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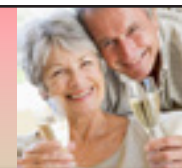
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# THIS WEEK on the WEB



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## YouthBuild Indy recruiting for 2017 session spots

The 2017 YouthBuild Indy class is recruiting to fill openings available for Opportunity Youth to complete high school and begin a career pathway. Marion County residents between the ages of 18-24 should sign up now. In Marion County, an estimated 30,000 "Opportunity Youth" residents, are without a high school diploma or equivalent, not in school or not in the labor force, and are on a path to crime and sustained poverty.

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**Q: Do you have a memory of New Years Eve or New Year's Day that stands out from the others? What did you do, what happened and why does this come to mind?**

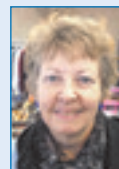
"My most memorable New Year's Eve was the eve of the new millennium, 2000, and I was on a cruise with my whole family in the Caribbean: My dad, my mom, my sisters, my grandparents. We got to celebrate the new millennium on the deck, overlooking the ocean. There were fireworks. I didn't understand at the time what a big deal it was celebrating the new millennium. It was cool to experience it there with those people."

*Simone Musgrave of Perry Township*



"My husband was a pastor of a church in Redkey, Ind. We had a one-year-old daughter. It was New Year's Eve and normally he did a New Year's Eve service. Of course the congregation was invited. The problem was it was a very very cold evening. We just lived next door to the church in the parsonage and so we bundled our little girl up and went next door. We waited and waited. Nobody came. We had hopes one or two might show up. We went home and had a happy new year."

*Brenda Bishop, works in Perry Township*



"I would think my favorite New Year's time was when I was with a friend at South Padre Island, Texas and instead of seeing Santa on a sleigh he was pulling dolphins. We were also able to spend time in the water on New Year's Day."

*Connie Crane, former Southside employee*





## HAUNTS &amp; JAUNTS



Christmas 2016 at the Hinton compound. Family, opening presents festivities and foggy blurred figure in the upper right photo. Family or apparition?  
Photo by Laura Hinton

## Ten most common signs you're being visited by deceased loved ones

By Rick Hinton

Being visited by one who has died? A Southside Times reader brought a YouTube video to my attention recently. It would appear to put all ducks in a row. Ten most common signs from your deceased loved ones:

### Dream Visitations:

These are different from regular dreams, and offer some form of comfort. And... the most common way to be visited.

### Sensing Their Presence:

It may not be visual, just a feeling. You might notice a change in energy or movement in the air. Possibly a presence in the bed next to you or someone sitting by your side. This is a visitation. They're of the same essence when living bodily, now only without a physical body.

### Feeling Their Touch:

Physical contact: taking your hand, a nudge, hug, a breeze or stroking your hair.

### Smelling Their Fragrance:

Is there a particular smell associated with those no longer with us? Could be cigarette or cigar smoke, perfume or cologne, flowers, or even the smell of cooking?

### Hearing Their Voice:

It might be audibly, but most likely internally; in dreams, or waking hours. "Do you talk to your husband, grandmother, or best friend on the Other Side, in your mind?" Is there a response?

### Unexplained Electrical Activity:

Those on the Other Side use energy to connect. By manipulating the energy in electrical devices (TV, lights, toys, even songs on the radio) they get our attention.

### A Phone Call:

Another manipulation, only using a phone. Following the passing of a loved one you may receive phone calls with nothing but static on the other end. It's the thing horror movies are made of!

### Receiving A Symbolic Message, Sign, Coincidence Or Synchronicity:

This can come in a variety of ways, yet will have significance only to you. It could be small objects: feathers, coins or stones that suddenly end up in your path. Possibly animals doing strange things with no reasonable explanation. Or pranks. Reader Sharon Kinder reported the appearance of piles of bird seed and cat food after her husband's death (it would seem, the prankster in life doesn't necessarily end after death). Possibly people are used to deliver messages from those departed. These people become an integral part of your life, in one form or another.

### Movement:

Sometimes objects will move getting your attention (keys, counter objects, clothing or furniture).

### Seeing Their Apparition:

Full bodied apparitions are rare. Most paranormal investigators desire to see this in their career! You may very well witness this. Or not. Just because you don't see them, however, doesn't mean they haven't returned for a visit.



Rick Hinton, a Southport resident, loves researching things that go bump in the night. His articles can be read on **f**: Rick Hinton, Southport Paranormal Examiner. Hinton conducts paranormal investigations with his team, South Central Paranormal.

## GOVERNMENT WATCHDOG

### BEECH GROVE CITY COUNCIL

Meeting, Jan. 3

#### What happened:

Ordinances 26 and 27 was approved on third and final reading. Ordinance 21 was added to the agenda, just in case councilors wanted to amend what was passed last month. No amendments were made. Ordinance 22 was approved.

#### What it means:

**Ordinance 26** relates to one-way streets and alleys, and sets a fee for not complying.

**Ordinance 27** establishes a fee for heavy trash pickup of box springs and mattresses. There will be a minimum charge of \$20.

**Ordinance 21** establishes a new employee manual.

**Ordinance 22** is an amendment to the salary ordinance concerning pay for the

Beech Grove Police Department. This evens up their position pay with the fire department - from \$3,000 to 3,250 annually for police department law enforcement certification. This comes from within the police department budget.

#### In brief...

- Buddy Templin was re-appointed as Council President Pro Tem.
- Jay Oswald and Donald Webb and were appointed to the Redevelopment Commission. The next RDC meeting is Jan. 9.
- Julie Weaver, Dawn Whalen and Diana Hendricks were appointed to the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Compiled by Nicole Davis

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# WHAT IS YOUR REALITY?

