

Minutes of the  
One Hundred and Twenty-Seventh  
Annual Session of the

*Indian Bottom Association of  
Old Regular Baptist Churches  
of Jesus Christ*



Held at the  
**Indian Bottom Association Building**  
Sassafras, Knott County, Kentucky  
Friday, September 2, 2022 and the following two days

Hosted by:  
Little Zion Church

Co-Hosted by:  
Reynolds Fork, Big Cowan, McRoberts,  
Kingdom Come and Dixon Memorial Churches

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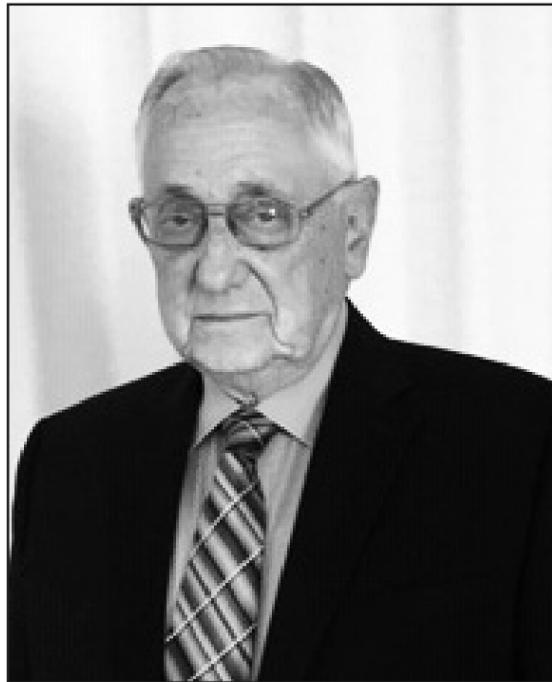
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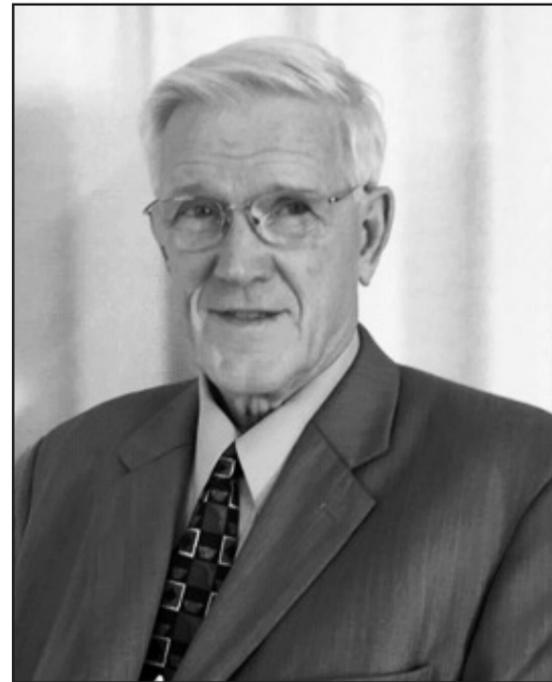
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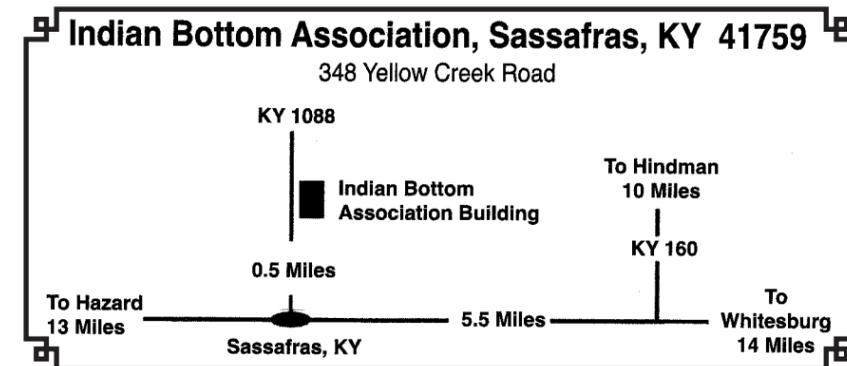
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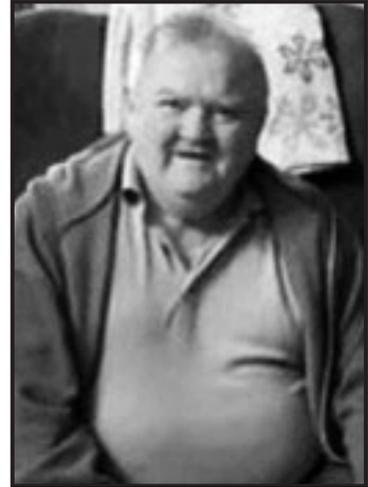
**A TRIBUTE TO OUR DECEASED MINISTERS**



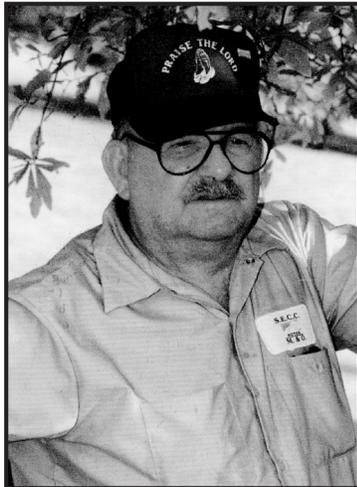
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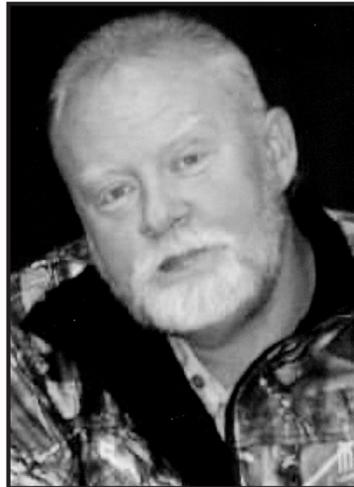
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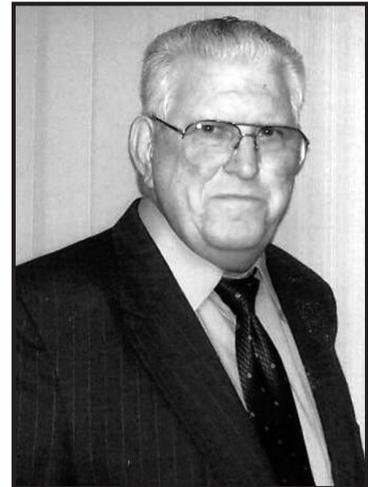
**Brother Danny Hall**



**Brother Relon Hampton**



**Brother Leslie Roberts**



**Elder Robert Wagner**

The voices of Brother John Bowling, Terry Bryant, Danny Hall, Relon Hampton, Leslie Roberts and Robert Wagner have grown silent, yet the fruits of their labors and fond memories of their lives will remain with us for many years to come. As their frail bodies fell, their spirit went to God who gave it. They fought a good fight; they finished their course; they kept the faith; they have gone to receive their reward, a crown of righteousness and a home in Heaven.

**MINUTES OF THE  
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY SEVENTH  
ANNUAL SESSION OF THE  
INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION OF  
OLD REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES  
OF JESUS CHRIST  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2022 AND  
THE TWO FOLLOWING DAYS**

The Indian Bottom Association, being in session, assembled at our association building at Sassafras, Knott County, Kentucky, on September 2, 2022 and the two following days. Hosted by the Little Zion Church and co-hosted by the Reynolds Fork, Big Cowan, McRoberts, Kingdom Come and Dixon Memorial Churches, the association met in the congregational department of the association building for preaching services. After singing some old songs of Zion, Elder Elwood Cornett appointed Elder Eugene Thacker to introduce the service and lead in prayer. Elder Bill Johnson, who was chosen as the alternate last year, was not in attendance this year. Elder Joshua Huff followed with the introductory sermon.

The delegates were dismissed from the congregational department and asked to assemble in the delegate room. Brothers Austin Bradley, Eddie Newsome, Keith Tipton and Feldon Ruggles, Jr. were appointed by the moderator to remain in the congregational department for preaching services. In the delegate room, Elder Elwood Cornett, the moderator, welcomed the delegates and called upon Brother Danny Hamilton to lead in prayer. The Association, now being assembled, was called to order by Elder Elwood Cornett. He appointed a finance committee to wit: Brothers John Reedy, Danny Amburgey and Joshua Huff. He then called for the letters of the several churches that compose the Indian Bottom Association.

1. A motion was made, seconded, and passed with no objection, to read the letter of the Little Zion Church. The letter was read by the clerk. By a move and second, with no objection, it was received, along with all the other church letters, as they were in regular form; the delegates were seated and all requests and queries were referred to the Committee on Arrangements.
2. The Association was then organized by choosing the following officers:
  - Elder Elwood Cornett, Moderator
  - Elder Jim Fields, Assistant Moderator
  - Brother Rick Whitaker, Clerk/Treasurer
  - Brother Bob Banks, Assistant Clerk

(The following brothers had been appointed to count the votes: Brothers Freddie Watts, Tyler Watts and William J. McCool.)

3. By a move and second, with no objection, the moderator was directed to make all temporary appointments.
4. Brother Rick Whitaker, the clerk, requested the temporary appointment of Elder Don Pratt to serve as assistant clerk. Brother Elwood then appointed Elder Don Pratt to serve as assistant clerk for the next year.
5. The moderator appointed a Committee on Ministry composed of one delegate from each of the churches to arrange the preaching services for Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.
6. The moderator called for newly constituted churches desiring to take up fellowship with us: None responded.
7. Churches of our same faith and order who desired fellowship with us were called for: A letter was read from the Little Samuel Memorial Church desiring to take up fellowship with the Indian Bottom Association. It was moved and second, with no objection, to receive their letter and refer it to the Committee on Arrangements.
8. By a move and second, with no objection, it was decided to omit the readings of the Articles of Faith, the Constitution and the Rules of Decorum and to print the Articles of Faith, the Constitution and the Rules of Decorum in the minutes.
9. The moderator called for transient members and ministers: None responded.
10. The Committee on Ministry made the following report for preaching services:  

Friday afternoon: Brothers Jeffery A. Roark and Bill Halcomb.

Saturday morning: Brothers Corey Watson, John P. Church,  
Roy Slone and Shawn Jude.
11. The moderator appointed a Committee on Arrangements composed of one delegate from each church, together with the association moderator, assistant moderator, clerk and assistant clerk.

12. A move and second, with no objection, were made for the Committee on Arrangements to meet Friday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. and arrange the business for Saturday.
13. By a move and second, with no objection, the Association was adjourned until 9:00 a.m. Saturday morning. The singing will start in the congregational department at 9:30 a.m.

The Committee on Arrangements met at 1:00 p.m. on Friday afternoon in the congregational department of the association building. After singing, Elder Jeffery A. Roark introduced the session and led in prayer. He was followed by Elder Bill Halcomb, after which the committee arranged the work for Saturday. Elder Jim Fields called dismissal.



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## SATURDAY MORNING

The association met pursuant to adjournment. After singing some songs of Zion, Elder Elwood Cornett, our moderator, welcomed everyone and called upon Elder Danny Dixon to introduce the session and for Elder Vergle Caudill to lead in prayer.

1. The clerk called the roll and marked the absentees.
2. The report of the Committee on Arrangements was given by the clerk of the association. A move and second, with no objection, were made to accept the report.
3. The ministers chosen by the Committee on Ministry to preach on the stand were excused to go to the congregational department of the association building.
4. The Committee on Finance reported a sum of \$6,855.00 collected from various churches. By a move and second, with no objection, the report was received and the committee discharged.
5. By a move and second, with no objection, the minutes of this session of the association was ordered to be printed. The clerk is to be secretary/treasurer and will decide how many copies to have printed and distributed to each church, according to the amount of money collected.
6. By a move and second, with no objection, the dates of the union, communion, memorial services and appointed meetings are to be printed in the minutes.
7. Due to the health concerns of Elder Don Pratt, who was chosen last year to write a circular letter for consideration by the association this year, he was unable to attend the association this year but had sent his letter to be read. The moderator asked the clerk of the association to read the letter. A move and second were made to receive the letter and ordered it to be printed in the minutes. There was an objection filed against having the letter printed in the minutes and by a standing vote of 61 “yes” votes and 22 “no” votes, the objection carried and the circular letter will not be printed in the 2022 minutes.
8. The moderator appointed a Committee on Ministry composed of one delegate from each of the churches to arrange the preaching services for Sunday morning.

- 9. A. The Committee on Ministry chose the following ministers to preach on Sunday, to wit: Brothers Robert Holcomb, H.B. Reedy, Jr., Randall Branham and Eddie Creech. By a move and second, with no objection, the work of the Committee on Ministry was approved.
- B. Elder Danny Yates was chosen to preach the introductory sermon for the 2023 session and Elder Ross Wright to be the alternate.
- C. Elder Jeffery A. Roark was chosen to write a circular letter for consideration of approval next year.

(The following brothers had been appointed to count the ballot votes: Brothers Tyler Watts and Freddie Watts. By a move and second, with no objection, their work was approved.)

- 10. By a move and second, with no objection, obituaries are to be printed in the minutes. Obituaries may be given to the clerks at any time during the year. They are to be typed and may be on paper, USB flash drive in MS Word or emailed to the clerks.
- 11. The treasurer’s report was given by the clerk. By a move and second, with no objection, the report was received and ordered to be printed in the minutes. The report is as follows:

**TREASURER’S REPORT**

**Balance on hand (9/4/21) .....\$1,911.35**

*Collections:*

Church Contributions .....\$6,910.00

Interest .....\$3.48

**Total in treasury.....\$8,824.83**

*Expenses:*

Printing 2,750 Minutes .....\$6,710.00

Safe deposit box .....\$100.00

Typing for Minutes .....\$50.00

**Total expenses .....\$6,860.00**

**Balance in treasury (9/2/22) .....\$1,964.83**

12. The treasurer’s report of the trustees was read by the clerk. By a move and second, with no objection, the report was received and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

**TREASURER OF TRUSTEES REPORT**

**Balance in treasury (12/1/2021).....\$9,016.69**

*Collections:*

Church Contributions .....\$9,625.00

Odd Sundays: .....\$677.00

Donations: .....\$1,500.00

**Total Collections: ..... \$11,802.00**

**Total in Treasury: ..... \$20,818.69**

*Expenses:*

Insurance .....\$1,879.44

Utilities: .....\$4,916.11

Labor: .....\$600.00

Building & Grounds: .....\$232.43

Supplies .....\$2000.00

Maintenance Account.....\$500.00

Loan Payment:.....\$5,000.00

Checks: .....\$154.35

**Total Expenses..... \$15,282.33**

**Total in Treasury (09/03/2022).....\$5,536.36**

13. The minutes of the Committee on Council meeting with the Little Samuel Memorial Church were read by the clerk. The Little Samuel Memorial Church was received, by a move and second, with no objection, into full fellowship of the Indian Bottom Association. The right hand of fellowship was given to the delegates from the Little Samuel Memorial Church. The report of the Committee on Council was approved by a move and second with no objection.

Elder Elwood Cornett, our moderator, appointed the following brothers to serve as the Committee on Council for the next year: Toby Breeding, Stephen Lyall, Roy Slone, Keith Tipton, Tim Ritchie, Jeff Roark and Elwood Cornett.

14. By a move and second, with no objection, the report of the Website Committee was approved. The website address is [www.oldregularbaptist.com](http://www.oldregularbaptist.com).
15. The request from the Cedar Grove Church to remove Elder Bill Johnson's name from the ministers list was read by the clerk. The request, by a move and second with no objection, was granted.
16. The request from the Blair Branch Church to host the 2023 Association was read by the clerk. The request was granted by a move and second with no objection.
17. The verbal requests from the Rock Fork Church and Tolson Creek Church to co-host the 2023 Association were granted by a move and second with no objection.
18. By a move and second, with no objection, the clerks were directed to write a tribute to the deceased ministers of the Indian Bottom Association.
19. By a move and second, with no objection, the clerks were directed to write a resolution of appreciation to the Little Zion, Reynolds Fork, McRoberts, Dixon Memorial, Kingdom Come and Big Cowan Churches for hosting the 2022 session on the Indian Bottom Association.
20. There was a move and second, with no objection, to have services at the association building on the following odd-Sundays: October 30, January 1, April 30, and July 31.
21. By a move and second, with no objection, the reading of the minutes of the 2022 session of the Indian Bottom Association was omitted and ordered to be printed in the 2022 minute book.
22. By a move and second, with no objection, we adjourned until the 2023 session of the Indian Bottom Association convenes on September 1, 2023. Singing will start at 9:00 a.m. in the congregational department of the Association Building. Elder Emory Caudill led in the closing prayer.

## SUNDAY

On the final day of the one hundred and twenty seventh session of the Indian Bottom Association, brothers, sisters, family and friends gathered in the congregational department of the Association Building. After singing some songs of Zion, Elder Robert Holcomb introduced the service and led in prayer. He was followed by Elders H.B Reedy, Jr., Randall Branham and Eddie Creech. Elder Elwood Cornett then came forth and brought the meeting to a close. Elder Stephen Lyall led in the prayer of dismissal, thus ending the 2022 session of the Indian Bottom Association.

### RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO HOST CHURCHES

We, the Indian Bottom Association, wish to express our appreciation to the Little Zion, McRoberts, Reynolds Fork, Dixon Memorial, Kingdom Come and Big Cowan Churches for hosting the 2022 session of our association. You did a wonderful job! We also extend our heartfelt thanks to members of our sister churches, our children, grandchildren, family members and friends who also helped. We also appreciate the snacks and hot coffee provided in the concession stand. May God bless you all for your labor of love.

### INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION WEBSITE

The website of the Indian Bottom Association offers a database of our past minutes, obituaries, pictures, old time lined singing, etc. We are a blessed people and also a peculiar people. We feel that the website allows folks to see and understand who we, as Old Regular Baptist, are. Directions to each church is now available on the website; click on the tab “churches” and proceed to the desired church for directions through Google Maps. Please feel free to contact a member of the website committee, Brothers Willie Crase, Jr., Marty Carty, Mike Melton, Elwood Cornett or Rick Whitaker with pictures, songs, church information and anything that you would like to be considered to be added to the website.

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**DELEGATES TO THE 2022 ASSOCIATION**

Cedar Grove.....Danny Dixon, Ivan Blair, Clint Thomas  
 New Home .....Harvey Amburgey, Johnny Watson, Roy Patrick  
 Defeated Creek.....Keith Smith  
 Reynolds Fork.....Nelson Craft, David Hayes, Larry Conley  
 Bull Creek .....Earl Combs, Ralph Jent, Clifford Fields  
 Ivy Point.....Curtis Gilliam  
 Little Dove .....Danny Rice, Willie Potter, Corey Watson  
 Tolson Creek .....Greg Banks, Elmer Bowling, Vergle Caudill  
 Dixon Memorial.....Archie Wayne Fields  
 Big Creek .....sent letter  
 Happy Home .....sent letter  
 New Bethlehem.....Timothy Ritchie, James Creech  
 Clear Fork .....Jeff Combs  
 Northern New Home.....Bill Halcomb, Ray Williamson  
 Blair Branch .....Jerry B. Adams, Jerry Adams, John Wayne Blair  
 Mt. Olivet.....Toby Breeding, Justin Caudill, Randy Blair  
 Little Zion .....Jeremy Watson, Kenny Oliver, Paul Watson  
 Kingdom Come .....Michael Melton, Roger Fields  
 Poor Fork .....Eddie Creech, Ed Creech, Sr.  
 Big Cowan .....Cornell Amburgey, Russell Amburgey, Mark Boggs  
 Friendship .....Harlin Eldridge, John Dixon  
 Little Bethlehem.....H.B. Reedy, Jr, Danny Ray Amburgey, John Reedy  
 Little Bethany.....Mike Smallwood  
 Rock Fork.....Willie Crase, Jr, Steven Keene, Gary Brown  
 Summertown .....sent letter  
 Emmanuel .....Alfred Yates, Jerry Fuller, Tony Yates  
 Little Hannah .....Ishmael Bailey, Danny Hamilton  
 Bethlehem .....Walter Sheets, Jimmy Yates, Jim Blankenship  
 Bethany .....Keith Tipton, Fred Ross, Harvey Ross, Jr.  
 Little David .....Mike Mullins, Chris Mullins, Larry Blankenship  
 Big Leatherwood .....Terry Slone, Odell Long  
 Mt. Olive.....Roy Slone  
 Chester Hogg Memorial.....Clayton Hensley, Arthur Amburgey, Frank Hamblin  
 Pilgrims Home .....Ronnie Deel  
 Little Jewel.....Lon Bryant, Marty Carty, Feldon Ruggles, Jr.  
 Caney Fork.....Jerry Newsome, Danny Stanley  
 Little Rosa.....John Wayne Potter, Ricky Akers, C.J. Caudill

Left Beaver.....John P. Church, Glenn Spradlin, Paul Jacobs  
Little Flock.....Allen Hagerman, Matthew Hagerman, Scotty Hicks  
Little Martha .....Shawn Jude, Cecil Setser, Phillip Jude  
Sweet Home .....Eddie Newsome, David O’Quinn, Inard Anderson  
James Memorial.....Emory Caudill, Allen Fugate, Jeffery A. Roark  
McRoberts.....Randall Branham, Dave Maggard, Danny Branham  
Thornton .....Major H. Sparks, Joshua Huff  
Little Samuel Memorial .....Jeffery Pratt, Jasper Halcomb, Scotty Halcomb



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Eld. Mickey Amburgey.....	New Bethlehem Church .....	606-497-6202
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Eld. Wallace Bolling .....	Kingdom Come Church .....	606-634-1612
Eld. Bobby Boyd.....	Little Hannah Church .....	606-213-0807
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Eld. Toby Breeding .....	Mount Olivet Church .....	606-633-8836
Eld. Gary Brown .....	Rock Fork Church .....	606-587-2037
Bro. Marty Carty.....	Little Jewel Church .....	614-579-4323
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Eld. James Caudill .....	Mount Olivet Church .....	606-633-5415
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Bro. John L. Collins.....	Little Dove Church.....	606-633-9629
Bro. Earl Combs.....	Bull Creek Church.....	606-633-9865
Eld. Jeff Combs.....	Clear Fork Church.....	606-785-4482
Eld. Freddy Compton.....	Mount Olive Church .....	606-874-9293
Eld. Jimmy Conley.....	Rock Fork Church .....	606-946-2794
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Bro. Wade Fields.....	Bull Creek Church.....	606-821-5311
Bro. Archie Wayne Fields .....	Dixon Memorial Church .....	606-872-2521
Eld. Frank Fouts.....	Friendship Church .....	606-379-0935
Eld. Allen M. Fugate.....	James Memorial Church .....	606-438-0153
Eld. Mark Gayheart.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-339-5416
Bro. Douglas Gibson.....	Big Creek Church.....	317-462-1248
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Eld. Bill Halcomb .....	Northern New Home Church .....	513-896-6800
Eld. Scotty Halcomb .....	Big Leatherwood Church .....	606-671-1121
Eld. Jason Hall .....	Friendship Church .....	606-871-0108
Eld. Jimmy W. Hall.....	Little Hannah Church .....	606-369-6758
Eld. Billy Hamilton.....	Little Rosa Church .....	859-494-4645
Bro. Danny Hamilton.....	Little Hannah Church .....	606-437-5036
Bro. Scott Hamilton .....	Little Hannah Church .....	304-688-3067
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Bro. Willard Hicks .....	Little Flock Church .....	304-967-7073
Eld. Robert Holcomb .....	Blair Branch Church .....	606-634-0030
Eld. Joshua Huff.....	Little Zion Church.....	606-497-6643
Bro. Dean Jacobs .....	Happy Home Church.....	606-642-4068
Bro. Paul Jacobs .....	Left Beaver Church .....	606-616-1032
Eld. David Jent.....	Bull Creek Church.....	606-634-5600
Bro. James Jent .....	Bull Creek Church.....	606-633-4200
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Eld. Stephen Lyall.....	Little David Church.....	276-865-4075
Eld. David Maggard.....	McRoberts Church .....	606-589-4173
Bro. Clovis Manns .....	Left Beaver Church .....	606-358-9162
Eld. James Manns .....	Northern New Home Church .....	937-728-7445
Eld. James McClanahan.....	Bethlehem Church.....	276-935-4056
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Eld. Buster Mullins .....	Little David Church.....	276-865-4228
Eld. Dean Mullins .....	Summertown Church .....	606-476-8579
Eld. Greg Mullins.....	Summertown Church .....	606-476-8325
Eld. Eddie Newsome.....	Sweet Home Church .....	276-865-4410
Eld. Frank Newsome.....	Little David Church.....	276-597-7945
Eld. Jerry Newsome .....	Caney Fork Church .....	276-865-7123
Eld. David O'Quinn.....	Sweet Home Church .....	276-835-1761
Bro. Johnny Patrick.....	Reynolds Fork Church .....	606-785-3395
Bro. Roy Patrick.....	New Home Church.....	606-785-5476
Eld. Layton Phipps.....	Northern New Home Church .....	513-877-2210
Bro. John Wayne Potter .....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-285-0960
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Eld. Jeffery A. Roark.....	James Memorial Church .....	606-335-5341
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**MINISTERS (Continued)**

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>CHURCH</u></b>	<b><u>PHONE</u></b>
Eld. Willie Slone .....	Mount Olive Church .....	606-768-4693
Eld. Michael Smallwood.....	Little Bethany Church .....	859-274-6676
Eld. Homer Smith .....	Dixon Memorial Church .....	606-633-0281
Eld. Wayne Smith .....	Blair Branch Church .....	859-753-5573
Eld. Glenn Spradlin.....	Left Beaver Church .....	606-624-5205
Bro. Danny Stanley.....	Sweet Home Church .....	276-395-4907
Eld. Darrell Stidham .....	Chester Hogg Mem. Church .....	812-256-5502
Bro. Kenneth Stumbo.....	Ivy Point Church .....	606-791-7361
Eld. Scottie Swiney .....	Sweet Home Church .....	276-597-2423
Eld. Eugene Thacker .....	Ivy Point Church .....	606-785-0784
Eld. Keith Tipton.....	Little Jewel Church .....	606-465-2184
Eld. Corey Watson .....	Little Dove Church.....	606-438-1808
Eld. Paul Watson .....	Little Zion Church.....	606-497-8875
Bro. Austin Whitaker .....	Dixon Memorial Church .....	502-682-6224
Eld. Rulah Whitaker.....	Mount Olive Church .....	270-866-4742
Eld. Ray Williamson .....	Northern New Home Church .....	937-477-7662
Eld. Ross Wright .....	Little Zion Church.....	606-632-9159
Eld. Alfred Yates .....	Emmanuel Church.....	276-870-1947
Eld. Danny Yates.....	Sweet Home Church .....	276-597-2304
Eld. Jimmy Yates.....	Bethlehem Church.....	276-254-1469
Eld. Tony Yates .....	Emmanuel Church.....	276-597-8290

**DEACONS**

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>CHURCH</u></b>	<b><u>PHONE</u></b>
Bro. Frank Adams .....	New Home Church.....	606-785-3750
Bro. Jimmie Adams.....	Mount Olivet Church .....	606-642-3754
Bro. Frank Adkins.....	Left Beaver Church .....	606-452-4232
Bro. Cornell Amburgey.....	Little Zion Church.....	606-785-4243
Bro. Danny Amburgey .....	Little Dove Church.....	606-642-3977
Bro. Harvey Amburgey .....	New Home Church.....	606-785-0980
Bro. James H. Amburgey .....	Reynolds Fork Church .....	606-634-3848
Bro. Ishmael Bailey .....	Little Hannah Church .....	606-478-3746
Bro. Dennis Blair .....	Blair Branch Church .....	606-633-9369
Bro. Randy Blair .....	Mount Olivet Church .....	606-633-4393
Bro. Kermit Blankenship .....	Little David Church.....	276-597-0131
Bro. Larry Blankenship.....	Little David Church.....	276-597-7779
Bro. Terry Boggs.....	Kingdom Come Church .....	606-633-4357
Bro. Danny Branham .....	McRoberts Church .....	606-832-0007
Bro. Lon Bryant .....	Little Jewel Church .....	606-473-6622
Bro. Jeff Case .....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-377-6434
Bro. Ricky Casebolt.....	Ivy Point Church .....	606-785-9867
Bro. C. J. Caudill.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-438-9547
Bro. Walter Caudill .....	Kingdom Come Church .....	606-633-8375
Bro. Eugene Collins.....	Cedar Grove Church .....	606-633-4825
Bro. Phillip Combs.....	Tolson Creek Church.....	606-634-3619
Bro. Shawn Cook.....	Tolson Creek Church.....	606-335-2077
Bro. Leslie Cox .....	Rock Fork Church .....	606-946-2547
Bro. David Deel .....	Bethlehem Church.....	276-971-5391
Bro. Nolan Deel .....	Caney Fork Church .....	276-865-4411
Bro. Clinton Eldridge.....	Northern New Home Church .....	812-932-3180
Bro. Harlin Eldridge.....	Friendship Church .....	606-594-9484
Bro. Brian Everage.....	New Bethlehem Church .....	606-642-3020
Bro. Clifford Fields .....	Bull Creek Church.....	606-634-9858
Bro. Harry Francis .....	Northern New Home Church .....	513-422-9971
Bro. Jerry Fuller .....	Emmanuel Church.....	276-883-6080
Bro. Drexal Hall.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-377-6841
Bro. Ronnie Harrison.....	Little Jewel Church .....	606-375-4871
Bro. Levi Howell .....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-432-0934
Bro. Arlie Jackson.....	Rock Fork Church .....	606-358-4941

## DEACONS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
Bro. Roger Jamison.....	Little Jewel Church .....	606-473-9900
Bro. Phillip Jude.....	Little Martha Church.....	606-390-2006
Bro. Odell Long .....	Big Leatherwood Church .....	606-589-5997
Bro. Jack Martin.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-285-0039
Bro. Neil Martin.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-285-3985
Bro. William J. McCool .....	Little Zion Church.....	606-633-0383
Bro. Oliver Mullins .....	Mount Olivet Church .....	606-642-3691
Bro. Kenneth Newman.....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-587-2418
Bro. Doug O'Quinn .....	Little David Church.....	276-865-4634
Bro. Guy Parks.....	Blair Branch Church.....	502-671-3782
Bro. Danny Rice.....	Little Dove Church.....	606-634-9341
Bro. Jim Radford Rice .....	Bethlehem Church.....	276-935-3625
Bro. Harvey Ross, Jr .....	Bethany Church.....	304-633-2540
Bro. Cecil Setser .....	Little Martha Church.....	606-716-1836
Bro. Joshua Shelton .....	Bethlehem Church.....	276-935-6135
Bro. Dwayne Sloane .....	Little Rosa Church .....	606-377-2525
Bro. Arthur Slone .....	New Bethlehem Church .....	606-785-0357
Bro. Devon Slone.....	Little Dove Church.....	606-497-5252
Bro. Hillis Slone.....	Mount Olive Church .....	606-447-2268
Bro. David Smith .....	Happy Home Church.....	812-342-3834
Bro. Keith Smith .....	Defeated Creek Church .....	606-633-4181
Bro. Major H. Sparks .....	Thornton Church .....	606-633-2926
Bro. Cornelius Tuttle.....	Rock Fork Church .....	606-886-3062
Bro. Johnny Watson .....	New Home Church.....	859-398-9014
Bro. Freddie Watts .....	Cedar Grove Church .....	606-633-8852
Bro. Rick Whitaker .....	Cedar Grove Church .....	606-633-5800

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### BETHANY CHURCH

1029 Chestnut Street, Kenova, WV 25530

**Moderator:**

Elder Keith Tipton  
2108 Thomas Street  
Ashland, KY 41101  
Phone: 606-465-2184

**Clerk:**

Fred Ross  
1924 Beech Street  
Kenova, WV 25530  
Phone: 304-633-3211

**Treasurer:**

Fred Ross  
1924 Beech Street  
Kenova, WV 25530  
Phone: 304-633-3211

Regular meeting time: First Saturday (April through August), and Sunday.

