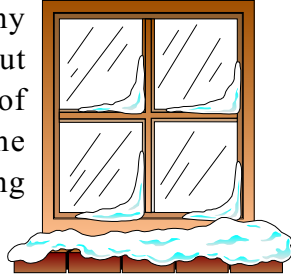


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Thus far we have not had any accumulating snows this winter, but we probably will. If 2016 is indicative of past years, then we can expect some inclement weather in the approaching weeks. This time of year typically brings our coldest and harshest weather.



At the very mention of inclement weather or an approaching snowstorm, we begin to prepare, even though the weather is still uncertain. We make sure there is enough food in the house, the vehicles are fueled and properly winterized, etc. We realize how foolish it would be to prepare after the snow and ice arrive.

Many people prepare with great care for something as uncertain as a snowstorm, but fail to prepare for that which is shrouded in certainty— death. It will be forever too late to prepare once our departure from this life transpires. Prepare now, before the “winter storm” of death arrives.

—Marty Edwards❖

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## A Busybody Dog

A man was driving along a road when he overtook a farmer with his dog walking beside him. The man offered them a ride. The farmer got into the front seat and put the dog in the back. After glancing at the dog who seemed too tired to even wag his tail, the driver remarked, “You must have been walking a long time from the looks of your dog.”

Laughingly the farmer said, “It wasn’t the trip that wore him out. He was running back and forth across the road, sticking his nose into every gate and wrestling with every stone wall. He had to chase every cat and scare all the chickens he saw. If a dog barked at him, he barked back ten times in return. No wonder he’s tired.”

The old farmer pushed back the hat on his head. He was silent for a moment, then said, “You know, people are like that. If they get worn out on their journey through life, it’s usually not the distance they’ve covered that makes them tired. It’s the extra work they asked for themselves by minding everybody’s business but their own.”

“... but we beseech you, brethren, that ye increase more and more; And that ye study to be quiet, and to do your own business, and to work with your own hands, as we commanded you;” (I Thessalonians 4:10b-11).

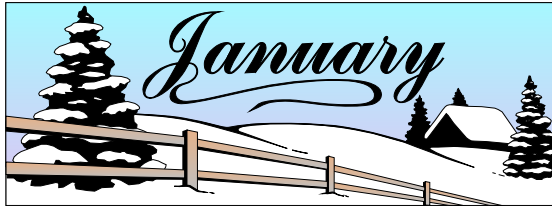
—via Northside Church of Christ  
Harrison, Arkansas



# News

—Continue to remember **Sally Marshall, Jewell Watkins, Jean Coffey, Alice Thrasher, Steve Seaton and Shirley Parson.**

—Our sympathies are extended to the family of **Aubrey Blackford** who passed away December 28. Funeral services were December 31 in Valley Mills, Texas. He is the brother of Shirley Parson and the uncle of Sandy Duncan and Sherry Crabtree. His son Marvin has attended here when visiting in Kentucky.



Wade Worth—January 3  
Kathy Burd —January 15  
Elaina Rimmer — January 25  
Linda Terry—January 29

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## The Wrong Way

In 2000 a Singapore Airlines jet crashed on a runway in Taiwan killing 81 people. The plane had attempted to take off on the wrong runway. This particular runway was under construction and had many obstacles on it.

The correct runway was along side the wrong one. No doubt, they both were very similar, but yet the differences caused destruction and great loss of life.

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Sunday, December 27, 2015		
Classes	16	II Corinthians 6:1-14
Preaching	24	James 4:13-15 Life as a vapor.
Contribution	\$517.00	
Evening	16	Psalms 119:33-56
Wednesday, December 30, 2015		
Classes	18	Ezekiel 27:1-36

Visitors— Dec 30 (Wed) Stuart & Sharon Franklin  
(Hammons ville, KY)

## Bible Quiz

The Psalmist asked for what to not be taken utterly out of his mouth?

Last Week's Answer— The Earth (Psalm 119:19)

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Consider how many people are following the Lord in this manner. They feel they are following correctly. The manner in which they are worshiping seems similar to what the Bible authorizes and teaches, but it is different. The differences will lead to spiritual death and everlasting destruction.

There was a way that seemed right to the pilot, but it led to destruction. Proverbs 14:12 and 16:25 have nearly identical wording, "*There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof [are] the ways of death.*"

—Marty Edwards ❖