Beech Grove native Kent Bye interviews leaders in virtual reality technologies in his Voices of VR Podcast

By Nicole Davis

More than 200 million virtual reality (VR) headsets are predicted to be sold by 2020. This rapidly-evolving technology gained a lot of interest with the first consumer product launched in 2016. It has the potential to change society in a number of ways, but what is its ultimate potential?

Beech Grove native Kent Bye has spent the past two years asking leaders in the field that very question. He is putting the answers he's received into a book, *Ultimate Potential of VR*, to be released early this year.

"VR has the potential to change many different domains of human experience," Kent said. "To me, it's a revolutionary new communication medium that will change every dimension of our society, just like internet has done. I think VR has the potential to have as vast of an impact. Eventually, at some point, instead of looking at computer screens, these will all be immersive computing platforms that we will wear over our faces in the next 5 to 10 years. There are a lot of paradigm shifts that will happen to take the technology from 2D to 3D to make the technology more human in a lot of ways."

Kent graduated from Beech Grove High School in 1994. His senior year of high school, he got involved in telecommunications and video production. He was also interested in math and science. When choosing colleges, he was torn between a creative path or technical path. He chose technical, and attended Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, earning a degree in electrical engineering. Though he now lives in Portland, Ore., he travels occasionally to Beech Grove to visit his parents, Bruce and Ilze Bye.

After college, while living in Baltimore, Kent worked in engineering for defense contractors, and began making films at the same time. In 2009 he worked with an open source content management system called Drupal and began doing podcasts, interviewing more than 200

people in two to three years.

"When VR came along, it was a completely new communications medium that I thought combined all my skills of technical and creative, filmmaking and audio," he said. "I started going to all of the different consumer gatherings and documenting it as part of an oral history but also to learn about the new medium and create VR experiences myself."

Kent bought the Developer's Kit One (DK1) Oculus Rift, a virtual reality headset, on Jan. 1, 2014.

"It was one of those things you go into a VR experience and it tricks your mind into thinking you're in another world," he said. "One of the things I talk about is just like the Gutenberg press with the creation of books was able to capture in-

**"Once people have that experience, they're like 'this is going to change everything.'"**

**- KENT BYE**

formation and knowledge in a new way, VR is able to capture human experience in a way that we never been able to do before. It's able to trick our perceptual systems into thinking we are actually having an experience. Just as books were able to spur the renaissance, we're at the beginning of a new renaissance of being able to democratize human experience."

Kent soon after began the Voices of VR Podcast, voicesofvr.com. In two years, he interviewed more than 500 leaders in the virtual reality industry, from those working behind the scenes to executives of large companies. He travels to conferences across the globe to see the latest cutting-edge technology and experiences, talking to people who create them.

"There are a number of roles I play - a journalist covering the scene, an oral historian tracking the evolution of this medium, and I am a content creator," he said. "So I'm talking to people about the best practices and helping reflect back to the community all of this information. It's helping to inspire the creatives to know what's happening in the field and keep up with something that's changing very quickly."

His podcast is now the number one news source when it comes to VR technology. His work is funded through advertising on his website, and largely by user support at patreon.com/voicesofvr.

"It took about a year and a half to get funders and get to the point where the community decided to really participate and chip in to the podcast," Kent said. "It took awhile to build up an audience and a fanbase. It's a hot topic so a lot of people are interested in it. The more I am authentic and present, the more it will grow... You have to have that experience to really understand it. Once people have that experience, they're like 'this is going to change everything.' They want to learn more. They end up turning to my podcast to see all of the different ways virtual reality will impact our society."

Kent said his favorite interviews are with the people that are pushing the cutting edge, doing things that he hasn't talked about or maybe even thought about yet. One such interview was with Tom Furness III, who has been working in VR for more than 50 years.

"He has been laying the groundwork in all different ways," he said. "I asked him the ultimate potential of VR. He said well, the ultimate potential of reality is reality. The more you go into VR, the more you can appreciate how amazing the real world is. It's less about escaping into another world, but it's about having an experience, achieving a state of presence then coming

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into reality and achieving a state of presence. He said the ultimate potential of VR is reality and that carried a lot of weight for me."

From the beginning, Kent said his interest has been more in the educational uses of VR. There are enterprise applications to VR, such as with architecture or engineering. Doctors can have a 3D image of their patients and visualize the data in a different way.

He has also expressed interest in the ways it can change human experiences, interactions and the way people think. Google Earth, which was released in November, allows people to travel virtually anywhere on earth. This could allow children to take a field trip, anytime to anywhere. People with mobility issues can break that isolation through use of VR. For Kent, he said the Google Earth experience allowed him to connect with his friends, sharing stories of places they've been and being able to see those places as if he was there, too.

"VR is able to have this overview effect of like when astronauts go out into space and they are able to see the whole earth and when they come back down it changes the way they relate to each other and relate to the earth," he said. "I feel like I had a little bit of that overview effect, changing the way I think about myself in relation to the earth and to other people. To feel like you are with another person in a VR experience is another powerful opportunity to break down geographical barriers, connect other people and cultivate empathy."

Though to get the most out of the technology, users must set aside the time to immerse themselves.

"It's like reading a book," Kent said. "You can't just sit down and read one paragraph. When you sit down, you make a commitment to do at least a chapter. You have to set aside the time and commit to going into it. I think it will change the way we can focus for long periods of time. It's actually counteracting a lot of negative aspects of instantaneous information, the short tweet length of our attention span, constant interruption, always needing something new right away, instant gratification. We're moving away from that with VR. It's about setting everything aside and really being present."

Although it's come a long way in the past couple of years, VR is still in its infancy. Kent said VR has needed three things to succeed as a technology: the technology has to be there, the content creators have to use that technology to its full extent to create relatable experiences, and the audience has to demand the types of experiences that use both the technology and the content.

"Once the consumer VR launched this year, we're now looking at what are the types of experiences people are drawn to having in VR," Kent said.

