, all of record in the Hardeman County Register’s Office. Default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party Entitled to Enforce the Debt: Select Portfolio Servicing, Inc., its successors and assigns.

The following real estate located in Hardeman County, Tennessee, will be sold to the highest call bidder:

Described property located at Hardeman County, Tennessee, to wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATE IN THE 8th CIVIL DISTRICT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, TO-WIT: BEGINNING AT A LARGE BOLT AS FOUND IN THE CENTER OF THE J.B. RUSSBL ROAD, BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OP THE R.W. DUNAVANT PROPERTY (A-11/446); RUNS THENCE WITH THE CENTER OF SAID ROAD THESE CALLS : SOUTH 49 DEG. 05’ EAST 141 FEET, SOUTH 76 DEG. 25’ EAST 96 FEET, NORTH 88 DEG. EAST 194 FEET, SOUTH 74 DEG. 35’ EAST 76.5 FEET, AND SOUTH 58 DEG. 30’ EAST 89 FEET TO A COTTON PICKER SPINDLE IN SAID ROAD, BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE G. SMITH PROPERTY (E-7/132) ; THENCE WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME GENERALLY WITH A FENCE SOUTH 30 DEG. 35’ WEST 530 FEET TO AN IRON IN THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF THE C. WALTON, JR. PROPERTY, BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SMITH PROPERTY; THENCE WITH THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID WALTON AND THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF THE J.W. WALTON PROPERTY (X-8/445) , NORTH 88 DEG. 35’ WEST 698 FEET TO AN 8 INCH CEDAR POST, BEING AN INTERIOR CORNER OF SAID WALTON PROPERTY; THENCE WITH THE EAST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME NORTH 2 DEG. 50’ EAST 516 FEET TO AN IRON IN THE SOUTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID DUNAVANT PROPERTY, BEING A NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID WALTON PROPERTY; THENCE WITH SAID BOUNDARY LINE SOUTH 88 DEG. 50’ EAST 312 FEET TO AN IRON PIN, BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID DUNAVANT PROPERTY; THENCE WITH THE EAST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME NORTH 39 DEG. 30’ EAST 136 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 10.13 ACRES. BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO TERRY GOODMAN AND WIFE, ANGELA GOODMAN BY DEED FROM LARRY COOK AND DIANNE JOHNSON COOK, RECORDED 08/30/2001 IN DEED BOOK K17 PAGE 747.

Street Address: 655 Russell Rd, Bolivar, Tennessee 38008  
Parcel Number: 069 035.05  
Current Owner(s) of Property: Angela Goodman

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 655 Russell Rd, Bolivar, Tennessee 38008, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

This sale is subject to, without limitation, all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory right of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances including those created by a fixture filing or any applicable homeowners’ association dues or assessments; all claims or other matters, whether of record or not, which may encumber the purchaser’s title and any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose.

The following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property to be affected by the foreclosure: any judgment creditor or lien holder with an interest subordinate to the said Deed of Trust or any party claiming by, through, or under any of the foregoing. Such parties known to the Substitute Trustee may include: None.

Terms of Sale will be public auction, for cash, free and clear of rights of homestead, redemption and dower to the extent disclaimed or inapplicable, and the rights of Angela Goodman, and those claiming through him/her/it/them.

Any right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are waived in accord with the terms of said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. If you purchase a property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified/bank check made payable to or endorsed to Shapiro & Ingle, LLP. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded only by the Substitute Trustee at any time. If the Substitute Trustee rescinds the sale, the purchaser shall only be entitled to a return of any money paid towards the purchase price and shall have no other recourse. Once the purchaser tenders the purchase price, the Substitute Trustee may deem the sale final in which case the purchaser shall have no remedy. The real property will be sold AS IS, WHERE IS, with no warranties or representations of any kind, express or implied, including without limitation, warranties regarding condition of the property or marketability of title.

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Administrative Assistant Needed:

The Hardeman County Soil Conservation District is accepting applications for the position of Administrative Assistant. The role of this position is to provide clerical, managerial, accounting, administrative, educational and technical support. Minimum required qualifications include: high school diploma or equivalent, basic bookkeeping principles, computer skills and possession of a valid driver’s license. Applications will be accepted until Friday May 31, 2019. You can apply in person or by mail. Please send applications to:

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The Editor’s Inbox...Letters to the Editor

To All Hardeman County Commissioners:

Residents in the Silerton/Piney Grove/Ebenzer area need your support to reinstate an area convenience center. Under separate cover is copy of a petition bearing more than 200 names of Hardeman County area taxpayers requesting the reinstatement.

About five years ago the Pine Top at Midyett Road Center was closed and recently the Piney Grove Solid Waste Convenience Center was closed leaving our residents a choice of driving to Toone, Hornsby or Bolivar’s landfill. This requires a round trip of up to 34 miles. Two facilities in Chester County are closer, but we are not permitted to use them. Many of our residents are elderly and/or disabled and find the existing service a financial and physical hardship.

We are already seeing trash thrown in ditches along Hwy 125 N., in creeks and illegal dumps, and burn barrels are appearing in yards. Local residents have offered four different locations available for leasing ready for the county committee’s selection.

Please help us provide this service for our residents and continue to improve Hardeman County’s quality of life. Your support in this matter will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,  
Willard Beshires  
Mayor of Silerton



Bolivar Water Department Water Quality Report for 2018

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For more information about your drinking water, please call Bobby Hensley at 658-2553.

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The State and EPA require us to test and report on our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We have met all of these requirements. Results of unregulated contaminant analysis are available upon request. We want you to know that we pay attention to all the rules.

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Contaminants that may be present in source water:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation prescribe regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Do I Need To Take Special Precautions?

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have under-gone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about not only their drinking water, but food preparation, personal hygiene, and precautions in handling infants and pets from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Lead in Drinking Water

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Bolivar Water Department is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/lead/protect-your-family%23water%23water>

Water System Security

Following the events of September 2001, we realize that our customers are concerned about the security of their drinking water. We urge the public to report any suspicious activities at any utility facilities, including treatment plants, tanks, fire hydrants, etc. to 658-2553 or 658-5894.

Think before you flush!

Flushing unused or expired medicines can be harmful to your drinking water. Properly disposing of unused or expired medication helps protect you and the environment. Keep medications out of Tennessee’s waterways by disposing in one of our permanent pharmaceutical take back bins. There are nearly 100 take back bins located across the state, to find a convenient location please visit: <http://tdeconline.tn.gov/rxtakeback/>

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Water Quality Data

What does this chart mean?

- **MCLG** - Maximum Contaminant Level Goal, or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- **MCL** - Maximum Contaminant Level, or the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.
- **MRDL**: Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for the control of microbial contaminants.
- **MRDLG**: Maximum residual disinfectant level goal. The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- **AL** - Action Level, or the concentration of a contaminant which, when exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- **Below Detection Level (BDL)** - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present at a level that can be detected. Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- **Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l)** – explained as a relation to time and money as one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- **Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter** - explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- **Million Fibers per Liter (MFL)** - million fibers per liter is a measure of the presence of asbestos fibers that are longer than 10 micrometers.
- **TT** - Treatment Technique, or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- **AVG** – Average
- **RTCR** – Revised Total Coliform Rule. This rule went into effect on April 1, 2016 and replaces the MCL for total coliform with a Treatment Technique Trigger for a system assessment.

