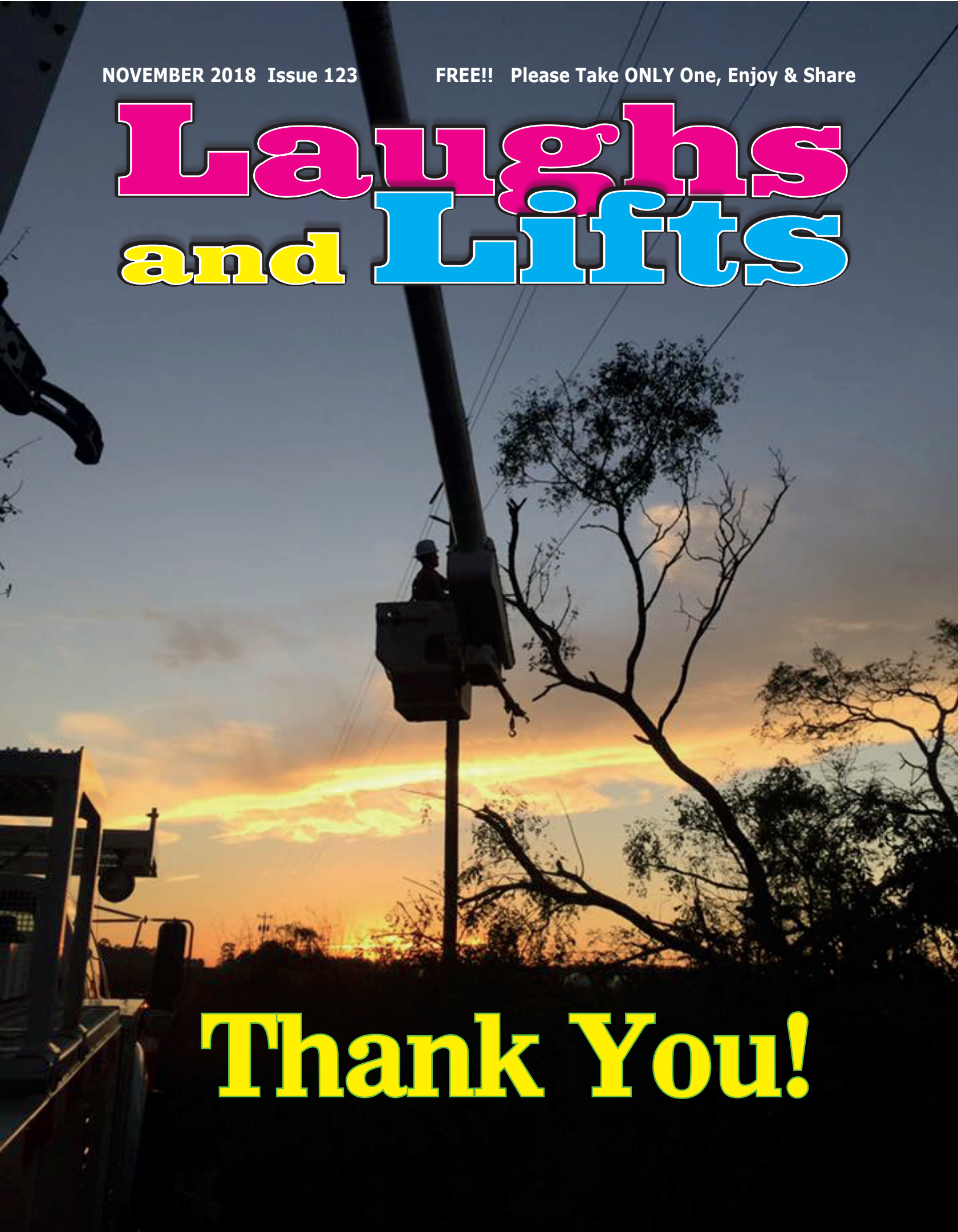


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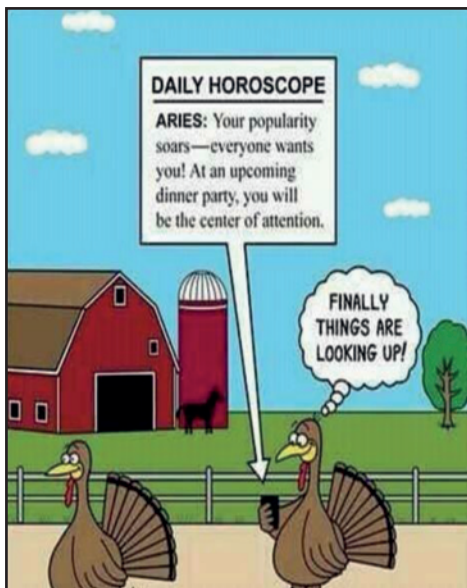
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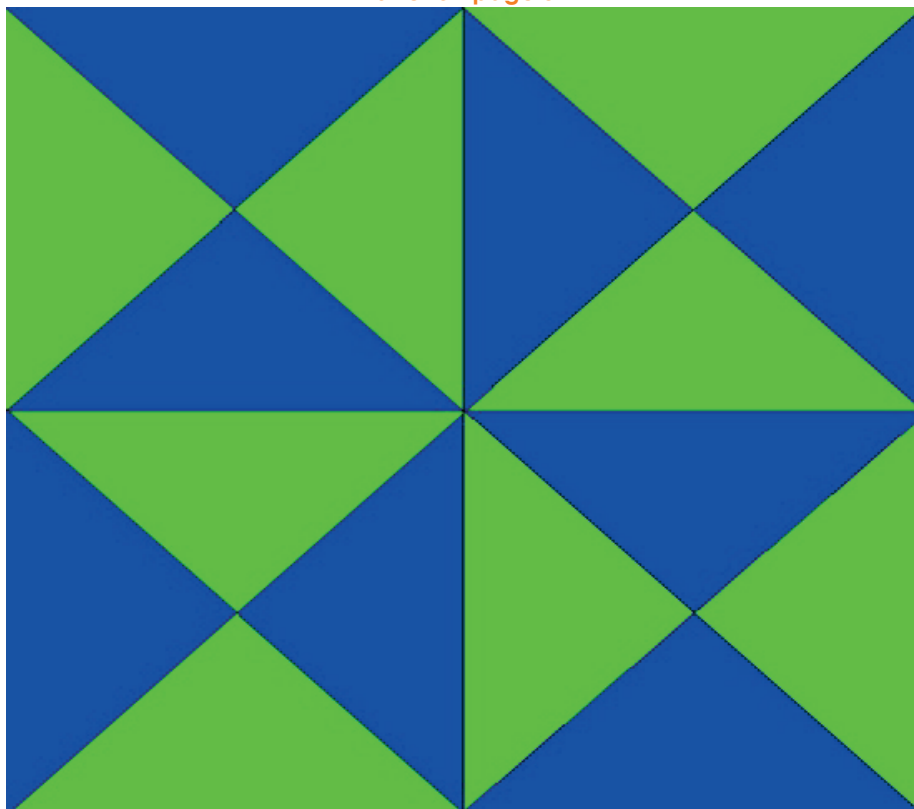
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Answer on page 31



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A young miss was pacing through her living room waiting for her new beau to arrive. Just then a young man driving a brand new red Corvette was parking in front of the house.

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Napoleon may not have designed the jacket he wore. But he did have a hand in it.

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SWEET POTATO BREAD

Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 cups mashed sweet potatoes
- 3 tablespoons water
- 2 large eggs
- 1/2 cup canola or vegetable oil
- 1/4 cup buttermilk
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 1/4 cups granulated sugar
- 1/4 cup light brown sugar, packed
- 2 teaspoons baking soda
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon ground allspice
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- pinch salt, optional and to taste

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350F. Spray one 9-by-5-inch loaf pan (what I used), or two 8-by-4-inch loaf pans, or a 10-cup Bundt pan, or a muffin pan with floured cooking spray or grease and flour the pan(s); set aside.

Peel the sweet potatoes and chop them into 1-inch sized chunks. Place chunks in a large, shallow microwave-safe bowl. Add 3 tablespoons water, cover with plasticwrap, and cook on high power for 15 to 17 minutes, or until potatoes are very fork-tender. Pour off any water. Mash sweet potatoes with a fork. Allow them to cool momentarily so you don't scramble the eggs.