Next in his podcast is a series on artificial intelligence, Voices of AI, to begin early this year. He has conducted 90 interviews with experts, looking at some of the building blocks and concepts to understand how to work with artificial intelligence.

"There's not a lot of introductory information out there yet," he said. "I was frustrated and just wanted to talk to the experts and learn about it, just as I was able to bootstrap myself in the VR industry."

As for the long-term, Kent says he's always been a maker and he wants to create immersive experiences in VR with the intention to "help people connect with themselves, one another and to the cosmos."



Kent Bye demonstrates an HTC Vive which was released in 2016.

Photo by Nicole Davis

## A VIRTUAL TIMELINE

**1930s:** A science-fiction story predicted virtual reality.

**1956:** "Sensorama", the first VR machine, was invented by Morton Heilig.

**1966:** Thomas A. Furness III created the first flight simulator for the Air Force.

**1968:** Ivan Sutherland, with help of his student Bob Sproull, created what is considered to be the first virtual reality and augmented reality (AR) head-mounted display (HMD) system.

**1972:** General Electric Corporation built one of the first computerized flight simulators. It provided 180-degree FOV (Field-of-View) by using three screens surrounding the training cockpit.

**1985:** Jaron Lanier and Thomas G. Zimmerman founded VPL Research, Inc. This company is known as the first company to sell VR goggles and gloves. Jaron Lanier is credited for popularizing the term Virtual Reality.

**1991:** Antonio Medina created a virtual reality system to drive the Mars robot rovers from Earth. This system also known as "Computer Simulated Teleoperation". This same year, SEGA announced the SEGA VR headset. This headset can be used arcade games and Mega Drive console. Virtuality launched

and shocked the VR industry at that time with its new level of immersiveness. It is also the first mass-produced VR entertainment system that can support multi-player and networked.

**1995:** Nintendo produced the Virtual Boy console with 3D monochrome video games.

**1999:** The Matrix film became popular, a sci-fi film depicting a future where reality perceived by most humans is actually a simulated reality.

**2010:** Google introduced a stereoscopic 3D mode version of Street View.

**2011:** Palmer Luckey creates the first prototype of Oculus Rift.

**2014:** Facebook acquired Oculus VR, a virtual reality headset company, for \$2 billion. Sony announced Project Morpheus, a VR headset for PlayStation 4 (PS4). Google released the "Cardboard", a virtual reality headset for smartphones, made out of cardboard.

**2016:** The HTC Vive was released, with two wireless hand controllers and three sensors called lighthouses, to be placed in a room and give a full-room experience. Users can stand up and move around a space as they play games. Sony's PlayStation VR was released.

## KNOW YOUR JARGON

### DEFINITIONS TO HELP THE NOT-SO TECH SAVVY

#### Virtual reality (VR):

Technology that allows a user to interact with a computer-simulated environment.

#### Augmented reality (AR):

Is a combination of real and virtual worlds, using the environment around you to turn it into a digital interface. Pokemon Go, released in 2016, is AR technology.

#### Head Tracking:

Monitoring the position and orientation of the head through various tracking device.

#### Head Mounted Display (HMD):

A set of goggles or a helmet with tiny monitors in front of each eye to generate images seen by the wearer as three-dimensional. Often the HMD

is combined with a head tracker so that the images displayed in the HMD change as the head moves.

#### Immersion:

Placing users in an artificial environment but feeling like they're in with the action.

#### Data Glove:

A type of glove embedded with sensors that can sense the movement of hands which can then be used to manipulate or move the objects in the virtual environment.

#### Latency:

It is the time difference between the user physical action and the reflection of that action in the virtual environment.



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## AROUND TOWN

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**Child care** – Bethany Early Learning Ministry, 4207 S. East St., Indianapolis, will host a reception on Jan. 10, 3 – 6 p.m., to welcome its new Director of the child care ministry, Terrie Hedeem. Mary Terese, known as Terrie, has nearly 30 years of experience in early childhood education at a variety of childcare facilities. Bethany Early Learning Ministry is a Paths to Quality #3 Provider and is a ministry of Bethany Lutheran Church. Children ages infants through five years receive quality care and education. Information is available at (317) 780-1100.



### Sandlin: Indiana Senate Page Program applications available

**Politics** – Indiana Senate is now accepting applications for the Page Program with State Senator Jack Sandlin (R-Indianapolis). This full-day interactive program gives students in grades six through 12 the opportunity to tour the Indiana Statehouse, observe session debates on the Senate floor, and assist staff with age-appropriate tasks. Students will also meet with their state senator. The 2017 Senate Page Program will run from Jan. 23 through mid-April. Positions fill quickly. Pages are scheduled for Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays during the legislative session starting at 8:30 a.m. and dismissing at 3:30 p.m. Groups serve together on Wednesdays. Serving as a page is considered an excused absence from school. For more information, visit [indianasenate-republicans.com/page-program](http://indianasenate-republicans.com/page-program).



### Baby New Year arrives at Franciscan Health Indianapolis

**Newborn** – The clock read 12:27 a.m. and Kennedy Aberdeen Long became the first baby born in 2017 at Franciscan Health Indianapolis and in all of Marion County. She weighed in at 7 lbs., 1 ounce and was 20 inches long. Kennedy is the daughter of Bobby and Joanna Long of Martinsville. More than 2,200 babies were born at the Indianapolis hospital by mid-December. More than 50,000 infants have been delivered there since 1995, when the Women and Children's Services program was consolidated at the 8111 S. Emerson Ave. medical campus. Families of the first New Year Day baby born at Franciscan Health receive a gift basket containing items for the infant. Each time a child is born at the hospital, Jesus Loves Me chimes throughout the hospital via the public address system.