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Nelson Craft, Keith Tipton, Elwood Cornett.

Communion meeting: To be held in conjunction with and at the Little Jewel Church on the fourth Sunday in June.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in October, 2023.

Ministers called: Bill Halcomb, Layton Phipps, Ray Williamson.

Ministers called for various meetings:

January: John P. Church, Marty Carty.

February: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Keith Tipton.

March: Randy Looney, John P. Church, Marty Carty.

April: Greg Mullins, Dean Mullins, Jim Fields.

June: Danny Dixon, Keith Tipton.

July: Marty Carty, Keith Tipton.

August: Willie Crase, Jr., Daryl Slone.

September, 2023: John P. Church, Keith Tipton.

November, 2023: Willie Crase, Jr., Daryl Slone, Freddy Compton.

December, 2023: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Keith Tipton.

### BETHLEHEM CHURCH

1082 Bethlehem Church Rd., Grundy, VA 24614

**Moderator:**

Elder Jim Blankenship  
2081 Popular Creek Rd.  
Grundy, VA 24614  
Phone: 276-935-6393

**Clerk:**

James Stump  
1061 Foot Hills Road  
Grundy, VA 24614  
Phone: 276-935-8251

**Treasurer:**

Jonathan Deel  
2057 Airport Rd.  
Vansant, VA 24656  
Phone: 276-701-4768

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Easter Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

First Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### BETHLEHEM CHURCH (Continued)

#### Ministers:

Elder Jim Blankenship  
2081 Poplar Creek Rd.  
Grundy, VA 24614  
Phone: 276-935-6393

Elder Austin Bradley  
P.O. Box 113  
Breaks, VA 24607  
Phone: 276-210-4655

Elder James McClanahan  
1016 Wonderland Rd.  
Grundy, VA 24614  
Phone: 276-935-4056

Elder Jimmy Yates  
P.O. Box 405  
Rosedale, VA 24280  
Phone: 276-254-1469

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Emory Caudill, Roger Fields, Daryl Slone, Roy Slone.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, David O'Quinn, Ronnie Robinson, Ross Wright.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Buster Mullins, Danny Yates, home ministers.

### BIG COWAN CHURCH

5968 Highway 931 S., Whitesburg, KY 41858

#### Moderator:

Elder Paul Watson  
P.O. Box 2  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-497-8875

#### Clerk:

Curtis Caudill  
1366 Highway 2035  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 859-388-4780

#### Treasurer:

Jay McCool  
315 Campbelltown Rd.  
Cornettsville, KY. 41731  
Phone: 606-633-0383

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Second Sunday at 5:00 p.m.  
(May through October)

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Corey Watson, David O'Quinn, Mike Smallwood, Eddie Newsome.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Willie Crase, Jr., Willie Slone.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Roy Slone, Jim Fields, Elwood Cornett, Eddie Creech.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### BIG CREEK CHURCH

8429 North, 650 West Dupont, IN 47231

**Moderator:**

Elder Layton Phipps  
9577 Jackson Runyon Rd.  
Pleasant Plain, OH 45162  
Phone: 513-877-2210

**Clerk:**

Dave Eldridge  
6164 W. Brownstown Rd.  
Osgood, IN 47037  
Phone: 812-363-2600

**Treasurer:**

Dave Eldridge  
6164 W. Brownstown Rd.  
Osgood, IN 47037  
Phone: 812-363-2600

Regular meeting time: Third Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Bro. Douglas Gibson  
404 Cherry Street  
Greenfield, IN 46140  
Phone: 317-462-1248

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Bill Halcomb, Ray Williamson, Layton Phipps.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Jim Fields.

Ministers called for various meetings:

January: Arthur Amburgey, Darrell Stidham.

March: Felden Ruggles, Jr.

April: Willie Crase, Jr.

May: Elwood Cornett.

June: Vergle Caudill, Wallace Bolling.

September, 2023: Marty Carty.

October, 2023: Darrell Stidham, Arthur Amburgey.

December, 2023: Marty Carty.

### BIG LEATHERWOOD CHURCH

175 Little Leatherwood Creek Rd., Cornettsville, KY 41731

**Moderator:**

Elder Danny Dixon  
11476 Hwy. 7 South  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-634-6680

**Clerk:**

Joe Polly  
5150 Ky. Hwy. 699  
Slemp, KY 41763  
Phone: 606-216-7830

**Treasurer:**

Richard Pratt  
P.O. Box 1142  
Viper, KY 41774  
Phone: 606-439-1974

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### BIG LEATHERWOOD CHURCH (Continued)

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

#### Ministers:

Elder Scotty Halcomb  
110 Halcomb Lane  
Delphia, KY 41735  
Phone: 606-671-1121

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Eddie Creech, Roger Fields, Willie Crase, Jr., Randall Branham.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Ross Wright, Elwood Cornett, Greg Creech, James Caudill, Danny Dixon, Scotty Halcomb, Daryl Slone.

### BLAIR BRANCH CHURCH

33 Blair Branch, Hwy. 7, Jeremiah, KY 41826

#### Moderator:

Elder Don Pratt  
19 Pauley Hollow  
Sassafras, KY 41759  
Phone: 606-642-3815

#### Clerk:

Bob Banks  
4625 Hwy. 7 South  
Letcher, KY 41832  
Phone: 606-633-4453

#### Treasurer:

Bob Banks  
4625 Hwy. 7 South  
Letcher, KY 41832  
Phone: 606-633-4453

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

#### Ministers:

Elder Robert Holcomb  
9538 Highway 15  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 606-634-0030

Elder Don Pratt  
19 Pauley Hollow  
Sassafras, KY 41759  
Phone: 606-642-3815

Elder Wayne Smith  
P.O. Box 14  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 859-753-5573

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Eddie Creech, Eddie Newsome, Scotty Halcomb, Willie Crase, Jr.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Toby Breeding, Mike Slone, Elwood Cornett, home ministers.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### BULL CREEK CHURCH

3005 Hwy. 3408, Blackey, KY 41804

**Moderator:**

Elder David Jent  
P.O. Box 154  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-634-5600

**Clerk:**

Earl Combs  
1365 Carcassone Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9865

**Treasurer:**

Earl Combs  
1365 Carcassone Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9865

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder David Jent  
P.O. Box 154  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-634-5600

Bro. Earl Combs  
1365 Carcassone Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9865

Bro. Clifford Fields  
P.O. Box 187  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-634-9858

Bro. Wade Fields  
P.O. Box 187  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-821-5311

Bro. James Jent  
41 Tolby Branch Rd.  
Hallie, KY 41821  
Phone: 606-633-4200

Bro. Ralph Jent  
P.O. Box 236  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-6450

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: All of the same faith and order.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Ministers called: All of the same faith and order.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Ministers called: All of the same faith and order.

Melton Cemetery: Second Sunday in June.

Jent Cemetery: Third Sunday in July.

Fields Cemetery: Sunday, July 29, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

(In case of rain, meeting will be held at the Bull Creek Church)

### CANEY FORK CHURCH

664 Rainwater Trail Rd., McClure, VA 24269

**Moderator:**

Elder Jerry Newsome  
P.O. Box 420  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-865-7123

**Clerk:**

Danny Stanley  
P.O. Box 5  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
Phone: 276-395-4907

**Treasurer:**

Nolan Deel  
692 Viers Ridge  
Birchleaf, VA 24220  
Phone: 276-865-4411

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### CANEY FORK CHURCH (Continued)

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

#### **Ministers:**

Elder Jerry Newsome  
P.O. Box 420  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-865-7123

#### **Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Danny Yates, Buster Mullins, Jimmy Yates, Randall Branham.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in August.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Robert Holcomb, David O'Quinn, Tony Yates,  
Freddy Compton.

### CEDAR GROVE CHURCH

4619 Hwy. 1103, Hallie, KY 41821

#### **Moderator:**

Elder Danny Dixon  
11476 Hwy. 7 South  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-634-6680

#### **Clerk:**

Lynn Caudill  
648 Blair Branch  
Jeremiah, KY 41826  
Phone: 513-435-3433

#### **Treasurer:**

Freddie Watts  
310 Old Dixon Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-8852

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

#### **Ministers:**

Elder Danny Dixon  
11476 Hwy. 7 South  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-634-6680

#### **Meetings:**

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Jeff Roark, Greg Creech, Eddie Creech, Eddie Newsome.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Elwood Cornett, Bill Halcomb, Danny Dixon.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### CHESTER HOGG MEMORIAL CHURCH

3709 Highway 160, Charlestown, IN 47111

**Moderator:**

Elder Arthur Amburgey  
154 First Street  
Charlestown, IN 47111  
Phone: 812-796-1426

**Clerk:**

Tim Clapp  
304 Graebe Road  
Charlestown, IN 47111  
Phone: 502-715-2491

**Treasurer:**

Larry Caudill  
20702 G'ville Borden Rd.  
Borden, IN 47106  
Phone: 812-989-3094

Regular meeting time: First Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: First Saturday in June at 5:00 p.m.

Second Sunday of each month 9:30 a.m.

Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Arthur Amburgey  
154 First Street  
Charlestown, IN 47111  
Phone: 812-796-1426

Elder Darrell Stidham  
8705 N. Dogwood Dr.  
Charlestown, IN 47111  
Phone: 812-256-5502

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Roy Slone.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Jason Hall, Elwood Cornett.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Jim Fields.

Ministers called for various meetings:

January: Jeff Combs.

February: Joshua Huff.

March: Nelson Craft, Ronnie Robinson.

July: David Jent, Randall Branham.

August: Ray Williamson, Layton Phipps, Bill Halcomb.

October, 2023: Vergle Caudill, Wallace Bolling, Ross Wright.

November, 2023: Emory Caudill, Felden Ruggles, Jr., Marty Carty.

December, 2023: Ray Williamson, Layton Phipps, Bill Halcomb.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### CLEAR FORK CHURCH

4988 Lotts Creek Rd., Hazard, KY 41701

**Moderator:**

Elder Jeff Combs  
P.O. Box 280  
Bulan, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-785-4482

**Clerk:**

Tim Ritchie  
7680 Vest Talcum Rd.  
Talcum, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-276-2863

**Treasurer:**

Jeff Combs  
P.O. Box 280  
Bulan, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-785-4482

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.  
Appointed meeting time: Odd Saturday at 6:00 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Jeff Combs  
P.O. Box 280  
Bulan, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-785-4482

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Ray Williamson, Nelson Craft, Allen Fugate, Earl Combs.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Tim Ritchie, Mickey Amburgey, Greg Mullins.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in October, 2023.

Ministers called: Johnny Patrick, Danny Dixon, Daryl Slone, David Jent, Eddie Newsome.

### DEFEATED CREEK CHURCH

830 Defeated Creek, Linefork, KY 41833

**Moderator:**

Elder Roger Fields  
2656 Defeated Creek  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-0871

**Clerk:**

Keith Smith  
1470 Defeated Creek  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-4181

**Treasurer:**

Keith Smith  
1470 Defeated Creek  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-4181

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.  
Appointed meeting time: Friday before the second Saturday in May at 7:00 p.m.

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Scotty Halcomb, Daryl Slone, Eddie Creech, Wallace Bolling, Danny Dixon.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in August.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### DEFEATED CREEK CHURCH (Continued)

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Toby Breeding, Greg Creech, Elwood Cornett, Roger Fields, Emory Caudill, Bill Halcomb, Gary Halcomb.

### DIXON MEMORIAL CHURCH

20 Powder Drive, Hwy. 7, Jeremiah, KY 41826

**Moderator:**

Elder Homer Smith  
218 Sycamore Loop  
Jeremiah, KY 41826  
Phone: 606-633-0281

**Clerk:**

Earl Combs  
1365 Carcassonne Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9865

**Treasurer:**

Earl Combs  
1365 Carcassonne Rd.  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9865

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder Homer Smith  
218 Sycamore Loop  
Jeremiah, KY 41826  
Phone: 606-633-0281

Bro. Wayne Fields  
1355 Hwy. 3277  
Nancy, KY 42544  
Phone: 606-872-2521

Bro. Austin Whitaker  
337 Buck Rail Rd.  
Nancy, KY 42544  
Phone: 502-682-6224

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Ross Wright, Jeff Roark, Dean Mullins, Greg Mullins.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Randall Branham, Jeff Combs.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: James Caudill, Mike Melton.

Memorial at Spring Branch Cemetery at 10:00 a.m.: Second Sunday in June.

(In case of inclement weather, the Memorial will be held at the Dixon Memorial Church.)

Memorial at Dixon, Back and Smith Cemetery at 9:00 a.m.: Fourth Sunday in May.

### EMMANUEL CHURCH

5423 Big Ridge Rd., Haysi, VA 24256

**Moderator:**

Elder Toby Bailey  
296 Aaron's Drive  
Birchleaf, VA 24220  
Phone: 276-865-4215

**Clerk:**

Jerry Fuller  
653 Willow Springs Dr.  
Lebanon, VA 24266  
Phone: 276-883-6080

**Treasurer:**

Alfred Yates  
2486 Breaks Park Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-870-1947

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### EMMANUEL CHURCH (Continued)

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

#### Ministers:

Elder Toby Bailey  
296 Aaron's Drive  
Birchleaf, Va 24220  
Phone: 276-865-4215

Elder Carvel Edwards  
9287 Lake Road  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
Phone: 276-835-8563

Elder Alfreed Yates  
2486 Breaks Park Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-870-1947

Elder Tony Yates  
1801 Old Greenbrier Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone 276-597-8290

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Danny Yates, Eddie Newsome, Buster Mullins.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Jim Blankenship, Austin Bradley, Danny Dixon.

### FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

101 Clydesdale Rd., Waynesburg, KY 40484

#### Moderator:

Elder Emory Caudill  
168 Emory Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-4316

#### Clerk:

Jason Hall  
25 Cundiff Rd.  
Nancy, KY 42544  
Phone: 606-871-0108

#### Treasurer:

Harlin Eldridge  
372 Planters Way  
Somerset, KY 42503  
Phone: 606-594-9484

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

#### Ministers:

Elder Frank Fouts  
P.O. Box 156  
Eubank, KY 42567  
Phone: 606-379-0935

Elder Jason Hall  
25 Cundiff Rd.  
Nancy, KY 42544  
Phone: 606-871-0108

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Mike Melton, Ronnie Robinson.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### FRIENDSHIP CHURCH (Continued)

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, Jeff Roark.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Allen Fugate, Randall Branham.

Ministers called for various meetings:

January: Eddie Creech.

February: Mike Smallwood, Ray Williamson.

March: Roy Slone, Allen Fugate.

April: Jim Fields, Daryl Slone.

July: Bill Halcomb, Layton Phipps.

September, 2023: Toby Breeding.

October, 2023: Jeff Combs, Paul Watson.

November, 2023: Randall Branham, Ross Wright.

December, 2023: Vergle Caudill, Jeff Combs.

### HAPPY HOME CHURCH

50 Happy Home Church Rd., Amburgey, KY 41773

**Moderator:**

Elder Don Pratt  
19 Pauley Hollow  
Sassafras, KY 41759  
Phone: 606-642-3815

**Clerk:**

William Cook  
44 Wooden Peg Lane  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-642-3388

**Treasurer:**

William Cook  
44 Wooden Peg Lane  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-642-3388

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Brother Dean Jacobs  
P.O. Box 175  
Litt Carr, KY 41834  
Phone: 606-642-4068

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Joshua Huff, Marty Carty, Felden Ruggles, Jr., Willie Slone.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Freddy Compton, H.B. Reedy, Jr., Corey Watson.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Greg Mullins, Roy Slone, Ross Wright.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### IVY POINT CHURCH

4115 East Hwy. 550, Garner, KY 41817

**Moderator:**

Elder Eugene Thacker  
31 Slone-Thacker Cem.Rd.  
Garner, KY 41817  
Phone: 606-785-0784

**Clerk:**

Tim Cornett  
P.O. Box 583  
Carie, KY 41725  
Phone: 606-785-3541

**Treasurer:**

James Mosley  
P.O. Box 357  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-634-3326

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.  
Appointed meeting time: First Sunday at 6:00 p.m.  
Odd Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Tim Cornett  
P.O. Box 583  
Carrie, KY 41725  
Phone: 606-785-3541

Elder Eugene Thacker  
31 Slone-Thacker Cem.Rd.  
Garner, KY 41817  
Phone: 606-785-0784

Bro. Kenneth Stumbo  
270 University Drive  
Prestonsburg, KY 41653  
Phone: 606-791-7361

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Roy Patrick, Ronnie Robinson, Dean Mullins.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Johnny Patrick, Allen Fugate, Ross Wright.

### JAMES MEMORIAL CHURCH

3294 Hwy. 3408, Blackey, KY 41804

**Moderator:**

Elder Emory Caudill  
168 Emory Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-4316

**Clerk:**

Brian Roark  
587 Elk View Lane  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-634-7161

**Treasurer:**

Jeff Roark  
250 Cherokee Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-335-5341

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Friday before second Saturday in April and September at 7:00 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Allen M. Fugate  
8177 Hwy. 7 South  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-438-0153

Elder Jeff Roark  
250 Cherokee Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-335-5341

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### JAMES MEMORIAL CHURCH (Continued)

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Tim Ritchie, Mike Melton, Josh Bell, Robert Holcomb,  
Roy Patrick, Ralph Jent.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Jason Hall, Eddie Creech, Scotty Halcomb.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Toby Breeding, Don Pratt, Elwood Cornett, home ministers.

Whitaker Cemetery Memorial meetng: Second Sunday in Sept. at 9:30 a.m.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Danny Dixon, Earl Combs, home ministers.

### KINGDOM COME CHURCH

5250 Hwy. 588, Premium, KY 41845

#### Moderator:

Elder Roger Fields  
2656 Defeated Creek  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-0871

#### Clerk:

Mike Melton  
16 Branded Drive  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-216-1893

#### Treasurer:

Terry Boggs  
165 Scuttlehole Gap Rd.  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-633-4357

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Wallace Bolling  
274 Klenco Road  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-634-1612

Elder Roger Fields  
2656 Defeated Creek  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-0871

Bro. Clifford Gilbert  
Linefork, KY 41833  
Phone: 606-633-9563

Bro. Mike Melton  
16 Branded Drive  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-216-1893

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Bill Halcomb, Allen Fugate, Ray Williamson, Vergle Caudill,  
Jim Blankenship, Randall Branham, Ronnie Robinson, Willie Crase, Jr.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### KINGDOM COME CHURCH (Continued)

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Nelson Craft, Roy Slone, Joshua Huff, H.B. Reedy, Jr.,  
Felden Ruggles, Jr., home ministers.

George Ison Cemetery Memorial Meeting: Second Sunday in August at 9:30 a.m.

### LEFT BEAVER CHURCH

1257 KY Route 122, Martin, KY 41649

#### Moderator:

Elder John P. Church  
487 Little Creek Rd.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-639-0669

#### Clerk:

Frank Adkins  
2475 Rt. 1498  
Bevinsville, KY 41606  
Phone: 606-452-4232

#### Treasurer:

Frank Adkins  
2475 Rt. 1498  
Bevinsville, KY 41606  
Phone: 606-452-4232

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Odd Saturday at 6:00 p.m. (April through October)

#### Ministers:

Elder John P. Church  
487 Little Creek Rd.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-639-0669

Elder Glenn Spradlin  
1667 Cedgap Rd.  
Louisa, KY 41230  
Phone: 606-624-5205

Bro. Paul Jacobs  
628 Harold Branch Rd.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-616-1032

Bro. Clovis Mann  
165 Reeds Branch  
Hueysville, KY 41640  
Phone: 606-358-9162

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Mickey Amburgey, Eddie Newsome, Danny Hamilton.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Marty Slone, Freddy Compton, Wallace Bolling, Nelson Craft.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Clinton Moore, Randall Branham, John P. Church, Mike Smallwood.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE BETHANY CHURCH

1605 Sawmill Road, Jeffersonville, KY 40337

**Moderator:**

Elder Mike Smallwood  
11655 Hope Means Road  
Means, KY 40346  
Phone: 859-274-6676

**Clerk:**

Willie Slone  
433 Potterville Rd.  
Means, KY 40346  
Phone: 859-481-2136

**Treasurer:**

Mike Smallwood  
11655 Hope Means Rd.  
Means, KY 40346  
Phone: 859-274-6676

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: First Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Easter Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Mike Smallwood  
11655 Hope Means Rd.  
Means, KY 40346  
Phone: 859-274-6676

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Eugene Thacker, Don Pratt, Allen Fugate.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in August.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Marty Carty.

### LITTLE BETHLEHEM

4925 South Highway 160, Litt Carr, KY 41834

**Moderator:**

Elder Don Pratt  
19 Pauley Hollow  
Sassafras, KY 41759  
Phone: 606-642-3815

**Clerk:**

John Reedy  
49 Reedy Drive  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-335-3214

**Treasurer:**

John Reedy  
49 Reedy Drive  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-335-3214

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder Bobby Amburgey  
1810 Highway 582  
Pinetop, KY 41843  
Phone: 606-785-4043

Elder H.B. Reedy, Jr.  
235 Saratoga Circle  
Richmond, KY 40475  
Phone: 859-314-7573

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE BETHLEHEM (Continued)

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Freddy Compton, Eddie Creech, Eddie Newsome, Nelson Craft.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Randall Branham, Roger Fields.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Roy Slone, Roy Patrick, Mickey Amburgey.

### LITTLE DAVID CHURCH

1093 Bear Branch Rd., Vansant, VA 24656

#### Moderator:

Elder Frank Newsome  
1050 Willie Yates Road  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-7945

#### Clerk:

Mike Mullins  
179 Big Branch Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-865-2093

#### Treasurer:

Stephen Lyall  
489 Snoda Lane  
Clinchco, VA 24226  
Phone: 276-865-4075

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Ronnie Deel  
1237 Old Springs Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-2288

Elder Stephen Lyall  
489 Snoda Lane  
Clinchco, VA 24226  
Phone: 276-865-4075

Elder Buster Mullins  
846 Bartlick Road  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-865-4228

Elder Frank Newsome  
1050 Willie Yates Road  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-7945

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Alfred Yates, Ross Wright, Randall Branham, Eddie Newsome.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Jimmy Yates, Danny Yates, Jim Blankenship, Austin Bradley.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE DOVE CHURCH

753 Sassafras Creek Rd., Sassafras, KY 41759

**Moderator:**

Elder Ronnie Robinson  
206 Dovetail Lane  
Red Fox, KY 41847  
Phone: 606-497-5809

**Clerk:**

Danny Rice  
P.O. Box 21  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-634-9341

**Treasurer:**

Danny Rice  
P.O. Box 21  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-634-9341

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder Ronnie Robinson  
206 Dovetail Lane  
Red Fox, KY 41847  
Phone: 606-497-5809

Elder Corey Watson  
12451 Hwy. 899  
Raven, KY 41861  
Phone: 606-438-1808

Brother John L. Collins  
10865 Highway 15  
Jeremiah, KY 41826  
606-633-9629

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Jim Blankenship, Austin Bradley, Toby Breeding.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Eddie Creech, Marty Carty, Daryl Slone, Scotty Halcomb.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Willie Crase, Jr., Danny Dixon, Robert Holcomb, Hiram Johnson, Jr.

### LITTLE FLOCK CHURCH

George Jewell Rd., Paynesville, WV 24873

**Moderator:**

Elder Michael Hagerman  
136 Petticoat Jct. Rd.  
Paynesville, WV 24873  
Phone: 304-308-8090

**Clerk:**

Allen Hagerman  
121 Gray Squirrel Rd.  
Paynesville, WV 24873  
Phone: 304-967-5822

**Treasurer:**

Allen Hagerman  
121 Gray Squirrel Rd.  
Paynesville, WV 24873  
Phone: 304-967-5822

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: First Sunday at 6:00 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Allen Hagerman  
121 Gray Squirrel Rd.  
Paynesville, WV 24873  
Phone: 304-967-5822

Elder Michael Hagerman  
136 Petticoat Jct. Rd.  
Paynesville, WV 24873  
Phone: 304-308-8090

Bro. Aaron Hagerman  
665 East 600 North  
Columbia City, IN 46725  
Phone: 309-212-6605

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE FLOCK CHURCH (Continued)

Bro. Anthony Hagerman  
4575 W. 900  
Ligonier, IN 46767  
Phone: 260-237-0000

Bro. Willard Hicks  
P.O. Box 274  
Paynesville, KY 24873  
Phone: 304-967-7073

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Danny Hamilton, Ronnie Robinson, Scott Hamilton.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, Jim Fields, Roy Slone, Clinton Moore, Bill Hamilton.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Freddy Compton, Randy Looney, Toby Bailey.

John R. Hicks Memorial: Fourth Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Randy Looney, Danny Hamilton, Scott Hamilton, Michael Hagerman.

### LITTLE HANNAH CHURCH

331 Left Fork of Island Creek, Pikeville, KY 41501

#### Moderator:

Elder Jimmy Hall  
P.O. Box 884  
Jenkins, KY 41537  
Phone: 606-369-6758

#### Clerk:

Danny Hamilton  
1881 Lft. Fk. Island Cr.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-437-5036

#### Treasurer:

Danny Hamilton  
1881 Lft. Fk. Island Cr.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-437-5036

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Starting in January, 2023, church will be held every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Jimmy Hall  
P.O. Box 884  
Jenkins, KY 41537  
Phone: 606-369-6758

Elder Bobby Boyd  
116 Maple Hill Dr.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-213-0807

Bro. Danny Hamilton  
1881 Lft. Fk. Island Cr.  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-437-5036

Bro. Scott Hamilton  
228 Hamilton Drive  
Logan, WV 25601  
Phone: 304-688-3067

Bro. Randy Looney  
3400 Dreaming Creek Rd.  
Concord, VA 24538  
Phone: 276-608-1084

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in October, 2023.

Ministers called: Shawn Jude, Felden Ruggles, Jr., Eddie Newsome, David O'Quinn.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE HANNAH CHURCH (Continued)

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Wallace Bolling, John Wayne Potter, Roy Slone.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Ross Wright, John P. Church, Paul Watson, Danny Dixon.

Ministers called for various meetings:

Second Sunday in January: Ricky Akers, Clinton Moore.

Second Sunday in February: Roy Slone, Freddy Compton.

Second Sunday in March: Daryl Slone, Willie Crase, Jr.

Second Sunday in April: Scotty Halcomb.

Second Sunday in May: Kenneth Stumbo, Eugene Thacker.

Second Sunday in July: H.B. Reedy, Jr., Glenn Spradlin.

Second Sunday in August: Randall Branham, Marty Carty.

Second Sunday in November, 2023: Marty Slone, Nelson Craft.

Second Sunday in December, 2023: Elwood Cornett, Jim Fields.

### LITTLE JEWEL CHURCH

204 Ky. Street, Ashland, KY 41102

**Moderator:**

Elder Keith Tipton  
2108 Thomas Street  
Ashland, KY 41101  
Phone: 606-465-2184

**Clerk:**

Roger Jamison  
43 Joe's Branch  
Greenup, KY 41144  
Phone: 606-473-9900

**Treasurer:**

Roger Jamison  
43 Joe's Branch  
Greenup, KY 41144  
Phone: 606-473-9900

Regular meeting time: Fourth Sunday and the Wed. prior to fourth Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Second Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Third Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Keith Tipton  
2108 Thomas Street  
Ashland, KY 41101  
Phone: 606-465-2184

Bro. Marty Carty  
3668 Brody Lane  
Ashland, KY 41102  
Phone: 614-579-4323

Bro. Felden Ruggles, Jr.  
3910 County Rd. 21  
Ironton, OH 45638  
Phone: 740-532-3392

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: (Saturday 6:30 p.m.) Daryl Slone, Willie Crase, Jr.

(Sunday 9:30 a.m.) Elwood Cornett, Scotty Halcomb, Emory Caudill, Corey Watson.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in June.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE JEWEL CHURCH (Continued)

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in October, 2023.

Ministers called: Clinton Moore, Roy Slone, Ronnie Robinson.

Ministers called for various meeting:

Third Sunday in March: Ronnie Robinson, Freddy Compton.

Third Sunday in May: Jim Fields, Ray Williamson, Vergle Caudill.

Third Sunday in June: Eugene Thacker, Paul Watson, Daryl Slone.

Second Sunday in July: Nelson Craft, Joshua Huff, Mike Smallwood.

Third Sunday in July: Earl Slone, Bo Craft, John P. Church.

Third Sunday in August: Vergle Caudill, Bill Hamilton, Ross Wright.

Fourth Sunday in September, 2023: Jim Blankenship, Eddie Newsome, Wallace Bolling.

