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Don't Believe Everything!

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I recently received a letter in the mail that promised me a large sum of money. It was sent by air mail. It was written on official-looking stationery and bore an official-looking stamp. It bore the logo and name of an attorney. It said that I had been appointed trustee, executor and beneficiary of a woman's estate. It said that I could use the money for my personal needs as well as for my ministry. It also said that all I had to begin this process was to respond via email and give them my phone number.

Before going any farther, I have a question: Do you think I am going to respond to this letter? If you do, you must think I am *very* gullible. I will not respond because of the following.:

- Though I have not received a hard-copy letter quite like this, I have seen letters like it sent via email.
- It is from a foreign country, from some "law firm" about which I have no knowledge.
- It is about a person, with which I have had no relationship.
- The stamp is not an official, "raised-letter" stamp, but a copy, with very unofficial language on it.
- There is the very impersonal address: "Attention Beneficiary."
- It proposes an exorbitant amount of money (\$5,000, 000) to me and my ministry.

As you might have guessed this is almost certainly an attempt to retrieve personal information from me in order to steal my identity. I think most people would agree with me and would not take the chance and respond.

However, some of the people who might not respond to such a "phishing" attempt, might follow a religious teacher who does some of the same types of things. That teacher may use the Bible to teach a false doctrine. That teacher may propose something as appealing as \$5,000,000—eternal life (or at least, great happiness in this life). That teacher may "package" his false message in persuasive words and a well-spoken presentation. That teacher may "prove" his points by emotional appeal and popular opinion. That teacher may give you permission to live or worship in a way you believe to be wrong. (Read Galatians 1:6-9.) That teacher may tell you that your previous teachers were old-fashioned and unenlightened.

The way to avoid such deception is to test the message and the sender. "Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they come from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world" (1 John 4:1, ESV). There is an old saying: "*If something sounds too good to be true, it usually is.*"

—Lance Cordle

Dates to Remember:

June 7-12—WKYC All Ages Week 1

June 8—Youth Devo

June 9—MNftM

June 10—SYS @ Northside

June 12—Caring Cooks

June 13-15—WKYC Pee Wee Weekend

June 15-21—WKYC Teen Week

June 17—SYS @ New Concord

June 24—SYS@ Hardin

A Pause . . . And Reflection

The summer is now in full swing and numerous activities will engulf most of us. Because of the unusually harsh winter, schools have been later than usual in getting out for summer break. Work Camp is finishing up this week and West Kentucky Youth Camp will begin very soon. Vacation Bible School will be held in July. The summer youth series is now in progress and will go through the first Tuesday in August. Please note that the usual work for Monday Night for the Master activities will be done only one Monday during June, July and August. All of these are worthy efforts and we commend them to you.

Our WNES for 2014 was, in my estimation, a great success! Some very good lessons were presented that should motivate us to personally spread the gospel, and now has come the time to put those into practice. Continue to pray for your friends and loved ones, and while praying, ask that you have an opportunity to talk to them about Jesus Christ. Pray that you will be strong and courageous, and that you will choose your words wisely during those opportunities.

Our Wednesday night Bible classes will return this summer. Daniel McNatt and I will be team-teaching the auditorium class. We will be doing a survey of the Old Testament.

Don't forget that our new start time on Sunday mornings is in effect. There will be some "loose ends" here and there, but we hope to get it changed on signs and in area posted schedules as soon as possible. In the meantime, please spread the word.

I hope you have a great week. —Lance

Ancient Truths for Modern Times

WCKK, FM—95.7

Sundays 9:00 a.m.

Speakers: Lance Cordle & Gary Knuckles

Monday Night for the Master

Monday Night for the Master will meet to work on Monday, June 9. Please sign up by Sunday morning June 8 if possible. This will be the only work night in June. Bring a sack meal.

Golden Agers Trip

The Golden Agers will be going to Union City, TN on June 17 to shop at the outlet mall and will eat at Reelfoot Lake. The bus will leave at 9:00 a.m. Please sign up by June 15.