### Sen. Sandlin files bill to aid law enforcement

**Grant** – State Sen. Jack E. Sandlin (R-Indianapolis) has filed a bill that would help local law enforcement agencies purchase equipment for emergency situations. The proposed legislation would set up a matching grant fund for police departments to purchase items such as trauma kits, ballistic helmets and body armor. According to the bill, money for the fund will consist of appropriations made by the General Assembly, interest accrued from money the State Treasurer invests in the fund, and money deposited or transferred from other sources.

### Kirchhofer to chair House Public Health Committee

**Legislation** – State Cindy Kirchhofer (R-Beech Grove) was recently reappointed as chair of the House Committee on Public Health. She was also named to the House Committee on Insurance and the House Committee on Courts and Criminal Code. Standing committee assignments are made biennially after each election. On Jan. 4, House lawmakers will convene at 1:30 p.m. in the House Chamber for the first day of the 2017 legislative session.







Pictured from left, Retired Major General Martin Umbarger, John Price, Steve Bechman, Jeff Goben, Jennifer Tennell and Tom Thompson.  
Photo by Nicole Davis

## Four Johnson County residents receive governor's Distinguished Hoosier Award

By Nicole Davis

When Jeff Goben, Steve Bechman, Tom Thompson and Jennifer Tennell entered Stone Creek Dining Company on Dec. 28, they thought they were there to watch someone else be honored. Instead, these four Johnson County residents learned they were being presented with the Distinguished Hoosier Award from Governor Mike Pence.

The Distinguished Hoosier Award is one of the highest honors given by the State of Indiana to its citizens. The award is granted at the discretion of the governor to outstanding residents for their accomplishments and contributions to their communities. Since now Vice President-elect Pence couldn't attend, former Johnson County Indiana State Representative, district 47, John Price presented Goben, Bechman, Thompson and Tennell with the award.

"I had been told this was an honor my former bank partner, Steve Bechman, was receiving and we were going as guests to honor him," Goben said. "He thought the evening was for me being recognized for something. They did a good job

of fooling us. I was extremely honored and humbled. It's something I always enjoyed and love, giving back to the community, but to be recognized from the governor of the state of Indiana, and to be presented it by a long-time friend and customer John Price was a great honor."

Price was responsible for nominating these individuals.

"Our awardees are very deserving of this award for their work with economic development agencies, chambers of commerce, charities, churches, service clubs and other organizations," he said.

Tennell, Franklin resident, is executive director of the Johnson Memorial Hospital Foundation in Franklin and member of the Habitat for Humanity of Johnson County board of directors and of Rotary. The daughter of Price, she thought she was helping organize the event for him.

Goben, White River Township resident, is retired banker and co-founder of Heartland Community Bank which merged with Horizon. He is a member of the Sertoma Club of Greenwood, on the advisory board of Leadership Johnson County, involved with United Way

of Johnson County and is a former chairman of the Greater Greenwood Chamber board of directors.

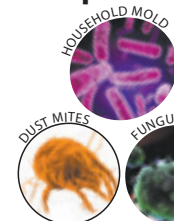
Bechman, Franklin resident, is market president of Horizon Bank in Franklin and also a co-founder of Heartland Community Bank which merged with Horizon. He is a former member of the Greater Greenwood Chamber board of directors, president of the Franklin Chamber Board, and had served on the board for the Baxter YMCA, Greenwood Senior Citizens and served with the Rotary Club of Greenwood. He is still involved with United Way, on the board of the Franklin United Methodist Community and volunteers with Habitat for Humanity.

Bechman and Goben both are involved with the Johnson County Community Foundation where there is a scholarship in their name which is awarded to high school students who give back in their community.

Thompson, Center Grove area resident, is co-owner and General Manager of Fletcher Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram in Franklin and past member of Rotary, Johnson County Development Corp. and is on the Johnson Memorial Hospital Foundation board of directors.

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## Southside News Quiz

How well do you know your Southside community?  
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**1** Branded Exchange opened off County Line Road across from Greenwood Park Mall in November, selling what?

- ☐ A. Antiques  
☐ B. Cookies  
☐ C. Consignment clothing  
☐ D. Designer purses

**2** Where was the first baby born in Indianapolis in 2017 born?

- ☐ A. Community Health South  
☐ B. Franciscan Health Indianapolis  
☐ C. A Franklin Township home  
☐ D. Riley Hospital for Children



**3** How many Johnson County people earned the Distinguished Hoosier award from Governor Mike Pence, presented by former senator John Price on Dec. 28?

- ☐ A. Three ☐ B. Four  
☐ C. Nine ☐ D. Eleven

**4** Chef Wendell Fowler wants you to resolve to be healthier in this new year. In this week's column, he shares some lifestyle habits you can change. What should you refrain from eating to decrease risk of heart disease?

- ☐ A. Deli meat, sausage, bacon  
☐ B. Soda, diet drinks, juice  
☐ C. Apples, oranges, bananas  
☐ D. Cheese, milk, butter

**5** Which topic does *The Southside Times* readers say they are most interested in?

- ☐ A. Entertainment  
☐ B. Government  
☐ C. Sports ☐ D. Schools

Answers on Page 15

## Awarded with admiration

Retired Beech Grove Police Officer Gene Davis is awarded Sagamore of the Wabash

By Cleveland Dietz II

Retired Beech Grove police officer Gene Davis was presented the Sagamore of the Wabash on Dec. 30. The governor of Indiana grants the distinction for "distinguished service to the state." It is the highest honor the State awards. Erin Sheridan, deputy of administration for the State Auditor's Office, nominated him.

"Words describing Mr. Davis when asked of friends and family—honest, reliable, courageous, persistent, a true leader," Sheridan said during her presentation. "I personally admire Mr. Davis for his old-school sense of respect. He is a true gentleman and friend to his community."

"I never had any thought whatsoever, any inkling that it was going to happen. I'm honored. That's quite an award," Davis said.

