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From The Overseer's Desk:

Robert Davis, State Overseer

"I Can Pray – I Can Love -I Can Forgive" Section III-"I can FORGIVE...!"

(This is the third of three sections from the State Overseer's message from the 81st State Convention)

There's a story told in Matthew the 18th chapter verses 23-31 that goes like this. . .

"Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. As he began the settlement, a man who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him. Since he was not able to pay, the master ordered that he and his wife and his children and all that he had be sold to repay the debt.

"The servant fell on his knees before him.' Be patient with me,' he begged, 'and I will pay back everything.' The servant's master took pity on him, canceled the debt and let him go.

Notice that the Lord tells us that this is what the kingdom of heaven is like.

Everywhere you look, every person you encounter in heaven will have a forgiving heart. They will have a heart that will see the needs of others and be quick to reach out to help.

This is especially true in the realm of forgiveness. Everyone there will be living with such a deep sense of gratitude for being so generously forgiven, that heaven's population can be describes as those with a generous heart of forgiveness.

But this story continues to share about a servant that was forgiven of 10 thousand talents. That's the equivalent of approximately one talent of Silver or over 15 million dollars in today's currency. It continues,

"But when that servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who **owed him a hundred denarii**. He **grabbed him and began to choke him**. 'Pay back what you owe me!' he demanded. "His fellow servant fell to his knees and begged him, 'Be patient with me, and I will pay you back.' **But he refused. Instead, he went off and had the man thrown into prison until he could pay the debt.**"

Now think about this for a moment. A Hundred Denarii was only about 8 dollars.

But then this was really unusual. Not with men or women that do not know the Lord or his marvelous grace and forgiveness.

If a person's not grateful for their own forgiveness, they will exact to the furthest extent possible on everything owed from others.

The story continues to say, (Matt 18:35)

When the other servants saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed and went and told their master everything that had happened. "Then the master called the servant in. 'You wicked servant,' he said, '**I canceled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. Shouldn't you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you?**' In anger his master turned him over to the jailers to be tortured, until he should pay back all he owed.

How could this be?

It was Jesus sharing this story, and He makes it clear how the heavenly Father looks at it. . . He says,

"This is how my heavenly Father will treat each of you **unless you forgive your brother from your heart.**" - NIV

When I read this I can't help but feel the emphasis of our Lord on words, "**unless you forgive your brother from your heart.**"

Again in Matthew the 18th chapter and verse 36, Jesus's words are recorded saying, "**So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses.**" – KJV

Again we have the emphasis on forgiving **from the heart.**

In Luke 6:37 Judge not, and ye shall not be judged: condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned: **forgive, and ye shall be forgiven:** - KJV

Even in the Lord's Prayer we're told, (Mark 11:26) **But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.** - KJV

In Matt 6:14-15

For if ye forgive men their trespasses, **your heavenly Father will also forgive you:** But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, **neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.** – KJV

O' the weight of not truly forgiving, from the heart, the injury inflicted on us by another person.

I find my heart praying out the words, "Oh Lord, let our heart's once again be awaken to the magnitude of your forgiving grace. Oh Lord let our hearts be seized with the overwhelming gratitude that a heart truly freed from all injury and sin feels.

The greater the sin, the greater the offence the greater the opportunity we have to give; to GIVE TRUE FORGIVENESS.

John relates how Jesus reacted to a woman caught in the very act of adultery. John 8:3-11

And the scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; and when they had set her in

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the midst, They say unto him, Master, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very act. Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou?

This they said, tempting him that they might have to accuse him. But Jesus stooped down, and *with his finger wrote on the ground*, as though he heard them not.

So when they continued asking him, he lifted up himself, and said unto them, *He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her*. And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground.

And they which heard it, *being convicted by their own conscience*, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last: and Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing in the midst.