Fourth Sunday in November, 2023: Freddy Compton, Willie Slone, Shawn Jude.

### LITTLE MARTHA CHURCH

1641 North Wolf Creek, Pilgrim, KY 41250

#### Moderator:

Elder Shawn Jude  
712 Sam Hale Br.  
Blue River, KY 41607  
Phone: 606-791-5185

#### Clerk:

James Robinson  
3411 Ky. Rt. 3224  
River, KY 41254  
Phone: 606-793-4220

#### Treasurer:

Cecil Setser  
710 Long Fork  
Pikeville, KY 41501  
Phone: 606-716-1836

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Third Sunday at 11:00.

#### Ministers:

Elder Shawn Jude  
712 Sam Hale Branch  
Blue River, KY 41607  
Phone: 606-791-5185

Bro. Paul Blevins  
3582 N. Big Creek Road  
Hatfield, KY 41514  
Phone: 606-471-5200

Bro. James Robinson  
3411 Ky. Rt. 3224  
River, KY 41254  
Phone: 606-793-4220

#### Meetings:

Union meetings: First Saturday and Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Marty Carty, Glenn Spradlin.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in May.

Ministers called: John P. Church, Jimmy Hall, Danny Hamilton, Kenneth Stumbo.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: All of the same faith and order.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE ROSA CHURCH

872 Rt. 680, McDowell, KY 41647

**Moderator:**

Elder Clinton Moore  
147 Frasure Creek  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-377-6446

**Clerk:**

Jeff Brown  
1528 Town Branch  
Prestonsburg, KY 41653  
Phone: 606-263-8023

**Treasurer:**

Jeff Case  
P.O. Box 365  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-377-6434

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.  
Appointed meeting time: Third Sunday at 10:00 a.m.  
Odd Sunday at 10:00 a.m.  
Christmas day at 3:00 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Kevin Bartley  
P.O. Box 819  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-339-9058

Elder Mark Gayheart  
P.O. Box 880  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-339-5416

Elder Billy Hamilton  
843 Ky. Rt. 680  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-494-4645

Elder Clinton Moore  
147 Frasure Creek  
McDowell, KY 41647  
Phone: 606-377-6446

Bro. Ricky Akers  
P.O. Box 206  
Grethel, KY 41631  
Phone: 606-587-2675

Bro. John W. Potter  
993 Wilson Creek  
Langley, KY 41645  
Phone: 606-285-0960

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Danny Dixon, David O'Quinn, Eddie Newsome, Joshua Huff.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Willie Crase, Jr., Jim Blankenship, Randall Branham.

### LITTLE SAMUEL MEMORIAL CHURCH

492 Pecan Street, Hazard, Ky. 41701

**Moderator:**

Elder Scotty Halcomb  
110 Halcomb Lane  
Delphia, KY 41735  
Phone: 606-671-1121

**Clerk:**

Jeff Pratt  
122 Elm Creek Lane  
Viper, KY 41774  
Phone: 606-439-0282

**Treasurer:**

Scotty Halcomb  
110 Halcomb Lane  
Delphia, KY 41735  
Phone: 606-671-1121

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### LITTLE SAMUEL MEMORIAL CHURCH (Continued)

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Jeff Roark, Joshua Huff, Eddie Creech, Ross Wright.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Randall Branham, Roy Slone, Toby Breeding.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: James Caudill, Greg Creech, Don Pratt, Jim Fields, Eddie Newsome.

### LITTLE ZION CHURCH

161 Upper Doty Branch Rd., Happy, KY 41746

#### Moderator:

Elder Jim Fields  
966 Tolby Branch  
Hallie, KY 41821  
Phone: 606-633-7014

#### Clerk:

Joshua Huff  
201 Zion Church Rd.  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-497-6643

#### Treasurer:

Jay McCool  
315 Campbell Town Rd.  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-633-0383

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Fourth Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Jim Fields  
966 Tolby Branch  
Hallie, KY 41821  
Phone: 606-633-7014

Elder Joshua Huff  
201 Zion Church Rd.  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-497-6643

Elder Paul Watson  
P.O. Box 2  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-497-8875

Elder Ross Wright  
36 Muriel Drive  
Cornettsville, KY 41731  
Phone: 606-632-9159

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in March.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, Jim Blankenship, Eddie Newsome, Willie Crase, Jr.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Marty Carty, Roy Slone, Daryl Slone.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Bill Halcomb, Danny Dixon, David O'Quinn, Felden Ruggles, Jr.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### McROBERTS CHURCH

192 Veterans Blvd., McRoberts, KY 41835

**Moderator:**

Elder Randall Branham  
P.O. Box 151  
McRoberts, KY 41835  
Phone: 606-832-4771

**Clerk:**

Danny Branham  
236 Morning Glory Lane  
McRoberts, KY 41835  
Phone: 606-832-0007

**Treasurer:**

Randall Branham  
P.O. Box 151  
McRoberts, KY 41835  
Phone: 606-832-4771

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Fourth Sunday in April and September at 6:00 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Randall Branham  
P.O. Box 151  
McRoberts, KY 41835  
Phone: 606-832-4771

Elder David Maggard  
15828 Hwy. 119 South  
Partridge, KY 40862  
Phone: 606-589-4173

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Mike Melton, Don Pratt, Jimmy Yates, Wayne Smith, Roy Patrick.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: John P. Church, Nelson Craft, H.B. Reedy, Jr., Toby Breeding.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Eddie Creech, Jim Blankenship, Eddie Newsome, Clinton Moore.

Maggard Cemetery Memorial: First Sunday in June at 2:00 p.m.

Ministers called: Randall Branham, Eddie Creech, Jim Fields, Elwood Cornett.

### MOUNT OLIVE CHURCH

30 Mt. Olive Church Rd., Garner, KY 41817

**Moderator:**

Elder Freddy Compton  
P.O. Box 170  
Allen, KY 41601  
Phone: 606-874-9293

**Clerk:**

Roy Slone  
P.O. Box 177  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 606-633-0246

**Treasurer:**

Roy Slone  
P.O. Box 177  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 606-633-0246

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Friday before second Saturday in April and October at 7:00 p.m.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### MOUNT OLIVE CHURCH (Continued)

#### Ministers:

Elder Freddy Compton  
P.O. Box 170  
Allen, KY 41601  
Phone: 606-874-9298

Elder Willie Slone  
433 Pottersville Rd.  
Means, KY 40346  
Phone: 606-768-4693

Elder Rulah Whitaker  
74 Sloans Lane  
Nancy, KY 42544  
Phone: 270-866-4742

Bro. Delbert Johnson  
7758 E. Hwy. 550  
Garner, KY 41817  
Phone: 606-276-0367

Bro. Mike Slone  
1197 Watts Fork Rd.  
Garner, KY 41817  
Phone: 606-785-3051

Bro. Roy Slone  
P.O. Box 177  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 606-633-0246

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Tim Ritchie, Roy Patrick, Don Pratt, H.B. Reedy, Jr.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Eugene Thacker and home ministers.

### MOUNT OLIVET CHURCH

13510 Hwy. 588, Blackey, KY 41804

#### Moderator:

Elder Elwood Cornett  
262 Elwood Road  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9269

#### Clerk:

Curtis Caudill  
1366 Hwy. 2035  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 859-388-4780

#### Treasurer:

Justin Caudill  
1366 Hwy. 2035  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-634-8366

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

#### Ministers:

Elder Toby Breeding  
851 Spring Branch Rd.  
Jeremiah, KY 41826  
Phone: 606-633-8836

Elder James Caudill  
P.O. Box 179  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-5415

Elder Elwood Cornett  
262 Elwood Road  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-9269

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Willie Crase, Jr., Scotty Halcomb, David O'Quinn.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in August.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Danny Dixon, Allen Fugate, home ministers.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### NEW BETHLEHEM CHURCH

9720 Vest Talcum Rd., Talcum, KY 41722

**Moderator:**

Mickey Amburgey  
3430 Possum Trot Rd.  
Leburn, KY 41831  
Phone: 606-497-6202

**Clerk:**

Tim Ritchie  
7680 Vest Talcum Rd.  
Talcum, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-276-2863

**Treasurer:**

James Creech  
200 Road Branch  
Emmaelena, KY 41740  
Phone: 606-785-4818

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Odd Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Mickey Amburgey  
3430 Possum Trot Rd.  
Leburn, KY 41831  
Phone: 606-497-6202

Elder Tim Ritchie  
7680 Vest Talcum Rd.  
Talcum, KY 41722  
Phone: 606-276-2863

Elder Marty Slone  
P.O. Box 1182  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-3077

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Allen Fugate, H.B. Reedy, Jr., Glenn Spradlin, Freddy Compton.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Jeff Combs, Greg Mullins, Eugene Thacker, Delbert Johnson.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Roy Patrick, Johnny Patrick, Roy Slone, Daryl Slone.

Ministers called for various meetings:

Third Sunday in December (Christmas service): Greg Creech, Danny Hamilton, Jim Fields, John Wayne Potter.

Odd Sunday in January: Roy Patrick, Willie Slone.

Odd Sunday in April: Joshua Huff, Robert Halcomb.

Odd Sunday in July: Earl Slone, Nelson Craft.

Odd Sunday in October, 2023: Randall Branham, David Maggard.

Odd Sunday in December, 2023: Johnny Patrick, Ricky Akers.

Memorial at Fisty Cemetery: Second Sunday in July.

Memorial at Nim Patrick Cemetery: Last Sunday in July.

Memorial at Lisha Patrick Cemetery: Fourth Sunday in August.

Memorial at Little Jink Ritchie Cemetery: Second Sunday in September.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### NEW HOME CHURCH

2279 Hwy. 550, Leburn, KY 41831

**Moderator:**

Elder Ronnie Robinson  
206 Dovetail Lane  
Red Fox, KY 41847  
Phone: 606-497-5809

**Clerk:**

Roy Patrick  
P.O. Box 132  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-5476

**Treasurer:**

Johnny Watson  
5468 East Hwy. 36  
Olympia, KY 40358  
Phone: 859-398-9014

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Bro. Hiram Johnson, Jr.  
5366 Hwy. 108 East  
Mousie, KY 41839  
Phone: 606-946-2848

Bro. Roy Patrick  
P.O. Box 132  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-5476

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Eddie Newsome, Ross Wright, Danny Yates, Willie Crase, Jr., H.B. Reedy, Jr.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Corey Watson, Marty Carty, Joshua Huff, David O'Quinn.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Mickey Amburgey, Daryl Slone, Felden Ruggles, Jr., Eugene Thacker.

### NORTHERN NEW HOME CHURCH

1848 Stumpy Lane, Goshen, OH 45122

**Moderator:**

Elder Ray Williamson  
9135 Haines Road  
Waynesville, OH 45068  
Phone: 937-477-7662

**Clerk:**

Billy Rash  
1136 Willowood Dr.  
Milford, OH 45150  
Phone: 513-365-5607

**Treasurer:**

Bobby Hogg  
2901 Blackhawk Rd.  
Kettering, OH 45420  
Phone: 513-446-9971

Regular meeting time: Fourth Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Second Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Easter Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### NORTHERN NEW HOME CHURCH (Continued)

#### Ministers:

Elder Bill Halcomb  
1259 James Road  
Hamilton, OH 45013  
Phone: 513-896-6800

Elder James Mann  
890 Kathryn Drive  
Wilmington, OH 45177  
Phone: 937-728-7445

Elder Layton Phipps  
9577 Jackson Runyan Rd.  
Pleasant Plain, OH 45162  
Phone: 513-877-2210

Elder Ray Williamson  
9135 Haines Road  
Waynesville, OH 45068  
Phone: 937-477-7662

Bro. David Eldridge  
6164 West Brownstown Rd.  
Osgood, OH 47032  
Phone: 812-363-2600

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Vergle Caudill, Roger Fields, Corey Watson.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Willie Slone, Mike Smallwood.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Randall Branham, Toby Bailey, Aaron Hagerman.

Ministers called for various meetings:

February (4th Sunday): Allen Fugate, Jason Hall.

March (4th Sunday): Jeff Combs, Roy Patrick, Elwood Cornett.

May (4th Sunday): Robert Holcomb, Glenn Spradlin, Hiram Johnson, Jr.

July (2nd Sunday): Felden Ruggles, Jr.

July (4th Sunday): Doug Gibson, Marty Carty, Arnold Bailey, Josh Bell.

September, 2023 (4th Sunday): Roger Fields, Mike Melton, Emory Caudill.

October, 2023 (2nd Sunday): Willie Crase, Jr., Daryl Slone.

October, 2023 (4th Sunday): Jim Fields, Clifford Fields, Joshua Huff.

### PILGRIM'S HOME CHURCH

1834 Sunset Hollow Rd. Grundy, VA 24614

#### Moderator:

Elder Arnold Bailey  
7294 Lovers Gap Rd.  
Vansant, VA 24656  
Phone: 615-489-5782

#### Clerk:

Dewayne Belcher  
214 Patchwork Point  
Rutledge, TN 37861  
Phone: 865-776-4238

#### Treasurer:

Dewayne Belcher  
214 Patchwork Point  
Rutledge, TN 37861  
Phone: 865-776-4238

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### PILGRIM'S HOME CHURCH (Continued)

#### Ministers:

Elder Arnold Bailey  
7294 Lovers Gap Rd.  
Vansant, VA 24656  
Phone: 615-489-5782

Elder Josh Bell  
135 Hawkins Drive  
Smithville, TN 37166  
Phone: 615-489-5783

Bro. Dewayne Belcher  
214 Patchwork Point  
Rutledge, TN 37861  
Phone: 865-776-4238

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Stephen Lyall, Josh Bell, Danny Yates, Buster Mullins.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Dewayne Belcher, Jerry Newsome, Josh Bell, Ronnie Deel.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Allen Fugate, Josh Bell, Paul Watson, Robert Holcomb, Elwood Cornett.

### POOR FORK CHURCH

209 Fields Street, Cumberland, KY 40822

#### Moderator:

Elder Eddie Creech  
508 Bailey Street  
Loyall, KY 40854  
Phone: 606-273-6437

#### Clerk:

Ed Creech, Sr.  
571 Hwy. 3404  
Partridge, KY 40862  
Phone: 606-589-5467

#### Treasurer:

Greg Creech  
P.O. Box 16  
Partridge, KY 40862  
Phone: 606-589-2376

Regular meeting time: First Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed mtg. time: Odd Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Easter Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Friday before first Sat. in May at 7:00 p.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Eddie Creech  
508 Bailey Street  
Loyall, KY 40854  
Phone: 606-273-6437

Bro. Greg Creech  
P.O. Box 16  
Partridge, KY 40862  
Phone: 606-589-2376

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: First Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Randall Branham, Allen Fugate, Earl Slone, Daryl Slone.

Communion meeting: First Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Vergle Caudill, Joshua Huff, David Maggard, Robert Holcomb, Bill Halcomb.

Memorial meeting: First Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Jim Fields, Danny Dixon, Eddie Newsome, Willie Crase, Jr.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### POOR FORK CHURCH (Continued)

Ministers called for various meeting:

Easter Sunday (April 9th): Toby Breeding, Elwood Cornett, Mike Melton, Ronnie Robinson, Marty Slone, Don Pratt.

Friday before the first Saturday in May at 7:00 p.m.: Roger Fields, Wallace Bolling, Jim Blankenship, Ross Wright, Emory Caudill.

### REYNOLDS FORK CHURCH

1869 Hwy. 899, Mallie, KY 41836

**Moderator:**

Elder Nelson Craft  
65 Craft Lane  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-3735

**Clerk:**

James H. Amburgey  
165 Wiley Hill Drive  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-634-3848

**Treasurer:**

James H. Amburgey  
165 Wiley Hill Drive  
Mallie, KY 41836  
Phone: 606-634-3848

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder Nelson Craft  
65 Craft Lane  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-3735

Elder Earl Slone  
P.O. Box 59  
Wayland, KY 41666  
Phone: 606-358-3448

Bro. Bo Craft  
P.O. Box 88  
Wayland, KY 41666  
Phone: 606-202-1220

Bro. David Hayes  
1742 Wiley Fork Rd.  
Leburn, KY 41831  
Phone: 606-785-3490

Bro. Johnny Patrick  
3922 Hwy. 160 South  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-785-3395

Bro. Dwaine Slone  
8069 Hwy. 705  
West Liberty, KY 41472  
Phone: 606-725-5289

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Keith Tipton, Roy Slone, Elwood Cornett.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Roger Fields, Wayne Smith, Greg Mullins.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Bill Halcomb, Jim Fields, Allen Fugate, Earl Slone, Wallace Bolling.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### ROCK FORK CHURCH

735 Rock Fork Rd., Garrett, KY 41630

#### Moderator:

Elder Willie Crase, Jr.  
P.O. Box 201  
Martin, KY 41649  
Phone: 606-371-4807

#### Clerk:

Steven Keene  
P.O. Box 62  
Pippa Passes, KY 41844  
Phone: 606-497-6488

#### Treasurer:

Daryl Slone  
P.O. Box 175  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-438-8853

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

Second Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Mother's Day at 10:00 a.m.

Easter Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

#### Ministers:

Elder Willis Crase, Jr.  
P.O. Box 201  
Martin, KY 41649  
Phone: 606-371-4807

Elder Gary Brown  
P.O. Box 08  
Teaberry, KY 41660  
Phone: 606-587-2037

Elder Jimmy Conley  
P.O. Box 223  
Mousie, KY 41839  
Phone: 606-946-2794

Bro. Steven Keene

P.O. Box 62

Pippa Passes, KY 41844

Phone: 606-497-6488

Bro. Daryl Slone

P.O. Box 175

Hindman, KY 41822

Phone: 606-438-8853

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in April.

Ministers called: Jim Blankenship, David O'Quinn.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Ministers called: home ministers.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in October, 2023.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Eddie Newsome.

Ministers called for the 23rd annual dedication:

Wednesday, July 19 at 6:30 p.m.: Robert Holcomb, Scotty Halcomb, Joshua Huff.

Thursday, July 20 at 6:30 p.m.: Marty Slone, Mickey Amburgey, Roy Patrick.

Friday, July 21 at 6:30 p.m.: Felden Ruggles, Jr., Marty Carty, Keith Tipton.

Saturday, July 22 at 6:30 p.m.: Corey Watson, Elwood Cornett, Jim Fields.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### SUMMERTOWN CHURCH

5033 Hwy. 721, Lotts, Creek, KY 41701

**Moderator:**

Elder Dean Mullins  
P.O. Box 393  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-476-8579

**Clerk:**

Charles Young  
1634 Clear Creek Rd.  
Hazard, KY 41701  
Phone: 606-910-2033

**Treasurer:**

Charles Young  
1634 Clear Creek Rd.  
Hazard, KY 41701  
Phone: 606-910-2033

Regular meeting time: Second Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Odd Sunday at 5:30 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Dean Mullins  
P.O. Box 393  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-476-8579

Elder Greg Mullins  
P.O. Box 182  
Vicco, KY 41773  
Phone: 606-476-8325

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Second Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Willie Crase, Jr., Tim Ritchie, Roy Patrick, Dwaine Slone, Ralph Jent.

Communion meeting: Second Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Earl Slone, Earl Combs, Don Pratt, Daryl Slone, Eugene Thacker, Wayne Smith.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Johnny Patrick, Danny Hamilton, Nelson Craft, home ministers.

### SWEET HOME CHURCH

212 Hiram Way, Coeburn, VA 24230

**Moderator:**

Elder Eddie Newsome  
677 Viers Ridge Rd.  
Birchleaf, VA 24220  
Phone: 276-865-4410

**Clerk:**

Danny Stanley  
P.O. Box 57  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
Phone: 276-395-4907

**Treasurer:**

Scotty Swiney  
1151 Painter Lick Br.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-2423

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

**Ministers:**

Elder Eddie Newsome  
677 Viers Ridge Rd.  
Birchleaf, VA 24220  
Phone: 276-865-4410

Elder David O'Quinn  
3461 Big Ridge Rd.  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
Phone: 276-835-1761

Elder Scotty Swiney  
1151 Painter Lick Br.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-2423

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### SWEET HOME CHURCH (Continued)

Elder Danny Yates  
2500 Old Greenbrier Rd.  
Haysi, VA 24256  
Phone: 276-597-2304

Bro. Thurman Edwards  
311 Spangler Road  
Piney Flats, TN 37686  
Phone: 423-218-7592

Bro. Danny Stanley  
P.O. Box 57  
Clintwood, VA 24228  
Phone: 276-395-4907

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Wallace Bolling, Ross Wright, Randall Branham,  
Daryl Slone, Willie Crase, Jr.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in June.

Memorial meeting: Second Sunday in September, 2023.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, Robert Holcomb, Scotty Halcomb, Jim Blankenship,  
Jerry Newsome.

### THORNTON CHURCH

532 Mayking Bottom, Mayking, KY 41837

#### Moderator:

Elder Joshua Huff  
201 Zion Church Rd.  
Hindman, KY 41822  
Phone: 606-497-6643

#### Clerk:

Major Sparks  
440 Foothills Rd.  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-633-2926

#### Treasurer:

Major Sparks  
440 Foothills Rd.  
Whitesburg, KY 41858  
Phone: 606-633-2926

Regular meeting time: Third Saturday and Sunday.

#### Meetings:

Union meeting: Third Saturday and Sunday in June.

Ministers called: Willie Crase, Jr., Eddie Creech, Ross Wright, Ronnie Robinson.

Communion meeting: Third Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Marty Carty, Vergle Caudill, Wallace Bolling.

Memorial meeting: Third Sunday in May.

Ministers called: Elwood Cornett, Paul Watson, Mike Melton, Daryl Slone.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### TOLSON CHURCH

9144 Hwy. 588, Blackey, KY 41804

**Moderator:**

Elder Emory Caudill  
168 Emory Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-4316

**Clerk:**

Phillip Combs  
868 Stamper Branch  
Isom, KY 41824  
Phone: 606-634-3619

**Treasurer:**

Shawn Cook  
169 Wildcat Drive  
Premium, KY 41845  
Phone: 606-335-2077

Regular meeting time: Fourth Saturday and Sunday.

Appointed meeting time: Second Saturday at 6:30 p.m.

**Ministers:**

Elder Emory Caudill  
168 Emory Lane  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-633-4316

Elder Vergle Caudill  
P.O. Box 172  
Blackey, KY 41804  
Phone: 606-403-1244

**Meetings:**

Union meeting: Fourth Saturday and Sunday in June.

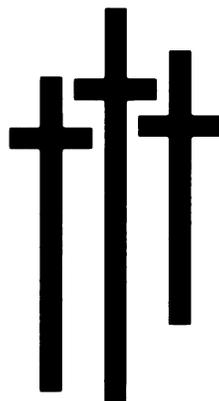
Ministers called: Jim Blankenship, Joshua Huff, Eddie Creech.

Communion meeting: Fourth Sunday in July.

Ministers called: Ronnie Robinson, Randall Branham, Jim Fields.

Memorial meeting: Fourth Sunday in August.

Ministers called: Toby Breeding, Eddie Newsome, Greg Creech.



**MONTHLY APPOINTED MEETINGS**

CHURCH	FIRST Sat/Sun	Mtg. Time	SECOND Sat/Sun	Mtg. Time	THIRD Sat/Sun	Mtg. Time	FOURTH Sat/Sun	Mtg. Time	ODD Sat/Sun	Mtg. Time	OTHER ODD MEETINGS
Bethlehem	Sun	9:30 AM									Easter Sunday 9:30 AM
Big Cowan			***Sun	5:00 PM							***May thru Oct
Chester Hogg Mem.	Sat/June	5:00 PM	Sun	9:30 AM					Sun	9:30 AM	
Clear Fork									Sat	6:00 PM	
Defeated Creek			Fri/May	7:00 PM							
Ivy Point	Sun	6:00 PM							Sun	10:00 AM	
James Memorial			Fri/ Apr/Sept	7:00 PM							
Kingdom Come									Sun	9:30 AM	
Left Beaver									**Sat	6:00 PM	***Apr thru Oct
Little Bethany	Sun	10:00 AM									Easter Sunday 10:00 AM
Little David									Sun	9:30 AM	
Little Flock	Sun	6:00 PM									
Little Hannah	Sun	10:00 AM			Sun	10:00 AM	Sun	10:00 AM	Sun	10:00 AM	
Little Jewel			Sun	9:30 AM	Sun	9:30 AM			Sun	9:30 AM	4th Wednesday at 6:30 PM
Little Martha					Sun	11:00 AM					
Little Rosa					Sun	10:00 AM			Sun	10:00 AM	Christmas Day at 3:00 PM
Little Zion							Sun	5:00 PM			
McRoberts							Sun Apr/Sept	6:00 PM			
Mount Olive			Friday Apr/Oct	7:00 PM							
New Bethlehem									Sun	10:00 AM	
Northern New Home			Sun	9:30 AM					Sun	9:30 AM	Easter Sunday at 9:30 AM
Poor Fork	Friday/ May	7:00 PM							Sun	9:30 AM	Easter Sunday at 9:30 AM
Rock Fork			Sun	10:00 AM							Wed. 6:30 PM Easter Mother's Day
Summertown									Sun	5:30 PM	
Tolson Creek			Sat	6:30 PM							

## STATISTICAL TABLE 2022

Churches	Rec'd by Experience and Baptism	Rec'd by Letter	Restored	Rec'd by Recommend.	Dismissed by Letter	Lost by Death	Excluded	Total Membership	Meeting Time (Weekend)	Saturday Service Time	Sunday Service Time	Contribution
Cedar Grove	3	0	0	0	0	8	4	148	4th	9:30	9:30	\$450.00
New Home	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	36	1st	9:30	9:30	\$125.00
Defeated Creek	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	32	2nd	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
Reynolds Fork	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	21	3rd	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
Bull Creek	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	35	3rd	6:00	9:30	\$100.00
Ivy Point	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	30	4th	6:00	10:00	\$50.00
Little Dove	0	3	0	0	3	1	0	48	2nd	9:30	9:30	\$200.00
Tolson Creek	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	41	4th	6:30	9:30	\$150.00
Dixon Memorial	0	2	0	0	4	1	0	14	4th	6:30	9:30	\$100.00
Big Creek	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	17	3rd		9:30	\$75.00
Happy Home	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	1st	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
New Bethlehem	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	17	3rd	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
Clear Fork	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9	1st	6:00	9:30	\$100.00
Northern New Home	2	0	0	1	0	5	1	67	4th		9:30	\$200.00
Blair Branch	2	0	0	0	3	7	2	65	3rd	6:30	9:30	\$450.00
Mt. Olivet	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	67	1st	6:30	9:30	\$400.00
Little Zion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	2nd	6:30	9:30	\$250.00
Kingdom Come	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	19	1st	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
Poor Fork	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	27	1st	6:30	9:30	\$200.00
Big Cowan	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	10	4th	9:30	9:30	\$60.00
Friendship	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	14	3rd	3:00	9:30	\$75.00
Little Bethlehem	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	9	4th	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
Little Bethany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	3rd	6:00	10:00	\$100.00
Rock Fork	0	5	0	0	3	3	1	65	4th	10:00	10:00	\$150.00
Summertown	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	11	2nd	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
Emmanuel	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	51	2nd	10:00	10:00	\$150.00
Little Hannah	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	39	2nd	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
Bethlehem	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	71	3rd	9:30	9:30	\$150.00
Bethany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1st	6:00	9:30	\$100.00
Little David	0	0	0	0	2	3	6	55	4th	9:30	9:30	\$200.00
Big Leatherwood	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	49	3rd	6:00	9:30	\$200.00

**STATISTICAL TABLE 2022 (continued)**

<b>Churches</b>	<b>Rec'd by Experience and Baptism</b>	<b>Rec'd by Letter</b>	<b>Restored</b>	<b>Rec'd by Recommend.</b>	<b>Dismissed by Letter</b>	<b>Lost by Death</b>	<b>Excluded</b>	<b>Total Membership</b>	<b>Meeting Time (Weekend)</b>	<b>Saturday Service Time</b>	<b>Sunday Service Time</b>	<b>Contribution</b>
<b>Mount Olive</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	17	2nd	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
<b>Chester Hogg Mem.</b>	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	23	1st		9:30	\$175.00
<b>Pilgrim's Home</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	2nd	10:00	10:00	\$75.00
<b>Little Jewell</b>	1	0	0	0	0	5	2	39	4th		9:30	\$520.00
<b>Caney Fork</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	1st	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
<b>Little Rosa</b>	0	0	0	1	0	6	1	89	1st	10:00	10:00	\$300.00
<b>Left Beaver</b>	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	20	4th	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
<b>Little Flock</b>	6	0	0	2	0	0	1	23	3rd	10:00	10:00	\$75.00
<b>Little Martha</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	1st	3:00	11:00	\$75.00
<b>Sweet Home</b>	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	28	3rd	10:00	10:00	\$100.00
<b>James Memorial</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2nd	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
<b>McRoberts</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	2nd	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
<b>Thornton</b>	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	14	3rd	9:30	9:30	\$100.00
<b>Little Samuel Mem.</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	4th	6:00	10:00	\$100.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1473</b>				<b>\$6,855.00</b>



## INTRODUCTORY SERMON / CIRCULAR LETTER

	INTRODUCTORY SERMON	CIRCULAR LETTER
<b>2003</b>	Ivan Amburgey	H.B. Reedy, Jr.
<b>2004</b>	Don Pratt	Elwood Cornett
<b>2005</b>	Toby Breeding	Ellis Adams
<b>2006</b>	Milburn Slone	Coy Tolliver
<b>2007</b>	Ellis Adams	Merle Caudill
<b>2008</b>	Bobby Combs	Howard Owens
<b>2009</b>	H.B. Reedy, Jr.	Gary Mosely
<b>2010</b>	Merle Caudill	Mickey Amburgey
<b>2011</b>	Jim Blankenship	Jeff Combs
<b>2012</b>	Scotty Halcomb	Daryl Slone
<b>2013</b>	David O'Quinn	Jimmy W. Hall
<b>2014</b>	Eddie Newsome	Gary Compton
<b>2015</b>	Willie Crase, Jr.	Danny Dixon
<b>2016</b>	Jerry Newsome	Terry Bryant
<b>2017</b>	Elwood Cornett	Jim Fields
<b>2018</b>	Paul Watson	Emory Caudill
<b>2019</b>	Toby Breeding	Eddie Newsome
<b>2020</b>	Randall Branham	Eddie Creech
<b>2021</b>	Ronnie Robinson	Joshua Huff
<b>2022</b>	Joshua Huff	Don Pratt

## Obituaries

### GARY EUGENE ADAMS



Gary Eugene Adams, age sixty-nine, of Jeremiah, Kentucky, passed away on Sunday, April 10, 2022 at the Hazard Hospital. Gary was the son of the late Eugene and Jeanette Adams.