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria (RTCR)	No	0		2018		0	TT Trigger	Naturally present in the environment
Copper <sup>1</sup>	No	0.00607 90 <sup>th</sup> Percent		2017	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Fluoride	No	0.46 AVG	0.4-0.54	2018	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Lead <sup>1</sup>	No	1.36 90 <sup>th</sup> Percent		2017	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	No	9.82		2017	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	No	2.3		2018	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	No	1.2		2018	ppb	N/A	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Chlorine	No	AVG 1.46	1.1-1.9	2018	ppm	MRDLG 4	MRDL 4	Water additive used to control microbes.

**Iron:** Iron occurs naturally in our raw water and occasionally accumulates in the distribution system. Iron shows up as “red” or “rusty” water at your tap. Although you do not want to drink water that is not clear, iron is not considered to be a hazard to your health. We test for iron daily and it is usually around 0.1 ppm. The aesthetic limit for iron is 0.3 ppm.

<sup>1</sup>During the most recent round of Lead and Copper testing, only 0 out of 20 households sampled contained concentrations exceeding the action level.



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PRIME BUILDINGS!



YOU MUST SEE THIS UNIQUE HOME!

**789 TENNESSEE STREET • BOLIVAR**  
**Price: \$375,000**  
Commercial building and approx. 5.62 Acres of prime commercial land located inside the city limits of Bolivar. Main building has approx. 7,680 sq. ft. of commercial space and the warehouse has an additional 5,000 sq. ft. Opportunities are unlimited with this property!



**HIGHWAT 64 • BOLIVAR**  
**Price: \$2,850 per acre**

Beautiful 207.4 acre farm, approx. 5,000' frontage along Highway 64 (4-lane) between Bolivar and Whiteville, TN. The tract has about 70-80 acres of row crop with the balance in young timber and pasture land. Great investment with multiple beautiful building sites.



**1289 MARVIN ROAD • BOLIVAR**  
**Price: \$235,000**

Approx. 2,824 sq. ft., 5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, modern kitchen and baths, large great room and eating area, separate game room/den area, utility room and garage! Plenty of privacy, a beautiful swimming pool, Guest House with approx. 800 sq.ft.! 400 sq.ft. workshop, enclosed in a wooden fenced back yard!



**TATE ROAD • BOLIVAR**  
**Price: \$125,000**

Map 70, Parcel 1.29 (1.83 Acres), Map 70, Parcel 1.30 (2 Acres), and Map 70, Parcel 1.31 (2 Acres) of Land Zoned H-1, located on Tate Road and Pecan Drive in Bolivar. Selling individually or all together for a total of 5.83 Acres! Call Bobby Sain, Broker @ 731-658-3011.

**17055 HWY 125 S • BOLIVAR**  
**Price: \$179,500**  
3 Bedrooms, 2 baths, den, dining room and kitchen upstairs with 1 bedroom, den, efficiency kitchen and bath downstairs. This home is in great condition and includes 1.8 acres. Call Jackie Sain at 731-658-0342 or Bolivar Insurance & Real Estate at 731-658-3011 for an appointment to tour this home.

**AFFILIATE BROKERS: Blake Sain, Bobby Doyle, James Hicks, Dajuan Sain, Amy Sain and Don Young**

**SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE**

Sale at public auction will be on June 4, 2019, at or about 10:00 AM, local time, at the west door of the Hardeman County Courthouse, 100 North Main Street, Bolivar, TN 38008, pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Ricky Ellington, a married person (Lynne Ellington executed as a non-borrowing spouse), to Hunter Simmons, as Trustee for First South Bank dated March 5, 2012, and recorded in Book 700, Page 447, in the Register's Office for Hardeman County, Tennessee ("Deed of Trust"), conducted by Padgett Law Group, having been appointed Substitute Trustee, all of record in the Hardeman County Register's Office. Default in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of Trust has been made; and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party entitled to enforce the debt: Simmons Bank

Other interested parties: DISCOVER BANK, FORD MOTOR CREDIT COMPANY LLC

The hereinafter described real property located in Hardeman County will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

Legal Description: Beginning at a bottle on south margin of said Peavine Road and on the northeast corner of the land held by said L.R. Talley, a northwest corner of Dennie D. Harris and runs South only 9 poles to an iron stake, a southeast corner of this conveyance, a post oak pointer; thence West 8.44 poles to a bottle near the trunk of a post oak pointer and one gum pointer, a southwest corner of the one acre; thence North 25 1/2 degrees West 19.72 poles to a stake in fence on the south margin of said Peavine Road; thence with the south margin of said road approximately 20 poles to the point of beginning, containing 1 acre, more or less. (All bearings M.A. 3 degrees, 1963)

Street Address: The street address of the property is believed to be 7840 Pea Vine Road, Middleton, TN 38052, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property. In the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control. Map/Parcel Number: 153 00800 000153

Current owner(s) of Record: Ricky Ellington

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded Plat or Plan; any unpaid taxes and assessments; any restrictive covenants, easements or setback lines that may be applicable; rights of redemption, equity, statutory or otherwise, not otherwise waived in the Deed of Trust, including rights of redemption of any government agency, state or federal; and any and all prior deeds of trust, liens, dues, assessments, encumbrances, defects, adverse claims and other matters that may take priority over the Deed of Trust upon which this foreclosure sale is conducted or are not extinguished by this Foreclosure Sale.

THE PROPERTY IS SOLD WITHOUT ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, RELATING TO TITLE, MARKETABILITY OF TITLE, POSSESSION, QUIET ENJOYMENT OR THE LIKE AND FITNESS FOR A GENERAL OR PARTICULAR

USE OR PURPOSE. The title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the sale to another time certain or to another day, time, and place certain, without further publication upon announcement on the day, time, and place of sale set forth above or any subsequent adjourned day, time, and place of sale.

If you purchase a property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified check made payable to or endorsed to Padgett Law Group. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded by the Substitute Trustee at any time.

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Padgett Law Group, Substitute Trustee  
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(850) 422-2520 (telephone) (850) 422-2567 (facsimile)attorney@padgettlawgroup.com  
PLG# 18-001154-10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated June 16, 2006, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded June 30, 2006, in Book No. 644, at Page 107, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Hardeman County, Tennessee, executed by Jerry L Sanders and Regina Sanders, conveying certain property therein described to Richmond Title Services as Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for SouthStar Funding, LLC, its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee for Lehman Mortgage Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-6.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee for Lehman Mortgage Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-6, will, on **June 3, 2019 on or about 10:00 AM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee**, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder **FOR certified funds** paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from

all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

**The land referred to herein is situated in the State of Tennessee, County of Hardeman as follows: SITUATED IN THE 8TH CIVIL DISTRICT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT AN IRON STAKE IN THE WEST MARGIN OF BIG SPRINGS ROAD, BEING THE N. E. CORNER OF ALBERT SHINNETT'S PROPERTY, RUNS THENCE S 82. DEG, W 1125 FEET WITH THE N. B. L. OF SHINNETT'S PROPERTY TO AN IRON STAKE, THENCE N 200.57 FEET WITH THE RESIDUE OF L W. YATES TO AN IRON STAKE, THENCE N, 82 DEG. E, 1065.57 FEET, WITH L W. YATES RESIDUE TO AN IRON STAKE IN THE WEST MARGIN OF BIG SPRINGS ROAD, THENCE S. 17 DEG, E. 201.48 FEET WITH THE WEST MARGIN OF SAID ROAD TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 5.0 ACRES, PER SURVEY OF L WAYNE YATES, RLS NO. 486, DATED, 9/15/86 BEING A11 OF PARCEL 32.06 ON MAP 19, ASSESSOR'S OFFICE FOR HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE.**