When Jesus had lifted up himself, and saw none but the woman, he said unto her, Woman, *where are those thine accusers?* hath no man condemned thee? She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, *Neither do I condemn thee: go, and sin no more.* - KJV

What a glorious love.

What a glorious gift.

The Gift of Forgiveness . . .

How can we exact others offences so severely, after having been forgiven of so much ourselves?

Only the absence of the right kind of gratitude and love can explain that.

The song say's

"AMAZING LOVE. . . HOW CAN THIS BE. . . !!
That you would live and die for ME . . ."

O' Lord – I'm Forgiven. . .

O' Lord – speak to these dry bones of mine and cause them to live. Cause them to feel the right things, think the right things, and love the right way. . .

Let my heart burn with a love that's deep enough to forgive any and all who offend me. Let me learn to be quick to forgive. Let me seek out mercy and extend the olive branch to the offender even before it's asked.

THANK YOU for your MERCY

THANK YOU for your GRACE . . . !!
I'M FORGIVEN. . .

Let us all stand and thank God for our forgiveness.

Saints. . . We may not have the ability to play great music on a piano.

We may not be able to play lead guitar.

We may not be able to sing harmony or a glorious melody.

But we can

PRAY

And we can - LOVE

And we can - FORGIVE

Let's let the world see the REVEALED CHRIST in us. . .

Let's become ablaze with passion for Christ, the lost and one another. He deserves nothing less than our absolute best. . .

2010 Virginia Calendar of Events

Jan. 8-9..... Virginia School of Theology,
Spiritual Fathering

Jan. 15-17... Youth Harvest Training, Murfreesboro, TN

Feb. 12-13 Virginia School of Theology,
Peter: The Man and Ministry

Mar. 5-7.... Virginia Couples Retreat, Williamsburg, VA

Mar. 12-13..... Youth Workers Training "Remedy"
Church of God Campground

Mar. 13-14..... Virginia School of Theology,
Training for Reigning I

Apr. 5-10 Work Week at Camp Lowman

Apr. 9-10 Virginia School of Theology,
Training for Reigning II

Apr. 10..... Virginia Children's Worker
One-Day Intensive, Lynchburg

Apr. 23-25 Spring Youth Retreat
Ages 12-22, Camp Lowman

April 30-May 2 . Virginia Ladies Retreat Gatlinburg, TN

May 14-15 Virginia School of Theology, Preaching

May 14-15 Men's Day at Camp Lowman

June 4-6 Hot Shot Camp Ages 5-7

June 23-26 Junior Ages 8-10

June 26-July 1 Senior High Ages 14-19

July 2-July 7 Senior Ages 11-13

July 27-August 1 General Assembly, Greensboro, NC

Sept. 18-23 . 5 Day Bahamas Cruise-Heritage Ministries

Oct. 1-3 . Fall Youth Retreat Ages 12-22 Camp Lowman

October TBA..... Virginia Seniors Trip

Letter from the Editor

You don't have to like me, but you do have to love me.



Ron Boyd

Do you remember as a parent when one of your children got into mischief or was in possession of something that was off limits to them? Possibly they were covered in powders or shaving cream while wearing one of your nice outfits. As they read your disapproving facial expressions, something similar to this was heard from them, "Don't you just love me?" Let's immediately clear the air and set the ground rules. There are people in our families, on our jobs and even in our churches with whom we share strong bonds and close relationships, and yet those same people tend to "rub us the wrong way".

We have just ended a season that stresses "living at peace with all men". We've sung songs such as "let there be peace on earth and let it begin in me". We've prayed for peace on earth during this Christmas season, and now we are faced with New Year resolutions; for many of us this will include mandating us to be nicer, patient, and more longsuffering and well you know how it goes.

We are called to love. The entire life of Christ was exemplified with one thing, **love**. There are many aspects of the life of Christ that dictate the actions of a Christian. He gave us a lifetime of principles to guide us. Christ offered many suggestions, but He chose one of His last discourses to present a commandment, and that commandment was to **love**.