Davis joined the Beech Grove Police Department in 1971 as an auxiliary officer after serving two years in the Army. A year later, he was brought on full-time. Over the next 19 years, he rose to the rank of captain and served as

head of investigations.

He was recognized as the city's individual officer of the year in 1979 for "five years of dedicated service" on and off duty. During the same year, the Police League of Indiana presented him and five other officers with an officer of the year distinction for acts of heroism during a fire at a Best Western Motel in 1978.

Davis was off duty when he heard about the fire on his police scanner at home. When he arrived, he and another officer entered the building. Smoke covered the inside and there was no power. The officers knocked on doors and escorted guests out, then spent the night and most of the next morning helping the fire department.

"It was quite a large fire," Davis said.

He retired from the BGPD in January 2001. He started at the Marion County Sheriff's Department a week later and served as an internal affairs officer, in the garage, and, eventually, the armory. He retired July 2015.

He and his wife, Becky, have been married for 47 years and have two children. She's also retired. The two spend their time traveling and enjoying retirement.



Erin Sheridan and Gene Davis, as Davis receives the Sagamore of the Wabash award.  
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John Beineke is the Grizzlies' second-leading scorer (14.4 points per game) and rebounder (6.8 rpg). Submitted photo

## Perry Meridian grad Beineke adjusts to new challenges

By Rick Morwick

For as long he can remember, John Beineke has always been one of the tallest kids on his basketball teams. He was just never one of the strongest, or most physical. Until now.

No longer a lanky guard who shies away from contact, Beineke is a sturdy center whose aggressive presence is an invaluable component of the Franklin College men's basketball team.

A 6-foot-7, 235-pound junior, Beineke is the Grizzlies' second-leading scorer (14.4 points per game) and rebounder (6.8 rpg) and is the Heartland Athletic Conference's leading field goal shooter at 66.2 percent per game.

The numbers belie the fact that Beineke, a former standout guard at Perry Meridian High School, is still very new to playing in the lowpost.

"Being physical, posting up hard, using my body, it was never really a part of my game in high school," said Beineke, a two-year starter for the Grizzlies. "I love it now. I think I've gotten pretty good at it."

Franklin coach Kerry Prather thinks the same thing.

When Beineke came to the Grizzlies three years ago, he did so with no low-post experience to speak of. Today, he's one of the conference's most efficient – and physical – big men.

"He came to us without a lot of post skills," Prather said. "What John has had to warm up to is the constant physical battle, the physical contact of inside play.

As much as anything, I'm proud of the fact that he hasn't shied away from that. He's really done a great job of applying himself."

Combined with his height, Beineke's ball-handling and shooting skills served him well in high school. But on the recruiting front, his lack of an inside game was a bit of a liability. Unable to find a suitable college home, he gave up basketball and enrolled at IUPUI – and quickly realized that his passion to play was too strong to suppress.

So he reached out to the Grizzlies, who warmly welcomed him – as a center, a position he had to quickly learn and, more importantly, bulk up for.

"What I explained to him was, we really didn't need a big dose of what you did in high school," Prather said. "But what we do need is a guy your size willing to learn how to play inside. I remember him telling me, 'I can't describe myself as a skilled post player, but I would like to learn,' which is music to any coach's ear, and oftentimes is more talk than walk. But in John's case, that has literally played itself out every day."

A software engineering major, Beineke immediately went to work refining his skills and getting stronger. The learning curve has been swift, as has the strengthening process. The proof is in the results.

Beineke averaged 6.6 ppg his first season and was a double-digit scorer (11.3ppg) by his sophomore year. Today, he is one of the HCAC's top players and continues to improve each day.

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## FROM THE EDITOR

## What to expect from us in 2017

The ball is dropped and we're almost a week into 2017. Our team at *The Southside Times* has been making plans for the coming year, and are excited to continuing to work hard to offer the best product possible to all of our readers.

In 2016, we conducted a reader survey, compiled by an outside company, to get honest opinions of what Southside residents actually want in their community news product. Number one topic of interest was entertainment, followed closely by government. We hope to continue utilizing this information to bring you news that is both valuable and entertaining.

The most popular feature to date, as shown by the tremendous web traffic it's brought, is our Behind the Badge piece. Each week for the last two years, we have highlighted a personality behind all of the law enforcement agencies and fire departments on the Southside. The purpose was to show the human side to this job in a day and age where these public servants have been portrayed in such a negative light in the mainstream media. While this feature is not going away, its frequency is being slowed down to once a month, as to not put a strain on our departments in finding officers to highlight. Look for it in the second Thursday's issue of each Month!

One of our favorite things to do is pinpoint to historical milestones in our Southside community. In 2016, *The Southside Times* featured the history of Beech Grove High School as it celebrates 100 years, the Southport Library Branch as it celebrated its complete remodel, Southern Plaza as it reached 60 years, and more! We are already planning around the anniversaries of other Southside organizations to celebrate alongside them.

Most of all, we look forward to being out in the community, meeting new people and getting to know others better. Any ideas or suggestions can be sent to [ndavis@southside-times.com](mailto:ndavis@southside-times.com). Have a happy 2017!

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## STARS &amp; STRIKES ON THE SOUTHSIDE

*The Southside Times is all about people and our community. What do you like in your neighborhood? What don't you like? Who has done something nice, no*

*matter how small and should be recognized? Email your "Stars and Strikes" to [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com).*

★ **Stars:** To Derek Blice, Beech Grove compliance officer, for his service to the community. Derek is stepping down from his role, having taken a job in Amsterdam. Derek was instrumental in getting the compliance division started in 2014. He has written numerous council ordinances to aid in cleaning up the city and making it a better place for all residents. He has worked closely with the police department to clean up problem areas of the city. Although he'll be out of the country, Derek still stated at the Jan. 3 City Council meeting that he will still be available to help out when he can, from afar.