**ALSO KNOWN AS: 2010 Big Springs Road, Medon, TN 38356**

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

JERRY L SANDERS  
REGINA SANDERS  
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEM, INC.  
SOUTHSTAR FUNDING, LLC

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. In the event of inclement weather, the trustee hereby announces that the sale will be postponed for a period of two weeks. In such situations, notices will be mailed to interested parties of record. **W&A No. 334844**

DATED April 22, 2019  
WILSON & ASSOCIATES,  
P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee  
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**EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS FROM A3**

**TRIVIA TEST**

1. Cleveland Indians
2. John F. Kennedy
3. Pancreas
4. John Young
5. Oahu
6. "The Mod Squad"
7. Justify
8. New Orleans
9. Marriage or commitment
10. Camel

**SPORTS QUIZ**

**Answers**

1. Trevor Hoffman and Mariano Rivera.
2. It was 2016, when Kyle Hendricks (2.13) and Jon Lester (2.44) of the Chicago Cubs led the N.L. in ERA.
3. It was 306 games (1992-2017).
4. Wilt Chamberlain (six times).
5. Harry Howell, with 1,160 games (1952-69).
6. Hendrick Motorsports, in 1997.
7. Roger Federer and Roy Emerson.

**Weekly SUDOKU**

**Answer**

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5	4	8	6	3	1	9	2	7
2	7	3	4	5	9	6	8	1
6	9	1	7	8	2	5	3	4

**BIBLE TRIVIA**

ANSWERS: 1) Neither; 2) The women; 3) John the Baptist; 4) Foolishness; 5) Mites; 6) Jair

**FLASH BACK**

**Answers**

1. The Temptations, in 1965. The Jackson 5 recorded it four years later, but it was never released until appearing on their "Come and Get It: The Rare Pearls" album of unreleased material in 2012.
2. "Jelly Jungle (of Orange Marmalade)" by the psychedelic group Lemon Pipers.
3. "A Little Night Music," by Stephen Sondheim in 1973. In this case, clowns refers to fools, not a circus.
4. The Association, in 1967. According to BMI, it was the second most-played song of the 20th century.
5. "Love Potion No. 9," by the Clovers in 1959, and the Searchers in 1964. The singer talks to a gypsy about his love problem. She reads his palm and recommends a potion, but it makes him fall in love with everyone, including a cop on the street.

**Go Figure!**  
answers

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**Super Crossword**

**Answers**

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**SEEKING BIDS**

Hardeman County is seeking bids for the following:

1. Metal frame building 150' x 60'
2. Erection of 150' x 60' metal frame building
3. Electrical service for metal frame building
4. Livestock working squeeze chute, alley and sweep system, panels.

Bidders must pick up plans and specifications at the office of the county mayor at 100 Main Street in Bolivar. Bidders must submit bids in a sealed envelope with the item being bid listed on the outside of the envelope. All bids must be received by **10 a.m. on May 23** by the office of the county mayor in which they will be publicly opened. Hardeman County reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids or to except the bid which is deemed to be in the best interest of the county.



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- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation prescribe regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Do I Need To Take Special Precautions?

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have under-gone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about not only their drinking water, but food preparation, personal hygiene, and precautions in handling infants and pets from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Lead in Drinking Water

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Grand Junction Water System is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/lead/protect-your-family%23water%23water>

Water System Security

Following the events of September 2001, we realize that our customers are concerned about the security of their drinking water. We urge the public to report any suspicious activities at any utility facilities, including treatment plants, tanks, fire hydrants, etc. to 896-9022.

Think before you flush!

Flushing unused or expired medicines can be harmful to your drinking water. Properly disposing of unused or expired medication helps protect you and the environment. Keep medications out of Tennessee's waterways by disposing in one of our permanent pharmaceutical take back bins. There are nearly 100 take back bins located across the state, to find a convenient location please visit: <http://tdeconline.tn.gov/rxtakeback/>

Water Quality Data

What does this chart mean?

- MCLG - Maximum Contaminant Level Goal, or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level, or the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.
- MRDL: Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for the control of microbial contaminants.
- MRDLG: Maximum residual disinfectant level goal. The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- AL - Action Level, or the concentration of a contaminant which, when exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- Below Detection Level (BDL) - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present at a level that can be detected.
- Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) – explained as a relation to time and money as one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- Million Fibers per Liter (MFL) - million fibers per liter is a measure of the presence of asbestos fibers that are longer than 10 micrometers.
- RTCR – Revised Total Coliform Rule. This rule went into effect on April 1, 2016 and replaces the MCL for total coliform with a Treatment Technique Trigger for a system assessment.
- TT - Treatment Technique, or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria (RTCR)	No	0		2018		0	TT Trigger	Naturally present in the environment
Combined radium	No	1.58		2014	PCi/l	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Copper <sup>1</sup>	No	90 <sup>th</sup> % = 0.0579		2018	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Lead <sup>1</sup>	No	90 <sup>th</sup> % = 0.9		2018	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	No	1.51		2018	ppm	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	No	7.41		2017	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	No	13.1		2018	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	No	2.0		2018	ppb	N/A	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Chlorine	No	1.2 AVG	1.0-1.4	2018	ppm	MRDLG 4	MRDL 4	Water additive used to control microbes.

**Iron:** Iron occurs naturally in our raw water and occasionally accumulates in the distribution system. Iron shows up as “red” or “rusty” water at your tap. Although you do not want to drink water that is not clear, iron is not considered to be a hazard to your health. We test for iron daily and it is usually around 0 ppm. The aesthetic limit for iron is 0.3 ppm.

<sup>1</sup>During the most recent round of Lead and Copper testing, 0 out of 10 households sampled contained concentrations exceeding the action level.



Hornsby Water System Water Quality Report for 2018

Is my drinking water safe?

Yes, our water meets all of EPA’s health standards. We have conducted numerous tests for over 80 contaminants that may be in drinking water. As you’ll see in the chart on the back, we only detected six of these contaminants. We found all of these contaminants at safe levels.

What is the source of my water?

Your water, which is ground water, comes from Selmer Utility Division, whose water comes from a sand aquifer. Our goal is to protect our water from contaminants and we are working with the State to determine the vulnerability of our water source to **potential** contamination. The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) has prepared a Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP) Report for the untreated water sources serving water to this water system. The SWAP Report assesses the susceptibility of untreated water sources to **potential** contamination. To ensure safe drinking water, all public water systems treat and routinely test their water. Water sources have been rated as reasonably susceptible, moderately susceptible or slightly susceptible based on geologic factors and human activities in the vicinity of the water source. The Hornsby Water System sources rated as reasonably susceptible to potential contamination.

An explanation of Tennessee’s Source Water Assessment Program, the Source Water Assessment summaries, susceptibility scorings and the overall TDEC report to EPA can be viewed online at <https://www.tn.gov/environment/program-areas/wr-water-resources/water-quality/source-water-assessment.html> or you may contact the Water System to obtain copies of specific assessments.

A wellhead protection plan is available for your review by contacting Bobby Hensley of the Hornsby Water System at 658-6188.

Why are there contaminants in my water?

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Este informe contiene información muy importante. Tradúscalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

For more information about your drinking water, please call Bobby Hensley at 731-658-6188.