Christ does not call us to like everyone, but rather to love everyone. The old hymn states, "they will know we are Christians by our love", not by our likes or dislikes. Christ loved the disciples but I am sure that He did not like everything they did. Some of the disciple's actions have been criticized through the years as not necessarily what we would call ideal Christian behavior.

⁹As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you: continue ye in my love. ¹⁰If ye keep my commandments, ye shall abide in my love; even as I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in his love. ¹¹These things have I spoken unto you, that my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full. ¹²This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. ¹³Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. ¹⁴Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. ¹⁵Henceforth I call you not servants; for the servant knoweth not what his lord doeth: but I have called you friends; for all things that I have heard of my Father I have made known unto you. ¹⁶Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you. ¹⁷These things I command you, that ye love one another. John 15:9-17

We are to love one another, cherish one another, even lay down our lives for one another if need be, all as an extension of a branch from Jesus, the true vine. If we obey Christ's commandments, we are His friend; emphatically stated but to the

point. To love was not advice or a suggestion from Christ, it was a commandment. When my children were young, there were things I would advise them to do, but other things that I demanded they do. Sometimes their discernment was skewed and they would reply with something similar to "I might do that", or "if I have time to get to it". This answer would upset me, and I would reply with, "I'm not asking you, I'm telling you".

Isn't that exactly what Christ did? He commanded us to love. Right now I want you think of someone whom you would describe as a difficult person. Think of the people in your life that bring you grief and you try to avoid seeing them. Now ask yourself, "Do I love them?" There are people we worship with each Sunday and we have broken relationships with them, now ask do I love them?"

We all have likes and dislikes. It's hard sometimes to like people when you're dealing with the obnoxious, contrary and unlovable. Christ's commandment does not include liking them, but we do have to love them. Love is more than an emotion. It is an overt action.

Look at the Disciples, they were not a "*dream team*", *in fact they were a band of misfits*. I'm sure sometimes Christ did not like their behavior and disliked some of their personality traits, but He always loved them. There is a difference. We don't have to like our neighbors, supervisors or fellow Christians, but we have been commanded to love them.

Will Rogers said, "I never met a man that I didn't like, although one man put me to the test".

"If we love not our brothers and sisters whom we have seen, how can we say we love God whom we have not seen?"

We are imperfect vessels. Many years ago I heard someone make the statement that "we are all just one step away from stupid". Some people seem to make that step easier and quicker than others, but we are all capable of doing things we might later regret.

The very essence of God is love. When we possess genuine love we are dwelling in God and God in us. I want to be a friend of God. I want Him to think of me as His friend. Friends have common interest. So we must have love in order to be common with God. So why not at the very beginning of 2010 adopt the philosophy to give people a break. Give them the benefit of the doubt. Christ said that our joy would remain and be full. I don't want to spend a day of 2010 with bitterness or regret. Let's be challenged to embrace the humanity around us. Choose love, you don't have to like them, but you do have to love them, not my words but Christ's.

2009 Senior Trip



On October 9, 2009 a group of 38 seniors met at the State Office to begin a bus trip to Pigeon Forge, TN. We had high hopes this would be an exciting trip, and we were not disappointed.

Moneta pastor, Don Shepherd, was our driver and we were in capable hands. We were able to meet new people, and renew old acquaintances. When traveling Frances Woodford was the caller of bingo numbers and gave us many laughs. Doug Brown was so generous to give bingo prizes to the winners.

While we traveled we sang and talked about wonderful things the Lord was doing for us.

Sister Lee, the pastor of Oak Hill church brought a devotional on Sunday and the Spirit was wonderful. It was such a privilege to have Brother & Sister Davis and seven other ministers who blessed us with their presence.

Friday evening we enjoyed the Comedy Barn Theatre along with a dinner at Golden Coral.

Saturday we spent the day at Dollywood for the National Gospel and Harvest Celebration.