Surviving Gary are his wife, Debra Adams; one sister, Carla Slone; three brothers, Ginger (Anna Lora) Adams, Ted (Bessie) Adams and Terry (Pam) Adams; brother-in-law, Gary (Teresa) Hylton; sister-in-law, Donna Hylton; mother-in-law, Gaynell Hylton; nieces and nephews, Tosha Cribb, Zach Adams, Dani Lett, Adam Fields, Joe Fields, Alex Breeding, Andia Potter, Gerald Slone, Brandon Ditty, McKenzie Ditty

and Holly Hylton; along with a host of great nieces, great nephews and other relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

Gary was preceded in death by a brother-in-law, Sherrill Slone; father-in-law, Buster Hylton; and niece, Misty Blair.

Gary Eugene Adams joined the Blair Branch Church at the beginning of services on the third Sunday in October, 2007. He was baptized at the Blair Branch Church on the following Sunday by Bro. Ellis Adams, his uncle, and by Bro. Danny Dixon and Bro. Squire Watts. Like his parents, Eugene and Jeanette, and his grandparents, Steve and Cindy, Gary decided to make the Blair Branch Church his spiritual home on earth.

For the next fourteen plus years, Gary traveled that gospel highway, serving the Lord faithfully. In Matthew 22:37, Jesus states “Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind”; I think we all agree that by Brother Gary’s walks, he fulfilled this commandment. Matthew 22:39 states “And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.” If witnesses were needed on whether Gary obeyed this commandment or not, Lois Blair, Arizona Adams, Darlene Ross, Mary Helen Blair, Paul Caudill, Rudell and Peggy Blair, Gary’s siblings and their families, plus countless others could be called to testify. There is a saying that you serve the Lord by serving others and Gary’s grade for serving others would be at least an “A+”. Gary went about his way of serving the Lord with no desire for a pat on the back, as he considered that he was only doing his job in serving the Lord. 1<sup>st</sup> John 3:17 reads “But whoso hath this world’s goods, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him”; there is probably no need to even comment on whether Gary fulfilled this scripture as how many times did he open his bowels of compassion for his friends and neighbors plus it was evident by his walks and talks that the love of God did dwell in him.

Like his parents and grandparents before him, Gary loved the Blair Branch Church. He was a physical worker for the church, helping in any way that he could. He could be counted

on doing his part, and maybe a little more than his part. Gary had already made plans to help cut the grass before the meeting on the third weekend. Last year the Church decided to install new flooring in the church. Gary, Toby Breeding, Jerry Adams and Bob Banks were appointed to oversee the installation of the flooring. For the first few days of the work, if anything could go wrong, it did. The carpet off of the stage area was a bear-dog coming up from the tile flooring. When the contractors and two of the brothers on the committee showed up one morning, what a surprise it was to see the bed of Rodney Ison's former Chevy pick-up filled with carpet. Gary had started early, pulled the carpet to the outside and loaded it up. When the flooring job was completed, the contractor commented on how much Gary had helped on the flooring project.

Gary's dad, Eugene, wouldn't above playing a practical joke on folks and with Gary, the apple certainly didn't fall far from that tree. He loved a good laugh as much as anyone. A few years ago, Gary was sometimes called upon to babysit for his grandnephews, Porter and Kase, and he wouldn't above trying to sucker Bob Banks into taking his place, and how he would laugh after the offer was made. He even went so far as to tell Darlene Ross, a patient at Letcher Manor, that Bob said that since her sister, Tina, had married a "Banks" that it meant that Darlene was a "Banks" also. We don't know if Darlene thought it was funny or not but Gary sure did. Gary's infectious laugh will forever be remembered.

We will certainly miss Gary's presence on this earth. "We" includes his beloved family who he loved so much. Gary and Debbie have been a team for a long, long time, he loved her. It just won't be the same for his siblings and their families. Gary loved them and it was proven by his sacrifice for them, he had their backs and they knew he had their backs. "We" includes all of Debbie's family that Gary had been a part of for these many years. "We" also includes all of the folks at the nursing home, his classmates, his Church Brothers and Sisters, his fishing companions, his friends, his neighbors, the folks on the holler and all of the rest that may have crossed paths with Gary in their lives.

In closing, it must be said, "Brother Gary, you have fought a good fight, you have finished the course, you have kept the faith; henceforth there is laid up for you a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give you at that day: and not to you only, but unto all them also that love his appearing."



### **BOB ELAM AUER**

Bob Auer was born on February 28, 1984. He left us suddenly on February 14, 2022. He was only thirty-seven years old. Bob was the son of George and Joan Auer Everage and the grandson of Elam and Marie Everage of Austin, Indiana.

Bob had four children, Destiny (deceased), Conner, Josiah and Aubreigh; along with many family members and friends, who will miss him.

He loved working with model cars and watching scary movies. Bob had a big kind heart. He loved everyone, including animals.

Bob attended church at Bethany Baptist in Lexington, Indiana. He is now residing in the arms of Jesus and family, who went on before him. We will see him again one day; he is sadly missed.

Mom, Joan



## JOHN BOWLING

It is with much sadness that I write the obituary of my dearly beloved husband of thirty-two years. John Bowling was born on March 22, 1947. He died on February 26, 2022. He was preceded in death by his parents, Willard and Nadine Bowling; and his brother, Ricky Bowling.

John is survived by his wife, Lorene Bowling, who will miss him the rest of her life. He is also survived by his brother, Lester (Alma) Bowling; and all of his adopted family, his sons, Johnny Ray (Michelle) Bowling, Tony (Alisha) Blankenbeckler, Shannon (Amanda) Blankenbeckler; his daughters, Carolyn (Allen) Hill and Tammy (Paul) Ison; five grandsons, Brandon (Kayla) Hill, Brysen Blankenbeckler, Jarod Ison, Jamie and Cody; and four great grandchildren.

John was a minister and a member of the Indian Bottom Association for twenty-eight years. His membership was at the Little Jewel Church. He loved the Church and was so "proud to be a Christian." John proudly served his country as a private in the United States Army from 1966 until 1968. He was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. He was a retired bus driver for Carter County. He loved farming and raising cattle.

Written by his loving wife, Lorene Bowling



## ROLAND "DOUG" BROWN

Roland Douglas Brown, age seventy, of Jeremiah, Kentucky, passed away on Monday, August 1, 2022 at the residence of his son, Roland II. Roland was the son of the late Dewey Roscoe Brown and Martha Eldridge Brown.

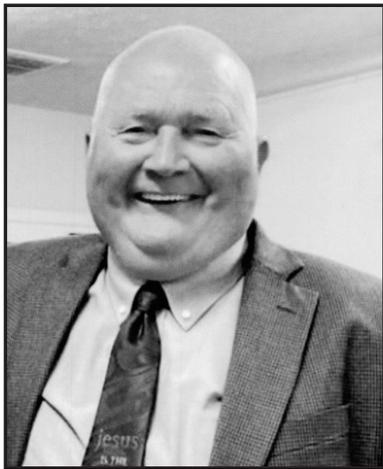
Surviving Roland are his wife of forty-six years, Ruth Ann (Blair) Brown; two sons, Roland D. Brown II (Ellen), of Blackey, Kentucky, Frederick Dean Brown, of Isom, Kentucky; special son-in-law, John Morton, of Jeremiah, Kentucky; two daughters, Toni Maggard (Greg) of Whitesburg, Kentucky and Melody Ann Blair, of Pineville, Kentucky; three grandsons, Ryan Morton, Malachi Brown, and Gregory Maggard; three brothers, Ronald Brown, Ralph Brown, and Robert Brown; and three sisters, Ruby McDaniel, Rosalee Dixon and Connie Arnold.

Roland was preceded in death by one brother, Russell; three sisters, Ruth, Roberta, and

Ramona Carol; and one grandson, Travis Uriah Morton.

Roland Brown was baptized at the Blair Branch Church on the third Sunday in June, 2001. He was baptized by Brothers Danny Dixon, Ellis Adams, Roy Slone, Elwood Cornett and Squire Watts. He had joined the Blair Branch Church a couple of weeks earlier at the Mount Olivet Church at Blackey. For the next twenty-one years, Roland was a faithful servant for the Lord and for the Blair Branch Church. He was very active in the church work that was conducted on Saturday nights, almost always making the move to receive the minutes and treasurer's report as read to be placed in the permanent record book. He was loved by the Brothers and Sisters of the Blair Branch Church and he is already missed greatly. Not only was he loved by his home church but he was loved by the sister churches that he visited.

### TERRY LEE BRYANT



With a sad and broken heart, I will try to write my love's obituary with the Lord's help. Terry Lee Bryant, seventy, of Greenup, Kentucky passed away on Wednesday, June 8, 2022, at the Hershel "Woody" Williams VA Medical Center in Huntington, West Virginia. He was born in Virgie, Kentucky on January 27, 1952, to the late Walter (Bud) and Juanita Osborne (Granny) Bryant. Terry served his country proudly in the United States Army, but most of all he was a servant of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. It was on September 6, 1986, at the age of thirty-four, when Terry asked the Lord to forgive him at mile marker 146 on interstate I-64. Terry was baptized on January 11, 1987, on a very cold, snowy day, and in an ice-covered creek at Jonancy, Kentucky across the road from the Old Union Church, where he became a member. On September 7 of 1987, Terry surrendered to his call to preach and was ordained on February 7, 1992. He was a member of the Old Union Church for nine years. On July 27, 1996, Terry took his letter and became a member of the Little Jewel Church, where he was a member for twenty-six years. He went on to be Moderator and Assistant Moderator at the Little Jewel Old Regular Baptist Church until the Lord called him home. Terry's seat is now empty at our church, and it is so hard not seeing him sitting there, hearing him lining an old-time song, or in the stand, singing, and preaching. He loved some of the older songs and was blessed to sing them. Terry loved everyone he encountered and if you knew him, you loved him. He touched so many lives from his preaching, singing, coaching baseball, or just lending a listening ear. He retired from CSX as a laborer where he had made many friends.

Terry was the love of my life for forty-six years, two months, and five days. We both felt that when we were married on April 3, 1976, that we were joined together by God. When the Lord called him home, part of me went with him. Terry and I did everything together. Church was the number one thing we did together. We loved visiting our sister churches.

We loved spending time fishing for crappie and even those big old muskies at Cave Run Lake. We had a lot of special times at our little cabin that Terry had built, ten minutes from

the lake. We sure loved making memories together, whether we were with our children, grandchildren, fishing, or at the beach. When I wanted to take another picture of us together, he would always say, “you just took one here a few weeks ago.” I would tell him that this is another time. I thank God for the time and memories we had together. For several years he had wanted to go down south for the winter months to see if he would feel better, (winter was always so rough on him). Last winter, it finally happened. We went to Myrtle Beach; he felt so much better health wise. We had already reserved the same place for this winter, but the Lord knew Terry was suffering so much and didn’t want him to suffer any longer. He will always be in my heart and the heart of all of our babies.

Terry had many talents. He loved working with wood, building things for his family and friends. He could look at a picture and build anything, whether it was a bed, chest, or dresser for his kids or grandkids. Toy boxes, tables, cabinets, you name it he could build it. He even built our first granddaughter, Madisyn, a cradle before she was born. I will always cherish the pieces I have, that he made. He was very talented in many ways. He had two special talents God gave him that he cherished, He blessed him to sing and preach.

Terry was preceded in death, along with his parents, by his first wife, Judy (Gilpin) Bryant; son, Joshua Wayne Bryant; brother, Larry Joe Bryant; along with his grandparents, Long Joe and Bertha Osborne, and Lee and Hannah Branham Bryant.

He is survived by his wife, Rita (Horne) Bryant; a son, Jeremy Lee (Megan) Bryant of Huntersville, North Carolina; daughter, Jessica Dawn (Scott) Fox of Greenup, Kentucky; four sisters, Clara (Rick) Kouns, Ashland, Kentucky, Loretta Jean Cooper of Portsmouth, Ohio, Bertha Jane (Chuck) Wright of Ashland, Kentucky, and Lisa Kay (Richard) Bailey of Lebanon Junction, Kentucky. Terry loved and cherished all six of his precious grandchildren, Madisyn, Peyton, and Connor Fox of Greenup, Kentucky, and Ellery and Abigail Bryant and Emily Passons of North Carolina. His grandchildren were his life along with a host of several nieces and nephews, extended family and church family who loved him dearly. We all miss Terry, but someday we too, will be called home and there will be no more suffering for all those that are ready to go. Terry’s prayer was that all of his family and loved ones get to know his Lord and Savior personally as their own.

Written by his wife, Rita





## MAZA ANNA RUGGLES CARVER

My aunt, Annie, as everyone called her, passed away on Friday, July 1, 2022, at the age of ninety-nine. She was loved by all, especially her nieces and nephews when she made them chocolate gravy, which she was famous for.

Maza Anna was born on March 3, 1923 in Greenup, Kentucky, the daughter of the late Charles Wakefield Ruggles and the late Maza Traylor Ruggles. She was preceded in death by eight brothers, Alonzo, Ben, Fealden, Delbert, Ballard, Charles, Brady Harlan and Donzo; three sisters, Myrtle, Sharlet and Garnet; and a granddaughter, Lori Jackson.

She is survived by three daughters, Patsy (Frank) Crum, of Ironton, Ohio, Lorea Pierce, of Kingston, Ohio and Sharlet (Joe) Rundio, of Ashville, Ohio, which is where Annie resided; two sons, Carl (Jane) Carver, of Stoutsville, Ohio, and Don Carver, of Tarlton, Ohio; thirteen grandchildren; and numerous great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren.

Annie became a member of the Little Jewel Regular Baptist Church on October 28, 1956. Her entombment was in the Bradley Allen Cemetery, Greenup County, Kentucky.

Written by her niece, Verlene Ruggles Anderson

## ALGER CASEBOLT



It is with much sadness we try and attempt to write the obituary of our precious Dad, Papaw, and Brother in Christ, Alger Austin Casebolt. He was born on May 19, 1940 in Mousie, Kentucky to Austin and Tina Slone Casebolt. Alger passed away on June 29, 2022 at the age of eighty-three years old. He was the husband of the late Anna Mosley Casebolt.

Alger leaves to mourn his passing three children, Sandra Lee Johnson, Tonia K. Slone and Ricky (Larissa) Casebolt; two brothers, Conrad (Joyce) Casebolt and Stanley Casebolt; one sister, Shirley Wolverton; six grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna Casebolt; one daughter, Kathy Casebolt; one grandson, Jerry Johnson; his parents; and one sister, Lois Slone.

Alger served as a deacon for many years at the Ivy Point Church. To lose Alger, Dad and Papaw, has broken our hearts. He is now resting around the throne of God. Our loss is truly Heaven's gain. Until we meet again.

“And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, no crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.”

Written by his broken-hearted family



## RACHEL CAUDILL

It is with a lonely, broken heart that I write the obituary of my dear mother, Rachel Caudill. She passed away on Monday, March 14, 2022, at her residence. She was born on August 23, 1927, being ninety-four years, six months, and fourteen days of age at the time of her passing.

Mom was the daughter of the late Cleveland and Cindy Watts Caudill. She was preceded in death by all of her siblings which included five brothers and six sisters. She was also preceded in death by one great grandchild.

She is survived by one son, David (Eva), of Blackey; one daughter, Mary Ann (William), also of Blackey; five grandchildren, with one on the way; and eleven great grandchildren; along with a host of nieces and nephews to mourn her passing.

Mom enjoyed gardening, sewing, crocheting, and cooking. She loved feeding everyone who visited her, and if you left her house hungry, it was your own fault.

Mom was a humble person. Her love for the Lord was evident by the way she showed love to everyone. Her passing has left a void in my heart but knowing that she is enjoying her Heavenly home helps ease the pain.



## DEWAYNE COLE

Dewayne Cole, age fifty-four, of Linefork, passed away on Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at his residence. He was the son of Kathleen Cole and the late Wayne Cole. Dewayne was born on February 6, 1968.

Other than his mother, Dewayne is survived by his wife, Donna Shepherd Cole; one son, Austin Cole; two daughters, Maleah Cole and Megan (Alex) Adams; two brothers, Jeff (Bonita) Cole and Bobbie (Missy) Cole; one sister, Sandy (Tim) Sparks; along with a host of nieces and nephews to mourn his passing.

Dewayne was a wonderful loving husband, father, son, brother, father-in-law, son-in-law, and Christian. He was a member of the Hurricane Gap Baptist Church. Dewayne loved to fish, garden, mow grass, and he loved spending time with his wife and children. He loved them so much and was so proud of them and all that they had accomplished. He was such a hard worker. He was a disabled heavy equipment operator for Nally Hamilton Coal Company. He loved people; he would do anything for anybody if he could, even when he was sick and didn't feel well.

Dwayne always had that smile; he loved to laugh and joke. We got such a kick out of him getting his big brother to haul manure for his garden. His sister said that he was rotten

but the best brother ever. He loved his Mom dearly, he would come and visit and sit with her and talk for hours. His nieces and nephews were so very special to him. His laugh was so contagious; if you ever heard it, you would not forget it. His is so missed and loved by everyone who knew him. We sure were blessed to have had him in our lives.

From your loving family



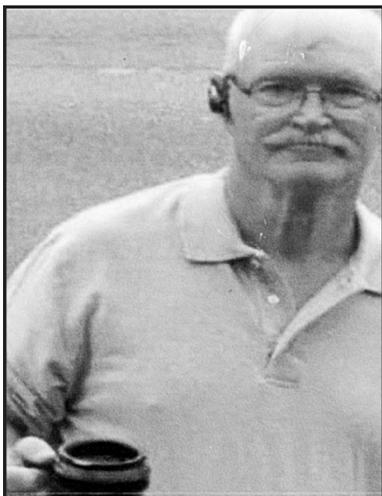
### **NANCY ANN MAGGARD COLLINS**

Nancy Ann Maggard Collins, was born on July 9, 1928 to the late Jessie Randall and Lydia Collins Maggard. She passed away on Saturday, November 20, 2021, at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Center at Hazard, Kentucky.

Nancy was a member of the Blair Branch Church. She was a member of the Whitesburg VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post 5829 and also a life member of the Hester Chapter 54 of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by one son, Marty Dean (Mary Janet) Collins; one granddaughter: Kristie (Aaron) Profit; a very special great granddaughter, Arrianna Profit; one sister-in-law, Peggy Maggard Ison; and one brother-in-law, Tandy Adams, of Connerville, Indiana.

Nancy was preceded in death by her husband, Denver Collins; siblings, Ernest Maggard, Irene Maggard, Ruth Rolland, Herb and Eulah Maggard, Roberta and Earnest Maggard, Jessie Randall Maggard, Jr., Bill and Eva Maggard, Mary Rose Maggard Adams, Iva Lou Maggard Franklin, Viola and Elvin Caudill, and Jim Maggard. Nancy will be missed by her family, friends, and neighbors.



### **JERRY D. COMBS**

Jerry D. Combs entered eternal live on June 18, 2022, being seventy-three years, three months and twenty-two days of age. He was born at home at UZ, Kentucky on February 27, 1949.

Jerry married his wife, Larue Whitaker Combs on April 13, 1968. They raised four children and gained a bonus son in 1994.

Jerry was an amazing husband, father, grandpa, and great grandpa (Pap). He worked hard to ensure his family was cared for and didn't do without. He worked many years at Avon before going on to retire from NTW Tires in 2020 after twenty years of service.

Jerry loved the simple things in life. He enjoyed watching the kids swim in the pool that he worked hard to maintain for them. He was a true blue UK basketball fan; he never missed

watching a game. He loved to joke and laugh. Jerry always enjoyed watching his old TV shows with Larue. He was constantly full of surprises; there was never a dull moment with him around.

Jerry was a true man of God and greatly enjoyed attending church. He had an amazing voice and loved singing for the Lord.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Larue; five children, Jerry, Jr., Lisa, Robert, Candice and David; brothers, Jeff and Danny; sister, Betty; twenty-one grandchildren; twenty-four great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews and a host of other family and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, James; his mother, Margaret; brother, James; and sister, Sandra.

Jerry touched the lives of many and will be deeply missed.



### BOBBY GENE COMPTON

Bobby Gene Compton was born on June 13, 1940 at his home, on Greenbriar, in Buchanan County, Virginia, to Vince and Virgie Compton. Coming from a large family, he was one of three boys and five girls.

After completing the seventh grade, Bob went to work at Modern Sales and Service, at the age of sixteen, where he obtained the nickname, “Doc”, deriving from his friends and coworkers considering him a “car doctor”. While employed there, he met the love of his life, Sherden. After a whirlwind three month romance, they tied the knot on July 16, 1960.

Shortly after marriage, he said “I’ve got you, now I want a baby.” On June 11, 1961, they were blessed with their first daughter, Kimberly Renee. Four years later, they were blessed with a baby boy, Stefan Craig.

In 1967, Bob changed jobs and began working for Royal Motors. After many years of working for other employers, he decided he wanted to provide a better life for his family and started the first steps to creating his self-employed business. During this time, he remodeled his in-law’s house in order to obtain lumber to build a one-car garage on property his mother provided him on Greenbriar. Bob would work nine hour days at his day job, stop by his home for supper, and then go to his shop on Greenbriar, and work until eleven at night. He did this consistently for three years without complaint.

In 1970, Bob purchased property on Russell Prater and opened his own full time business, Compton’s Body Shop. He offered many services, including car sales, wrecker service, mechanic, and body and paint jobs. This led into a long and prosperous career of fifty-one years of self-employment and a total of sixty-six working years. Although self-employed, he encouraged all around him with his amazing work ethic. He was well known for working through gout and other ailments because being his own boss was no excuse for a day off.

As his career advanced, Bob and Sherden decided they were financially stable enough to try for baby number three. In 1971, they were blessed with another child, a second daughter,

Deidre Eritha. Although Bob was thankful for his growing family and career, he knew something else was missing from his life. In 1998, at the age of fifty-eight, he accepted the Lord into his heart. He was actively involved as a deacon in the church and dedicated much of his time to serving the Lord.

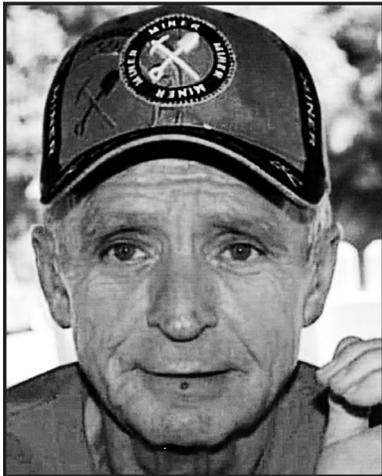
Bob was best known as Dad, Papaw, and Poppy. He delighted in his family, as they did him. Through the years, some of his greatest joys were antique cars, deer hunting, gospel music, and collecting coins. Bob continued to work full time up until his death and leaves his strong work ethic as his greatest legacy.

On July 5, 2022, at Johnson Medical Center in Johnson City, Tennessee, Bob gained his angel wings. He was surrounded by his loving family each day following his accident, up until he took his last breath. Some of his last words were expressions of how blessed he was and how much he loved his family.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, Vince and Virgie Compton; and four sisters, Dollie Compton, Janice Compton, Ruby Yates, and Madlean Yates.

He is survived by his wife of sixty-two years, Sherden Compton; three children, Kimberly (Stacy) Deel, of Jonesborough, Tennessee, Stefan (Tonda) Compton, of Vansant, and Deidre (Brian) Ward, of Vansant; four grandchildren, Bobby Aaron (Jade) Deel, Shana (David) Stanley, Tyler (Heather) Ward, and Brantley Compton; seven great grandchildren, Kylee, DaeLynn, Lucas, Dominic, Logan, Bryson and Breighlyn; brothers, Homer (Linda) Compton and Harold (Sue) Compton, both of Haysi, Virginia; and sister, Lucy (Chet) Yates, of Haysi, Virginia.

## CHARLES MICHAEL CONLEY



Charles Michael Conley, as many people know him as Mike, was born on June 14, 1949 at the Golden Years Rest Home of Lackey, Kentucky. He was born to his parents, the late Marion and Cora Conley. Alongside of him were born eleven siblings; brothers, Mark “Pat” Conley, Roy Conley, Darrell Conley, Paul Conley, Clyde Conley, Jimmy Conley and Truman Conley; and sisters, Dorothy Hale, Reba Kunkle, Ohreda Hall and Betty Jo Jacobs.

Mike met Janice Hall and fell deeply in love, they engaged in a marriage on June 20, 1970. Into this union were born two sons, Michael “Dee” Conley and Derick Conley. Mike had three granddaughters, Megan, Sarah and Jaclyn Conley. Two of the three granddaughters blessed Mike with four great grandchildren.

In the winter of 1993, Mike got up one morning and told Janice that he was going to church the following Sunday. He said whoever wanted to join him was more than welcome. Mike and Janice went to church, learning of the Lord and his miraculous ways. They later decided to give their lives to serve and worship the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. On August 1, Janice was set to be baptized and Mike was saved. Later that day, they were baptized

together. He became an ordained deacon of his church and continued to serve the Lord as long as he could. Mike was a loving, caring, humble man who loved nothing more than his Lord, his family and the occasional hunting trip. He was a blessing to know. In 2006, Mike had his first major surgery, open heart. From then on out, his health declined slowly. After multiple surgeries and sicknesses, Mike had his final surgery the morning of April 27, 2022. He had a bypass to attempt a removal of a clotted off artery. He was very sick in the days to follow, leading up to May 2, 2022. The Lord decided it was time to take His Angel home and let him rest. Mike fought a good fight for as long as he could. He was ready to go and meet his Savior. Even though he leaves us behind, he left us with a heart full of memories and a knowledge of the Lord.

Written by granddaughter, Jaclyn Conley

### NANCY CAROL CRAFT



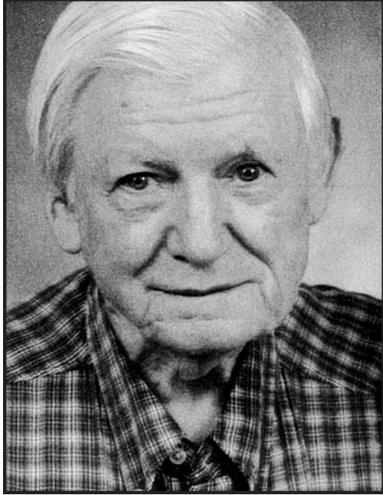
Nancy Carol Blair Craft, age eighty-four, of Jeremiah, Kentucky, passed away on Thursday, November 18, 2021 at the Whitesburg Hospital. Nancy was the daughter of the late “Little” Bennie and Bessie Watts Blair. She was the widow of Edward “Poodle” Craft.

Nancy Carol is survived by two brothers, Larry Blair, of Blackey, and Winford Blair, of Jeremiah; one sister, Mary Helen Blair, of Whitesburg (formerly of Letcher); and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends to mourn her passing.

Preceding Nancy Carol in death was her “Knight in Shining Armor”, her son, Doyle Lee “Junie” Blair. Also preceding Nancy Carol in death were five brothers, Estill, Astor, Willis, Everett, and Lexter; and one sister, Beulah.

Like several of her family members, Nancy Carol was a member of the Blair Branch Church.





## LEE DEEL

Eighty-nine years ago, on July 8, 1932, Lee Deel was born to Richard and Ida May Clevenger Deel on Greenbriar, Buchanan County, Virginia. He was a graduate of Grundy High School. After graduation he joined the Navy and served from 1951 to 1955. He was assigned to aircraft carrier USS Siapan. He was really proud of his Navy career and served his country well. After his Navy career he furthered his education at Tennessee Polytechnic Institute. He became a school teacher and taught at Haysi High School, teaching math, Algebra I and Algebra II, geometry, trigonometry, physics and chemistry. Lee was gifted with many talents, such as: teacher, carpentry, welding, plumbing, electrical mechanic, gardener and apple grafting. He was what is called a “Jack of all Trades.”

Lee was a quiet man, but few knew that he was so talented. He did not brag about himself in any way. His mother-in-law once said of him, “that Lee could put a stick in the ground and it would grow.” He had many fruit trees and loved to care for them. He also could graft trees and have different apples on the same tree. He loved to garden and he raised beautiful flowers.

Lee married Betty Bailey Deel, the daughter of the late Basil and Altia Owens Bailey. This union produced no children but they adopted two children, James Michael Fuller Deel and Tina Louise Mullins Deel. They also raised a granddaughter, Santanna Marie Ramey. Along with his late parents, Lee was preceded in death by a sister, Louanna Fuller; a brother, David Deel; a two year old sister, Laura; and a twenty-two month old brother, James Ray.

Surviving family members of Lee, is his wife of sixty years, Betty; son, James Michael (Shena) Deel; a daughter, Tina Louise (Shawn) Haskell; grandchildren, Linda Michelle (Shane) Sykes, James Dawson Deel, Santanna Marie (Caleb) Coleman, and Michael Lee Ray Ramey; great grandchild, John Luke Sykes; brothers, Larkin Deel and Roy Deel; and sisters, Melvina Deel and Geneva Deel.

Lee survived several accidents in his life. In 1998, a big farm tractor ran over him and, after seven weeks of treatment, God blessed him to come home. In 2007, he was pruning trees and a limb twisted and knocked him off of the ladder, causing him to fall. He suffered a broken back, crushing his T-12 vertebrae. After nine weeks, God blessed him to return home again. In 2016, a truck wrecked and overturned, trapping Lee in the truck, upside down; God brought him through that too.

At the age of eighty-nine, Lee developed a small intestinal blockage. All methods to unblock the problem were unsuccessful and surgery was the only option to survive. He was in surgery for eight hours. He survived the surgery but could not survive the after effects, his body was too weak. He passed away at 10:55 on September 23, I was by his side. He passed so peacefully, I never saw him struggle, gasp, or even move a muscle, he just quit breathing.

Lee was so kind and helpful to many people. Our home will forever be changed and will

never be the same again. We had sixty beautiful years together. God had a better and more beautiful Home for him. I believe he is resting, waiting for God to return. We love you and always will.