How can I get involved?

Our Water Board meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at City Hall. Please feel free to participate in these meetings.

Is our water system meeting other rules that govern our operations?

The State and EPA require us to test and report on our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We have met all of these requirements. Results of unregulated contaminant analysis are available upon request. We want you to know that we pay attention to all the rules.

Other Information

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
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In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation prescribe regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Do I Need To Take Special Precautions?

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have under-gone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about not only their drinking water, but food preparation, personal hygiene, and precautions in handling infants and pets from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Lead in Drinking Water

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Hornsby Water System is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/lead/protect-your-family%23water%23water>

Water System Security

Following the events of September 2001, we realize that our customers are concerned about the security of their drinking water. We urge the public to report any suspicious activities at any utility facilities, including tanks, fire hydrants, etc. to 609-0997.

Think before you flush!

Flushing unused or expired medicines can be harmful to your drinking water. Properly disposing of unused or expired medication helps protect you and the environment. Keep medications out of Tennessee’s waterways by disposing in one of our permanent pharmaceutical take back bins. There are nearly 100 take back bins located across the state, to find a convenient location please visit: <http://tdeconline.tn.gov/rxtakeback/>

Water Quality Data

What does this chart mean?

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- **Non-Detects (ND)** - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- **Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l)** – explained as a relation to time and money as one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- **Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter** - explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- **RTCR** – Revised Total Coliform Rule. This rule went into effect on April 1, 2016 and replaces the MCL for total coliform with a Treatment Technique Trigger for a system assessment.
- **TT** - Treatment Technique, or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria (RTCR)	No	0		2018		0	TT Trigger	Naturally present in the environment
Combined radium	No	2.93 AVG	1.53-4.6	2014	PCi/l	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Copper <sup>1</sup>	No	0.137		2017	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Lead <sup>1</sup>	No	1.67		2017	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	No	10.3	7.28-10.3	2017	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	No	1.2		2018	ppb	N/A	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	No	2.6		2018	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Chlorine	No	AVG 1.0	0.8-1.2	2018	ppm	MRDLG 4	MRDL 4	Water additive used to control microbes.

**Iron:** Iron occurs naturally in our raw water and occasionally accumulates in the distribution system. Iron shows up as “red” or “rusty” water at your tap. Although you do not want to drink water that is not clear, iron is not considered to be a hazard to your health. We test for iron daily and it is usually around 0 ppm. The aesthetic limit for iron is 0.3 ppm.

<sup>1</sup>During the most recent round of Lead and Copper testing, 0 out of 30 households sampled contained concentrations exceeding the action level.



Spring Creek Utility District Water Quality Report for 2018

Is my drinking water safe?

Yes, our water meets all of EPA’s health standards. We have conducted numerous tests for over 80 contaminants that may be in drinking water. As you’ll see in the chart on the back, we only detected six of these contaminants. We found all of these contaminants at safe levels.

What is the source of my water?

Your water, which is ground water, comes from Bolivar, whose water comes from a sand aquifer. Our goal is to protect our water from contaminants and we are working with the State to determine the vulnerability of our water source to **potential** contamination. The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) has prepared a Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP) Report for the untreated water sources serving water to this water system. The SWAP Report assesses the susceptibility of untreated water sources to **potential** contamination. To ensure safe drinking water, all public water systems treat and routinely test their water. Water sources have been rated as reasonably susceptible, moderately susceptible or slightly susceptible based on geologic factors and human activities in the vicinity of the water source. The Spring Creek Utility District sources rated as reasonably susceptible to potential contamination.

An explanation of Tennessee’s Source Water Assessment Program, the Source Water Assessment summaries, susceptibility scorings and the overall TDEC report to EPA can be viewed online <https://www.tn.gov/environment/program-areas/wr-water-resources/water-quality/source-water-assessment.html> or you may contact the Water System to obtain copies of specific assessments.

A wellhead protection plan is available for your review by contacting Tim Warren at the Spring Creek Utility District.

Why are there contaminants in my water?

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Este informe contiene información muy importante. Tradúscalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

For more information about your drinking water, please call Tim Warren at 658-6559.

How can I get involved?

Our Water Board meets on the fourth Monday of each month at 4:00 pm at the utility office, which is located at 95 Hope Street . Please feel free to participate in these meetings.

Commissioner Selection

The Commissioners of Spring Creek Utility District serve four year terms. Vacancies on the Board of Commissioners are filled by the vote of the remaining Commissioners in office. Decisions by the Board of Commissioners on customer complaints brought before the Board of Commissioners under the District’s customer complaint policy may be reviewed by the Utility Management Review Board of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation pursuant to Section 7-82-702(7) of Tennessee Code Annotated.

Is our water system meeting other rules that govern our operations?

The State and EPA require us to test and report on our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We have met all of these requirements. Results of unregulated contaminant analysis are available upon request. We want you to know that we pay attention to all the rules.

Other Information

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the

surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
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Lead in Drinking Water

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Water System Security

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Think before you flush!

Flushing unused or expired medicines can be harmful to your drinking water. Properly disposing of unused or expired medication helps protect you and the environment. Keep medications out of Tennessee’s waterways by disposing in one of our permanent pharmaceutical take back bins. There are nearly 100 take back bins located across the state, to find a convenient location please visit: <http://tdeconline.tn.gov/rxtakeback/>

Water Quality Data

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- **Parts per billion (ppb)** or **Micrograms per liter** - explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- **Million Fibers per Liter (MFL)** - million fibers per liter is a measure of the presence of asbestos fibers that are longer than 10 micrometers.
- **RTCR** – Revised Total Coliform Rule. This rule went into effect on April 1, 2016 and replaces the MCL for total coliform with a Treatment Technique Trigger for a system assessment.
- **TT** - Treatment Technique, or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- **AVG** - Average

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria (RTCR)	No	0		2018		0	TT Trigger	Naturally present in the environment
Copper <sup>1</sup>	No	0.00607 90 <sup>th</sup> Percent		2017	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Fluoride	No	0.46 AVG	0.4-0.54	2018	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Lead <sup>1</sup>	No	1.36 90 <sup>th</sup> Percent		2017	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	No	9.82		2017	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	No	2.6		2018	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	No	1.4		2018	ppb	N/A	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Chlorine	No	AVG 1.1.4	1.0-1.7	2018	ppm	MRDLG 4	MRDL 4	Water additive used to control microbes.

**Iron:** Iron occurs naturally in our raw water and occasionally accumulates in the distribution system. Iron shows up as “red” or “rusty” water at your tap. Although you do not want to drink water that is not clear, iron is not considered to be a hazard to your health. We test for iron daily and it is usually around 0.1 ppm. The aesthetic limit for iron is 0.3 ppm.

<sup>1</sup>During the most recent round of Lead and Copper testing, only 0 out of 20 households sampled contained concentrations exceeding the action level.



Toone Water System Water Quality Report for 2018

Is my drinking water safe?

Yes, our water meets all of EPA’s health standards. We have conducted numerous tests for over 80 contaminants that may be in drinking water. As you’ll see in the chart on the back, we only detected five of these contaminants. We found all of these contaminants at safe levels.

What is the source of my water?