To the sweet potatoes, add the eggs, oil, buttermilk, vanilla and whisk until combined;

SWEET POTATOES

set aside.

In a large mixing bowl, combine the dry ingredients – flour, sugars, baking soda, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, allspice, cloves, optional salt, and whisk to combine. Pour the wet sweet potato mixture over the dry ingredients, and stir to incorporate. Stirring until no stray bits of dry ingredients are visible, folding and scraping the bottom of the bowl with a spatula as necessary. Stir and fold with a gentle hand as to not over-mix and over-develop the gluten, which results in tougher bread.

Turn batter out into prepared pan(s), smoothing the top lightly with a spatula. Bake for 60 to 70 minutes for a 9×5 pan, or until top is domed, golden, loaf is springy to the touch, and cake tester inserted in the center comes out clean. Tent pan with foil in the last 15 minutes of cooking if top is browning a bit fast before interior has cooked through. 8×4 loaves will take about 40 to 45 minutes, a Bundt about 1 hour, muffins about 18-20 minutes. Allow bread to cool in pan for 10 minutes before turning out onto a wire rack to cool completely. Bread will keep at room temperature for up to 1 week. Store bread by wrapping the completely cooled loaf in plasticwrap, and then placing loaf inside a gallon-sized Ziplock.

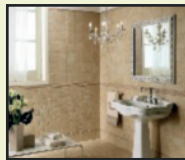
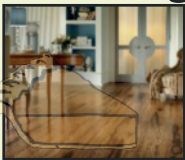
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- Chopped toasted pecans, for garnish
- Cinnamon sugar, for garnish

Directions

Preheat oven to 350° and line a muffin tin with 12 cupcake liners. Make batter: In a large bowl, mix cake mix with canned sweet potato, cinnamon, and nutmeg until well combined.

Make crust: In a large bowl, combine graham cracker crumbs, butter, sugar, and salt in a small bowl. Press about 1 tablespoon of the mixture into the bottom of each cupcake liner.

Top graham cracker crusts with a scoop of batter. Bake until cupcakes are golden and a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean, about 22 minutes. Let cool completely.

Meanwhile, make marshmallow frosting: In a large bowl, beat together butter and Fluff until combined. Add powdered sugar, vanilla, and salt and beat until light and fluffy. Transfer to a piping bag and pipe onto cooled cupcakes.

Garnish with pecans and cinnamon sugar.

- 1 medium red onion, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 1/2 tsp. Freshly ground black pepper
- Pinch of cayenne (optional)
- 3 sweet potatoes, peeled and diced
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Add sweet potatoes and stock. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat to low and simmer until sweet potatoes are tender, 27 to 30 minutes.

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She says tearfully, "I'm going to commit suicide!!"

While he didn't want to appear "sensitive," George also didn't want to miss this "be-a-legend" opportunity either so he asked . . . "Well, before you jump, Honey-Babe . . . why don't you give ol' George here your best last kiss?"

So, with no hesitation at all, she leaned back over the railing and did just that . . . and it was a long, deep, lingering kiss followed by another even better one. After they breathlessly finished, George gets a big thumbs-up approval from his biker buddies, the onlookers, and even the State Trooper, and then says, "Wow! That was the best kiss I have ever had! That's a real talent you're wasting there, Sugar Shorts. You could be famous if you rode with me. Why are you committing suicide?"

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I've put \$3 worth of fuel in my tank before and I've put \$40 in my tank. I've had \$5 to feed my kids and I've had \$500 to go out to eat with them. I've asked for rides and given rides. I've had a house full of food and I've been without food. I've given people clothes. I've been in stores cashing out with no worries and I've also had to add it up and put it back. I've paid my rent in full and I've had to pay it late too. I've given money and I too have had to ask for it. We all have highs and lows in life, some certainly more than others, but we're all just trying to make it. No one is better than anyone else, and I pity those who think that they are. Be kind to others and bless those with less than you!

Copied from a friend.