### **BILLY EVERAGE**

Billy Everage was born on March 23, 1945. He passed from this life on July 21, 2020; he was seventy-five years old. He was the son of George and Dorothy Everage of Knott County, Kentucky. Billy was married to Margaret Karen Haynes Everage, who preceded him in death. He also had one brother, James Everage, and two sisters, Nancy Everage and Mary Everage, who preceded him in death.

Surviving Billy are one sister, Marie Everage, who resides in Austin, Indiana; two children, Malissa Mullins, of Austin, Indiana, and Jonathan Everage, of Scottsburg, Indiana; four grandchildren, Candice Everage, Peyton Everage, Deanna Roberson, and Brittany Mullins; and one great grandchild, Emalyn Roberson.

Billy worked in the coal mines of Kentucky for the most of his life. He moved to Indiana after losing his wife to cancer. He worked as a factory worker in Indiana until he retired. He served proudly as a communication officer in the United States Navy. He loved reading and watching westerns, pitching bean bags and spending time with his family.

Billy attended many churches and was ready to be reunited with his loved ones. He will be missed.

Written by his niece, Joan Gay



### **PATSY CAROL DIXON FISHER**

Patsy was born on March 5, 1961, to Jeanette Fields Dixon and the late Curl Dixon in Cincinnati, Ohio. She passed away on July 25, 2022, at the Jewish Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio. Patsy went to school and graduated from Williamsburg High School. She married Dennis Fisher who passed away earlier this year. Patsy is survived by three children, Jason is married to Kaci, and they live in Mt. Orab, Ohio with their two children, Karleigh and Audrey; Nicole is married to Wes Smith and they also live in Mt. Orab, Ohio with their two children, Clayton and Brianna; and Jeremy lives in Williamsburg, Ohio.

Patsy was proud of her family.

Patsy is survived by her mother, Jeanette Dixon of Williamsburg, Ohio. She is also survived by one sister, Sandra and her husband, Rick Maynard of Williamsburg, Ohio. They were

all very close and shared a lot of activities. A host of other relatives and friends are left to mourn her passing.

Patsy was preceded in death by her father, Elder Curl Dixon. Also preceding her in death are her maternal grandparents, Elder Green and Florence Fields, as well as her paternal grandparents, Dave and Ethel Dixon, all of Letcher County, Kentucky. Patsy is buried in Mt. Orab, Ohio.

Several years ago, Patsy gave her Dad a very special birthday card. She shared her personal experience with Jesus Christ. It was a wonderful experience, and it was shared at her funeral. We believe she is with her Dad today. We think we know where she is, but we also know where she is not. She isn't here with us, and we miss her very much.

Written by her aunt by marriage, Dosh Fields, for the family



### PAULINE E. FRANCIS

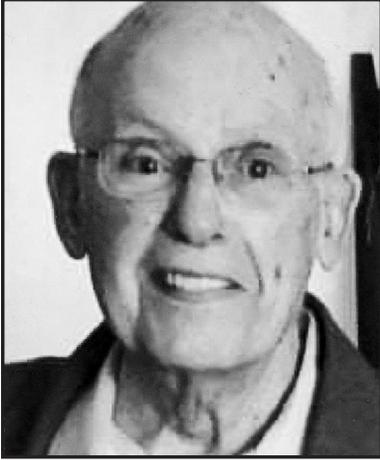
Pauline E. Toler Francis, age seventy-three, of Lebanon, Ohio, passed peacefully on April 24, 2022 at Bethesda North Hospital. She was born on February 6, 1949 in Madison County, Kentucky. She was the daughter of David and Lorraine McIntosh Toler and was a loving and devoted wife, mother and grandmother.

Pauline was a graduate of Kings High School and was a daycare provider in her home for many years. She was a member of the Northern New Home Church in Goshen, Ohio and enjoyed attending her church, shopping, spending time with her grandchildren, music and singing.

Pauline was preceded in death by her parents; and loving husband, Henry Francis.

Pauline leaves behind her loving children, Melissa Francis (Chris) and Tina Stacey (Mike); sisters, Phyllis Toler and Margaret Francis (Harry); grandchildren, Ramon Stacey, Cody Evans, Jessica West (Cevin), Dalton Evans (Maggie) and Blake Stacey; great grandchildren, Wyatt Stacey, Kaydence West and Dixie West; along with many other family members.





## DONEL D. GIBSON

Donel Dean Gibson passed away on Monday, November 18, 2019 at the age of eighty-seven, surrounded by his family. He was born on October 4, 1932 in Hueysville, Kentucky to the late Thomas and Annie Martin Gibson and had been a New Haven resident before moving to Elyria, Ohio. He was a member of the Pleasant View Old Regular Baptist Church in Litchfield, Ohio and had been an ordained minister for forty-four years. He retired from Plymouth Locomotive and was a United States Army Veteran, who served during the Korean War.

Donel is survived by his second wife, Sister Marjorie Slone Gibson, of seventeen years; one daughter, Brenda and Felden Ruggles, Jr., of Ironton, Ohio; five sons, Gerald and Valerie Gibson, of Willard, Claude Allen and Sonja Gibson, of Plymouth, Joseph and Sandy Gibson, of Willard, Mark and Lenora Gibson of Willard and Donell II and Diana Gibson of Norwalk; two stepchildren, Belinda Elliot, of Elyria and Doug Slone, of New Port Richey, Florida; eighteen grandchildren; fourteen great grandchildren; three sisters, Wanda Hale, of Alabama, Janet and William Barnett, of Fort Worth, Texas, and Elnora and Russell Patton, of Perrysburg, Ohio; one brother, Thomas J. and Laurie Gibson, of Mobile, Alabama; sister-in-law, Shelby Gibson; brother-in-law, Doug Summers; and many nieces and nephews.

Donel was preceded in death by his late wife of forty-nine wonderful years, Sister Gwendale Vanderpool Gibson in 2001; his parents, Thomas and Annie Martin Gibson; three sisters, Dorsey Summers, Betty Rowe and Ann Montgomery; one brother, Merland Gibson; and two brothers-in-law, James Hale and Claude Rowe.

It is with heavy hearts and the help of the good Lord, we will try to write a deserving obituary of our loving Dad, Papaw and Stepdad. He was saved and baptized into the Old Regular Baptist Church on Thursday, December 8, 1966. He was ordained as an Old Regular Baptist preacher, who found peace in studying God's word. He lived for the Lord's guidance everyday. He had overcome numerous obstacles throughout his life, but keeping a strong faith in God pulled him through those tough times.

With all the lessons he passed down and the years spent together, he made all his children better people today. Daddy was a hard worker and provider, who loved his children dearly. He wanted to teach the value of love and respect, and what it meant to work hard with the reward of a good life, making memories with his whole family. He was a unique man, who was well respected by many people. He had a contagious smile that could lighten up the room, with a sense of humor that made it impossible not to laugh. Donel was a wise man with a listening ear, willing to give anyone the right advice for life's storms. The most important lesson he passed down to his children is living their life for the Lord. Dad and Mom were firm believers in bringing up a child in a righteous way, so as adults they would not depart from their childhood upbringing. We were blessed beyond measure to have such a God-fearing man for our Dad. Later in life, when Mom had gone to be with the Lord, he was blessed a second time with a truly loving companion, Sister Marge Slone. Not only

do I speak for myself, but I speak for the whole Gibson family; we thank God for Sister Marge and her children, Belinda and Doug, and their families, for welcoming our Dad into their lives. He was a kind and respectable husband to Sister Marge for seventeen years of marriage. He was a first class second Dad, who graciously accepted Belinda and Doug as his own with unconditional love.

A man of weakening physical life never ceased to stop growing with a spiritual heart, and even in his last days, he still continued to spread God's word of the new life he was about to encounter. Donel worked hard to make a living for his family of eight, and his greatest achievement was raising six kids; a legacy so great! Dad only wanted to be remembered as a generous and deep hearted person by all who have come to show their final respects.

Within the last several months, he had a dream that he was down by the river where children were all dressed in white, including himself. The children had asked him "are you going to join us?" His response was "I have not yet been invited"; in return the children replied "Don't worry, it won't be long." This dream stuck with Dad in the end, because he could not understand why God had left him on earth unable to do the things that he once found joy in, like preaching God's words or driving or walking long distances. It wasn't until the end that he had learned God's purpose; it was to leave his last impressions on everyone he encountered, including his children, and all the doctors and nurses and care givers that were able to make him comfortable. "Daddy, you piled up many stones along the way."

He shared this dream with everyone who came to visit him and to help ease the pain of what was sure to come. His last few words to me as he held my arm close to him were "Belinda, do you want me to tell Jesus that you and the kids are coming to be with him?" I replied "yes Daddy, but tell Jesus not to come today," and I kind of laughed. Then he looked away for a moment and then said "children, love one another, and love Marge, she has been so good to me." I said, "we will", and at that moment I saw him begin to leave this world behind. I said "I love you Daddy." You got the invitation you've been waiting for.

One of Daddy's favorite Bible verses was Romans 10:13 *"For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."*

Daddy, you are going to be greatly missed, this is not good bye, but sleep on, we will see you in that morning when the Lord returns and takes us home.

Written with love and with the help of the good Lord, your daughter,  
Brenda Ruggles, stepdaughter, Belinda Elliot, and your granddaughter, Whitney Gibson





## ROSE "VON" GIBSON

Rose "Von" Gibson, age eighty-four, of Greenfield, Indiana, went to her eternal home to be with her Lord Jesus Christ on Wednesday, July 27, 2022. She passed at home, surrounded by her family. She was born at Colson, Kentucky on July 8, 1938 to Lone and Thelma Madden, who preceded her in death. She married the love of her life, Douglas Gibson, on January 28, 1961 at Clintwood, Virginia. After starting their family at Red Fox, Kentucky, the two moved to Greenfield in 1968, where they raised their five kids and cherished many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Von was saved, joined the Indian Bottom Association of churches and was a member and regular attendee of the Chester Hogg Old Regular Baptist Church at Charlestown, Indiana up until her illness two years ago. She spent most of her life serving the Lord and all of her life caring for others. She was a loving and sacrificing wife; an unconditionally loving mother, mother-in-law, grandma, great-grandma, and friend to many. She was a lifelong homemaker, caring for her family and children at home. Throughout her life, she enjoyed cooking, cleaning, crocheting, and especially sewing, and making clothes. She was quite the seamstress, spending several hours a day at her Mom's 1920's Singer foot pedal sewing machine; just sewing and listening to her gospel tapes and CDs. She sewed a lot of her own clothes, and clothes for her children and grandchildren. She also made many friends by sewing for them and she considered it a ministry. Although she spent a few years making drapes and forever altering for many, her most joyous sewing moments were making or altering clothes for her family and dresses for little girls in Haiti and the Dominican Republic. She would delight in telling the story of her days mending baseball uniforms for Greenfield Central High School and the Indianapolis Indians. She loved to babysit her grandchildren, talk with her church family and many friends on the telephone, doing Sister Brown's hair, and listening to gospel music. Later in life, she loved to yard sale, shop at Goodwill and spend evenings sitting with her husband in the porch swing.

Family meant everything to Von and she truly was the best ever Grandma. Her home was always open. You weren't there ten minutes before she would ask "can I fix y'all something to eat?" And when you got ready to leave she would say in that beautiful southern drawl "y'all just stick around" or "y'all just stay the night."

Von loved to have the grandkids and great-grandkids in their home. She was never bashful with telling the grandchildren and great-grandkids her opinion on right from wrong and sharing Jesus with them. She cherished the opportunities to prepare meals for her family to come and eat. Her breakfasts were especially good! When she would call and say "I'm fixing breakfast in the mornin', it'll be ready by 9:30, y'all come over and eat." She would have the table full of food and kitchen full of family. Holiday meals were no different. She made some huge meals in her tiny kitchen, and have tables set up all over the place just so everyone had a seat. Ever the servant, she was always the last one to eat. She wouldn't sit down until she knew everyone had what they needed.

Von is survived by her husband, Douglas Gibson; daughters, Brenda (Gary) Hayes, of Nancy, Kentucky, Kathy (Darrell) Hisle, of Greenfield, Indiana; sons, Harold (Sharon) Gibson, of Morristown, Terrell (Teri) Gibson, of Greenfield, Mike (Darla) Gibson, of Greenfield, and step-son, Douglas Gibson, Jr.; sixteen grandchildren; twenty-one great-grandchildren, with one on the way; and siblings, Lisa (Tommy) Adams, Shirley (Don) Pratt, Judy Mullens, Jeanie Begley, Carolyn Caudill, and Emmitt (Anita) Madden.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Olaf Madden; grandchild Bailey (Mike and Darla) Gibson; and great-grandchild Ezra (Mike and Darla).

### **LOTTIE JEWEL GREEN**



Lottie Jewel Green, age eighty-one, of Austin, Indiana, passed away on Sunday, June 26, 2022 in Hampton Oaks Health Campus, Scottsburg, Indiana. She was born on July 29, 1940 at Yerkes, Kentucky, the daughter of the late Asbel and Juanita Colwell Stidham. Lottie married Ronnie Green on December 22, 1967. Ronnie passed away on February 16, 2014. She was a homemaker and a member of Regular Baptist Church in Charlestown, Indiana.

Surviving Lottie are sisters, Etta Mae Roberts, of Austin, Indiana, Joyce (John) Campbell, of Austin, Indiana, and Ramona (Greg) Doeblner, of Scottsburg, Indiana; brother, Wayne Stidham, of Austin, Indiana; and brother-in-law, J.W. Neace, Sr., of Deputy, Indiana.

Lottie was preceded in death by sisters, Ollie Neace and Sharon Patrick; and brother-in-law, Herb Roberts.

### **CHRISTINE WATTS HALL**



Christine A. Watts Hall, age sixty-three, of Franklin, Ohio, passed away peacefully and met Jesus face to face on Monday, January 17, 2022 at Kettering Medical Center. She was born on May 14, 1958 to Melvin and Jewell D. Gross Watts. Christine was a sincere, humble, selfless and caring individual who touched the lives of all who knew her.

In 1976 she graduated from Springboro High School and then attended Middletown Business College. She spent most of her career at Ohio Casualty Insurance Company and Kadant Black Clawson.

Christine married the love of her life, William L. Hall, in 1977 and she was totally dedicated to her husband, her son, Joshua Hall, and granddaughter, Kylie Hall, in all aspects of their lives.

She was part of a big family and devoted her entire life to them. She continued to influence their lives with her tremendous faith in Jesus Christ. She was a member of the Northern New Home Regular Baptist Church at Goshen, Ohio. Christine had a green thumb and loved flowers, plants and gardening. Most of all, she loved spending time with her family and watching movies with her granddaughter, Kylie.

Christine was preceded in death by her parents, Melvin and Jewell Watts. She is survived by her husband of forty-five years, William L. Hall; son, Joshua William Hall; granddaughter, Kylie Jewell Hall; brothers, Boyd (Janet) Watts, and James Watts; sisters, Sheila (David) Williams, Esther (Ray) Williamson, and Pamela (Manuel) Lucas; nieces, Tiffany (Josh) Warren, Jessica (Dan) Bledsoe, Loni (Kameron) Griffin, Lindsey (Jesse) Roberts, and Amber (Steve) White; and nephews, Jeremy, David and Isaiah Watts.

### DANNY HALL



Danny Hall, of Hunter, Kentucky, went to be with the Lord on September, 14, 2022. He was born to the late Hi and Bethel Mae Johnson Hall, of Hi Hat, Kentucky. He was a graduate of Wheelwright High School. Danny later became a night watchman for Carbon River Coal Company until he retired. He was a member of the Left Beaver Old Regular Baptist Church.

Danny is survived by his daughter, Amanda Miller; sons, Danny Wayne Hall, William Hall, and Jonathan Hall; grandchildren, Shayla, Kennedi, Charleigh, D.J., Lil Will, Isabella, Blake, Luke, Aubrie, Harper, and Kaylen; and sister, Fanny, who he loved very much. He was also survived by a special neighbor, which was his niece, Mary Beth, and great niece, Layla, who he watched out for and counted as his child and grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Frank, Dwayne, Teddy and Timmy Hall; and sister-in-law, Joann Hall.

Dad was always joking, kidding, or picking on you if he liked you. He loved to talk about everything, but he loved to talk about the Lord and the Bible more than anything. Dad will be greatly missed and loved by all.

Written by his broken hearted daughter, Amanda Miller



## TINA REEDY HAMILTON

Tina Reedy Hamilton was born on July 20, 1968. She passed away on February 2, 2022 at the Hospice of West Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. She was fifty-three years, six months and twelve days old at her passing.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, H.B. Reedy, Sr. and Eliza Reedy.

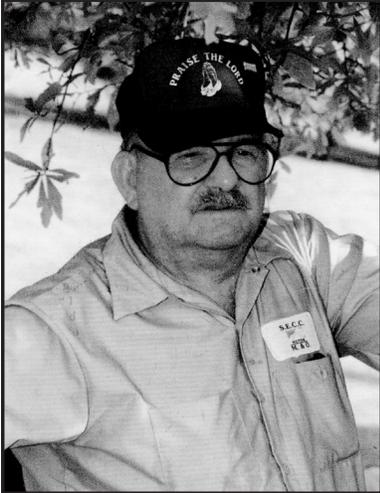
Tina is survived by her husband, Bill Hamilton; son, Sawyer (Taylor) Cook; parents, John and Inis Reedy; brother, William M. (Tracey) Reedy; sister, Stephanie Lynn (Randy) Blair; step-son, Wesley (Amanda) Hamilton; step-daughter, Lindsey (CC) Howard; granddaughters, Wiley Hamilton and Kinzley Howard; grandsons, Mason Cook and Lane Hamilton; and many relatives and friends.

Tina was strong willed and a fighter. She fought cancer for six years and never complained. During her struggles with cancer, she realized she needed a savior. She shared with me her experience of praying for forgiveness and was concerned that she had put it off too long. She continued to pray and one night, after we had talked, she was praying and felt a peace come all over her and into her heart. She felt so happy and clean and at peace with the Lord. This happened a few days before her brain surgery to remove two tumors. Tina said on the day of surgery, before they took her back to the operating room, a peace and calm came over her and she heard in her heart, "I'm here, don't be afraid." Shortly after she was discharged from the hospital, she joined the Skyland Baptist Church and was baptized.

On one of Tina's last trips home, she met with our neighbors, Lloyd and Shannon Mullins, to make her funeral arrangements. She told them that she hoped to be remembered as a kind, decent person who tried to love everyone. She also told them that the Lord had been with her every step of the way. However, she struggled with the early treatments and they were so hard, but when she gave her heart to the Lord, just before the brain surgery, she felt a peace come over her that has remained; and helped her cope and accept her situation. After Tina's passing, one of her many friends wrote, "Tina was one of the most blunt, honest, opinionated, compassionate, strong willed, loving people I have ever met."

Tina, you will be missed by so many, but never forgotten. We will see you again some sweet day!

Written by her parents, John and Inis Reedy



## RELON HAMPTON

When this, my last request is read, I will be gone from the body you look upon, the tabernacle in which I live, I have gone to lay my crown at my Master's feet. The crown He gave me in 1976, when I hired into his vineyard. He promised me a mansion not built or seen by man, a mansion in Heaven. I have a family started over there, and I looked for the old ship of Zion for a long time, before it sailed into view and the Lord bid me to get on board. While on earth I had a beautiful rose garden, made up of my family and friends, which I love dearly, but I have gone to see the prettiest rose of all, the one that withered on the cross, the one that blossomed in three days.

During my life on earth I was not ashamed to show my love for others, no matter who they were. Many times I fell short of what the Lord expected of me. In my own awkward way, I tried to sound the alarm to warn men and women of the wrath to come. During life's journey, I piled up a few stones along the way, for my loved ones, who might want to come this way.

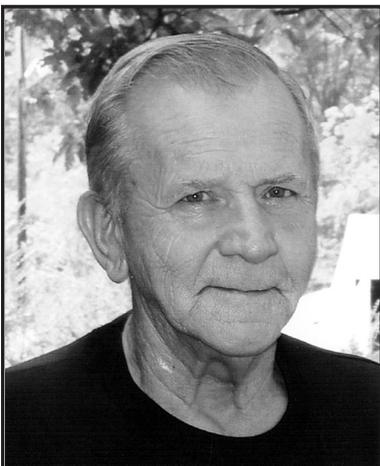
There is a time to grieve and a time to rejoice. Now is the time to rejoice, because I have made it home. Come and see me in my new home. I'll be expecting you.

All my love, Relon Hampton

Relon Hampton, age seventy-nine, of Whitesburg, Kentucky, passed away on Friday, October 1, 2021 at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Care Center in Hazard. He was the son of the late Willie and Elma Bowling Hampton.

Surviving Relon are his wife, Adeline Caudill Hampton; son, Earl Bernard; daughter, Wendy (Tim) Thornsberry; sister, Betty Ruth Hatton; seven grandchildren, Mark, Brittany, Ezikial Relon, Serenity, Timothy, Stephanie, and Harley; and a great grandchild, Konner.

Relon was preceded in death by two sons, Steven Brian Hampton and David Alan Hampton; two brothers, Lettrell Hampton and Lige David Hampton; and one sister, Bernice Hampton.



## CARL INGRAM

Carl Edward Ingram of Hallie, Kentucky, was born on September 11, 1942 to Charlie and Josie Cornett Ingram. He entered eternal life on Friday, July 15, 2022 at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Center in Hazard, Kentucky, which made Carl's stay on earth seventy-nine years, ten months and twelve days.

Carl is survived by two children, his daughter, Joy (J.C.) Blair and his son, Christopher (Rebecca) Ingram; three grandchildren, Billy Dakota Ingram (Tyggra), Nathan Daniel

Ingram and Kristen Emily Ingram; three great grandchildren, Tobias Ingram, Everlee Ingram, and Billy Tykoda Ingram; two sisters, Lonnie Mae Combs and Oma Jean Boggs; and special brother-in-law, Mack Morgan.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charlie and Josie Ingram; his wife, of fifty-six years, Cinda Frances Ingram; son, Billy Carl Ingram; three brothers, Clyde, Kermit and Claude; and four sisters, Ophia Cornett, Sarahleen Chandler, Joy Faye Sherman and Jewel Ann Morgan.

Carl was a hard worker most of his life. He worked in the coal mines for over forty years, most of the time as a repairman and electrician. He was very knowledgeable about working on vehicles and other small engines too.

He was a great Daddy, Papaw, and husband to his family and is dearly missed. What brings comfort and peace to our souls is knowing that he had a home in Heaven waiting for him. He made peace with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and was baptized on January 17, 1993. Just a few days before he passed, he said “Joy, we all have to die, I am ready to go on Home.”

We will continue to cherish all of the sweet precious memories of our loving Daddy and Papaw until we meet again.

Written in love, on behalf of the Ingram family,  
by his daughter, Joy Frances Ingram



## CASANDRA LOU EVERAGE ISAAC

With a sad and broken heart, I will try to write the obituary of a beloved mother, grandmother and daughter, Casandra Lou Everage Isaac. Casandra, age sixty years, was born on September 17, 1961 to Bivian Everage and the late Robert Everage, of Amburgey, Kentucky. She passed away on April 12, 2022 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center at Lexington, Kentucky. For fifteen years, she fought with complications from cancer, but she never gave up.

Casandra was preceded in death by her father, Robert Everage; brother, Jimmy Everage; and sister, Tammy Sue Everage. She is survived by her mother, Bivian Everage; one son, Zachary Isaac; one daughter, Christy Lynn Bailey; two granddaughters, Haley Grace McKinney and Alexandria (Alley) McKinney; two brothers, Tony Everage and Robbie Everage; along with a great host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends.

Casandra was a member of the New Bethlehem Regular Baptist Church, which she served faithfully as long as she was able to go. She loved going to church and serving her Lord Jesus Christ. She went to church a lot when she wasn't able to go. She prayed all the time that God would let her live long enough to see her son, Zach, grown. God did bless her to see him through two years of college and get a good job before He called her Home.

We miss her so much but thanks be to God, she doesn't have to be sick and suffer anymore.

She is at peace now and resting at the Throne of God until Jesus comes back in all of His amazing glory to reunite us all together again into His most glorious family.

Praise be to our Lord Jesus Christ forever and ever. Sleep on our precious love one, until we meet again.

Your loving family



## ANIS ISON

Anis Ison, age eighty-nine, of Jeremiah, Kentucky, passed away on February 9, 2022, at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Care Center in Hazard. She was the daughter of the late R.B. and Alberta Cornett Caudill and was married to the late Bob Ison for over sixty-six years.

Anis is survived by a sister, Mary Hall, of Chicago, Illinois; a brother-in-law, Glenn Brown, of Whitesburg, Kentucky; and eighteen nieces and nephews.

Anis was preceded in death by sisters, Inez Newsome, Mattie Fern Brown, Minnie Fay Gilliam, Susie Mae Caudill, Virginia Burke, Della C. Collier; and brother, Robert Caudill. She was also preceded in death by an infant niece and an infant nephew.

Anis attended Whitesburg High School and Morehead State College. She taught school in the Letcher County School system before she and Bob moved in the 1960's to Ohio where Anis retired from General Motors. She was a dedicated employee who worked hard and gave her best to her jobs. Anis and Bob returned to live in Letcher County around 2000.

Anis was a member of the Cedar Grove Church. She was always in attendance with Bob as long as she was able. As her health declined, she always listened to her favorite church services at home. She loved her church and was always a faithful contributor to its needs. She possessed a strong Christian faith. Her priority was to serve God and she always thanked God for His great blessings in her life.

Anis had a heart for helping others and she was always there to support her husband as he worked diligently for the Shriner's to serve the children in our area. She donated to many charitable organizations, including our local fire department and on occasions prepared food for Bob to take to them. Bob and Anis' door was always open to help those in need. This brought both of them much joy. Ann always wanted to help Bob to serve others. They were a wonderful team.

Anis was always so pleased to have visitors to her home and she had a spirit of respect and kindness to all that she met. Anis' advice for each of us remaining on earth would be to live a good life and to always honor God's Word. May we all strive to meet her again someday?

Written and submitted in loving memory of Anis,  
by her sister-in-law, Mary Carolyn Blair.



### **PAT CAMPBELL ISON**

Pat Ison, of Hallie, Kentucky, passed away on Thursday, June 9, 2022 at the University Of Kentucky Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky. Pat was the daughter of the late Evans and Hester Eldridge Campbell. She was the widow of Benton Ison. Surviving are one son, Bucky (Amy) Ison, of Viper; three sisters, Connie Campbell, of Cornettsville, Peggy (Chod) Back, of Hallie, and Martha (Douglas) Bailey, of Cornettsville; and two grandchildren, Haley Hurd and John Ison.



### **BOBBY RAY ISON**

Bobby Ray Ison, age eighty-eight, of Charlestown, Indiana, passed away on Monday, April 11, 2022, at Clark Memorial Hospital in Jeffersonville, Indiana. He was born on May 18, 1933 at Roxana, Kentucky to Chester and Julia Whitaker Ison.

Bobby was an Army Veteran of the Korean War, a member of the Blazing Star Masonic Lodge #226, a retired employee of General Electric in Louisville, Kentucky, and a member of the Chester Hogg Old Regular Baptist Church. He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gardener.

Bobby was preceded in death by his wife, Martha Ison and son, Michael Ison. He is survived by his sons, Robert A. Ison (Denise), of Charlestown, and Gregory L. Ison (Kristal), of Charlestown; brothers, Quenton Ison, of Columbus, Indiana, and Chester “Doc” Ison, of Charlestown; sisters, Doris Ison, of Columbus, Mary Sue Kilburn, of London, Kentucky and Barbara Watts, of Charlestown; and grandchildren, Jacob, Elizabeth, Christopher, Darren, Marlee and Tanner.





## EDITH HAMPTON ISON

Edith Estelle Hampton Ison of Brownstown, Indiana entered her Heavenly home on June 27, 2022, at 3:30 p.m. She was born in Jeremiah, Kentucky, on March 29, 1929, to Willie and Evaline Caudill Hampton. Her beloved husband, James A. Ison, her parents, two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

Edith married James Aaron Ison in Letcher County, Kentucky, on her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday on March 29, 1947. They were blessed to be married for sixty-seven years. Edith was dearly loved by her four children, Dr. Aaron (Faye) Ison, Richard (Ronna) Ison, Nadine (Denny) Burcham, all of Brownstown, and Colleen (Phil) Risk, of Greenwood. She was a wonderful Grandma to her eleven grandchildren, Justin Krietenstein, Russell (Cheryl) Ison, and Linnea (Paul) Wellings, all of Seymour, Melanie (Paul) Pottschmidt, Kelly (Jason) Cunningham, Kimberly (Cliff) Ault, Kent Burcham, Mitchell (Erin) Ison, all of Brownstown, Bradley (Abby) Ison, of Edgewood, Kentucky, Jared (Catherine) Risk, of Indianapolis, and Emily Risk, of Orlando, FL. She had fourteen great-grandchildren of whom she was so proud.

Edith graduated from Stuart Robinson High School in Letcher County, Kentucky. She loved her church, Valley Home Old Regular Baptist, in Freetown, and attended there for over sixty-five years.

Edith was known as a wonderful cook and loved to garden. She raised a huge garden and filled her cellar and freezer with garden vegetables every summer. She hosted family gatherings for every holiday. Some of the most fun and memorable occasions for the family were holiday barbeques that she hosted for each summer holiday. She loved to play board and card games. She was a game show fan and was able to solve every puzzle on Wheel of Fortune.

We know that all who knew her will grieve with us. She was a joy to be around. She will be missed more than words can say.



## CHARLES EDWARD (BILL) KENDRICK

*1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 2:9 "But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him."*

We will write the obituary of Charles Edward "Bill" Kendrick, who was a Christian man with faith in God, loving husband, Daddy, Papaw, and friend. Heartbroken, but rejoicing that he is with his Savior; his suffering is over. He was born on March 16, 1950 to the late Virgil and Bertha Bryant Kendrick. He left this world on October 16, 2021, at the age of seventy-one.