Your water, which is ground water, comes from the Memphis Sand Aquifer. Our goal is to protect our water from contaminants and we are working with the State to determine the vulnerability of our water source to **potential** contamination. The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) has prepared a Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP) Report for the untreated water sources serving water to this water system. The SWAP Report assesses the susceptibility of untreated water sources to **potential** contamination. To ensure safe drinking water, all public water systems treat and routinely test their water. Water sources have been rated as reasonably susceptible, moderately susceptible or slightly susceptible based on geologic factors and human activities in the vicinity of the water source. The Toone Water System sources rated as moderately susceptible to potential contamination.

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A wellhead protection plan is available for your review by contacting Mayor Joe Jones at the Toone Water System.

Why are there contaminants in my water?

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Este informe contiene información muy importante. Tradúscalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

For more information about your drinking water, please call Mayor Joe Jones at 658-9770.

How can I get involved?

Our Water Board meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:20 pm at the City Hall . Please feel free to participate in these meetings.

Is our water system meeting other rules that govern our operations?

The State and EPA require us to test and report on our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We have met all of these requirements. Results of unregulated contaminant analysis are available upon request. We want you to know that we pay attention to all the rules.

Other Information

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water:

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Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have under-gone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about not only their drinking water, but food preparation, personal hygiene, and precautions in handling infants and pets from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Lead in Drinking Water

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Water Quality Data

What does this chart mean?

- **MCLG** - Maximum Contaminant Level Goal, or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- **MCL** - Maximum Contaminant Level, or the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.
- **MRDL**: Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for the control of microbial contaminants.
- **MRDLG**: Maximum residual disinfectant level goal. The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- **AL** - Action Level, or the concentration of a contaminant which, when exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- **Below Detection Level (BDL)** - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present at a level that can be detected.
- **Non Detection (ND)** - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present at a level that can be detected.
- **Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l)** – explained as a relation to time and money as one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.
- **Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter** - explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.
- **TT** - Treatment Technique, or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- **AVG** – Average
- **RTCR**– Revised Total Coliform Rule. This rule went into effect on April 1, 2016 and replaces the MCL for total coliform with a Treatment Technique Trigger for a system assessment.

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria (RTCR)	No	0		2018		0	TT Trigger	Naturally present in the environment
Copper <sup>1</sup>	No	90 <sup>th</sup> = 0.151		2018	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Lead <sup>1</sup>	No	90 <sup>th</sup> = 0.4		2018	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
TTHM [Total trihalomethanes]	No	<0.5		2018	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	No	0.8		2018	ppb	N/A	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection.
Sodium	No	14.1		2017	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
Chlorine	No	AVG 1.35	1.2-1.4	2018	ppm	MRDLG 4	MRDL 4	Water additive used to control microbes.

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# OBITUARIES

## WALTER NORRIS JACOBS

APRIL 1, 1933 ~ MAY 10, 2019

Mr. Walter Norris Jacobs, age 86 of Hornsby, Tennessee, passed from this life at his home early Friday morning, May 10, 2019.

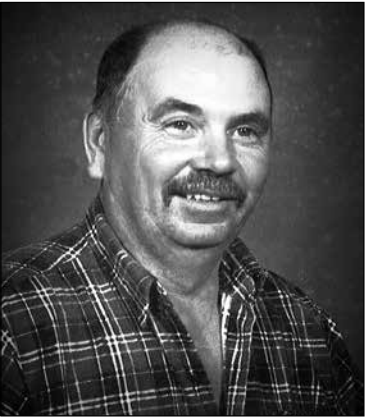
Funeral services were held Monday, May 13, 2019 at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar with Matt Emerson officiating. Interment followed in Hatchie Cemetery in Hornsby.

A native and life-long resident of Hardeman County, he was the son of the late Wesley and Mary Lou Bryant Jacobs. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Rev. William T. “Billy” Jacobs and David Jacobs; and a sister, Peggy Morrison.

Mr. Jacobs was wed to Ann Jernigan on October 22, 1955. He served in the US Army from 1955-57 and was a water distribution system operator for the City of Bolivar for over 30 years. As a young man, he had also worked at Webb’s Grocery in Bolivar. In his leisure time, Mr. Jacobs enjoy gardening and operating his backhoe.

In addition to his wife of 63 years, he leaves a son, J. R. Jacobs of Hornsby; six sisters, Inez Tucker of Tellico Plains, TN, Hugholene Vincent, Donna (Dan) Hamer and Dianne Jacobs, all of Bolivar, Sheila (Tony) Frost of Salisbury, NC and Kathy (Derick) Vaughn of Middleburg, FL; three brothers, Larry Jacobs of Bolivar, Bobby (Mona) of Toone and Jerry (Carla) Jacobs of Jackson; a sister-in-law, Raylene Jacobs of Toone; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Charitable contributions made in Mr. Jacobs’ memory may be sent to the charity of the donor’s choice.



## ELZIE CRAWFORD PRICE, JR.

JANUARY 15, 1943 ~ MAY 12, 2019

Elzie Crawford Price, Jr., age 76, resident of Williston and husband of Elaine Reeves Price, departed this life Sunday afternoon, May 12, 2019 at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis.

A gathering of family members and friends of Mr. Price was May 15, 2019 at the Peebles Main Funeral Chapel in Somerville. Arrangements were provided by Peebles Fayette County Funeral Homes & Cremation Center – Main Chapel in Somerville.

Elzie was born January 15, 1943 in Somerville, Tennessee, the son of the late Elzie Crawford Price, Sr. and Lillian Marie Day Price. He received his education at Fayette County High School and was married December 27, 1961 to the former Elaine Barbara Reeves. He was a lifelong resident of the Fayette County area and employed as a plumber, electrician and a master mechanic before his retirement in 1998 after 40 years. Elzie was a member of Williston Baptist Church and enjoyed outdoor activities that included hunting and fishing.

Mr. Price is survived by his wife, Elaine Reeves Price of Williston, TN; two sons, Ronald Allen Price of Williston, TN, Dennis Wayne Price (Robbie) of Oakland, TN; two sisters, Sandra Jones (Larry) of Parsons, TN, Onieta Shearin (Mike) of Bolivar, TN; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be directed to the Fayette County Chapter of the American Cancer Society, c/o Christine Parks, 402 Midland Street, Somerville, TN 38068 or the American Heart Association, 2170 Business Center Drive, Suite 1, Bartlett, TN 38134.

Condolences may be left on our online guestbook at [www.PeeblesFuneralHome.com](http://www.PeeblesFuneralHome.com).



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## PRISCILLA KAY SPENCER

DECEMBER 31, 1961 ~ MAY 4, 2019

Mrs. Priscilla Kay Spencer passed away Saturday afternoon, May 4, 2019, at St. Frances Hospital in Bartlett, TN. Memorial services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, May 18, 2019, at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar with visitation starting at 1:00 p.m.

She was born in Seagoville, TX, the daughter of the late Luther and Essie Fay Thorn Wood, and moved to Somerville in 1982. Kay, as she was known by most, married David Lynn “D. L.” Spencer on Saturday, December 2, 2000. She was a homemaker who enjoyed cooking and spending time with her family, especially grandchildren, at Christmas and other holidays.

In addition to her husband of 19 years, she is survived by her son, David Anthony of Somerville; two sisters, Lucy James of Seagoville, TX and Nita Gumbert of Kingsland, TX; one brother, Benny Woods of Seagoville; and two grandchildren, Brent Walls of Oakland, TN and Brody Byers of Illinois.

She was also preceded in death by four brothers.