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One day, Hercules, Snow White and Quazzimodo, the (Hunchback of Notre Dame) were standing around talking. Hercules spoke up and said, "I bet I am the strongest man in the world."

Snow White then looked around and said, "Well I bet that I am the most beautiful person in the world."

Then Quazzimodo looks around and quietly said, "I suppose that I am the ugliest man in the world."

An old man who had been listening in on there conversation said, "There is a psychic on top of that hill up there, why don't you each go in there and ask her yourself?"

The three friends agreed and they hiked to the top of the hill. Hercules went in first and came out a few minutes later and said, "I was right, I am the strongest man in the world."

Snow White went in next. She came out a few minutes later and said, "I was also right, I am the most beautiful person in the world."

Finally it was Quazzimodo's turn. He went in and after a few minutes he came out scratching his head. He looks up at his friends and said: "Who is Roger Parrish?"

November 4th 2018



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BE A CHEERFUL GIVER

By; Wallace Kennedy, Jr.

How is your attitude when giving? What's your motive for giving? Did you know that your attitude and motives are more important than the action itself? We can give without love, but we cannot love without giving? 2 Corinthians 9:7 says: "...for God loveth a cheerful giver." Someone who is noticeably happy and optimistic about giving.



Giving is an attribute/characteristic we find in Christendom that lies at the core of the believer's life. Gladness should reside in a person who has the ability and opportunity to be charitable and help someone else.

Often times we judge the act of giving and not the motive that caused the act. Good is looking at our heart when we give. Let's examine what Paul is saying in 2 Corinthians 9:7.

We are to make up in our own mind what we want to give, a deliberate act, done with thought and design. Every person should give according as they purpose in their hearts. Sometime giving may be: accidental, in compliance, it may be hastily, with the importunity of others, without any good design, give more than they intended, and then repent of it afterwards. It could possibly be, had they duly considered all things, they would have given more. Due deliberation, as to this matter of our own circumstances and abilities.

Giving should be freely done, whatever we give, be it more or less: Not grudgingly, nor of necessity, but cheerfully. A person sometimes will give for various reasons: being squeezed, forced like the twisting of the arm, influenced by the sob-story, unwillingness, gave only to silence the person, felt aggravated, being pressured by peers and leaders. So next time you give, be assured that our attitudes and motives far out-weight the act of giving.

Paul goes on to say in 2 Corinthians 9:8 "*And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work.*"

I know we are excited and ready for this Thanksgiving Holiday. While we are making grocery list, guest list, and decorating; let us not get so distracted with the festivities and exterior things that we forget to be thankful for all of our daily blessings. So as you prepare for this Holiday let us consider today's encouragement and share our meal with someone that may be less fortunate than us. May our Lord bless you and keep you in His care.

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Thankful

Pastor Josh and Kayla Sims, Faith Christian Center

Philippians 1:3-6 vs3

I thank my God upon every remembrance of you,

vs4 always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, vs5 for your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now, vs6 being confident of this very thing,

that **He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ:**

We are in the season of thankfulness. Thanksgiving Day is in a few weeks, and soon the kids will be out of school for a short break. We will be "oh so thankful" for all the stores generous enough to let us stand in line for hours, in the middle of the night ,to get the hottest item at a discounted price. **Ok** maybe that isn't what Paul was talking about. Paul's thankfulness was directed at the church in Philippi that God used him to start. The church was growing in new converts and they were being used mightily to bring glory to God. Paul encouraged them by saying that the one who started this good work will continue on until Jesus returns.

How encouraging is that!

Friends this month I am thankful for the collective church. I would like to encourage each of you to find a place of worship this season and together be able to see the Kingdom of God continue to grow!