Bill met and married Victoria “Vickie” Elliott after a whirlwind courtship of three weeks. Papaw and Mamaw’s love story lasted forty-seven years through the good times and the bad, but their love for each other and their faith, kept them going. They brought into this world two sons, Jackie Edward (Billiejean) and Charles Keith (Brittany). They were blessed beyond measure with nine grandchildren, Kaitlyn “Katie”, William, (Deceased) Jacob Dylan, Lucas Edward, Emma Louise, Elliot James, Eli John, Eliam Keith, and Beckett Jackson. To Papaw, these were his precious babies, always taking out time to listen, and answer their questions, spending quality time with them. His greatest joy was serving the Lord, being with his family (natural and spiritual), nieces, nephews, games around the house, baking his famous brownies and fishing and hunting trips with his sons, brothers, nephews, and Christian friends.

Papaw is leaving behind to mourn his loss, his precious wife; his sons; daughters-in-law; grandchildren; family; and friends. He leaves four brothers, Jimmy, Clyde, Milford, and Palmer; one sister, Dorothy, whom he loved very much; and a host of nieces and nephews to mourn his loss. He was preceded in death by his parents; a grandson, William; two brothers, Elmer and Delmer; and a loving sister, Daisy Hamilton, whom he had a special love and relationship with.

Papaw became worried over the condition of his soul after a coal mining accident changed his life in March, 1983. The coal and rock hit Papaw in the face, which left him blind in one eye and profoundly hard of hearing. Papaw shared with Mamaw and his sister-in-law after he came out of surgery that he knew the Lord had spared his life. He said when the mining explosion occurred, he could not see his way to get to safety, he got scared, asking the Lord to help him. Papaw said he felt the Lord’s hands guiding him out of the mine shaft into the airway. Papaw always said that God’s hands were upon him when they put him to sleep for surgery and when he was awakened. He vowed that night that he would turn his life around and serve the Lord the rest of his days on earth. Papaw felt the Lord forgave him on May 30, 1983, and he kept that promise of serving Him for thirty-eight years until his last breath. He joined the Little Rosa Church on August 4, 1983, was baptized, taking his membership there, where he felt the Lord had sent him. He was a praying, loving member of this church, and he loved this church, and his Brothers and Sisters so much. He missed his church when he became sick and was not able to attend anymore. Many of the members came to see Papaw until Covid hit. Papaw and Mamaw were able to walk together in this life, enjoying God’s blessings with their hands in the Lord’s hands serving Him.

As we close, we feel his light and the life he lived showed the world he was walking on the King’s Highway. His life and light will continue to shine for many years to come as a witness to his children, family, and friends. His counsel was always of the Lord, telling everyone how good the Lord was and of the blessings he gave to his children. When asked, Papaw gave a reason of his hope, which was Jesus Christ, longing for others to seek the Lord and repent. To his children, family, and friends, please take heed and follow that low, still voice, seek the mercy and grace only the Lord can give you. Time is running out, and soon the Lord will appear on His cloud of glory to take his children home. If Papaw could say anything to you, he would say “Don’t you want to go where we will live forever and forever with the Man who shed His blood on Calvary?”

Written by his loving wife, and by his granddaughter, Katie



## MARY SUE KISER

With help from the Lord, we will try and write this obituary of our dear mother, Sue. We are here to remember Mary Sue Kiser, a daughter, a sister, and a wife, a mother and a grandmother. She was born Mary Sue Raleigh on July 6, 1940 at Oven Fork, Kentucky to William Harold Raleigh and his wife, Martha Radius Stidham Raleigh. She was the second oldest of four children that was born to this union.

She attended Whitesburg High School and through her older brother, met a young football player named William Harold “Bill” Kiser. For the rest of her life, she claimed he was the only boy she had ever loved. Bill and Sue married on November 8, 1958 and were married for fifty-four years until his death on November 5, 2012.

Sue’s home was the center of the family and extended family. Everyone gathered at Sue’s house for holidays, where she would cook great meals and take care of everyone. She joined the Old Regular Baptist Church where she remained a member of the Northern New Home Church of the Indian Bottom Association until her death. She spent the last years in the care of her youngest brother, Harold Ray and his wife, Rhonda.

In January, 2022, she developed a mild form of Covid-19 and became weak, and after two falls, she was admitted into the hospital, where doctors discovered a brain tumor. Sue refused any surgery due to her age and because she said she had lived a good life and was ready to go to be with Dad. On February 18, family was called to her bedside to say goodbye, where she took her last breaths on this earth, surrounded by a loving family. She was eighty-one years old.

Sue was a loyal wife, a protective mother and a unique grandmother. She loved nothing better than to hug on the five great-grandbabies that she was blessed with in her final years. She was a child of God and firmly believed she would happily be reunited with Jesus and her beloved Bill and parents. She was preceded in death by her parents, William Harold and Martha Raleigh; and her husband, Bill.

She is survived by her siblings, Bill Raleigh, Sherlon Worthington and Dr. Harold Raleigh (Rhonda); children, Pamela Carbone (Mark), Mike Kiser (Pam), Tim Kiser (Jamie Lewis); seven grandchildren, Marla Kiser, Lauren Carbone Hammond (Walter), Genny Kiser, Matthew Kiser (Kelsie), Brittini Kiser, Adam Carbone (Hayley) and Tristan; five great grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Nothing in life can prepare us for the death of a loved one. Whether death results from a sudden accident or a sustained illness, it always catches us off guard. Death is so deeply personal and stunningly final; nothing can emotionally prepare us for its arrival. With every death, there is a loss. And with every loss, there will be grief. Grief doesn’t come and go in an orderly, confined timeframe. Just when we think the pain has lessened, another wave sweeps in and we are forced to revisit the memories, the pain, and the fear. Sometimes we try to resist the demands of grieving, we fight against the currents, terrified of being

overwhelmed, of being discovered, of becoming lost in our brokenness. Yet grief, as painful a season as it is, is a necessary part of our healing. To run from grief is to run from the very thing that can stop the pain of our loss. If we come to God and use Bible verses and prayer for healing, our grief has a purpose. Grieving is the process God uses to bring us to a place of wholeness.

John 16:22 “And ye now therefore have sorrow: but I will see you again, and your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you.”

Matthew 11:28 “Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.”

Christians live and die in the hope of Jesus. Death is not a permanent separation from our departed loved ones if you have been washed in the blood of Jesus and baptized in the waters of life.

We love you Mom, until we meet again “Go Rest High on the Mountain.”



## DEBRA SLONE LEE

With a broken heart and the help of the Lord, I will try to write the obituary of my sweet daughter, Debra Slone Lee. Many hearts were broken the day you passed; our lives will never be the same.

Debra Slone Lee, age sixty-one, of Harold, Kentucky, formally of Knott County, passed away on Monday, August 16, 2021 at the Pikeville Medical Center. She was born on December 12, 1959 in Perry County to Robert and Nella Rose Watson Slone.

Debra is survived by her husband, Barry Lee; a son, Dylan Joe (Erica Nicole) Sharpe; a daughter, Jasmine Leshea (Jeremy) Adkins; one grandson, David Joe Sharpe; her mother, Nella Rose Watson Slone; four sisters, Linda (Tony) McGuire, Shelia (Jim) Butler, Barbie (Danny) Combs and Pamela (Mark) Klinepeter; and a host of loving nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Deb was preceded in death by her father, Robert Slone; paternal grandparents, Lee and Haley Slone; and maternal grandparents, Dingus and Dulsenia Watson.

She was a faithful member of The First Assembly of God church for twenty-six years until the Lord called her home. She took on many jobs in the church, and loved to share God's word in children's church and adult Sunday school. She loved her church family, and they loved her.

Deb was a daughter, sister, mother, wife and friend. She was smart, strong, kind and humble; and she gave of her time selflessly. A woman of God with a deep and abiding faith, and her beautiful soul shone from the inside out.

The space she leaves in our hearts and lives can never be filled. We take comfort knowing how much she loved us because she told us and showed us. She is at peace now with her Lord, and we seek peace and comfort moving forward as we remember our precious Deb.

She loved the Lord and was loved by all that knew her. We feel that our loss is Heaven's gain.

*No farewell words were spoken,  
No time to say goodbye,  
You were gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.*

Written by her mother and family

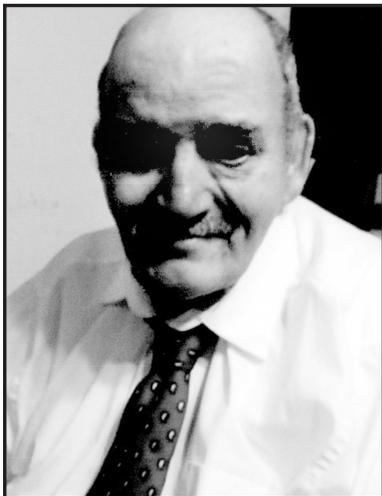


### CLETA FAYE LOGAN

Cleta Faye Logan, age eighty, of Williamsburg, Ohio, passed away on June 19, 2022 at Eastgatesprings. She was born on January 23, 1942 in Hazard, Kentucky, the daughter of the late Killis and Aileen Jones.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her first husband, Carl Williams; second husband, Don Fields; third husband, Frank Logan; son, Leon Williams; and ten brothers and sisters.

Cleta is survived by her children, Rhonda Boone (Kelly), Dan Fields (Susan), and Don Fields (Lisa); grandchildren, Justin Boone, Phillip Boone, Dillon Fields, Tristan Fields, and Joey Fields; great grandchildren, Rory Boone, and Skyler Fields; and numerous nieces and nephews.



### LARRY R. MORGAN

Larry Roger Morgan was born on April 25, 1945 at Wildie, Kentucky. He passed away at his home on February 27, 2022, making him seventy-six years old. He was the son of the late Idella Morgan Burke of Mount Vernon, Kentucky.

Larry married Helen Faye Everage of Austin and from this union, one daughter was born, Helen Marie Calhoun, of Austin, Indiana. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Joshua, of Dallas, Texas and Kacie, of Austin; one great grandchild, Jettson Allen Bowman; and siblings, Pamela Rieckers, Patsy Parker, Ann Tarter and Robert Vanover.

Preceding Larry in death was his mother, Idella; two sisters, Linda Deboer and Judy Combs; two step-brothers, Danny Vanover and Virgil Vanover.

He was a member of the Chester Hogg Old Regular Baptist Church. Larry worked at Smith's Cabinet Factory in Salem, Indiana until he retired. He loved fishing, hunting and watching westerns. He loved family get-togethers and loved going to church when able.

The family all miss you and loved you very much. I loved and miss you so much. There's not a day goes by that I don't think of you. It's hard to go on but with God's help, I'll meet you in Heaven. I loved you dearly.

Your loving wife, Helen Morgan

*When tomorrow starts without me, please try to understand, that an angel came and called my name, and took me by the hand; The angel said my place was ready, In Heaven far above, and that I'd have to leave behind all those I dearly love. But when I walked through Heaven's Gates, I felt so much at Home, for God looked down, smiled at me, and told me "Welcome Home," So when tomorrow starts with me, Don't think we're apart, for every time you think of me, I'm right there in your heart.*



## POLLY OLIVER

Polly Oliver passed away on March 23, 2022, being seventy-two years and nineteen days old. She was born on March 4, 1950 to Joe Williams and Maggie Baker Williams. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by four sisters; and one grandson.

She is survived by her husband of fifty-two years, Kenny Oliver; two daughters, Kendra Lee Perkins and Kristen Lynn Johnson (Michael); six grandchildren; one sister, Ruby Pickard; one brother, John Williams; and a host of nieces, nephews and other family members.

Polly was a loving, dedicated Christian wife and mother and a special grandmother to her babies. She always had a smile and a kind word for everyone. She loved to cook and everybody was welcome at her table. She is truly missed but we feel our loss is Heaven's gain.

Written with love by her husband, Kenny, and family





## RUBY NEWSOME OUSLEY

Ruby, my Mom, was born on January 30, 1932 to Harvey and Katie Hall Newsome and departed from this life on February 4, 2021, making her stay on earth eighty-nine years and five days.

She met and married the love of her life, Willie Ousley, on January 15, 1957. To this union were born three children, Kenneth, Mimie Jean and Willie, Jr.

Mom gave her hand to the Cold Springs Old Regular Baptist Church as a young woman in her early twenties on a cold winter day and spent her life in the Old Regular Baptist Churches that she dearly loved.

Mom loved working in her flower and vegetable gardens and canning up food for winter. She also loved to travel.

Ruby was preceded in death by my Dad, Willie Ousley, on November 5, 1996. She was also preceded in death by her parents; several young siblings; two sisters, Phiney and Elizabeth; and four young brothers, Charley, Roy, Jack and Estill. Preceding Ruby in death were also her three brothers, Clancy Newsome, Russell Newsome and Johnny Newsome.

Mom is survived by her children, Kenneth Ousley, Mimie Jean Ousley Akers and Willie "Jr." Ousley; three brothers, Elder Frank Newsome, Dave Newsome and Harvey Newsome, Junior; three sisters, Ruth Fuller, Lorene Young and Daphine Akers; and four grandchildren, Sherry, Robbie, Stephanie and Willie Joe.

My heart is broken but I have so many happy memories that will last me a lifetime. Until we meet again!

Written by her daughter, Mimie Jean Akers



## SANDRA GRIFFIE PERRY

I was asked to write a few words in honor of Sandra Griffie Perry. I found out quickly that it is hard to write just a few words about someone that has touched your life in such a profound way. Sandy was the matriarch of our family. She wore that title with her head held high and a smile on her face. She was and always will be my mother-in-law, but the love that we had for one another is something that cannot be described by words. Sandy held many titles in her life, but the one she cherished the most was being "Nana". Shawn and Todd were her first loves. She would fight a running chainsaw if she thought anyone was messing with her boys. When those grandchildren came along, everyone and everything took a backseat to them real fast. She had a special relationship with each and every one of them. She loved them with all her heart and they loved her just

as much. My mother died when I was very young and Sandy was the only grandmother that my kids ever knew. She took that responsibility very seriously. We had many conversations about that over the years. She would always say, "I will love them enough for both of us", and she did just that.

Sandy had a laugh that was infectious to those that were around her. To those that knew her well, you knew that she could also fire off the "Griffie" temper just as fast as she could laugh. She loved to "go up home" as she called it and she loved cooking for anyone who would sit down at her table. She was the baby of five children who grew up in a home that never knew a stranger and loved the Lord. We would all sit all around at the old home place and talk. Sandy would tell us stories about Bobby, who would follow her to the drive-in when she first started dating. Kenneth would drive her around and scare her to death by going so fast. Rena would do her hair and make her pretty. Oh, how she loved to listen to Claudette sing and Squire preach the gospel.

One of my fondest memories is sitting at the table at Mamaw's house and listening to Sandy, Rena, and Claudette sing "White Oak on the Hill" to my kids, while we made candy. Sandy loved her mother and daddy and she would reminisce about watching her Daddy sit in his chair and read the Bible. She loved her mother with every fiber of her being. Sandy taught me to cook and when she would show me something, she would say "that's how Mommy taught me to do it."

Sandy's life wasn't without struggles or heartaches. She survived the death of a child, and a niece, that she loved like her own. The obstacles that she faced after her car accident were many and she lived every day with constant pain in her legs. Through it all, the smile and the laughter remained. She was one of the strongest people that I have ever known. Sandy lived and she loved without restraint even during the hardest of times.

The mountains that Sandy climbed in this old world were many, but she kept the Lord beside her with each step. Her faith was unbreakable. In the end, she held on as long as she could. When the Lord opened up his arms and called her Home, she went with grace and dignity. I have peace in my heart knowing she is with the Lord and no longer in pain. We, as a family, were truly blessed in this life with such a wonderful woman. She will be greatly missed by all.

Sandra Griffie Perry, age seventy-one, of Lancaster, Kentucky, passed away on Tuesday, November 19, 2021 at the St. Joseph East Hospital in Lexington. She was born on June 14, 1950 to the late Clarence and Mattie Caudill Grffie. She was a member of the Cedar Grove Old Regular Baptist Church at Hallie, Kentucky. She was a respiratory therapist at Lab Corp.

Sandra is survived by her husband, Michael Perry, of Lancaster; two sons, Shawn Igo (Krista), of Mt. Sterling, and Todd Igo (Karen), of Mt. Sterling; two daughters, Rebekah Perry Fearing Burton (Jamie), of Plymouth, Ohio, and Emily Brewster (Matt), of Shelby, Ohio; two brothers, Bobby Griffie of Cornettsville, and Kenneth Griffie (Ina), of Lexington; two sisters, Claudette Watts, of Hindman, and Rena Malone, of Nicholasville; ten grandchildren, Kennedy Igo, Baylee Blevins (Dakota), Trevor Igo, Braxton Igo, Caleb Igo, Raelynn Fearing, Carter Burton, Isabella Burton, Brody Brewster, and Blayke Brewster; and two great-grandchildren, Carter Blevins and Brooklyn Blevins.

Krista Igo, daughter-in-law



## KARI MICHELLE MADDIN PILGRIM

I pray God will help me to write an obituary of my first granddaughter. Kari Michelle Maddin Pilgrim was born on October 13, 1983; the daughter of Mike Maddin and Diane Slone Maddin Gillum. I pray that she passed from this earth to be with her Mom on December 12, 2021. She was a wonderful granddaughter. She loved her grandparents so much. I miss her so much.

She leaves behind a son, Brendon Childers, he is thirteen years old. She also leaves behind her husband, Matt Pilgrim; that loved her with all his heart. They miss her so much, their hearts are broken. She is also survived by her sister, Jessica Hall, as she still goes to Kari's home to take care of her beloved cats that she loved so much.

Her grandparents, Johnny and Melvie Slone, also survive her, along with uncles, Johnny (Katie) Slone, Robert (Ann) Slone, and Herman (Doris) Slone; aunts, Angie, Shannon Smith, and Patty Sellers; and lots of nieces and nephews.

*Miss me a little but let me go  
We each must go alone.  
It's part of the maker's plan  
A step on the road to home  
Miss me, but let me go.*

Written by a broken hearted Mamaw, Melvie Slone



## OLA FAYE PRATT

Ola Faye Pratt born on January 4, 1939 and departed this life on Friday, November 5, 2021 at her residence in Hazard, Kentucky, being eighty-two years old. Ola Faye was born in Harveyton, Kentucky, the daughter of the late Lawrence Fugate and the late Almeda Childers Fugate. Other than her parents, Ola Faye was preceded in death by her Grandson, Jonah Aaron Pratt; brothers, Harold Wayne Fugate and Ronnie Fugate; sister, Sharon Fugate; and niece, Diane Fugate.

Ola Faye Pratt leaves the following relatives to cherish her memory, her husband of sixty-three years, Avon Pratt, of Hazard; sons, Richard Avon Pratt and Rita, of Viper, and Jeffrey Wayne Pratt and Michelle, of Viper; sister, Tommy Fugate, of Harlan; grandchildren, Kelli Erin Callahan and Christian, of Avawam, Michael Wayne Pratt and Katlyn, of Lost Creek, Christopher Ryan Pratt, of Viper, and Mavis Evon Lee Pratt of Viper; great-grandchild, Harper Jaymes Callihan; and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her passing.

Ola Faye loved spending time with her family whom she dearly loved. She was a member of the Big Leatherwood Old Regular Baptist Church. She was such an inspiration in our family and her family was so loved by her. The place she held in our hearts now only has blessed memories of the love she had for us, and the love she had for Jesus.

“Rest in the grace of Jesus until we meet again, in the great glory of Heaven.”



### **DORLENA K. RICE**

Dorlena K. Rice, seventy-two, of Ashland, Kentucky, passed away at her residence on Wednesday, May 18, 2022. Dorlena was the daughter of the late Finley and Cora Everidge

She is survived by her children, Tommy (Amanda) Hampton, of Ashland, Kentucky, Stella Watts, of Ashland, Kentucky and Katrina (Stacey) Ruggles, of Ashland, Kentucky; five grandchildren, Marquala Wolfe, Terry Wolfe, Kayla Wade, Joanna Wolfe, and Dillion Amburgey; nine great grandchildren, Emma Wade, Ellie Wade, Eli Wade, Elyse Wade, Ryder Wolfe, Aayliah Wilson, Aubrey Tussey, Adalyan Wolfe, and Curtis

Tussey, Jr.; along with a host of other family members and friends to mourn her passing.

With the help of the good Lord, I will try to write what God will put on my heart and mind of our precious Mommy. Our mommy and granny was a gift from God. Mommy joined the Little Bull Creek Old Regular Baptist Church and was baptized in a little creek down below the church on October 18, 1981. She was baptized by brothers: Virgil Combs, Kirby Jent, and Ted Everidge. A day that mommy said she would always remember while here on earth. Mommy was a member of the Little Jewel Old Regular Baptist church in Ashland, Kentucky.

Mommy was a mother, who would have laid her life down for her children, grandbabies, family, or friends. Mommy was the glue of our little family that held us all together when times were hard and in the times that we thought that we couldn't make it. We were always poor, living in the mountains of southeastern Kentucky growing up, but us children were rich with the love in our hearts that mommy gave us.

*Son, Tommy* - My special bond that I had with Mom as her only son was, I could always go to her and talk about Jesus. We would get to talking sometimes and the joy that Jesus gave us would just overflow our hearts. I sure do miss seeing her in the church house with us as I look over in her seat where she used to sit and clap her hands and shout praising God. The memories that mommy left in my heart are special.

*Daughter, Stella* - As her oldest daughter, I will always remember Mom telling us about a dream she had of her sweet mommy (our granny) sitting at a kitchen table. Granny patted the seat beside herself and told mommy that she was saving her a seat. I sure believe that they are sitting side by side rejoicing. Save me a seat Mom, with the good Lord's saving grace, I'll be sitting someday with you both. Mommy's grandchildren, and great grandbabies, were the twinkle in my mommy's eyes. She loved them more than words.

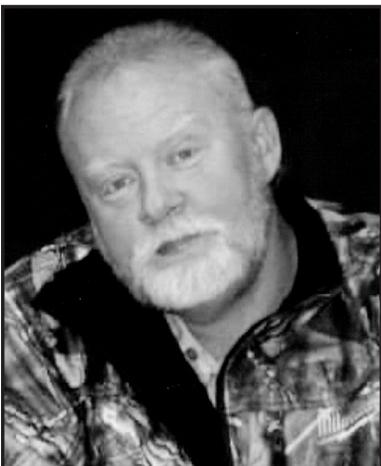
*Daughter, Katrina* - One of my memories of Mom as her youngest daughter was mom had been so sick. I prayed so hard that she would be able to get a day out with me and Stella and I'll never forget the day that we all had. She had such a great day, we all did. She was able to enjoy it all. I know He touched her that day.

Mommy had gone through every storm in her life and still held onto Jesus. From the age of thirty-two, mommy had multiple open-heart surgeries, breast cancer surgery, stroke, dialysis, gallbladder surgery, a-fib; leading to her passing with pulmonary fibrosis. Dealing with all of her sickness, she still tried to be independent. In her last few weeks before her passing, Mommy kept telling us kids that she was so sorry that we had to help her. She was so worried that she was a burden on us children. We kept on telling her that she wasn't a burden to us, and we loved her, so don't be saying that. She told me when she was laying in the bed at the hospital that the good Lord gave her peace, and she was ready to go. One of the last things that I will always remember, just before mommy passed away, was she was sitting by her bedside and wasn't feeling good. I started brushing her hair; I had never brushed our Mommy's hair in my life. When I was brushing her hair, Mommy told me softly that she never did think that she was pretty. It broke my heart when she said that. I told mommy that, "you are an Angel, Mommy, you are pretty." I am so glad that the good Lord put it on my mind to brush mommy's hair. Knowing where our Mommy and Granny are today as I write this, puts a joy in my heart.

Mom was not only our mother, or granny, here on this earth, but she was also my sister in Christ. Oh, Heaven Sweet Heaven, our sweet little mommy would sing, like the roar of a lion she would lift her voice up to Jesus. Sleep on a little while, Mommy, in the arms of Jesus and take your rest. We know that's not you laying in that dark, cold ground, Mommy, it's only the clay temple that the spirit of God and you once dwelled in, on earth. The morning is almost here, Mommy, and Jesus is coming. Your children will see you in the morning, to never be parted from you again. Where we all can see dear Jesus, hold His hand and walk the streets of gold in that Glory Land.

Written by her children and brother and sisters in Christ,  
Tommy Hampton, Stella Watts and Katrina Ruggles

## LESLIE ROBERTS



Leslie Scott Roberts was born on June 9, 1969 to Judy Damron Roberts and the late Bennie Roberts, of Sugar Camp. He was a retired coal truck driver and a member of the Little Hannah Old Regular Baptist Church.

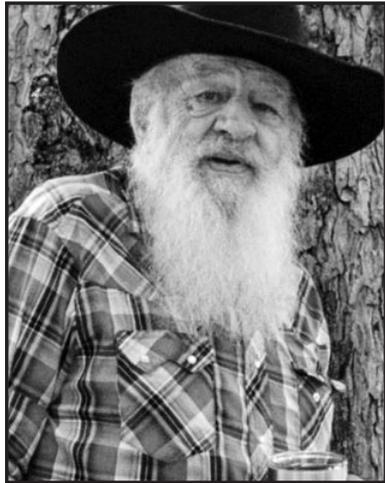
Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, Lanna Teen Roberts; three sons, Trey (Cassidy) Roberts, of Virgie; Rusty (Hannah) Roberts, of Pikeville, and Chance Morrison of Virgie; two daughters, Laci Jade Roberts (Josiah), of Virgie, and Lezlie Bonae "Baybo" Roberts (Ryan), of Virgie; one sister, Olivia Roberts, of Sugar Camp; and six grandchildren,

Huxton, Kane, Emersyn, Remedi, Braxton and Layton.

Leslie joined the Old Regular Baptist Church on December 11, 1999. Shortly after that, he began preaching the word of God and preached it the rest of his days on this earth. He loved the Lord, his family, friends, and hounds. He was a wonderful father to his five children and the best Papaw to his six grandchildren. He would do anything he could to help anybody that needed help.

Leslie left this world on June 22, 2022 at the Pikeville Medical Center in Pikeville, Kentucky. He was laid to rest at the Amil Little Cemetery at Long Fork. He will be missed terribly by all that knew and loved him.

### KARL SCHINDLER



Karl Schindler was born in Elyria, Ohio to Adolf Schindler and Dorothy Mae Hoyt Schindler on December 4, 1935. He came to Kentucky with Dan Perry and met the love of his life, Betty Perry. They got married on February 12, 1962.

In this union they had four children and one miscarriage. Surviving are three sons, Green Fredrick Paul, Daniel Fitzgerald, and Francisco Alberto, and daughter, Lydia Janette; six grandkids, Brian David, Daniel Stevens, Rafael Antonio, Karl Andrew, Francisco Dewayne, and Joshua; and a host of great-grand kids. Sadly, son, Francisco; wife, Betty; sister, Mary Lee; and brother, Frank, preceded him in death.

Karl was a loving husband, dad, and gramps. He loved working on cars and teaching his children and grandchildren about cars. He loved to travel, watch western movies, and helping others. He was loved by everyone who knew him. Karl joined New Home Church in November of 1976 where he remained a faithful member for forty-four years. He served as a deacon for many years.

God called him home on September 16, 2020, leaving his family broken hearted. But with the promise of God, we will see him again someday. He leaves behind family and friends to mourn his passing.

Written by his loving family, Green, Daniel and Lydia Schindler.

#### **GONE AWAY WITH A FRIEND**

*I looked into the face of an old saint of God,  
I thought your race has ended, your life's crown you've won,  
Separated from the present, but soon to live again,  
And his only gone away with a friend.*

*Gone away with a friend, someone closer than a brother,  
With somebody who loves you more than children, Dad or Mother,  
And he holds your very soul in the palm of his hand,  
Let it read on my tombstone, gone away with a friend.*

*He's a constant companion through life's joy and pain,  
All my hope and cares I hold in his dear name.  
And when my soul breaks free from these ties that hold me here,  
I'm going away with Jesus no other friend so dear.*



### ALVA SLONE

I will try to write the obituary of my brother, Alva Slone. He was born on January 8, 1938 to Jasper and Effie Slone at Pippa Passes, Kentucky. He passed from this earth on September 4, 2021.

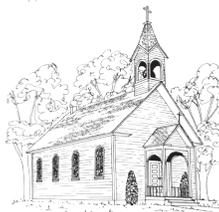
Alva lived with our youngest sister in Orlando, Florida for some years as he couldn't take care of himself. He had a happy life there. He loved going to church and traveling places with her. He loved life and was happy all of the time. Alva wanted to be brought back to Ohio to be buried with his wife, Elsie Slone.

Alva leaves to miss him, one brother, Corbett Slone; and three sisters, Nadine Monroe, Irene Reed and Melvie Slone.

Gone on before Alva are his parents, Jasper and Effie Slone; brothers, Luther Slone, Burton Slone and Delmas Slone; and one sister, Ruth Prater.

*When tomorrow starts with me,  
Don't think we're far apart,  
For every time you think of me,  
I'm right there in your heart.*

Written by a broken hearted sister, Melvie Slone





## ARNETTA MAE SLONE

It is with a broken heart and great sadness that I write the obituary of my precious Mamaw, Arnetta Mae Slone. You hear people say the world is a little darker today, that was true on Sunday, March 21, 2021, when my Mamaw, Arnetta Mae Slone, age eighty-one, of Jeremiah, Kentucky, went to be with the Lord at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Center in Hazard. By her side was her daughter, Lana, and sister, Nancy. It has taken me over a year to sit down and try to find words to describe what an impact she had on her family and community.

Mamaw was born on December 19, 1939 to the late Arnold and Susan Adams Back. Mamaw was the widow of Glen Slone, whom she loved and adored. The two had an amazing marriage. A marriage that you would strive to have; Mamaw and Papaw were always cutting up with each other. You could see the love that they shared. They enjoyed their many trips fishing at the cabin in Lake Cumberland.

Mamaw had three children, Lana Pridemore, Joanie Branock and Glenna Faye Quillen. From her children, she had seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Mamaw was preceded in death by two grandchildren, Keith and Jared Pridemore; and one daughter, Joanie Branock.

Mamaw was a simple lady that cared deeply for her family, friends, and the Lord. You would never go hungry at her house, no matter how many times you would say no. She loved hosting her family at many occasions each year. She would never eat before everyone else had their plates. Mamaw loved spending time talking on the phone, sitting on the porch having her coffee, and running the roads. Mamaw traveled many places but I think her favorite times were with her brothers and sisters in Pigeon Forge and her family trips to the Outer Banks with her kids and grandkids.