The mountains were ringing with gospel music throughout the park with well know quartets and other southern and country gospel singers. On the way home the men enjoyed shopping at Bass Pro and all of us were sweetened up with candy at Russell Stover. We arrived home tired but already thinking about the next trip. Special thanks to Brother and Sister Davis and Brother and Sister Brown for their help to make this trip successful.

Joanne Dennis,
Senior Ministries



A Tribute to Paul and Patsy Sorrell

Recently at our local church, our pastor, Milton Atkins encouraged us to remember the heroes of the faith who have impacted our lives. My mind went back to when I was a young girl at the Radford church and a national evangelist for the Church of God of Prophecy came to our town. Bro. Paul Sorrell was ministering in our district and many churches and youth groups were involved and blessed.



Patsy Fain, whose father pastored the Christiansburg church, was especially "blessed", in so much that she left her position as youth leader and pianist for her father's church to be married to Paul on a cold Valentine's Day shortly after! The youth in my district were thrilled to be a small part of this National Evangelistic team, by praying and rejoicing with them over each successful revival report.

Later on, Brother and Sister Sorrell settled back in Virginia to raise two daughters, Heather and Amanda and pastor numerous churches in our state. They went on to serve as State Sunday School Secretary, State Youth Secretary and spent many years over the State Couples Retreat ministry. For many years they directed camp, and in more recent years Sister Sorrell has assisted her daughter Heather in directing a youth camp. They have also been active in Ladies ministries, children's ministries, missionary, and CBL, CPMA, BTI and public relations. I guess you could say they have worn almost all the hats of ministry for our state.

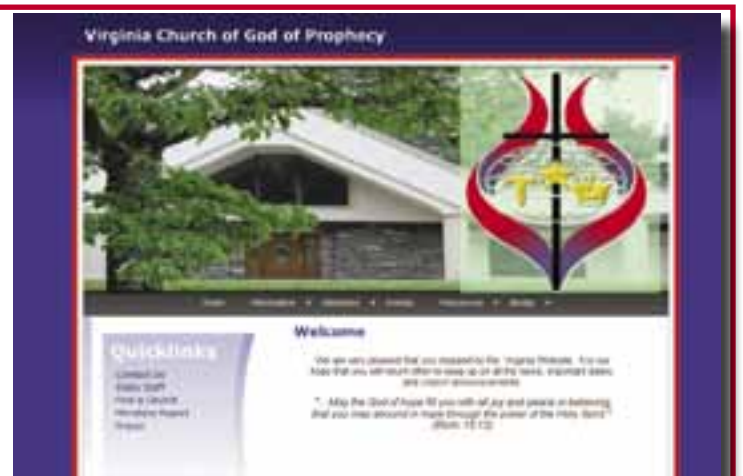
What a blessing this couple has been to the state of Virginia. Thank you, Sorrell family for the legacy and faithfulness to our state throughout the years!

Submitted by Alma Boyd

**Special note - Bro. Paul is not physically able to attend church at this time. If you would like to send a card of encouragement or well wishes, it would be a blessing to let this family know how much we appreciate their legacy in ministry. The address is 3321 Lifsey Lane Chesterfield, Virginia 23832.*

New State Website-vacogop.org

We are pleased to announce the new state website-vacogop.org. While this is still under construction, we feel that this will be a great tool in communication for our churches and membership in the state of Virginia. Drop by and visit us online today. 2010 retreat and camp applications are already available.





Children's Worker Training-Saturday

Kathy Creasy, International Children's Minister for the Church of God of Prophecy is coming to Virginia!

We are so privileged to have Kathy Creasy with us again for another Children's Worker Training conference. It will be April 10, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Lynchburg Church of God of Prophecy.