★ **Stars:** To the Ella's Frozen Yogurt shop on Emerson Avenue near Stop 11, for being such an active part of the community. The store recently announced its last day in business will be Feb. 28. "To us

Ella's was never about becoming abundantly wealthy. We desired Ella's to be a part of the community where families could come and enjoy a yummy Fro-Yo treat of their own making all in a fun, family friendly atmosphere." the franchise wrote on its Facebook page. We're sad to see this business go! But remember, you can still get your Ella's Fro-Yo at the original Ella's Frozen Yogurt & Candy Shop off State Road 135!

★ **Stars:** To Lt. Aaron Allen for getting hired as Southport Police Department's first full-time patrol officer! He started his new role on Jan. 1. Allen has worked as a reserve officer for SPD since 2011. He earned the department's first Officer of the Year award in 2015. Prior to being hired to SPD, he worked as a police officer for the Franklin Township Community School Corporation.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

**"We see things not as they are,  
but as we are."**

~ H.M. Tomlinson

## HUMOR



**TOP TEN**  
**Resolutions I am**  
**willing to make**  
**for 2017**

By Torry Stiles

10. Stop wearing my Superman pajamas while walking the dogs and wearing my glasses. The neighbor kid may figure out the whole Clark Kent thing.
9. Use the word, "oodles" more often.
8. Refrain from saying, "I love you," to the counter help at Long's Donuts.
7. Find more time to truly appreciate how much everyone else should truly appreciate me.
6. Floss with more passion.
5. Learn to speak modern American English. Use "LOL" as a verb, for example.
4. Be more smug. Smug is in this year.
3. Give the Will Rogers thing a rest and do a list as somebody else. Marcel Marceau would be a challenge.
2. Get a tattoo. A big skull tattoo with flames and knives. The temporary kind. Needles creep me out.
1. Stop using the cheap imitation Velveeta and buy only the real Velveeta. My family deserves only the best.

## BELIEVE IT!

**Our nation has all sorts of arcane, nonsensical laws on the books. Each week, we'll share one with you ...**

In Mississippi, it is illegal to teach others what polygamy is.

Source: [dumblaws.com](http://dumblaws.com)



# Girl Scouts celebrating 100 years of selling cookies

## FEATURE

Girl Scouts of Central Indiana announced the movement-wide celebration of the 100th season of Girl Scouts selling cookies. A century ago, girls started participating in what would evolve into the largest entrepreneurial training program for girls in the world: the Girl Scout Cookie Program®, through which girls learn the essential skills they need to become effective leaders, manage finances, and gain self-sufficiency and confidence in handling money. To commemorate this banner year for the organization, the Girl Scout S'mores™ cookies are now available, joining classics like Thin Mints and Trefoils.

The sale of cookies by Girl Scouts had humble beginnings, born as a way for troops to finance activities. The first known sale of cookies by Girl Scouts occurred in 1917, when the Mistletoe Troop in Muskogee, Oklahoma, baked cookies and sold them in its high school cafeteria as a service project. As the Girl Scout Cookie Program developed and evolved,

it became a vehicle for teaching five essential skills—goal setting, decision making, money management, people skills, and business ethics.

Again this year, local girls will have an online selling platform called Digital Cookie to help increase their skills and their cookie sales. Through Digital Cookie, central Indiana girls can email their customers a link to a personal order form so that their customers may order and pay for Girl Scout Cookies online. When ordering online, customers may elect to either have their cookies shipped or donate them to Operation: Cookie Drop.

Designed with input from girls, Digital Cookie uses the "science of play" to expand girls' understanding of the business cycle. Girls are

introduced to important skills about running an e-commerce business, including digital marketing, online money management, revenue projection, and digital customer acquisition and management, all in a safe, hands-on environment.

Girl Scout Cookies will be delivered beginning the week of Jan. 30 and will be sold at booths at Marsh Supermarkets and other local retailers and financial institutions through mid-March. The cost is \$4 per package for all Girl Scout Cookie varieties except Girl Scout S'mores and Toffee-tastic, which are \$5 per package and available in limited quantities.

Proceeds will directly benefit Girl Scouts in their community. A portion of each package of Girl Scout Cookies sold goes to Girl Scout troops to fund activities such as trips, hands-on science and technology activities, and community service projects. Girl Scouts of Central Indiana receives a portion of the proceeds to fund scholarships for summer camp, recruitment and training of adult volunteers, and to support council-wide initiatives.



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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Friday Night Swing Dancing** • Dance the night away and enjoy music by "Indianapolis Jazz Orchestra" on Jan. 13 and "The Stardusters" on Jan. 27. Don't know how? Come a little early for lessons! Lesson and Dance: \$12, Dance Only: \$10 | When: Jan. 13 and Jan. 27, 8:30 – 11:30 p.m. Lessons 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. | Where: 1111 Prospect St., Indianapolis. | Info: discoverfountainsquare.com.

**Vintage Movie Night Saturday** • Match King (1932). \$5 at the door. \$1 concessions available. | When: Jan. 14, 7 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center at 2432 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: (317) 327-7135.

**English Country Dancing** • All dances taught. Singles and families welcome. No partner is needed. | When: Jan. 12, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center, 2432 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: (317) 327-7135.

**Student, Faculty, and Staff Exhibition at the Garfield Park Arts Center** • When: Through Jan. 28, Tuesday to Thursday 2 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday noon to 4 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center at 2432 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: (317) 327-7135.