My Mamaw was a proud member of the Blair Branch Church. She joined the church on the third Sunday in December, 1973. She was baptized by Brother John Preece and Brother I.D. Back on the third Sunday in January, 1974. At the time of her passing, she held the most years of membership at her church and she was extremely proud of this.

Written by her precious granddaughter





## DEBRA ANN "DEBBIE" SLONE

It is with a sad and broken heart that I will try to write this obituary of my niece, who felt more like a sister, Debbie Slone.

Debbie Slone, age fifty, of Garner, Kentucky, passed away on Sunday, September 19, 2021 at her residence at Garner. She was born on May 2, 1971 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin, Kentucky to her parents, Carlos "Yogi" and Harriet Slone.

Debbie is survived by her parents, Carlos "Yogi" and Harriet Slone, of Hindman, Kentucky; one daughter, Charity (Kyle Moore) Slone, of Garner, Kentucky; one sister, Melissa (Gary) Slone, of Garner, Kentucky; special aunt, Opal Slone, of Garner, Kentucky; her little sidekick, Andrew Spurlock; as well as a host of loving family and friends.

Debbie was the most kind, loving, and good-hearted person anyone could ever meet. She would have given the shirt off her back to anyone who needed it. I was only five years old when Debbie was born and as we both grew up, we became more like brother and sister because of all the time we spent playing together. A few years after graduating high school,

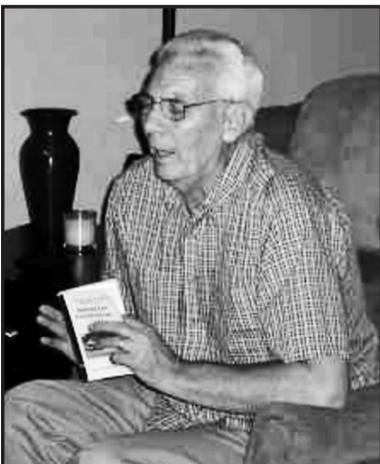
Debbie had the pride and joy of her life, her daughter, Charity. They were not only mother and daughter, they were best friends. Charity was the most important thing in Debbie's life.

The last few years of her life, Debbie slipped into a state of depression. Time and time again, she said what she needed was the Lord Jesus Christ. Several of her friends and family told her to pray with all her heart and it would happen. We all know that it is a personal matter between each individual and God and if she, like everyone else, cried from the heart for the Lord to forgive her, then we can all be together again someday.

Debbie will be missed by all that knew and loved her, and someday we will see her again when we stand to meet our Lord Jesus Christ.

Written by her uncle (more like a brother), Ralph Slone

## ELMER SLONE



Elder Elmer Slone was born on June 27, 1939, in Hollybush, Kentucky. He was the oldest of five children born to the late Ellis and Teny Slone.

Brother Elmer grew up on Caney Creek, and not long after high school, he enlisted in the Army which allowed him to see a lot of the United States along with several places overseas. In 1959, he married Emma Jean Slone, and they had three children, Rhonda, Deedra, and Daryl.

They settled in Kendallville, Indiana where Brother Elmer worked for Cooper Tire. In 1974, he and his family moved

back to Pippa Passes where Brother Elmer began work at Alice Lloyd College. Brother Elmer enjoyed his job, mostly because he could use the gymnasium. He would help with the college basketball program and every weekend he would open the gym so local kids had a place to go and play ball. He later started a basketball league for kids in Knott County. Because of his years of service to the community, and his many years helping with the college basketball program, Brother Elmer was later (2012) inducted into the Alice Lloyd College Athletic Hall of Fame.

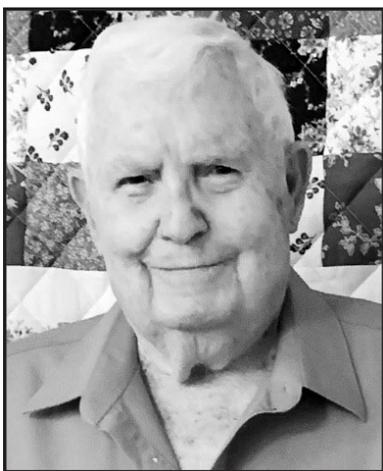
Brother Elmer was always a dedicated and good employee, husband, father, and a good neighbor, but in the mid 1980s, he knew there was something missing in his life. He began to go to church, read his Bible and inquire about Jesus. On October 27, 1985, Elmer Slone humbled himself and took on a new role and became Brother Elmer Slone. He was baptized the first Sunday in August 1987 and became a faithful member of the Mount Olive Old Regular Baptist Church in Pippa Passes. Brother Elmer loved to go to church. He loved to sing the old gospel songs and people loved to hear him sing.

His wife, Emma Jean Slone, passed away in February of 1995. It was a difficult time for Brother Elmer, and in 1998 he met Ilene Bentley Watson, and they were married in March of 1999.

Brother Elmer retired from Alice Lloyd College and moved to Auburn, Indiana. He found a new church home in the Salem United Baptist Church. Not long after joining, Brother Elmer dedicated his life to the ministry. Always known for his singing, now people loved to hear him preach the gospel.

Elder Elmer Slone passed from this life on February 9, 2021. He left many behind to mourn his passing but for Elder Elmer Slone, it was a sweet exchange. I often reflect on the advice that he has given me over the years, and I can still hear him sing "How Many Times".

Elder Elmer Slone is loved and missed by many. Until we meet again....



## **ROY KENON SMITH**

Virgil (Roy Kenon) Smith entered eternal life on Tuesday, January 18, 2022, being eighty-nine years, ten months and thirteen days old. He was retired from the United States Air Force. He was the son of the late Dee and Ethel Whitaker Smith.

Roy Kenon is survived by one son, Roy Kenon Smith, of Lexington, Kentucky; two sisters, Mary Joe Blair, of Jeremiah, Kentucky and Ann Lou Blair, of Lexington, Kentucky; two grandchildren, Alex and Zac; four great grandchildren; along with a host of loving relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Billie Jean Pridemore Smith; his daughter, Christi Smith; four brothers, James Richmond, John Welch, William Douglas and Tommy Harris; and one sister, Lillie Moss Hale.



## ALFRED TAYLOR

It is with a broken heart, I write this obituary for my great-grandfather, Alfred Taylor. Papaw was born on Sunday, October 11, 1931, to Everett and Mattie Short Taylor in Mallie, Kentucky (Knott County). Pap went to be with our Lord on Thursday, September 8, 2022, while surrounded by his family at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Care Center in Hazard, Kentucky, making his stay on earth ninety years, ten months, and twenty-eight days. On Monday, June 11, 1951, in Detroit, Michigan, Pap married the love of his life, Helen B. Smith Taylor. God blessed them with a happy marriage for seventy-one years, two months, and twenty-eight days.

Alfred and Helen were blessed with three sons and two daughters along with many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren. Pap was called to serve the United States Army and inducted on November 28, 1951. He served his country proudly in Germany and always stood for the American dream. He was proud of his service. Later on, he joined the Knott County DAV Chapter #171 in Hindman, Kentucky. He tirelessly served with pride and professionalism as a life member of the chapter. Always wanting to perform his best, appear his best, and be the best he could be for his positions with the DAV, never missing a meeting or funeral services for his fallen comrades. *“2<sup>nd</sup> Timothy 4:7-8, I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.”*

In his earlier years, Pap owned and operated coal trucks to provide for his family. He loved fishing with Roman Short, Cullen Caudill, and other friends. His vehicles had to be spotless, and his grass kept neat. He took so much pride in cutting the cemetery grass and always made sure when it was his turn, that he cut it clean. In his retired years, he and Granny would attend church regularly. His favorite was Ivy Point Old Regular Baptist, but to him it was just “Mosley Town.” Pap loved the Lord and was always praying. He attended church services until his health would unfortunately no longer allow him to. Pap also had a special Yorkie for many years, Tiny, and where Pap went, Tiny would follow.

My pap was a stubborn but humble man who loved all his family dearly. He would call just to inform me of everything going on and he desired for everyone to get along. At the end of his life, he wanted Granny by his side constantly. He would yell, “Help, Help!” and when someone would come, he’d say, “Get Helen!” Granny Helen was his life and he loved her so.

Papaw leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife, Helen B. Smith Taylor; children, Dewayne (Reva) Taylor, of Mallie, Harold Dean Taylor, of Mallie, Diann (Paul) Taylor Watson, of Mallie, Linda (Eddis) Taylor Slone, of Mallie; brother, James (Bessie) Taylor, of Mallie; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren; along with nieces, nephews, family, and friends.

Papaw is preceded in passing by his parents, Everett and Mattie Short Taylor; son, Randall Len “Bo” Taylor; sister, Alma Bentley; brothers, Ray Taylor, Robert Taylor, Gilbert Taylor, Bristol Taylor and John Taylor; and granddaughter, Samantha Watson.

Our loss is truly Heaven's gain. His memory we shall forever cherish.

Written by his broken-hearted great-grandson,  
Elder Corey Wayne Watson



## HENRY VENT TOLLIVER

Henry Vent Tolliver, age eighty-four, of Greenup, Kentucky, passed away peacefully, surrounded by his family, on June 24, 2022, at Kings Daughters Medical Center in Ashland, Kentucky. Henry was born on May 15, 1938, in Letcher County, Kentucky. He was the son of the late James Ellis and Callie Bentley Tolliver.

He was a member of the Little Jewel Old Regular Baptist Church at Westwood, Kentucky. Henry was saved in December, 2005 and baptized in January, 2006 at Little Mary Old Regular Baptist Church in Morehead, Kentucky, but moved his membership to Little Jewel Old Regular Baptist Church in 2017. He loved his church family and looked forward to being in the house of the Lord, praising his sweet Savior.

Henry is survived by his cherished wife of sixty-five years, Shelby Riley Tolliver, and his beloved children, five sons, Dennis (Pam) Tolliver, David (Annie) Tolliver, Steve (Becky) Tolliver, Melvin Tolliver of Greenup and Henry (Becky) Tolliver of Waddy, Kentucky; two daughters, Sharri (Ed) Robinson and Melissa (Jerry) Brown of Greenup; two brothers, Donald (Mary) Tolliver and Willis (Agnes) Tolliver; and two sisters, Sabrina (Raymond) Tolliver Kiser and June Tolliver Iery; along with fifteen grandchildren and a host of great and great-great grandchildren.

Henry was a respected resident of Greenup County, a retired railroader, and a devoted family man who enjoyed hunting, telling stories of his youth, coaching little league baseball, and farming. He enjoyed having his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren around. This brought him much joy.

Henry was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Aaron, Ray, Allen, Ben, Willie, and Coy; and his sisters, Ottie Tolliver Brown and Pauline Tolliver Withrow.

Henry will be missed by all those who loved him. If he could say anything to those of us who remain, he would tell us he wished he would have turned his life over to the Lord sooner. The Lord helped him to make changes in his life for the better.

We have a loving Lord who is waiting on us with open arms. Henry wanted more than anything to see all his children and loved ones saved.

Take comfort in John 3:16.



## ROBERT WAGNER

Robert Wagner, age eighty-five, of Whitesburg, Kentucky, passed away on Thursday, January 6, 2022, at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Center in Hazard, Kentucky. Robert was the son of the late Dave and Rosie Webb Wagner.

Surviving Robert are two daughters, Shawn (Tim) Finn, of Mayking, and Peggy (Paul Mark) Cook, of Smoot Creek; two brothers, Darrel Wagner and W.L. Wagner; four sisters, Linda Hughes, Lettie Jane Blair, Henrietta Wright, and Ellen Compton; five grandchildren, Amber (Adam) Maggard, Ashley (Colter) Sumpter, Robert Paul Cook, Aaron (Beth) Finn, and Whitney (Zane) Blair; seven great grandchildren, Aiden, Easton, Lindsey, Sawyer, Emma, Atlas, and Sophie; along with a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his passing.

Robert was preceded in death by his wife, Esther Tackett Wagner; and a brother, Don Wagner.



## HELEN WATTS

Helen Watts, age eighty-six, of Linefork, Kentucky, passed away on Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at the Blue Ash Hospice Center in Cincinnati, Ohio. She was the daughter of the late Silas and Pearl Shepherd Perry. She was the widow of William Jack Watts.

Surviving Helen is one son, Allen Watts, of Loveland, Ohio; two brothers, Richmond Perry, of Jackson, and James Perry, of Michigan; one sister, Magdelene Perry, of Indiana; three grandchildren, Samantha, Andrew, and Michael; and one great grandchild, Avery.





## JOY WHITAKER WATTS

Joy Whitaker Watts, of Sandlick passed away on Friday, May 6, 2022, at the Whitesburg Appalachian Hospital in Whitesburg, Kentucky. She was the daughter of the late Roy and Nannie Belle Caudill Whitaker and was born on September 20, 1929, at Premium, Kentucky, being ninety-two years, seven months, and sixteen days of age at the time of her passing. She spent the entirety of her life in the communities of Premium and Johnson Fork. Joy is survived by one son, Wayne (Kim) Watts, of Sandlick; two daughters, Juanita Hensley, of Clearwater, Florida, and Sonja (Ben) West, of Premium; several grandchildren, Kenneth Hensley, Shannon Dick (Justin), Misty Hensley (James), Derrick Watts (Krystal), Wade Whitehead (Jenny), Martha Cox (TJ), Steven, Rebekah, Matt West, and Josh West (Ashley); extended family including great grandchildren by lineage and by heart, Mariyah, Christan, Jayden, Kenna, Jada, Breanna, Kissee, Kelly, Andrew, Adam, Stonie, Shiloh, Skylar, Anakin, Hayden, Sara, Emma, Bella, Ian, Gideon, Zara, and Zoe; plus one great-great grandson Elijah Chase.

Joy was preceded in death by one daughter, Wanda Whitehead (Kenny) in 2020; one grand-daughter, Leah Erin; and one great grandson Nikolaus Draven. Born into a large family, she was the last surviving member of nine children which included, Amos, Amon, Aaron, Danus, Mary, Martha, Grace, and Gloria.

Joy met and married the love of her life, Green Watts, in October, 1952, whom upon first seeing him told a friend ... “well he’s a pretty little thing but there ain’t much of him”. That “little love” however lasted a lifetime and produced a passel of beloved children and grandchildren, who have fond memories of parents who were devoted to each other, to God, and to the unity of family. Heaven Sweet Heaven and Beulah Land were their favorite songs. Married for forty-eight years, she and Green were best friends and soul mates until his death in 2000. Joy lived a quiet and humble life and possessed a strong work ethic. Tough and resilient, she worked tirelessly to provide for her family and during her early life; she worked as a caregiver, doing odd jobs, and sitting with the ill and invalid. In her later years she worked as a bus driver, a cook, and a foster grandparent.

Throughout her life Joy professed a deep and abiding faith in the Lord. She and Green joined and were baptized into the Cedar Grove Old Regular Baptist Church in 1973 and remained faithful members of this church until their deaths. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother and a prayer warrior like no other. Her love for her family, friends and those in need, and her un-ending wisdom, far surpassed her longevity of life. Her family, though saddened by her loss, heralds her passing with thankful hearts, believing that her tears have been bottled in Heaven and that she has earned her peace and place of refuge in arms of the Lord.



## WANDA LYNN FRAZIER WEBB

Wanda Lynn Frazier Webb of Linefork, Kentucky, entered eternal life on Saturday, August 6, 2022 at the Greg and Noreen Wells Hospice Center in Hazard, Kentucky. Wanda was born on April 11, 1950, the daughter of Ruth Ingram Frazier and the late Atlas of Frazier of Kings Creek, Kentucky.

Besides her mother, Wanda is survived by one son, Kevin Williams, of Kings Creek; two daughters, Angie (Tim) Sexton, of Gardendale, Texas, and Leslie Williams, of Linefork, Kentucky; six grandchildren, Alex (Katie) Williams, Schyler Sexton, Tanner Sexton, Megan Williams, Madison Fugate, and Mason Williams. She is also survived by four sisters, Sharon Banks, of Irvine, Kentucky, Brenda (Gee) Combs, of Kings Creek, Cilla (Roger) Fields, of Linefork, and Connie (Don) Hogg, of Kings Creek; one sister-in-law, Sue Frazier, of Linefork; plus a host of beloved nieces, nephews, family relatives, and friends.

Wanda was preceded in death by her father, Atlas Frazier; one brother, Robert Frazier; one brother-in-law, Andrew Banks; one niece, Alicia Combs; and one nephew, Michael Hogg.

Wanda has been a loyal and devoted member of the Defeated Creek Old Regular Baptist Church since January, 2015. She retired from the secretarial position of the Letcher County Vocational School on January 1, 2013. Wanda enjoyed working with wood, making and fixing things whenever she thought someone needed it or would enjoy having it. She was well known for her delicious peanut butter roll candy. Wanda had the kindest heart, and she would do anything for anyone if she thought they were in need.

We will miss her contagious smile that would light up a room; and her positive attitude and loving personality.

“God has surely gained another Angel.”

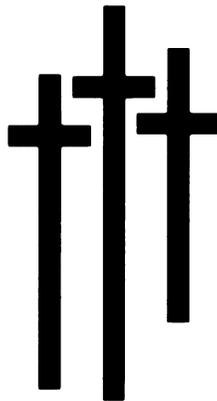


**ARTICLES OF FAITH OF THE INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION**

1. We believe in the one true and living God, and notwithstanding there are Three that bear record in Heaven, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, yet there is but one in substance, equal in power and glory, not to be divided and impossible to change in principle and practice.
2. We believe the Old and New Testament Scriptures are the true written words of God and were given by inspiration of God and there is a sufficiency in them contained for our instruction and they are the only rule of our faith and practice.
3. We believe the doctrine of original sin, and that man sinned since the fall, and that men are by nature the children of wrath.
4. We believe in the impotency or inability of men to recover themselves out of the state they are in; therefore, a Savior is absolutely needed.
5. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God only by the imputed righteousness of Jesus Christ.
6. We believe in the perseverance of the Saints. That by grace through faith they are born again and adopted into the family of Heaven; that they will become equal heirs with Jesus Christ in glory, and that He will raise them up at the last day.
7. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are Gospel Ordinances; that true believers are the proper subjects and we admit no other.
8. We believe that the true mode of baptism is by immersion, to baptize a person by their own consent, back foremost in the water, in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost.
9. We believe that washing of one another's feet is a commandment of Christ, left on record with His disciples, and ought to be practiced by His followers.
10. We believe in the resurrection of the dead and general judgment when all will be judged according to their deeds done in the body.
11. We believe the punishment of the wicked will be everlasting and the joys of the righteous will be eternal after death.
12. We believe that no one has the right to administer the Gospel Ordinances but such as are legally ordained and qualified there unto.
13. We believe it to be the duty of all church members to attend church meetings, and that it is the duty of the church to deal with them for neglecting same.
14. We believe it to be the duty of all church members to contribute to the support of the church by defraying all reasonable expenses of same, never neglecting the poor, according to their several abilities.
15. We believe that any doctrine that goes to encourage or indulge the people in their sins or cause them to settle down on anything short of saving grace in Christ for salvation is erroneous and such doctrine will be rejected by us.
16. We believe that in the beginning God made mankind male and female and said for this cause shall a man leave his father and mother and shall cleave to his wife and they twain shall be one flesh. Men with men and women with women is an abomination and is unseemly and unnatural. Our churches shall have no member that practices homosexuality.
17. None of the above articles shall be construed as to hold with particular election or reprobation as to make God partial directly or indirectly so as to injure children of man.
18. None of the above articles shall be altered without legal notice and free consent.

**RULES OF DECORUM OF THE INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION**

1. The Association shall open and close with prayer.
2. The moderator and assistant moderator, clerk and assistant clerk, shall be chosen by the suffrage of the members present.
3. Only one member shall speak at a time, and shall rise from his seat and address the moderator when he is about to speak.
4. The person thus speaking shall not be interrupted in his speech by anyone except the moderator until he is done.
5. He shall strictly adhere to his subject and in no wise reflect on the preceding speaker, but define his ideas on the proposition for debate, so far as he can.
6. No person shall abruptly absent himself from the Association without leave of the same.
7. No person shall rise and speak more than three times on any subject without permission from the Association.
8. No member of the Association shall have the liberty to laugh during the sitting of the same, nor whisper in time of public speech.
9. No member shall address another in any other form or term than that of "Brother."
10. The moderator shall not interrupt a brother or prohibit him from speaking until he gives his views on the subject unless he shall violate the Rules of Decorum.
11. The names of the several members of the Association shall be enrolled by the clerk, and called as often as the Association may require.
12. The moderator shall be entitled to the same privileges of speech as any other member, provided the chair be filled, but he shall have no vote unless the Association be equally divided, in which event he shall give the deciding vote.
13. Any member who shall willfully and knowingly violate any of these rules shall be reprimanded by the Association as it may think proper.



## CONSTITUTION OF THE INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION

Having by unanimous voice changed our organization from an annual meeting to an Association, we therefore propose to keep order and rules of an Association according to the following form of government:

1. The Association shall be called the Indian Bottom Association.
2. The Association shall be composed of members chosen by the different churches in our union, and duly sent to represent them in the Association, who shall be members whom they judge best qualified for that purpose, and producing letters from their respective churches, certifying to their appointment, these shall be entitled to a seat.
3. In the letters from the different churches shall be expressed their full number in fellowship; those baptized, received by letter, restored, dismissed by letter, excluded and deceased since our last Association.
4. The members thus chosen and convened shall have no power to lord over God's heritage, nor shall they have any clerical power over the churches, nor shall they infringe on any of the rights of any of the churches in the union.
5. The Association, when convened, shall be governed by a regular and proper decorum.
6. The Association shall have a moderator and assistant moderator, clerk, assistant clerk, and treasurer, who shall be chosen by the suffrage of the members present.
7. New churches may be admitted to this union, which shall petition by letter and delegates, and if found upon examination to be orthodox and orderly, shall be received by the Association, and manifested by the moderator giving the right hand of fellowship.
8. Every church in the union shall be entitled to representation in the Association.
9. Every query presented by the churches to the Association, being first debated in their own church, shall come under the consideration of the Association.
10. Every motion made and seconded shall be considered by the Association, except it be withdrawn by the party who made it.
11. We think it absolutely necessary that we have an Association fund for defraying the expense of the same. For the raising of which we think it the duty of each church in the Union to contribute such sums voluntarily as they think proper, and send it by their delegates, to be deposited with the treasurer, who shall be responsible to the Association, and pay same out, as the Association may direct.
12. There shall be an Association book kept in which the proceedings of every Association shall be regularly recorded by the secretary, who shall receive annual compensation for same.
13. The minutes of the Association shall be read and corrected, if need be, and signed by the moderator and clerk before the Association rises.
14. Amendments to this plan of government may be made by majority of the union when in regular session, when so desired.

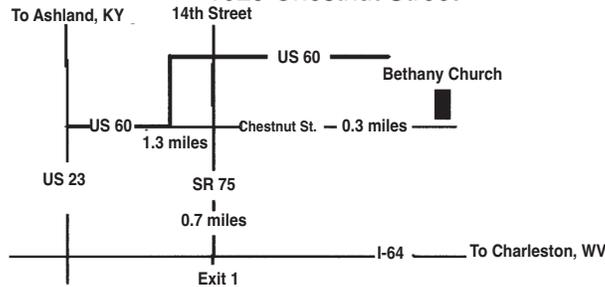
15. The Association shall endeavor to furnish the churches with minutes of the Association; the best method of effecting the same shall be determined by the Association.
16. All matters coming before the Association shall be decided by will of the majority of the members present.
17. The Association shall have the power to decide for the general union of the churches and to preserve an inviolable chain of communion among same, giving churches all necessary advice in matters of church difficulty; inquiring into the cause why any church shall have failed to represent itself any time in the Association; appropriate the money received to any purpose it may think proper; appoint any member or members by their consent to transact any business which it may think necessary; withdraw from any church in the union which may violate any of the rules of the Association or deviate from the orthodox principles of religion; admit any orderly minister of our faith and order to a seat in the Association and adjourn to any time or place it may deem necessary.



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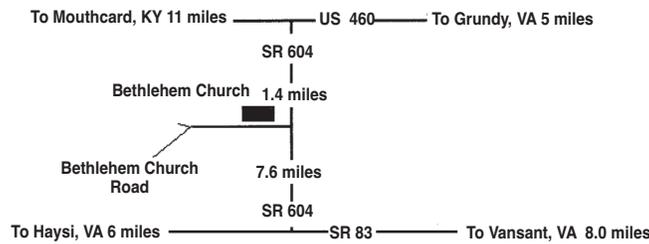
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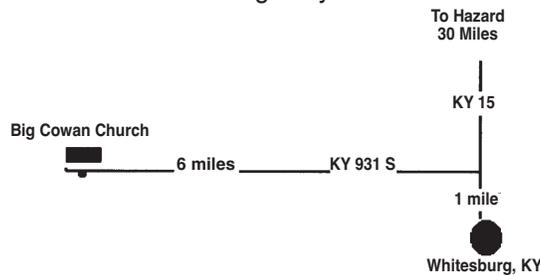
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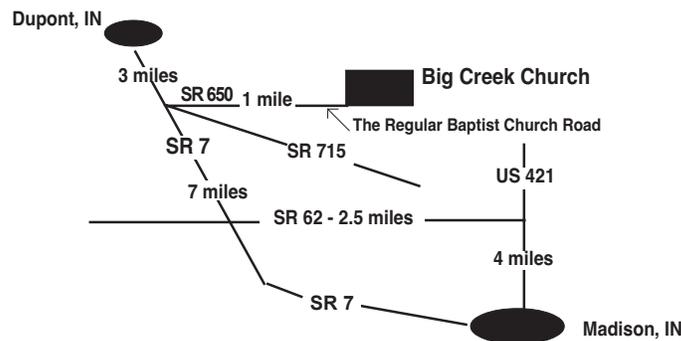
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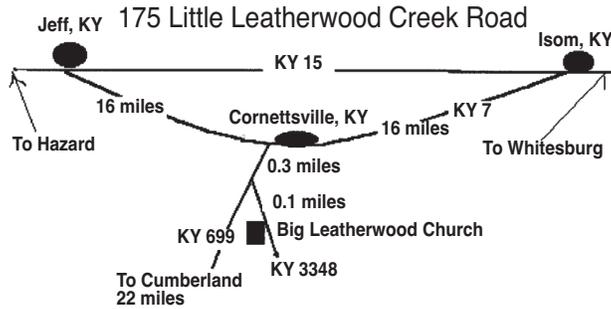
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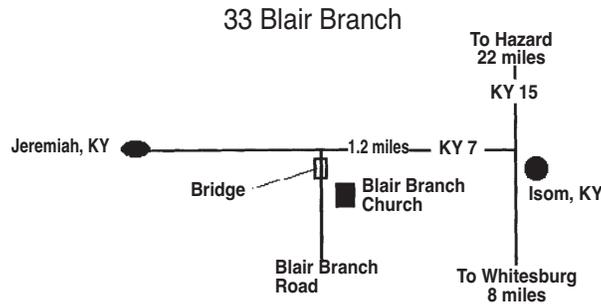
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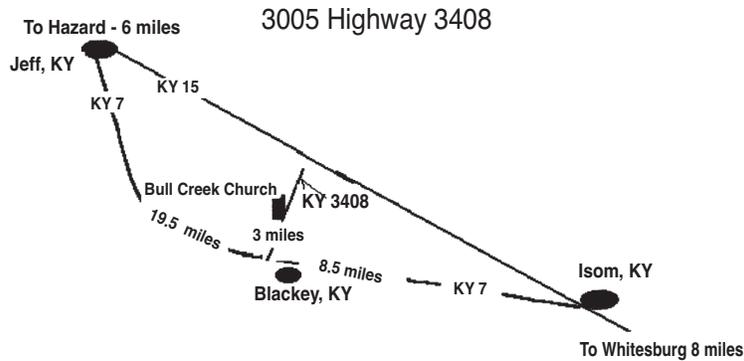
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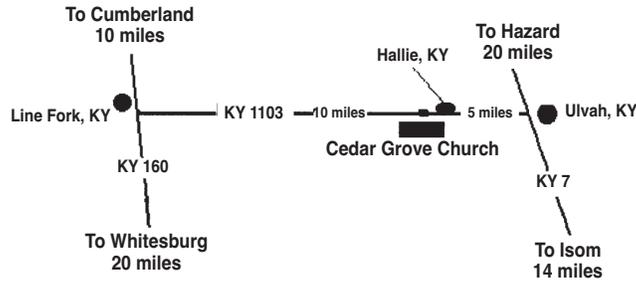


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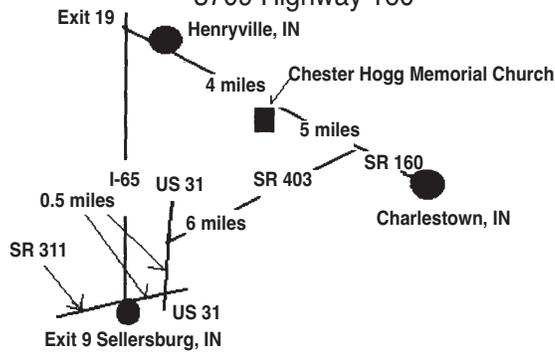
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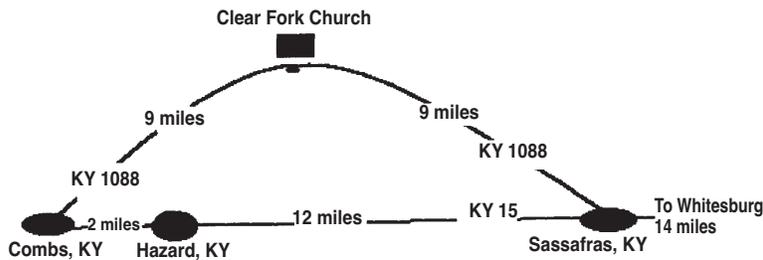
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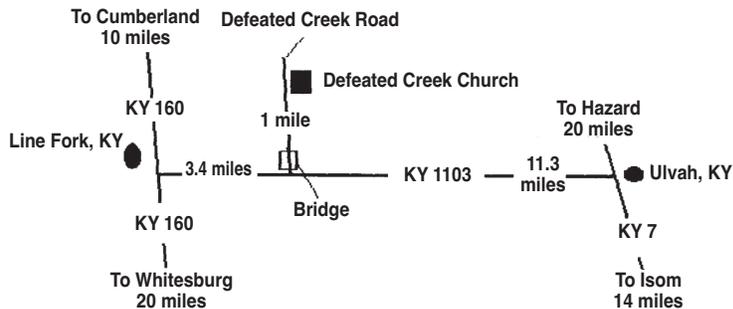
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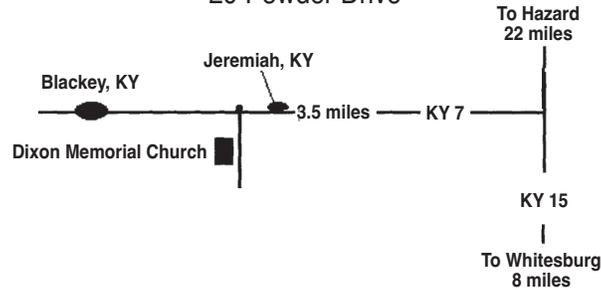