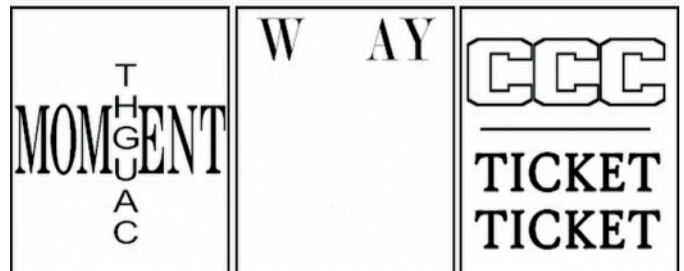
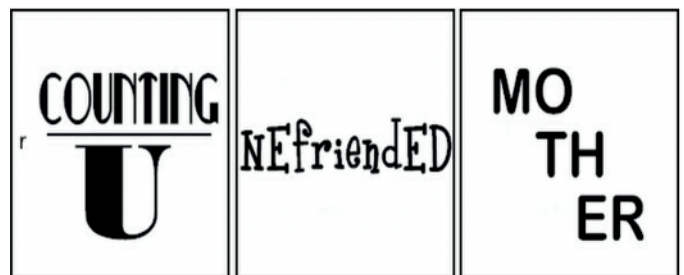
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Claybank Master Gardeners

Our thoughts and prayers for all those impacted by the unbelievable devastation from **Hurricane Michael**. It certainly leaves deep scars on people and places in the coastal and deep inland tri-state areas of Florida, Alabama and Georgia on October 10th 2018. Recovery will possibly take years. We as Master Gardeners will have ample



opportunities to offer our services, to advise, to provide information as well as resources from our local Extension Agencies to help guide homeowners and neighbors to safe tree removal, best replanting and renewing yards and gardens where the landscapes have so drastically changed. In **Houston County call (334) 794-4108**. In **Coffee County (334) 894-5596**. In **Dale County (334) 774-2329**. In **Pike County (334) 566-0985**, in **Barbour County (334) 687-5688**, and in **Henry County (334) 585-6416**.

What to plant in November? Seeds should have been planted by Sept. 15th in this area, but **transplants** can still be planted, including radishes, spinach, sweet peas, beets, kale, swiss chard, collards, carrots, and much more you can find on the ACES SOW app.

Master Gardeners from several counties in the wiregrass area will host the Fire Ant Booth at the National Peanut Festival Nov. 2nd through 11th, in Houston County, 5 miles south of Dothan on Hwy 231 South. Come by our booth and find out the best way to eradicate fire ants in your yard or fields, and pick up free information and handouts.

The Claybank Master Gardeners **November 14th Lunch and Learn** will be a hands-on Holiday Décor program, at the Dale County Extension Office, at 12:30 PM following the Master Gardener training class. 202 South Hwy 123, Ozark AL 36360.

The Claybank Master Gardeners meet every month **at 11 AM on the third Thursday of the month, which will be October 18, at Hoppergrass Restaurant in Ozark, 129 East Ave., across from Milky Moos. Visitors are always welcome. Come and buy your lunch if you wish, and enjoy learning from other gardeners. Questions? Call the Dale County Extension Office at (334) 774-2329.**



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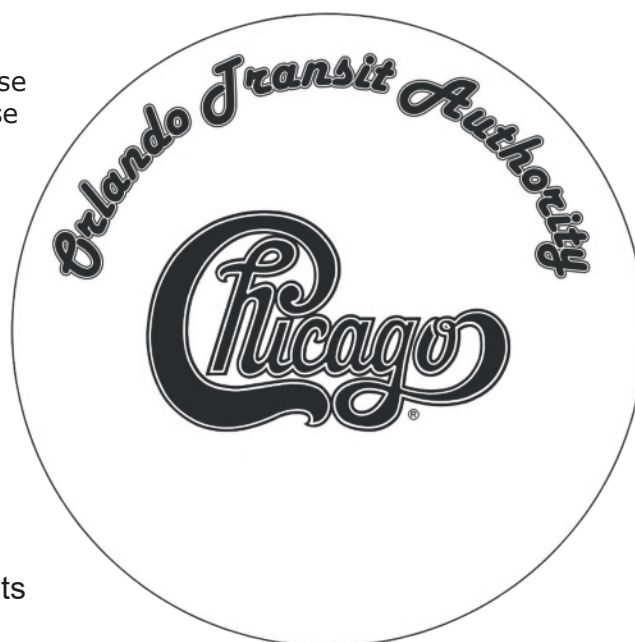
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The 2018 Kiwanis/City of Ozark Christmas Parade and Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony will be held in downtown Ozark on Tuesday night, December 4th, 2018. The Christmas Tree will be lit at 6PM and the parade will start immediately following the tree lighting.