We had a well attended conference this past year at the State offices and we are excited about moving the location to a larger facility this year. Since last year's conference filled to capacity quickly, we are encouraging participants to register as early as possible. The cost is 30.00 per person, and it includes snack, lunch and all training materials. All participants leave the conference with a wealth of ideas, free materials and so much more. Registration on the day of the event is 40.00 per person, so please send your registration in as soon as possible. Registration forms need to be mailed to the International offices.

We look forward to being with you for this special event!

- Alma Boyd

Let's go to Williamsburg -Special Guests-Rick & Kathy Creasy



Our nation is making history now along with the economic and world issues facing Americans today. We as a nation need to get back to the basics, we as Christian husbands and wives need to take inventory of the state of our marriage and get back to the basics! What better place than beautiful, Williamsburg, Virginia? This was the start of our nation's history and it can be the fresh start your marriage needs in 2010. Won't you make plans to join us March 5-7th for an exciting week-end? We will enjoy the sights and sounds of historic Williamsburg, as well as renew our commitments to each other.

We are very excited to announce that Rick and Kathy Creasy will be our guest speakers for the Retreat. Besides Kathy serving as our International Children's Ministry Director, Rick and Kathy are very involved in couple's ministry in their local church. They facilitate premarital counseling each week and Rick is currently pursuing a graduate counseling degree

Maybe you can re-write history, or simply change your future as a couple. Please step out on faith and send in your application today.

Young Adult Weekend

This year at Young Adult Weekend, we had a BLAST!!! The food, fun, and friends were wonderful. The games, sports, and camaraderie were worth coming for, but the Spirit of God that we felt was worth staying for. The first class by Becky Rupe spoke about Traveling Light and not carrying unintended baggage throughout our lives. Pastor Tom Warren discussed Creation versus Evolution and convinced us all not only of the holes in the Evolution Theory, but also of the power and love of the God we serve. Then, Pat & Jan Wright, the Church of God state youth directors, gave us a rousing lecture on men and women in relationships. All of the services were anointed; Pastor Wayne Rupe shared pictures from his India missionary journey and Jay Rupe spoke about just how BIG God is! The classes and sermons on God's power in the Universe and in our lives were so uplifting that it seemed easy to return to our lives and face the world. That is what Camp Lowman does in the lives of youth all over the state. We all come to be renewed and are never disappointed. God always meets us there.

- Julianna Williams



2009 Fall Youth Retreat

The 2009 Fall Youth Retreat was an awesome event for the near 100 campers that attended. This was the first retreat as directors for Robbie and myself, and the spirit of God really moved in a mighty way. We were blessed to have approximately 60 members on our staff. We experienced powerful services lead by Chucky Chandler, who was the guest speaker for the weekend. We were also blessed to have the worship band from All Nations and Virginia Beach COGOP lead by Bob Worst. The campers enjoyed a talent show and scavenger hunt on Saturday, and drama and dance teams from across the state displayed their talents for God. For the first time at camp Lowman, the band "Pursuing the Hero" come to minister in an awesome concert on Saturday night! For those who were unable to attend this year's Fall Youth Retreat, please be sure you make plans to attend in 2010! This was truly an awesome weekend, and many lives were changed. Thanks to all those who devoted their time and prayers, and we look forward to seeing you all next year!

Mindy Boyd



Church Reports

FAMILY HARVEST CHURCH

“March 2, 2008 a new church was planted in Suffolk VA with 3 families present. We knew this was a small token (first fruits) of a greater harvest to come. Hence Family Harvest Church was born. We began to reach out into the community to the non-churched. Since then, it has grown with 40 people taking the Pastor’s Class 101 and subsequently joining the church by covenant. We have 80 active regular attenders to date. We have had no transfers. These are all new converts and new families from the harvest. God’s Word is so true “The Harvest Is Great”. Last Easter we had 112 in attendance. We’ve been worshipping the Lord through special celebrations like: Baptisms, Feast of Trumpets (Roshashan), Feast of Tabernacles (Atonement), Communion, 4th of July Cookouts, etc...