2014 WNES DVD Request Forms

If you would like DVDs of the 2014 Wednesday Night Enrichment Series you can find request forms on the table in the lobby. There will be a tray on the table where completed forms may be turned in. There is no cost for any of the DVD's, but we do need your order June 15th.

Birthdays

- ♦ June 8—Dennis Driver, Sue Owen
- ♦ June 11—Davis Hunt
- ♦ June 13—Patricia Barlow
- ♦ June 14—Debbie Croley, Holly Roberts

Blood Drive

The Red Cross team will be here for another blood drive, Thursday, June 26th. Our last drive resulted in one of our highest totals for donors! If you will be eligible to give, please sign the list in the lobby or sign-up online by following the instructions on the flyers.

Remember in Prayer:

Earl & Stephanie Atnip, Patsy Atnip, Nelda Beth, Winford Claiborne (Bettie Bean's uncle), **Brent Cope** (Nick Darnell's nephew), **Billy Hall** (scheduled for kidney transplant in July), **Robert Hall, Ernestine Noles, Tony Pierce** (Mary J. Sanderson's son-in-law), **Lexie Ray, Susan Sanderson, Gary Smith, Roy Vasseur, Todd Walker**
Nursing Home/Assisted Living:

Calvert Convalescent Center:

Nell Dobesh, Eedra Dossett, Mamie Hamilton, Elizabeth Harrell, Sue Owen

Emeritus (formerly Culpepper Place)—Rm 208: Mary Deane Swann

Oakview Manor—Nancy Hall

Mission Trip—Shelby O'Bryan in Huambo, Angola in South Africa

Summer Youth Series 2014

"Uprising"
Ephesians 5:14

UPRISING

"Rising Up Against Idolatry"
June 10

7:00 p.m. at Northside, Mayfield
Speaker: Garrett Best

Record: Week of June 1, 2014

Mid-Week (May 28)	190
Bible Study	200
Sunday Morning Worship	273
Sunday Evening Worship	248
Contribution	\$12,103

Youth Announcements

Lunch with Daniel

There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby for people who are willing to take Daniel McNatt out to eat lunch or have him in your home for lunch on Sundays after worship. If you didn't sign up last year, take advantage of the opportunity this year. Thanks!

SYS @ Northside

The SYS is at the Northside church of Christ, Tuesday, June 10th. The bus will be leaving from our building at 6:15 and will return around 9:30 that evening. If you are willing to drive the bus or be an adult chaperone please sign the sign-up sheet in the lobby.

VBS Volunteer Meeting

This Sunday after morning worship there will be a VBS Volunteer Meeting in the Old Fellowship hall. If you are willing to help out in any way please come to the meeting for details concerning VBS and areas to be involved with it.

Church Camp @ WKYC

The summer is upon us and that means WKYC will be in full swing very soon. If your child is interested in going to Camp at WKYC then please go to wkyc.org and you can find any information needed. You can also sign-up for camp online to ensure your child a spot his/her particular week. Pee Wee weekend is June 13-15 and Teen Week is June 15-21. I hope you all can go this summer!

KFC Fun Day

Saturday, June 28th there will be a KFC Fun Day at Aaron and Leah Beth's house. The event will last from 10-12 that morning.

PEW PACKERS
SUNDAY 5:45 P.M.

Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Study — 9:15 a.m.
Worship — 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Mid-Week Bible Study—7:00 p.m.

Bible Classes For All Ages

*****Please Note Time Change*****

**Sunday Morning: Bible Study—9:15
Worship—10:00**

Those Who Are To Serve:

**Sunday, June 8, 2014
9:15 A.M.**

Song Leader: Austin Johnson
Opening Prayer: Jamie Leonard
Closing Prayer: Daniel McNatt
Convalescent Ctr. Devo: Jeff Hall
Gary Smith

6:00 P.M.

Song Leader: Dale Roberts
Opening Prayer: Tom Simpson
Closing Prayer: Don Thompson

Wednesday, June 11, 2014

Announcements: Daniel McNatt
Song Leader: Kevin Hunt
Opening Prayer: Austin Johnson
Closing Prayer: Nick Darnell