

Home Gardens 10-26-25 Church Of Christ

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Danger - Beware

While the Bible does not mention Halloween, verses on topics like avoiding evil, darkness, and witchcraft are often cited in relation to the holiday. Examples include Ephesians 5:11, which advises to "have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness" and 1 Thessalonians 5:22, which says to "Abstain from every form of evil". Other relevant verses discourage practices like seeking familiar spirits or wizards, as found in Leviticus 19:31 and Deuteronomy 18:10-12.

One thing I know: the only ones among you who will be really happy are those who will have sought and found how to serve.

It is pretty hard to tell what does bring happiness; poverty and wealth have both failed.

Be happy while you're living, for you're a long time dead.

Hate knows no age but death.



1. No Nov Fello#ship Lots Of Leftovers Gobble! Gobble! Gobble!

2. Winter Dinner -12-7 **Old-Fashion Recipes Are The Best**

The devil can cite Scripture for his purpose

Sharon - First assembling since the surgeries, and will be in the boot for more days and weeks than she wants. **Dolores** - Heart check A OK, and returning home, a car passed on the left then cut in front of us to exit. This time a maniac driver actually got caught and ticketed. **Fall Color** - Gorgeous weather but the trees are still green and it's late October. **Fire burns and Cauldron bubble**

Kathy - Kim/Chris DR checkup went well in Dallas. They came home with hope. The board will let them know in about 2 weeks. I am scheduled for next epidural Nov. 19th. Some days are worse than others but I'm making it. **Carlee** - Accepted to national honor society this week. **Dale/Waid** - The rain came down & no 2nd deer stand was assembled. **Greatadventures GPJ & John**

Boy - Tulsa settled by Lochapoka Band of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation between 1828 and 1836. Led by chief **Achee Yahola**, they named their settlement "Tulasi," meaning "old town" in their language, which eventually became Tulsa. Our first destination was the war Memorial at the end Main and 18th. We both recalled our days of service. From there we went west over to the great Oak where Tulasi was established. Most residents of Tulsa have never seen the Southwest side of Denver. Such craftsmanship from the era of 1902 when oil made Tulsa the oil capital of the world. One edition had on the entrance of huge brick entrances on both sides with 1902 inscribed on the top as you drove through. Trees were planted 5' apart and have grown for 116 years 70 feet high and made a canopy over two blocks running north and south that is breath taking. One can't imagine what oil wealth made for many people that built homes that you cannot even begin to imagine what the price would be today. We ended our little excursion spotting, yellow sunflower and little red seven sister roses that GPJ cut for each of us a branch. Outing will help get us through the winter when we can't get out.

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A poor man can be happy. Show me an optimist.

NEXT YEAR I'M GOING AS A BANKER... THEY GET BIGGER HANDOUTS.

Happiness has to be cranked up; trouble is a self-starter.

ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT ME?

MY NAME IS JACK TOO.

HI, I'M JACK. NICE TO MEET YOU.

CHECK OUT NED - DUDS NEEDS GLASSES! HE'S CHATTING UP A BASKETBALL...

DAD, AM I OLD ENOUGH TO GET A CARVING?

The happiest people are those who are too busy to notice.

Proverbs 10:12

Hatred stirreth up strife: but love covereth all sins.

Hate and mistrust are the children of blindness.

HATRED

HAPP

by; but a happy man isn't poor.
and I'll show you a happy-condriac.

MOM, HOW ABOUT FROM NOW ON
YOU STOP CALLING ME YOUR
LITTLE PUMPKIN?

Existence is a strange bargain. Life owes us little; we owe
it everything. The only true happiness comes from
squandering ourselves for a purpose.

HAL'S
LAST WISH
WAS TO BE
GROUND
INTO
PUMPKIN
SPICE.

Happiness is a form of courage.

HASTE

Do in haste and repent at leisure.

Haste makes waste.

Haste manages all things badly.

HARVEST

He that observeth the wind shall not sow; and he that
regardeth the clouds shall not reap. Ecclesiastes 11:4

WHAT ARE THE "WORKS OF THE FLESH"?

Galatians 5:19-21 speaks of the "works of the flesh." They can be categorized into five groups: the sex group (first 4), godless group (next 2), personal animosity group (next 4), the factious group (next 4) and the wild-spree group (last 3). These are but a few of the many sins men commit.