**Creative Writing Workshop Series** • This monthly creative writing workshop is led by author Amy Sawyer. All ages and writing levels. | When: Jan. 14, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. | Where: Big Car's The Tube Factory Artspace, 1125 Craft St., Indianapolis. | Info: RSVP to Amy Sawyer, areneewrites@gmail.com

**Grant Lewandowski's "Down on My Knees I Pray" Exhibition** • This Friday at Listen Hear will feature Grant Lewandowski's zine release/photo show as well as Jessica Kartawich's "Dear Somebody" sound installation | When: Jan. 6, to 10 p.m. | Where: Big Car's Listen Hear, 2620 Shelby St, Indianapolis. | Info: 317-721-0238

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### Getting to know Sarah...

- I like to visit presidential museums and libraries.
- I love to read mysteries and historical fiction.
- I have lived on the Southside for over 25 years. My husband, David, is a Southport grad.
- One day I'd like to get back to playing golf once in awhile.

### How did Sarah do it?

#### BEST ADVICE:

In my job, it's natural that occasionally a crisis occurs or something doesn't go quite right. A friend, a business coworker, said to be pragmatic, take it apart, diagnose it and put it back together again. In recent years, I've looked at things as people, process and technology - how they intersect, how they can build upon and work with each other. I thought that was helpful in difficult times.

#### BEST BUSINESS DECISION:

Knowing when it was time to make a change and making a change. That applies to me personally, professionally and to all of the different projects I've had. You have to take some risk.

#### SECRET TO SUCCESS:

Truly surrounding yourself and recognizing what wonderful team members you have. The culture and the people you work around is so important. I have been so fortunate, when I think about all of the public service people I've worked with. Public employees are just wonderful. They're the tops. They're tough jobs and not always rewarded highly financially, but people truly are committed.

#### IN 5 YEARS...

I'm excited for what the future holds for the lottery and the lottery industry. I'll have one kid in college by then and another soon on his way, so on a personal level I'll be entering some interesting years for my youngest two.

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## The winning ticket

### Perry Township's Sarah Taylor is appointed as executive director of the Hoosier Lottery

By Nicole Davis

Under the direction of Perry Township resident Sarah Taylor, the Hoosier Lottery celebrated its best fiscal year ever in 2016. Now that she's been reappointed by Governor-Elect Eric Holcomb to serve as executive director, beginning Jan. 9, Taylor said she's prepared to take things to the next level.

"Each and every day, I continue to learn so much more about the lottery," she said. "Like other industries, things change over time. You're trying to stay engaging to your players. You're trying to have products that they enjoy. The way they learn about your products changes over time. You can't keep everything the same."

Sarah is originally from Greencastle, Ind. She attended Indiana University - Bloomington, graduating from the School of Public and Environmental Affairs. Right out of college, she interned at the Statehouse, where she met many legislators and government officials.

In 1994, Sarah ran for Marion County Clerk and was elected for two four-year terms. From there, she worked with a technology firm, then a consulting firm for local and state governments. When Mayor Greg Ballard came into office in 2008, Sarah was appointed as a cabinet member, director of constituent services. She served in that role for five and a half years.

"It was about citizen engagement, services citizens needed and the ease they can communicate with local government and in turn, us engage them," Sarah said. "That included the Mayor's Action Center, a contact center for citizens. I oversaw it. That became a very special project. We developed an online way to request those services, and in turn a mobile app which still exists."

Another part of her role with the city was to help analyze how the city handled requests. They did that by implementing Six Sigma, a set of techniques for process improvement, typically used in businesses, and Key Performance Indicators.

"Through that, the city's government culture changed to include process improve-

ment," Sarah said. "We could measure how the contact center was doing, measure how fast we fill a pot hold or how fast we pick the trash up. It involved technology, people, processes and that was one of the highlights I had with the city of Indianapolis. It was so nice to return to government, and use a little bit I learned from the corporate side of things."

Sarah later met Governor Mike Pence, which led to her appointment as executive director of the Hoosier Lottery in 2013.

"I still think the Hoosier Lottery was nowhere on my radar, and I'm glad to get this opportunity," she said. "Quite honestly, I didn't know a lot about lotteries and how they work. I do know about customer service and operations."

The Hoosier Lottery began in 1989. Sixty percent of revenue is paid to the lottery winners, with \$11.46 billion in prizes paid since 1989. Retailers receive a commission for selling the products. After paying operation costs, revenues generated from the lottery are divided into three funds: teacher retirement fund, local police and firefighter pensions and the Build Indiana Fund which goes toward the motor vehicle excise tax to offset the cost for taxpayers.

In its 2015-16 fiscal year, the Hoosier Lottery contributed \$5 billion to those three funds, it's largest contribution to date.

"Even if you don't play, we like to keep you informed about where those proceeds go," Sarah said. "If they do play, we want them to know what that means to the state of Indiana, the winners and the economy. I love anything that informs players and the citizens more about us so we're looking for those opportunities (such as) the way we engage with our players like the free mobile app."

As Sarah came in as executive director, the steps were being taken for the Hoosier Lottery to receive certification from the World Lottery Association. It received level 4 certification, the highest level possible, as only one in three

U.S. states to earn it, in December 2015. This certification shows that the organization is committed to responsible gaming.