Entry forms, with instructions are available at the Perry Recreation Center or Century 21 Gateway Realty. Deadline to turn in your entry form is November 27th. Entry Cost: \$10.00 for Walking Units, \$25 float units or Motorized Units (2 per

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THE PARADE WILL LINE UP ON BROAD STREET LIKE LAST

YEAR.: Please pay close attention to the parade route, especially the parade route entry point on Peacock street. This is how we get everyone lined up going the right direction. Kiwanis members will be at Carroll High and Broad Street to help you find your lineup spot. The parade will proceed down Broad Street towards downtown, go around the Square and end at the SUPER SAV shopping center.

Parade flow: Once the parade starts, units cannot stop at the reviewing stand because the rest of the parade is still moving. This causes gaps and backups just like a traffic jam. If you have a unit that wants to perform before the Reviewing Stand let us know and we will do our best to make special arrangements. Thank you in advance for your cooperation. This year a team of judges, on the reviewing stand, will select the best decorated commercial (rented) float, non-commercial float and sharpest looking walking/marching unit in the parade. The winners will be announced at the next Kiwanis Club meeting. A certificate will then be presented at a future City Council meeting.

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2. Missing leg on left chair.
3. Red vs. green shoulder patch.
4. Missing hinges on door.
5. Blue vs. red water bottle on bike.
6. Missing vertical bar on right gate.
7. Missing shadow of person on the right.
8. Umbrella text ends with "a" vs. "o".
9. Missing license plate.
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3. The dump was so full it had to refuse more refuse.
4. We must polish the Polish furniture.
5. He could lead if he would get the lead out.
6. The soldier decided to desert his dessert in the desert.
7. Since there was no time like the present, he thought it was time to present the present.
8. A bass was painted on the head of the bass drum.
9. When shot at, the dove dove into the bushes.
10. I did not object to the object.
11. The insurance was invalid for the invalid.
12. There was a row among the oarsmen on how to row.
13. They were too close to the door to close it.
14. The buck does funny things when does are present.
15. A seamstress and a sewer fell down into a sewer line.
16. To help with planting, the farmer taught his sow to sow.
17. The wind was too strong to wind the sail.
18. After a number of injections my jaw got number.
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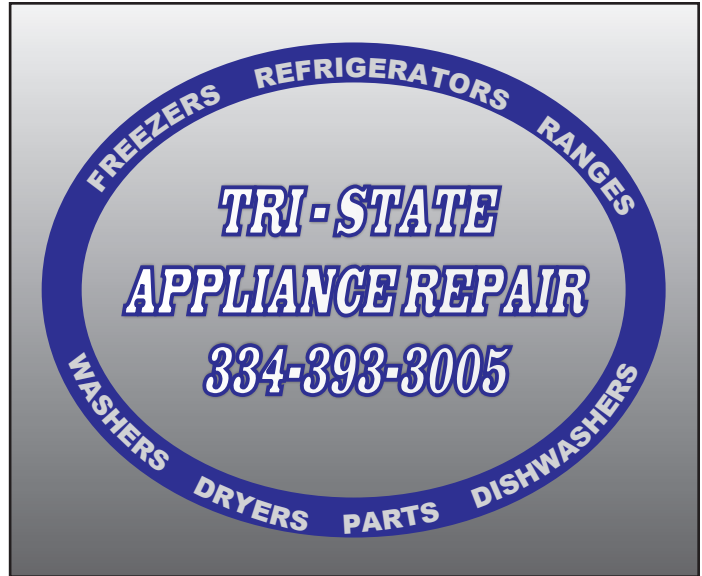
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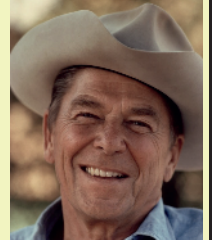
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daily to try to relive the memories." The first man replied, "That's great to enjoy your memories, but don't forget that memory is like salt. The right amount brings out the flavor in food, and too much ruins it. If you live in the past all the time, you'll find yourself with no present to remember." Dr. Seuss said it best, "Sometimes you will never know the value of a moment until it becomes a memory."