God has blessed us with a Pastoral Staff of 11 qualified individuals full of the Spirit, humble of heart, and gifted to meet needs. Our heartbeat is to “Love God with all our being and to Love one another as ourselves”... not as a precept, but to really minister in this capacity. Building a climate of Unconditionally Loving and Accepting people without judgment, they can hear the uncompromising Word of God. As a result, they are truly birthed in the Kingdom, and have the hunger to grow and develop in the nurture of a loving God and family!

We have been in the local paper (twice on the front page) 4 times because of our community efforts. Something great happens when the Savior meets the sinner. Something great happens when the church meets the community! If you would like to keep up with Family Harvest Church or would enjoy our Pastor’s weekly sermons, just go to famharvestchurch.org. Feel free to browse!

Continue to pray for us as we continue to work in the Harvest until Jesus comes!”



Brent Fortenberry is the son of Ted Fortenberry, Pastor of Family Harvest Church in Suffolk, Virginia. Brent is a member of the SOAR Dunk Team from Liberty University where he currently attends. He’s their premiere dunker. They do flips with trampolines. They travel all over the U.S. ministering Jesus Christ. He’s been invited to go to Africa and Central and South America.

Liberty University Yearbook Committee is placing the picture (attached) in their upcoming yearbook. They asked him to comment as well. This was Brent’s response:

Honestly what I enjoy most about being on this dunk team is the way God uses me to minister to those who are seeking or who need encouragement. Sure, it’s fun flying through the air and dunking, but I have seen how God opens doors through this unique ministry. We have the opportunity to minister to kids who may not go to church, but yet will come out and see what God is doing in our lives. We not only demonstrate our talents, but after the show, we share the message of Jesus Christ, hoping to have planted a seed or see someone transformed by the power of the Cross. We never leave a place without challenging them with their spiritual lives and then asking them to make a decision about Jesus Christ.”

CODY

We had a pastor appreciation day where our pastor and his wife were given poundings and gifts. We have held several benefits raising money for two people in our community. We recently closed a revival with Mitch Lopper. We also had food after two of the services for further fellowship. The Lord is blessing us and we will be having a Christmas meal given to the church by Pastor Lacy King and his wife Dollie, we are so thankful for them being with us here a Cody.

Church Reporter, Louise Rudder

ROCKY MOUNT

James and Mildred Graham, Robert & Carolyn Sloan went on the Senior Trip to Pigeon Forge. Joanne Dennis did an outstanding job coordinating the trip.

Our pastor James Graham retired the last of October. Our prayers and best wishes are with him and his wife, Mildred. Brother Pete Trout and Shaun Chalupnik have been acting as pastors this month. God is still blessing us.

On the First Sunday, we observed our annual church homecoming. The church has been in Rocky Mount for thirty three years. There was wonderful food, fellowship and singing.

Church Reports

GUNTON PARK

What's up? Plenty if you come to Gunton Park. The Trinity Believers, Young Believers, Brother Dennis and Natasha Freeman came to bless our church with their anointed singing. Family and friends came together on October 4th to celebrate the pastor's birthday. Good food and great fellowship.

God has blessed our church with a new sign. We want our church to look good in our community. We held a three day revival with Mike Correll. We enjoyed his anointed preaching. There were two who rededicated their lives to God. We held our homecoming on the last day of the revival. We enjoyed having The Rorrer's who are former pastors with us for the homecoming as well as the anointed singing of the Nippers.

GLASGOW NEW GRACE CHURCH

The past few months have been a wonderful and busy time. August 8th we hosted the Bluegrass Inspirations. Sunday August 16th Bill Radford, Sandy Trent and Linda Lasley provided a spaghetti dinner for the entire church. We held a pancake breakfast and yard sale which profited \$500. That evening we held a singspiration featuring the Hedrick Family. Brian McDaniel presented a special tribute for his parents Bishop & Sister McDaniel. They were celebrating their 37th wedding anniversary. They were presented cards and a love offering.