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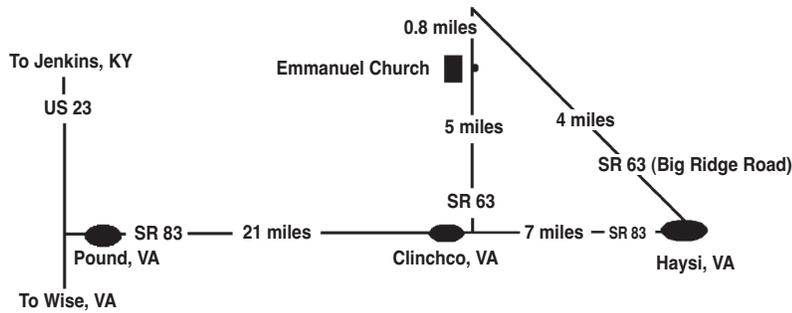
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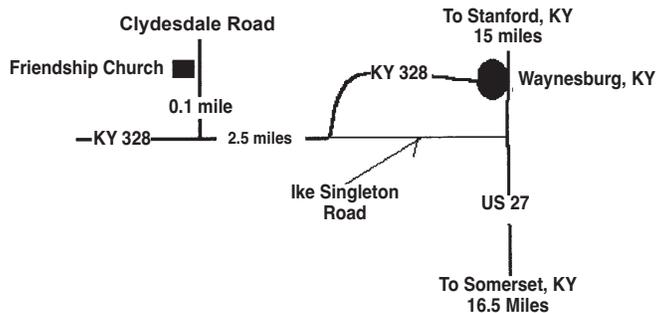
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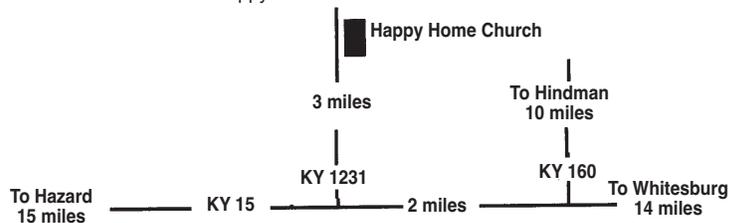


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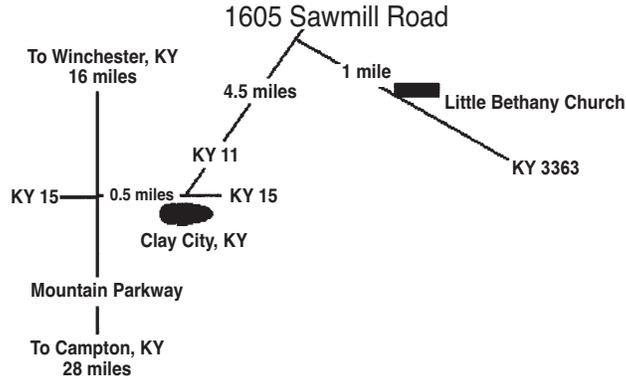


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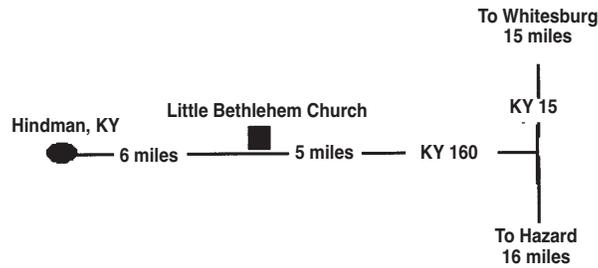
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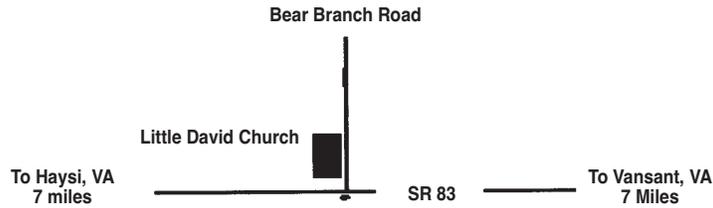
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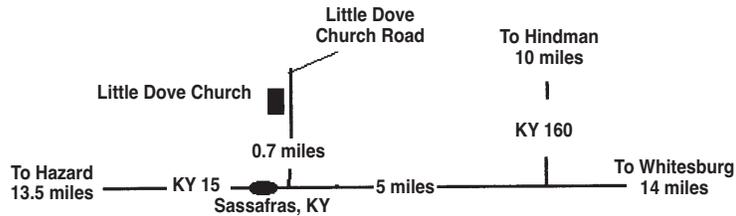
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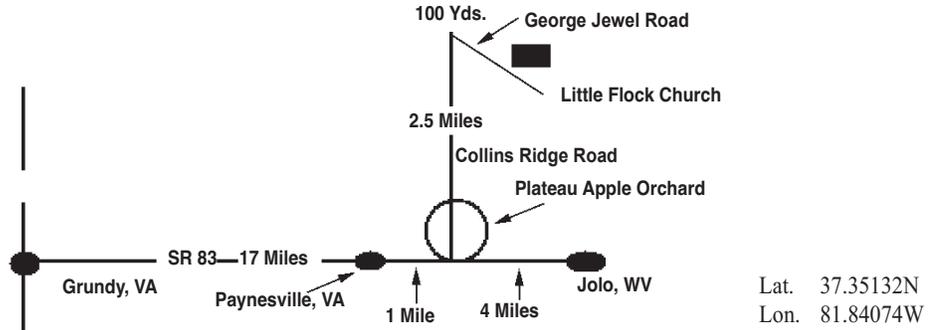
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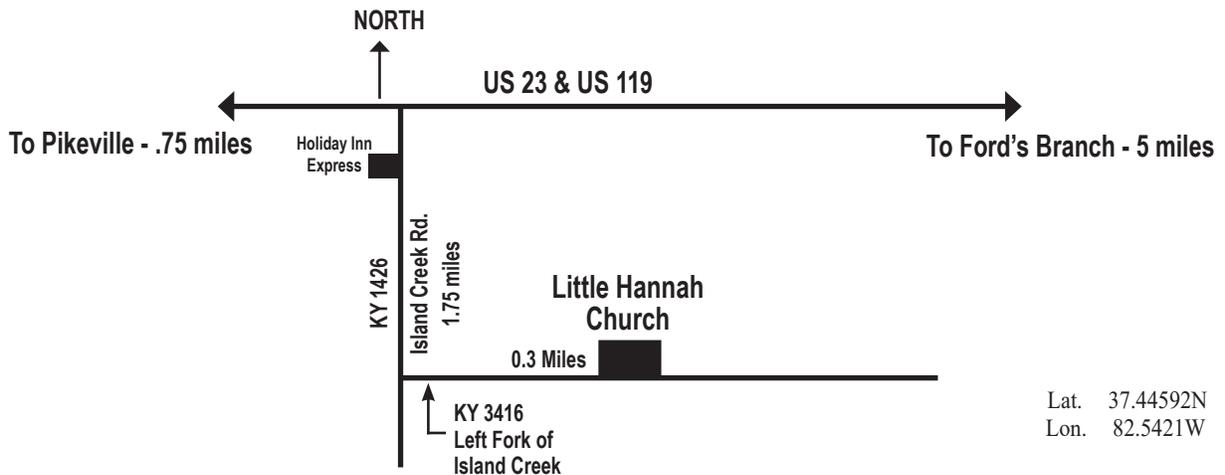
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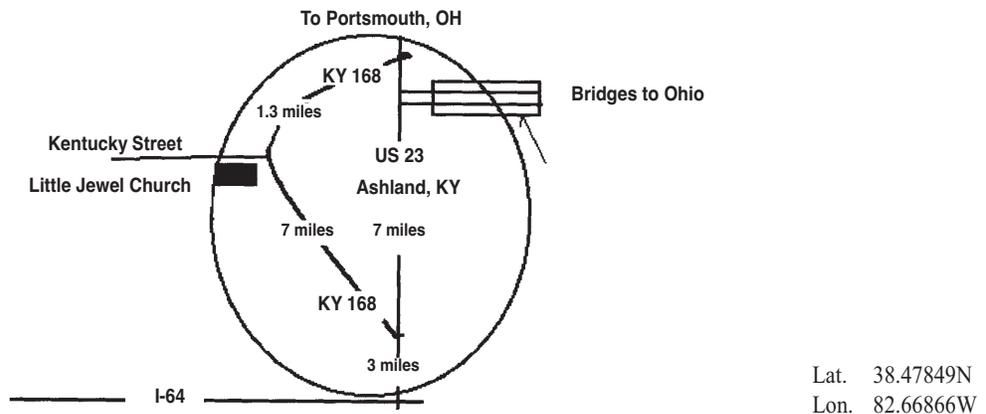
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**Little Hannah Church, Pikeville, KY 41501**  
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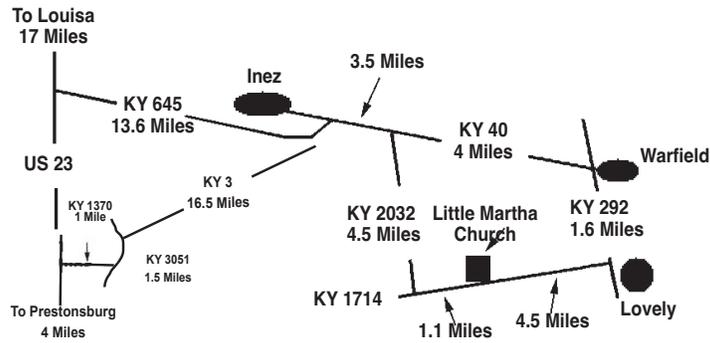
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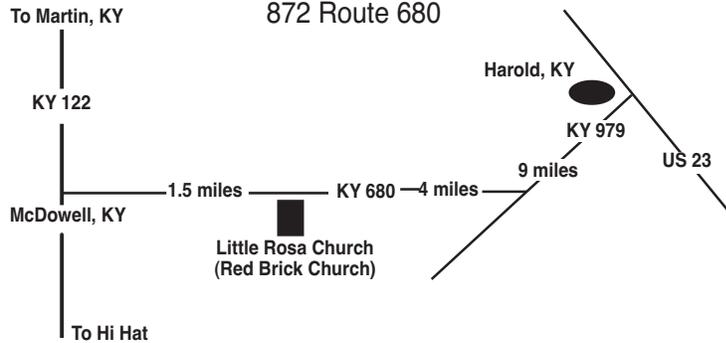
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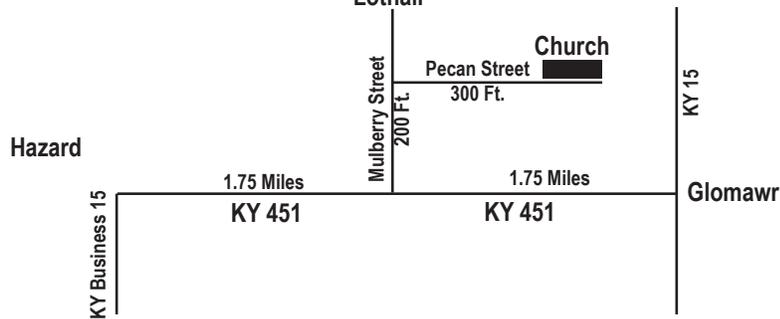


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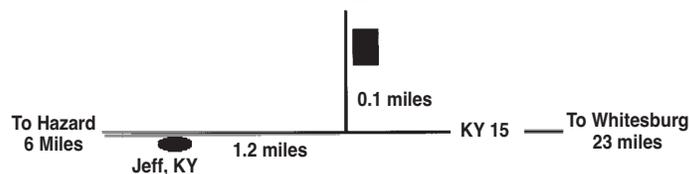


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Upper Doty Branch Road

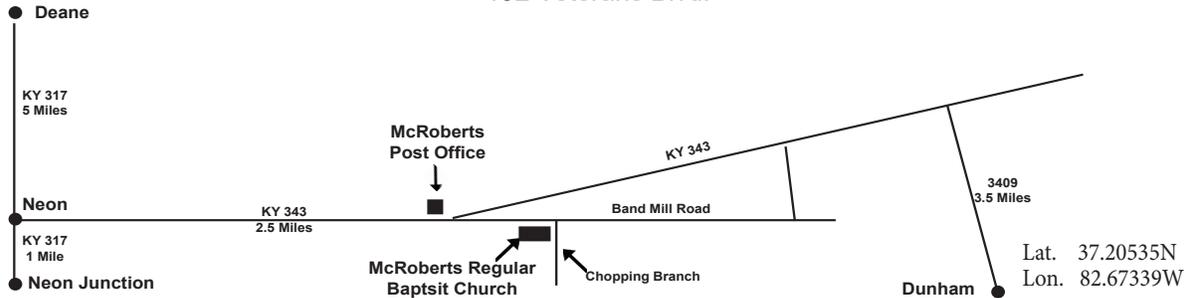


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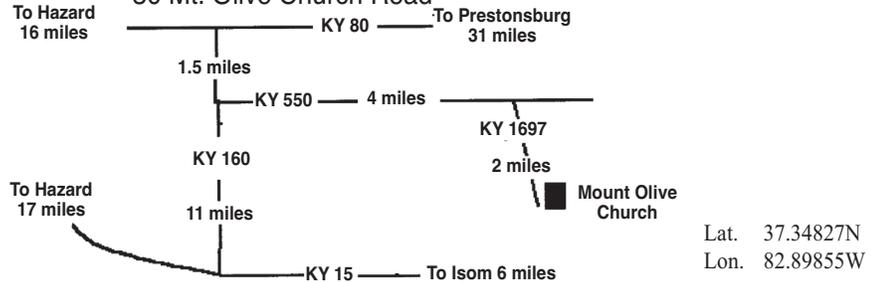
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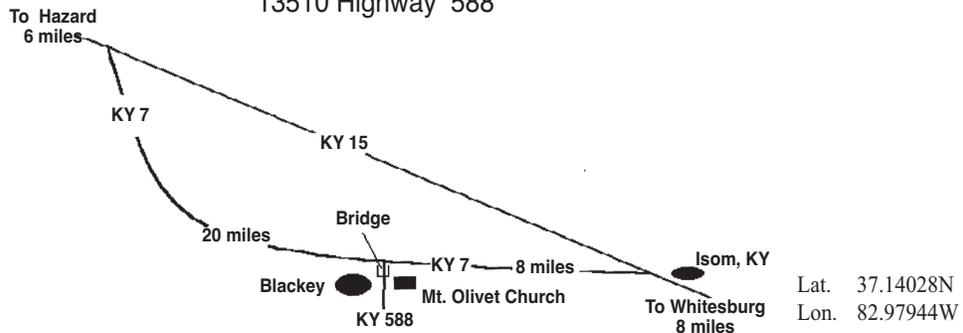
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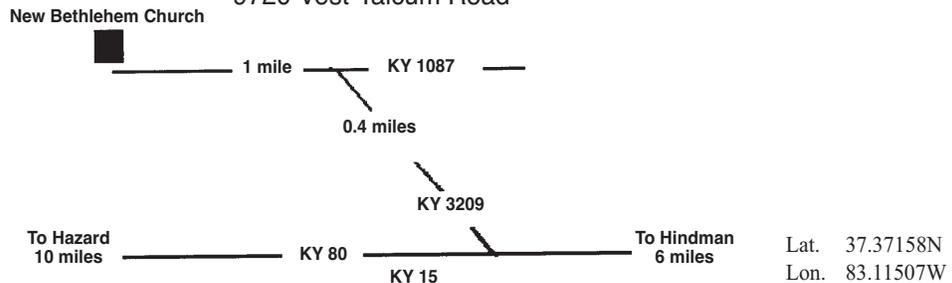
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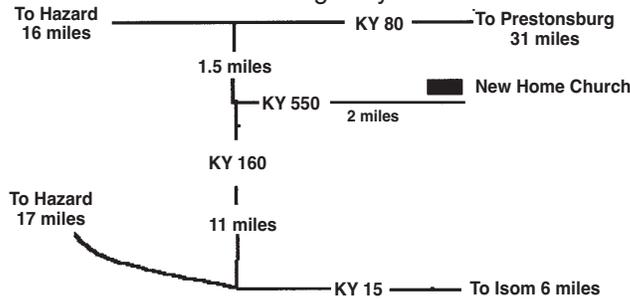
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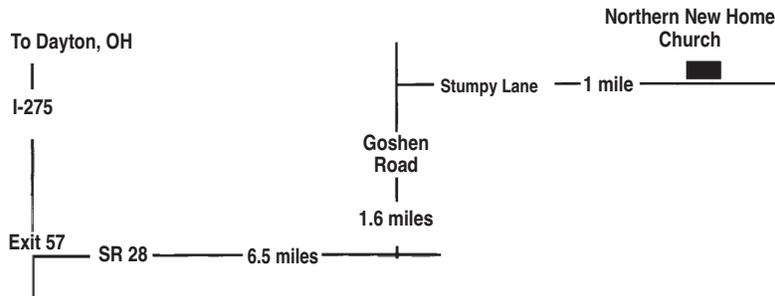
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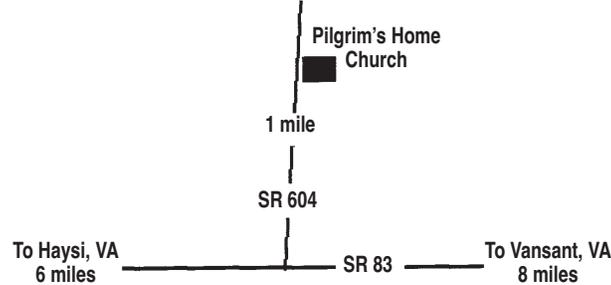
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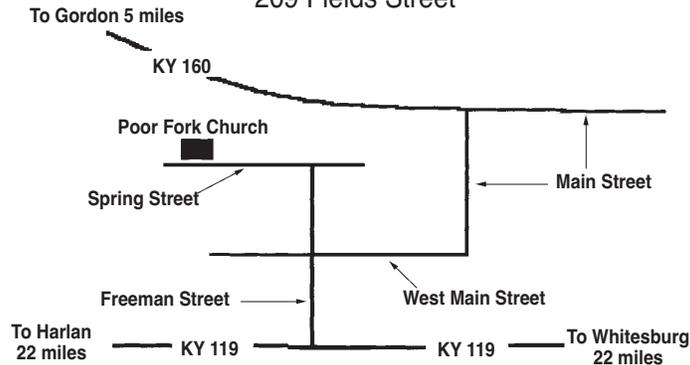
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209 Fields Street

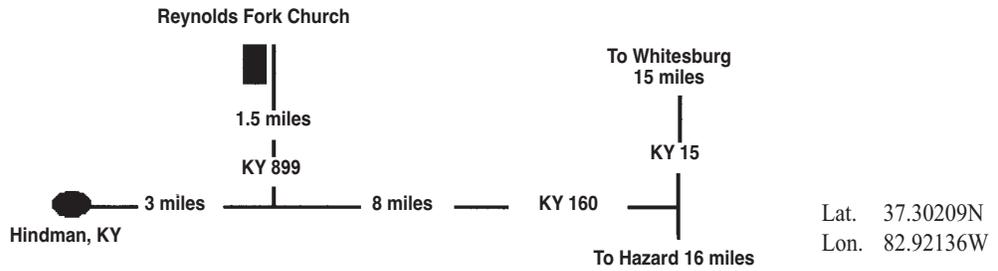


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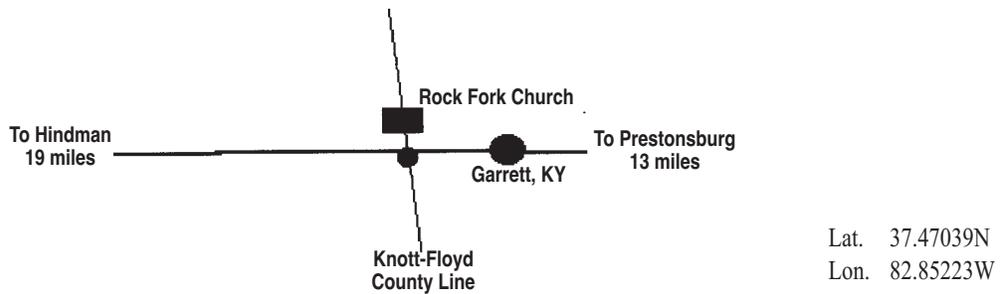
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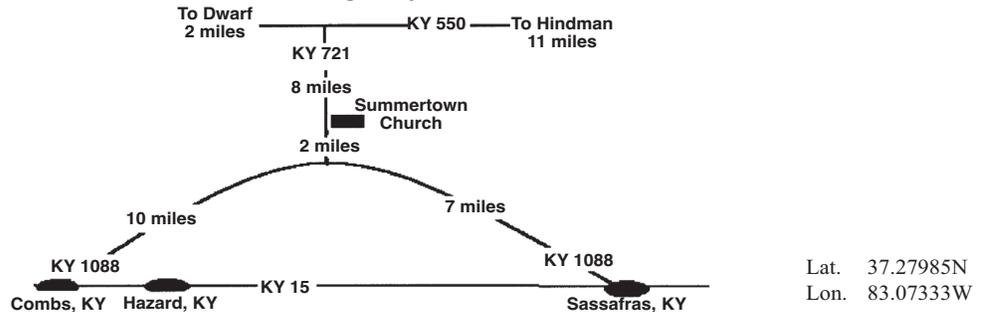
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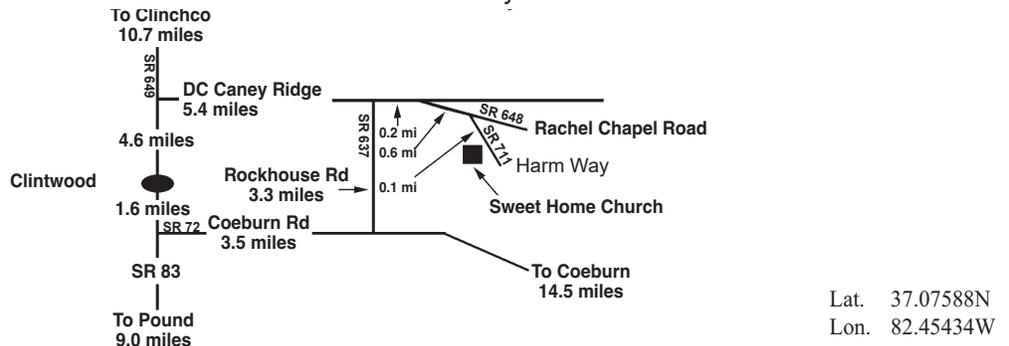
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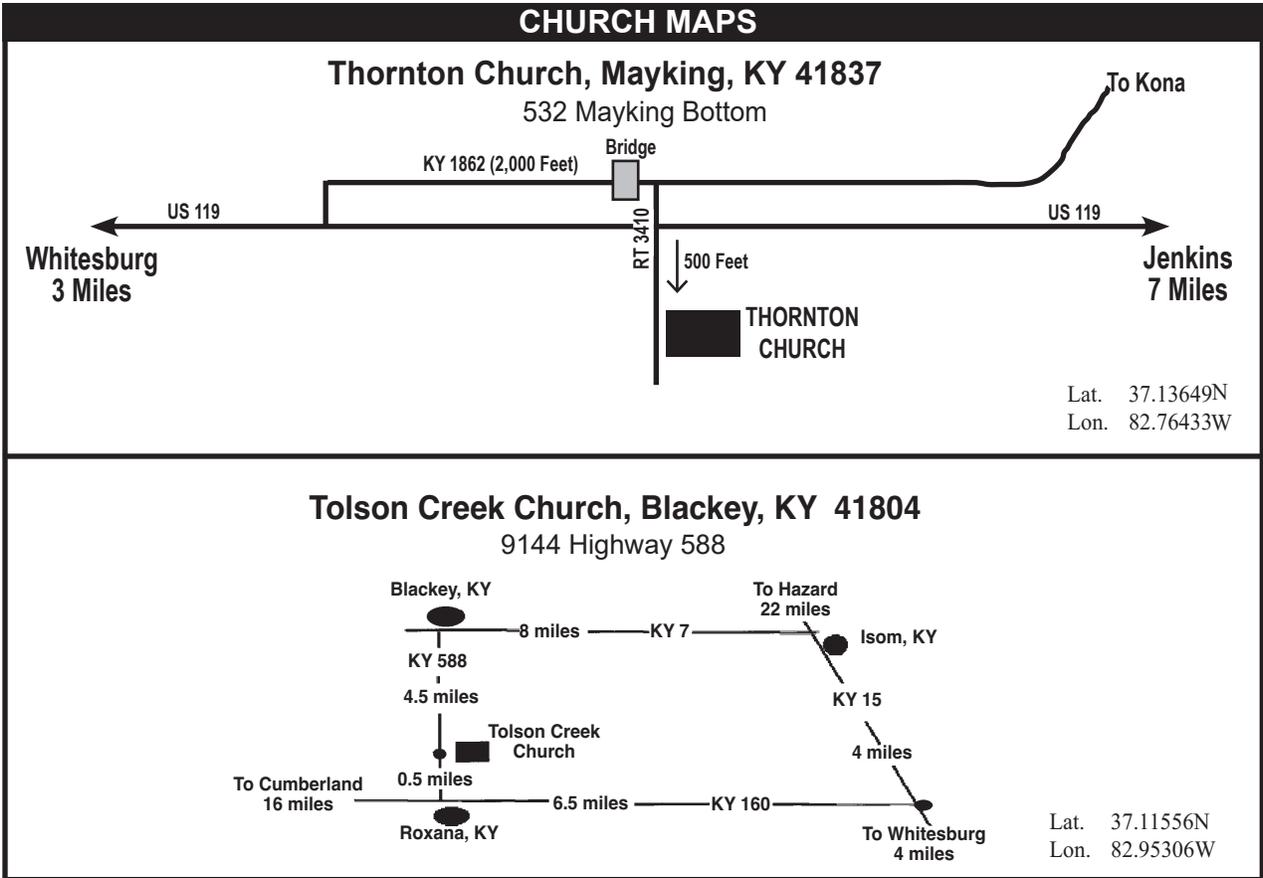
5033 Highway 721



### Sweet Home Church, Coeburn, VA 24230

212 Harm Way





**INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION WEBSITE**

The website of the Indian Bottom Association offers a database of our past minutes, obituaries, pictures, old time lined singing, etc. We are a blessed people and also a peculiar people. We feel that the website allows folks to see and understand who we, as Old Regular Baptist, are. Directions to each church is now available on the website; click on the tab “churches” and proceed to the desired church for directions through Google Maps. Please feel free to contact a member of the website committee, Brothers Willie Crase, Jr., Marty Carty, Mike Melton, Elwood Cornett or Rick Whitaker with pictures, songs, church information and anything that you would like to be considered to be added to the website.

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## CHURCH LETTER

We, the \_\_\_\_\_ Church of Jesus Christ of Old Regular Baptist faith and order, being found in love and fellowship, sendeth greetings, our Christian love and salutation to the ministers and messengers that may compose the Indian Bottom Association, when convened, assembled and in session at our Association Building, Sassafras, Knott County, Kentucky, being hosted by our dear sister, the \_\_\_\_\_ Church, to commence on Friday before the first Saturday in September, \_\_\_\_\_<sup>YEAR</sup> and the two following days.

Dear Brethren:

We are glad that we can correspond with you, and we have chosen these, our beloved Brethren, to bear this, our letter, to you, to-wit:

**DELEGATES**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**ALTERNATES**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Brethren, receive our letter and these Brethren to sit with you in all your advisory councils. May the Lord bless you in all your work. We are at peace among ourselves. The state of the church is as follows:

**ORDAINED MINISTERS**

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
Eld.	_____	_____	_____
Eld.	_____	_____	_____
Eld.	_____	_____	_____
Eld.	_____	_____	_____
Eld.	_____	_____	_____

**LIBERATED BRETHREN**

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____

**DEACONS**

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____
Bro.	_____	_____	_____

**Received by:** *Experience and Baptism:* \_\_\_\_\_; *Letter:* \_\_\_\_\_; *Restored* \_\_\_\_\_; *Recommendation:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Dismissed by:** *Letter:* \_\_\_\_\_; *Died:* \_\_\_\_\_; *Excluded:* \_\_\_\_\_; *Total Membership:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly Meeting Times:** \_\_\_\_\_ WEEKEND *Saturday at* \_\_\_\_\_ TIME *and Sunday at* \_\_\_\_\_ TIME

**Appointed Meeting Time:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Money Sent: \$** \_\_\_\_\_ MONEY FOR MINUTES

**Dear Brethren, pray for us that Zion may have a travailing spirit among us.**

**Done and signed by order of the church: Elder** \_\_\_\_\_, **Moderator**

**Clerk** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Treasurer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

INDIAN BOTTOM ASSOCIATION \_\_\_\_\_

**CHURCH NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**UNION MEETING** (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Weekend) \_\_\_\_\_

Ministers Called: \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMUNION MEETING** (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Weekend) \_\_\_\_\_

Ministers Called: \_\_\_\_\_

**MEMORIAL MEETING** (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Weekend) \_\_\_\_\_

Ministers Called: \_\_\_\_\_

**VARIOUS MEETINGS AND MINISTERS CALLED:**

Month (*Example: 4th Sunday, July*) \_\_\_\_\_ Ministers Called: \_\_\_\_\_

Month \_\_\_\_\_ Ministers Called: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**