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FAITH

Rock or Sand? Sermon on the Mount: Part 17

by Jeff Capshaw

This week’s article wraps-up the series on the Sermon on the Mount. Matthew 5-7 is one of Jesus’ extended speeches embedded within the larger story of his birth, baptism, ministry, crucifixion, death, burial and resurrection. It is a discourse arranged according to the underlying, notional intent of changing the audience’s thinking and behavior.

Accordingly, the primary problem Jesus confronts is the Jewish religion of his day. Adherents of Judaism had strayed far away from the teaching of their canonical Scriptures (the Old Testament). Instead, as Jesus said in Matthew 15:9, “their worship is a farce, for they teach man-made ideas as commands from God” (NLT).

Jesus’ teaching was different. That is why Matthew concluded this section of his Gospel by emphasizing Jesus’ authority and credibility to require certain thinking and behavior of his disciples. He wrote, “and when Jesus finished these sayings, the crowds were astonished at his teaching, for he was teaching them as one who had authority, and not as their

scribes (7:28-29, ESV).

In addition to thinking rightly about Scripture as a disciple’s ultimate authority, Jesus insisted that they think rightly about God as a Father who is worthy of trust. He taught also about relationships (other members in the Kingdom and one’s enemies), material possessions, the poor, sins of the heart and so on. Moreover, Jesus challenged conventional wisdom about godly behavior. Fundamentally, there is a need for genuineness and not hypocrisy, the need for justice, mercy, and righteousness: not judgment and retaliation.

Throughout the sermon, Jesus dropped in occasional consequences for obedience to his commands as well as for disobedience. For example, to be great in the Kingdom, one must do and teach the lessons contained in the sermon. Disciples’ righteousness must exceed that of the Scribes and Pharisees to even enter the Kingdom. Seeking the Kingdom above all else ensures that a disciple’s basic needs are met.

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Sunrise: Parkinson’s

by David Coy

It is a malady that affects the nervous system in a progressive way. It may begin as slight tremors that are barely noticeable. It is said that it does not progress in a logical manner or patten, thus it is challenging to determine what comes next. A loss of dopamine producing cells in an area of the brain are credited for causing this disorder. When the loss of dopamine becomes too low then communication that controls smooth fluid movement is ineffective. Historians have discovered evidence of this disease existence as far back as 5000 B.C. Mr. James Parkinson first discovered the symptoms describing it as ‘the shaking palsy’ and with his research the disorder became know after him. Symptoms range from mild tremors to loss of balance and difficulty and inability to walk and care for oneself. One may also develop swallowing difficulty progressively later, speech problems and cognitive issues.

It is important to prepare yourself if you are a caregiver of one who has Parkinson’s or the one who has been diagnosed. Early on more emotional support will be necessary rather than assistance physically. As a caregiver you will begin to experience anticipatory grief as you observe your loved one declining in physical mobility. What may be common is for the loved one to display symptoms before they are even diagnosed, as was the case with my brother. One young person who has been diagnosed with early onset has said exercise is one recommended therapy. Of course there is drug therapy for symptom management. Work with your physician to find what is best for you. You also may experience symptoms of depression, anger, disbelief, etc. This is Sunrise Aftercare, sunrise@sfdcares.com

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Hardeman County Community Calendar

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**Music on the Square** Friday, May 17. Second Chanz Band takes the stage at 7 and The Strayz headline at 8.

**The Bolivar Farmers Market** is every Tuesday & Saturday at the Bolivar Farmers Market Pavilion beginning at 7:30 a.m. If you would like to be a vendor, contact Market Manager Mike Malone at 659-1521 or stop by the office at 110 Lafayette Street in Bolivar. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of Pick-Tennessee Products.

**Smoke on the Mountain**, a comedy/drama musical, to the stage at the Arts Center. The story is about a Saturday Night Gospel Sing at a country church in North Carolina’s Smoky Mountains in 1938. The show features two-dozen rousing bluegrass songs played and sung by the Sanders Family, a traveling group making its return to performing after a five-year hiatus. Smoke on the Mountain will be presented on Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18, at 7 p.m. and Sunday, May 19, at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and are currently on sale online at <http://hcaactn.myboxoffice.us/>. The HCAC Box Office, 1580 West Market Street, Bolivar, will be open the week of May 13. Call 658-2787 for more information.

**The Grand Valley Area Fire Department Annual Meeting** will be on May 18 at Lone Oaks Farm at 10 a.m. Anyone in district is encouraged to attend. There will be a Board of Directors Election. Your involvement is needed.

**West Memorial Baptist Church** will celebrate Homecoming on Sunday morning, May 19, with Sunday School beginning at 9:30 a.m. Worship service will begin at 10:30 with singing featuring “Living Truth”, a popular regional group, and will include a sermon by Pastor David Lester. Following the worship service, there will be a potluck dinner on the grounds. For more info, contact Minister of Music, Stephen Wood at 731 609-6693.

**Toone Cemetery** will have Decoration Day on May 19 at 2:30 p.m. If you are unable to attend, please send contributions to Centennial Bank, Toone Cemetery Fund, c/o Donna May-

field, Treasurer, 411 W Market St., Bolivar, TN 38008. Thank you.

**The Grand Opening of the Grand Junction Farmers Market** will be on Friday, May 31 in their newly refurbished venue, the La-Fayette Gin. Ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. Quilt Drawing, Food Vendor, and 10-O-C will play at 6 p.m. They have indoor and outdoor space, restrooms, an educational room, and more areas for parking. If you would like to participate call city hall at 764-2871. Market hours are Fridays 3 – 6 p.m. and Saturdays 8 a.m. – Noon.

**Attention Seniors!** Last chance to sign up for Chicago, IL July 15-19, 2019. Trip includes a guided tour of Chicago’s highlights, a visit to the Navy Pier, Fed’s Money Museum, Shedd Aquarium and much more for \$689 per person, double occupancy. Payments are due in full by May 30, 2019. For more information, contact Rowena at 731-645-7843.

**Tennessee State Parks** will celebrate National Trails Day with free guided hikes at all 56 state parks on Saturday, June 1. So far this year, 4,787 park visitors have participated in the hikes. Tennessee State Parks are offering a variety of ranger led hikes, night hikes, history hikes, nature hikes or trail clean-up hikes.

**The Hardeman County Recovery Court** will have their Annual Shrimp & Crawfish Benefit Dinner at Bolivar City Park on June 15 from 4-6 p.m. Pick up your tickets at Hornsby Law Firm and Common Grounds. \$20 advance or \$25 at the gate. Call Scott Brewer at 694-8873 or Ashley Ervin at 203-8575.

**New Bethel Baptist Church** on Hwy 57 in Middleton will have their Homecoming June 16 at 11:30 a.m. and again at 1:30 p.m. Featured singers will be the Crossing Jordan Quartet from Covington. Potluck meal at noon. Call 609-3796 for more information.

**The Hardeman County UT Ag/Research Extension Service** is sponsoring the summer canning class Preserving Foods Safely at the Activities Building of the FUMC in Bolivar Wednesday, June 18 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. \$20 fee includes all materials and UT Extension’s canning/freezing books. Call Katie Dees at 658-2421. If you need your pressure canner dial gauge tested, stop by 200 E Market St. and have it tested for free.

**Camp Bolivar:** It’s free for students entering 6th grade in August 2019. This summer youth development camp will provide fun and games and lunch and snack each day with great learning opportunities for our community. Dates to be finalized soon, check out city website for more information.