We have received four new members, Mike & Janet Hedrick, Roy Vest and Kat Taylor. On October 10th we sponsored a booth at the Old Mountain Days in Buena Vista. Our Church ladies participated by baking, making crafts and working at the booth. We made \$433 in profits.

October 18th kicked off our Shenandoah Valley District Revival. Sunday, October 18 at Craigsville with Pastor Braggs. Monday the 19th in Lexington with Rudy Hildebrand, Tuesday 20th in Buena Vista with Bishop Lewis McDaniel and Wednesday the 21st in Glasgow with Pastor Adkins.

October 24th was our Women's Day with Evangelist Kay Osban as our special guest. This was followed by a luncheon and great fellowship.

- Sandy Trent

REMEDY YOUTH WORKER'S TRAINING

March 12-13 at the Church of God Campground. See David Brown for further information or visit vacogop.org and look under youth ministries.

NARROWS

Two were baptized and three joined the church. We had a District revival with four churches in attendance. All were truly blessed by the spirit of God. Reverend Jim Hagy is the District Overseer. We recently held a surprise birthday party for our Pastor's wife, Sandra Hagy. She turned 50 years old. She's a real blessing to our church.

- Lucille Honeycutt

RICHMOND DECATUR STREET

On October 18th Pastor G. Byrd from the Word of Life Church preached on "The Flight". Brother and Sister Grant sang a duet and the praise team from Decatur Street danced. The Praise team from Word of Life also performed. Pastor Pope from the Faith Building Evangelist Outreach was with us October 20th. Pastor Haywood from Jesus Saves preached on October 21, Minister Myles from the Body of Ministry on October 22 and Pastor Winfree from new Beginning Ministries preached on October 23rd. Apostle Harris closed us out on the last night leading up to our homecoming.

Elder Monroe Jefferson was funeralized at Fountain of Deliverance Church in Richmond. He was a dynamic preacher and a man of faith. He was grandfather to thirty eight grandchildren.

- Claudette T. Roberson



Birth Announcement

Laura Kate Brown was born Saturday, November 7, 2009 to David & Tracy Brown at 4:03 a.m. weighing 7 pounds.

Couples Retreat 2010

March 5-7

WOODLANDS HOTEL & SUITES

WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA



Join us as we travel to Colonial Williamsburg, the birthplace of our nation as we "settle" down for a rebirth of our marriages. As a couple you can rewrite your history and lay your "arms" down as you rediscover one another. There will be plenty of time to take a walk along the nearby beaches, tour Colonial Williamsburg, search out bargains at one of the outlets or just relax. We're coming back to Old Virginia so plan on joining us! Cost of Retreat includes, two nights accommodation, (2) continental breakfasts Saturday & Sunday, welcome gift, snacks and all the sessions as well as the workshops. \$280 regular room & \$310 King Suite. Discount tickets to Colonial Williamsburg will be available.

All rooms will be assigned on a first come basis, so get your application and deposit in early. All deposits are fully refundable until 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 31, 2009, except for a \$75.00 processing fee, cost of two (2) nights lodging after December 31. NOTE: Once rooms are booked, we are responsible for the cost. Reservations are subject to room availability at the hotel. Regular Rooms have two full-size beds. Suites have a King bed with a separate sitting room and kitchenette

\$280 Regular Room
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2010 COUPLES' RETREAT APPLICATION

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HOME CHURCH: _____ PASTOR: _____



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Children's Worker Training

*April 10, 2010 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Lynchburg Family Life Ministries COGOP*

*Special Guest: Kathy Creasy
International Children's Director*

Cost: \$30 in advance \$40 (Day of Event)

*For further information contact
Children's Ministries*

423-559-5328 or 540-992-3696

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*Cost includes materials, lunch
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Date*

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