A brief definition of these sins follow: **Adultery** - sexual intercourse with one who is not your lawful spouse (Luke 16:18). **Fornication** - all illicit sexual intercourse, including homosexuality and bestiality (1 Corinthians 6:13). **Uncleanness** - impurity, includes all sorts of filth connected with immorality (2 Corinthians 12:21). **Lasciviousness** - absence of restraint, indecency, shameless conduct, the impure handling of males and females. **Idolatry**, sin of the mind and action against God, anything put ahead of God (1 Corinthians 10:14). **Witchcraft** - the magic arts, enchantment, sorcery, the occult, to deceive. Properly paired with idolatry and paganism. It is also connected with the use of drugs. **Hatred** - enmity, animosity, the opposite of love. **Variance** - strife, contention, wrangling. **Emulations** - jealousy, inordinate ambition in a bad cause which leads to strife. **Wrath** - hot bursts of anger, burning passion. **Strife** - factions, division, discord, self-seeking, base ambitions. **Seditions** - divisions, to stand apart, separate. **Heresies** - self-willed opinion which leads to division and the formation of sects. **Envyings** - the feeling of displeasure by hearing of the prosperity of others. **Murders** - the taking of another's life. **Drunkenness** - alcoholic drink, intoxication. **Revellings** - carousal, rioting, consequence of drunkenness. And such like - this identifies the entire class of evils without attempting to name them all.

These types of sins (and all sin) will prevent those who engage in them from going to heaven. Those guilty of these sins can, and must, repent of them in order to have forgiveness. Members of the church in Corinth had been guilty of these sins but repented of them (1 Corinthians 6:9-11). Repent and be baptized was the command given in Acts 2:38 to have forgiveness of all sins.

Friend, you are bound this very day to either heaven or hell, which is it? The Lord does not want any to perish, but wants all to come to repentance (2 Peter 3:9). Will you obey?

A man should always consider how much he has more than
he wants, and how much more unhappy he might be than
he really is.

Hatred is the coward's revenge for being intimidated.

We have no more right to consume happiness without
producing it than to consume wealth without producing it.

ESS Happiness is the only thing that multiplies by division.

Even if we can't be happy, we must always be cheerful.

Halloween is a hybrid of mythologies
and histories born of both resistance
and oppression, joy and mourning,
life and death. Its an origin story is
befitting of a holiday that celebrates
the obscure and occult and the
longevity and persistence of folklore,
community, and identity.

If a man has important work, and enough leisure and income
to enable him to do it properly, he is in possession of as
much happiness as is good for any of the children of Adam.

Pumpkin Confusion

Happiness lies, first of all, in health.

I hate when people mix up "your" and "you're." There so stupid.

I GOT SO FED UP with trick-or-treaters at Halloween that I finally turned off the lights and pretended I wasn't in. My lighthouse, my rules.

HOW DO YOU KNOW when you've been ghosted? The poltergeist doesn't text you back.

HAS ANYBODY NOTICED how we've replaced doffing the hat with taking out the earbuds when we meet someone?

WHAT IS A ZOMBIE'S favorite language? Latin. Being dead and all.

A DINER MOTIONED over a waiter and exclaimed, "There is a hair in my soup!"

"What did you expect for the price?" the waiter replied. "An entire wig?"

SOME PEOPLE ASK the secret to our long marriage. It's this: We take time to go to a restaurant twice a week. A little candlelight, dinner, soft music and a slow walk home. She goes Tuesdays, and I go Fridays.

I JUST GOT FIRED from my job as a set designer. I left without making a scene.

A MOTORIST speeding down the road at 80 miles an hour was stopped by a policeman.

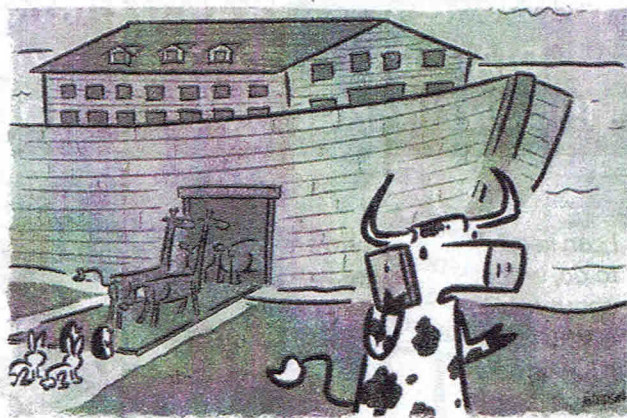
"Was I driving too fast?" the motorist asked.

"Heavens, no," the policeman replied. "You were flying too low."

THE FACT that Head & Shoulders doesn't have a body wash called Knees & Toes disappoints me.

A MAN WHO WAS LATE paying his bills received the following note: "Your account has been on our books for over a year. We just wanted to remind you that we have now carried you for longer than your mother did."

"EVERY MORNING I get up and make instant coffee so I'll have enough energy to make the regular coffee." - Steven Wright



"Susan? It's Gary. Say, what are you doing right now?"



"I told you to leave the plumber alone."