**Loaves and Fishes Food Ministry** needs cake mix & frosting, canned fruit, and cooking oil. No expired items, please.

**The Bolivar-Hardeman County Library** has Lego Club every Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. and Toddler Story Time every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. Every Friday in May there will be Eat Well, Feel Well Classes at 10 a.m.; Adult Rock Painting on the 28 at 10; Magic Mr. Nick will help kick off the Summer Reading Blast Off at 10 am on May 31. Closed for Memorial Day Weekend and Memorial Day. For more information, call 658-3436.

**The Middleton Library** has Tai Chi classes May 17 & 31 at 11 a.m. with Katie Dess from the UT Extension; TAG on May 17 at 3:30 followed by Lego Club at 4; Hand quilting Class 23 at 10. Closed for Memorial Day Weekend & Memorial Day. Call 376-0680 for more info. Like them on Facebook.

**The Grand Junction Public Library** has Tai Chi Class with Katie Dees meeting every Friday at 1 p.m.; May 18 Essential Oils Class with Christine Purchase (learn the benefits from using essential oils); Book Club meets every 3rd Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. Bring a Potluck Finger food and join us. This month’s selection is “The Silent Patient” by Alex Michaelides. “Dining with Diabetes” program led by Katie Dees from the UT Extension Thursday May 23 & 30 at 1 p.m. Katie will be preparing some foods that are healthy for people with diabetes. For more information, call Wanza Taylor at the GJ Library at 731-764-2716 or gjlibrary103@gmail.com. 530 West Madison Avenue

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**Celebrate Recovery** a Christian-based recovery from hurts, habits, and hang-ups every Tuesday night at 7 p.m. Beginning July 10. Hardeman County Baptist Association, 755 Vildo Rd., Bolivar. Contact: Shirley at 731-609-4182

**The Tennessee Department of Agriculture Division of Forestry** is reminding citizens of the online burn permit system, that is free, fast and simple at BurnSafeTN.org or at Bolivar City Hall. Call 658-2020.

**AA Meetings** are held on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. at the HC Baptist Association on Vildo Rd. Contact Denelle at 433-8266.

**Bolivar AA Meetings** Mondays and Fridays 8:00-9:00 p.m., FUMC in Bolivar. Call 609-9679.

**Middleton AA Group** meets every Thursday and Saturday at 7:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church on Main St., in Middleton. Call 609-9697 for details.

**Mt. Calvary Baptist Church** and Pastor Algie Jarrett at 255 Burnette Mills Rd., in Bolivar welcomes all to be a part of Sunday night services on the first Sunday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

**The Hardeman County Exchange Club/Carl Perkins Center** for the Prevention of Child Abuse is a program that can help if you suspect child abuse call the Hardeman County office at 659-2373 or the 24-hour hotline at 1-877-237-0004. Your call will be kept confidential.

**The Bipolar/Depression Support Group** will meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Horizons Peer Support Center on 428 Market Street in Bolivar. For more information, call Shirley Kelley at 609-9318.

You can keep up to date with Community Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at hardemancountyttn.com



SPORTS

Hardeman County Sports Notes

The Bolivar Hardeman County Boxing Club is accepting applications from people ages 8-80, call Director Obie Beard at 731-402-1078 for more information.

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**Middleton Spring Basketball League 2019**

(9-10-11 Coed)	W	L
F L Crane	7	2
YOPP'S	4	5
C B & S Bank	4	5
J P Shelly	3	6

*Tournament Champion: CB&S*  
*Runner up: F.L. Crane*

(12-14 Girls)	W	L
MBA	5	1
Dixie Funeral	3	3
Hyman Tire	1	5

*Tournament Champion: MBA*  
*Runner up: Dixie Funeral Home*

(12-14 Boys)	W	L
GETWELL	6	0
S & E Design	2	4
MURDEN INC	1	5

*Tournament Champion: Getwell*  
*Runner up: S&E Design*

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NASCAR legend Dale Earnhardt Jr. will speak at Freed-Hardeman University's annual benefit dinner .December 6. The annual event raises funds for FHU scholarships.

Earnhardt is a third-generation driver in the first-family of NASCAR racing. Race fans have selected him a record 14 consecutive times as NASCAR's Most Popular Driver. His appeal, however, is not limited to race fans, as Earnhardt has appeared on Harris Interactive's annual survey of America's Top 10 Favorite Athletes.

FHU's annual benefit dinner is typically the state's largest single-night fundraiser. For the past 19 years, it has generated more than \$1 million annually.

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The First Annual Community Open House at Lone Oaks Farm will be June 8. The gates will be open to all from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to enjoy a free fishing day at the main lake.

Barbecue sandwiches, chips, drinks and desserts will be available for purchase and games will be set up for kids.



Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard

**May 13**  
Bolivar Central High School Softball 24 Melrose 0

**May 16**  
Bolivar Central High School Softball vs. Covington, 2 p.m.



Bolivar Central High School finished the year with a fourth place finish in the 15AA District tournament.

Making the all-district regular season were C.J. McMahan and David Craft, while Jace McKenzie made all-tournament team.

Making the second team during the regular season were Kyle Lowe, Kyle Sipes, and Tyler Rice.

McKenzie, McMahan and Tanner Tucker were named to the all-academic team.



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Early Voting Ending in Bolivar

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elected not to run for another term. Byrum leaves after two terms, while Woods elected not to run after being appointed to the seat two years ago.

Vying for the District A, Position 1 spot held by Woods will be Lajua-na Polk and Carol B. Spinks while Byrum's District B, Position 3 spot will have Larry Crawford running against Dr. Barbara Jean Fitzhugh.

Early Voting continues through May 16. Election Day is May 21.

The City of Bolivar remains the only municipality in Hardeman County to not follow the Federal Election schedule of elections in even numbered years. A change could save the city as much as \$10,000 per year, according to figures obtained from the Hardeman County Election Commission.

This now, That!.....

Turkey Season is over, now my attention turns towards "Slick". Although catching the biggest yellar of my life on my birthday last year, it wasn't Slick!. The Friday before, LJ (Larry Joe) and I were preparing our bait at " Slicks" exact spot he had gotten away from me years ago. I glanced at the water, 2 foot from the boat, there he was. The air left my lungs, I couldn't utter a sound for a couple of seconds. The volume was dialed up to make every squirrel in the bottom start barking. LJ, caught a quick glimpse of him. I got a very close up look. I remembered this trait clearly, the huge catfish we landed a week later brought back the vision. The eyes were about 6 inches apart. Slicks were about 10!! Yep, as Willie sings..... You're Always On My Mind.

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# Lady Tigers Earn Substate Game

Bolivar Central will continue their game against Covington in the Region 8AA final on May 16, after the game on May 15 was suspended for rain in the bottom of the second inning with the Lady Tigers leading 1-0.

The Lady Tigers won 24-0 over Memphis Melrose on May 13 to get them into the region final.

The Lady Tigers are 17-5 on the season and will play either Jackson South Side (32-7) or Lexington (42-4) on May 17 in an elimination game.

If Bolivar wins the substate game, they would be scheduled to play May 21 at either Starplex or McKnight in Murphreesboro. The tournament is double elimination.

Although records are incomplete, it is believed the last time Bolivar qualified for the region tournament was 1989.