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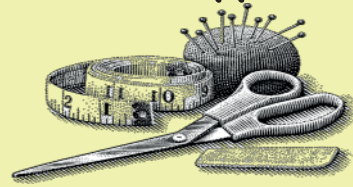
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I apologized for the noise and checked him

out. A few minutes later, a couple showed up. Again, I made the mistake of asking how their stay was.

"Terrible!" they said. "The guy in the next room was snoring so loudly that we had to bang on the wall every 15 minutes to wake him up!"

Bamboozable Answers

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| 1. We are counting on you | 1. Scatter Brain |
| 2. A Friend in need | 2. Good Intentions |
| 3. Stepmother | 3. Horseback Riding |
| 4. Caught in the moment | 4. Daybreak |
| 5. Divided highway | 5. All Things Being Equal |
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I think I am emotionally constipated because lately I just don't give a crap.



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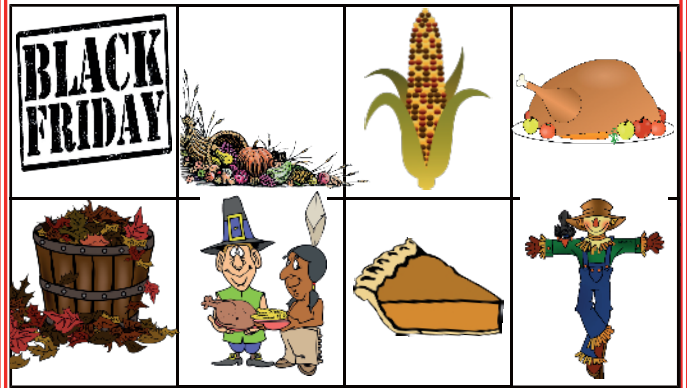
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Answer at bottom of page

Teacher: "Okay class let's start by sharing our dreams. What's yours David?"

David: "My dream is to earn \$20,000 a month like my dad."

Teacher: "Wow! Your dad earns that much?"

David: "No ma'am, that's also my dad's dream."

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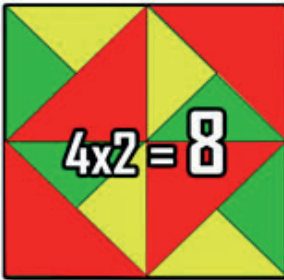



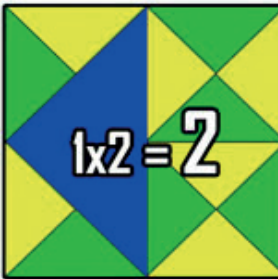
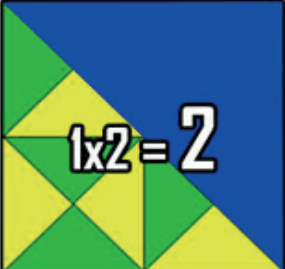
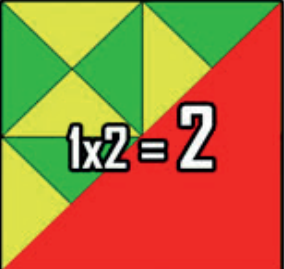
At my granddaughter's wedding reception, the DJ polled the guests to see who had been married longest. It turned out to be my husband and me. The DJ asked us, "What advice would you give to the newly married couple?" I said, "The three most important words in a marriage are, 'You're probably right.'" Everyone then looked at my husband. He said, "She's probably right."

The Good and Bad News

An artist asked the gallery owner if there had been any interest in her paintings that were on display. "Well, I have good news and bad news," the owner responded. "The good news is that a gentleman noticed your work and wondered if it would appreciate in value after your death. I told him it would and he bought all 10 of your paintings." "That's wonderful," the artist exclaimed. "What's the bad news?" "The gentleman was your doctor."

Family Chores

When my mother was called for jury duty, she felt confident of her ability to answer the questions asked of prospective jurors. As a young attorney, I had filled her in on what to expect. Asked about the occupations of family members, Mom answered, "My son is a lawyer." As a follow-up, she was asked if she had ever used the services of an attorney. "Only to mow my lawn."

		
		
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