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## County Youth League Baseball and Softball

### Dizzy Dean Softball 6U

#### Scores

##### May 9

Centennial vs. Merle Nor, Rain

##### May 13

Taco Bell 8 Centennial 0

##### May 14

Taco Bell 6 Centennial Bank 2

##### May 7

Taco Bell 9 Merle Norman 4

#### Standings

Taco Bell	8-1
Merle Norman	1-3
Centennial Bank	0-5

### Dizzy Dean Softball 8U

#### Scores

##### May 9

The Bank vs. Shelton's, Rain

##### May 13

The Bank 7 Shelton's Flowers 5

#### Standings

The Bank	3-1
Shelton's Flowers	1-3

### Dizzy Dean Softball 10U

#### Scores

##### May 14

Brian Smith 10 Hyman Tire 4

#### Standings

Brian Smith Electric	6-1
Hyman Tire	1-6

### Dizzy Dean Softball 12U

#### Scores

##### May 9

Southern Design vs. All Star, Rain

##### May 13

Southern Design 7 All Star 4

#### Standings

So. Design	3-1
All Star Cleaners	1-3

### Dizzy Dean Baseball 6U

#### Scores

##### May 10

Nelms 12 Maxwell's 0

Nelms vs. A.J. Sports, Rain

Golden Circle vs. Farmers, Rain

##### May 14

Farmers 9 Maxwell's 3

Farmers 12 A.J.'s 3

Nelms 17 Golden Circle 3

#### Standings

Nelms Auto Body	9-0
Farmers Insurance	6-3
AJ's Sports and Awards	3-5
Golden Circle Tire	3-6
Maxwell's Big Star	1-8

### Dizzy Dean Baseball 8U

#### Scores

##### May 9

Hooper vs. Toth Tinting, Rain

ProtecStor vs. VFW, Rain

##### May 13

Hooper Sawmill 10 VFW 9

Toth Tinting 12 ProtecStor 4

#### Standings

Hooper Sawmill	5-2
ProtectStor	3-4
VFW	3-4
Toth Tinting	3-4

### Dizzy Dean Baseball 10U

#### Scores

##### May 9

Rotary vs. Bolivar Credit, Rain

##### May 13

Rotary 6 Bolivar Credit 2

Brooks Auto 7 Bolivar Credit 4

#### Standings

Bolivar Credit	5-3
Rotary	4-3
Brooks Auto	3-6

### Dizzy Dean Baseball 12U

#### Scores

##### May 9

BIRE vs. The Bank, Rain

##### May 10

The Bank vs. GFP, Rain

GFP vs. BIRE, Rain

#### Standings

Bolivar Insurance and RE	3-1
Gordie for President	3-1
The Bank of HC	0-4

#### 12U Statistics

##### Batting Average

Kessler BIRE	.889
Bruce BIRE	.700
King BIRE	.625
C. Sowder The Bank	.600
Maxwell BIRE	.556
T. Sweat GFP	.500
Boatwright The Bank	.500

##### On Base Percentage

Kessler BIRE	.909
C. Sowder The Bank	.778

T. Sweat GFP	.750
Bruce BIRE	.700
Scott GFP	.700

#### Runs Scored

Bruce BIRE	8
Walton BIRE	7
Kessler BIRE	6
Boatwright The Bank	6

#### Hits

Kessler BIRE	8
Bruce BIRE	7
Maxwell BIRE	5
King BIRE	5

#### RBIs

Kessler BIRE	6
Maxwell BIRE	6
3 tied with	5

#### Walks

Nuckolls The Bank	6
Morris GFP	5
Parsons The Bank	5
Scott GFP	5

#### Pitching Wins

Henson GFP	1
Vickers GFP	1
Kessler BIRE	1
Morris GFP	1
King BIRE	1
Maxwell BIRE	1

#### Earned Run Average (min 4 IP)

Morris GFP	1.41
Maxwell BIRE	3.60

#### Strikeouts

Maxwell BIRE	19
Morris GFP	8

#### Middleton Girls Softball

##### May 9

R&A Services vs. Howell, Rain

Woods & Sons vs. Serendit, Rain

##### May 10

The Grove vs. Star, Rain

R&A Services vs. Howell, Rain

##### May 13

Serendipitee 9 Woods & Sons 3

##### May 14

R&A 16 Howell Backhoe 5

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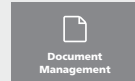
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### Orr Receives Doctorate Degree

Whiteville native Karita Sue Orr earned a Doctor of Philosophy Degree (Ph.D.) from the College of Education at Mississippi State University with an emphasis in Community College Leadership. Commencement ceremonies were held on May 2 in Starkville, Mississippi.

Dr. Orr is the second in her family to earn a Ph.D. Her brother, Dr. James Earl Orr, Jr., earned a doctorate degree in Public Policy and Administration from Mississippi State University.

Dr. Orr says she was inspired by her brother's accomplishments to pursue her doctorate degree. She hopes to use her education to be a blessing in her community and to serve God by serving others.

Dr. Karita Orr is the daughter of Mr. James Earl Orr, Sr. and Mrs. Susie Orr of Whiteville.

As a youth, Dr. Orr was educated locally through Gateway Christian Schools' Homeschool program.

Photo courtesy of MSU.



### Drae Ross Bags a Turkey



Drae Ross killed a 19-pound turkey in Hardeman County on May 4. Photo by Cole Eubanks.

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### Hardeman Adoptable Animal of the Week

by Sara Vonderheide

Earl is a male Labrador mixed breed. He is a young adult and weighs about 40-45 pounds. Earl is a handsome fellow who is heartworm negative! He is a sweet pup who deserves a loving home outside of the shelter where he has now been for over six months. Earl will need some training and room to run in a fenced yard because he has lots of energy. Earl will make a great addition to some lucky family out there. Earl plays well with other dogs. We do not think he would do well with cats, though because of his playful nature. He is a fun boy who would brighten up a lucky human's home! If you are interested in meeting Earl or any of the dogs at the shelter, contact a volunteer (preferably by text message): Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood at 731-609-0408. You can also check out our Facebook page, Hardeman Adoptable Animals, Inc. You can also come to the shelter. We are located inside the county landfill (Walton Road), and volunteers are there between 9-1 each day. HAA, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. Adoption fees



are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter. If you are calling to report a loose dog, please call Animal Control at 731-658-9032. To call the shelter looking for a lost dog or to speak to a volunteer, please call 731-659-3040 and leave a message. Need to have your dog OR cat spayed or neutered?

Need to have it done for free? Contact us to find out how you can do that!

If any student needs to complete community service hours and would like to help out HAA at the same time, text Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421. Tennessee Promise hours are due July 1! Don't wait!



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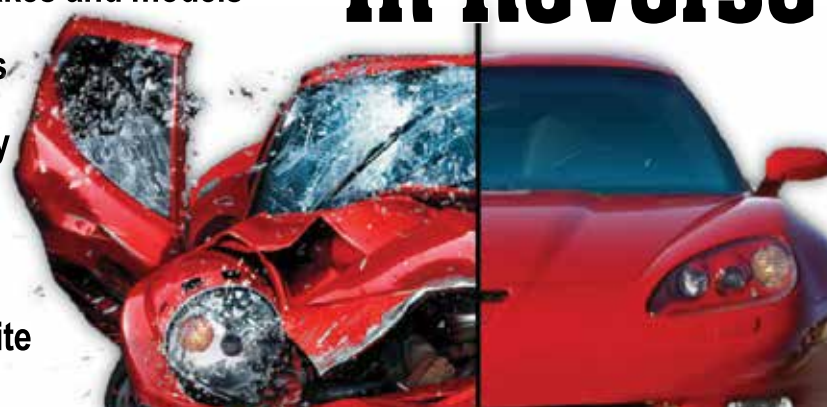


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