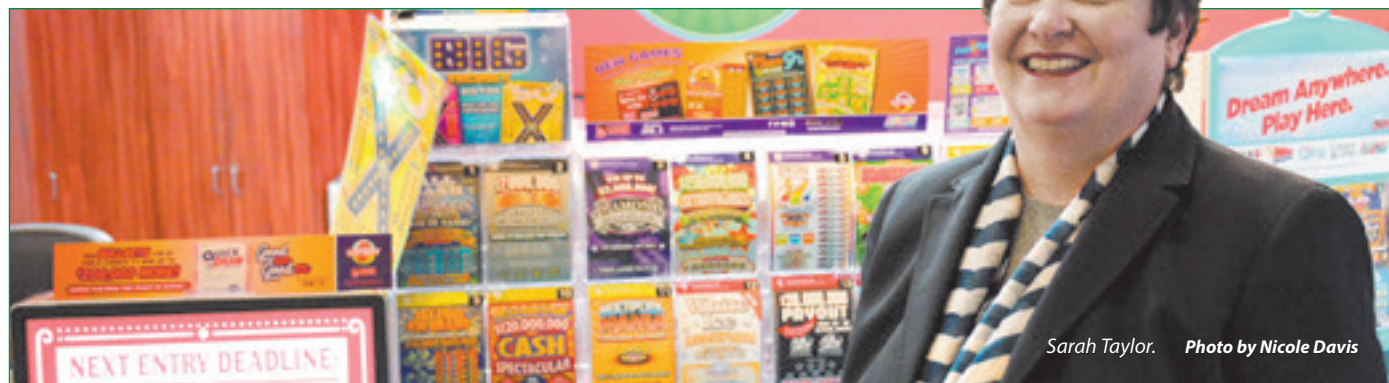
"We engage daily in thinking about responsible gaming, the products we offer, how we offer them, how we keep people informed," Sarah said. "We train employees and retailers. We have a phone number if maybe someone have a gambling concern. We offer a financial literacy course, developed through Ivy Tech. The way we advertise has a certain code of conduct... You want to make sure you offer tasteful products, that are fun and engaging, that are appropriate and help us maximize revenue to the state of Indiana."

Balancing business and citizen's desires is one of Sarah's strengths, said Dennis Rosebrough, director of public relations.

"Through Sarah's career as an elected official then constituent services, (she has) that eye for the citizen," he said. "Others of us might be looking at the bottom line, but the citizen perspective has been a valuable asset Sarah has brought to the lottery... No one else looks at it from the same insight that she does. It's really a keen eye that Sarah's developed, to be that watchdog, that final sign off to make sure we're doing it right."

Sarah was recently elected Chair of the Finance and Audit Committee for the Multi-State Lottery Association (MUSL) which is comprised of the 36 state lotteries who participate in Powerball. A year ago, Powerball, the largest jackpot game sold in 44 states had a \$1.6 million run, the largest in the United States.

With a year of record-breaking sales, Sarah doesn't plan on slowing down. By constantly looking at changes to games, studying how players and retailers feel about those changes, she said things continue to head in the right direction.



Sarah Taylor. Photo by Nicole Davis



## OPEN 4 BIZ



Rachel Harrison opened the Greenwood-area store, The Branded Exchange LLC, on Nov. 5, 2016.

Photo by Nicole Davis

## On consignment

**Branded Exchange opens Greenwood-area store, offering name brand women, men and children's clothing**

Compiled by Nicole Davis

Opening to the public on Nov. 5, Branded Exchange LLC sells name brand, quality clothing for men, women and children - the entire family - in what was designed to be a warm, welcoming environment.

"What a lot of people say they like about the store is it doesn't feel cluttered," said owner, Rachel Harrison. "It doesn't feel packed and hard to move around. We've gotten comments that our stuff is in great condition."

Rachel grew up in Superior, Wis. She has resided in Indianapolis, Franklin Township, for 16 years. She and her husband Ryan Harrison have five children. With a background in marketing, Rachel wanted to do something different for herself. Upon deciding on beginning a consignment shop, she worked to find the right location. She found it - right off County Line Road, across from Greenwood Park Mall.

The shop has a kid's corner, with a tee-pee and coloring table to entertain children while the adults shop. There is plus-sized clothing, as well as accessories. Items can be found for sale in the store and online at thebrandedexchange.com. Rachel said the goal is to have enough clients, that they can support hosting charity events and be active in the community.

"It's a great shop here," Rachel said. "It's fun to work with the girls we have here. People enjoy shopping in consignment shops, and it's fun to run one."

### Why did you open this business?

We wanted to for awhile. About a year ago we started looking at doing a consignment shop. We looked at buying an existing one but that didn't work out. We started thinking about where we would want to have it.

### What did you do to prepare for opening your business?

We looked for about a year. We started online with an eBay shop. We built up our inventory with the idea to do a brick and mortar store. We did a lot of the work in here ourselves - the floors, the walls and all of the finishing. It was what they call "white box" and we finished it.

### Who is your ideal customer/client?

We sell men's, women's and kid's clothes. The demographics coming in are older and younger. We are trying to hit all of those markets.

### How do you plan to be successful?

Customer service is our priority. We're trying to just do name brand clothes, a little higher end. We're trying to hit that niche in the market. Right now, we're the only consignment shop around the mall, so the location helps.

### What would we be surprised to learn about you or your company?

We've been trying to do this without borrowing money. We've saved money and whatever we make is put into the business. That's a unique approach.

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## Digital trends for 2017

By Andrew Angle

Every year, as the time for pondering New Year's resolutions arrives, I search for other digital marketers' lists of predictions for the year ahead. The predictions usually contain some common threads year after year, especially about devices getting smaller, faster, and more mobile. Here's my own list.

1. "Big data" domination! Google might know you better than Santa Claus does. Their system tracks where your visitors have been, what they are looking for now and in the past, whether or not they found it on your site, and whether they end up finding it somewhere else.
2. Satisfying Google means satisfying users. Does your site do the best job of giving visitors exactly what they came for? Do that, and Google is more likely to reward you.
3. Mobile First! (Again) It used to be that you could make your site entirely for the desktop without messy mobile experiences affecting rankings. Now Google appears to be counting mobile performance as a high ranking factor for desktop search. That could be to help promote the new tech released by Google in 2016 known as "AMP" which stands for "Accelerated Mobile Pages". AMP pages load fast and

get first priority in mobile rankings. Like many new ranking factors, early adopters can sweep up some traffic quickly before competitors know what you're up to. The design tools are rough, but it's worth investing the time into using it well.

4. Content is still king. Be organized in how you create it and promote it. Tip: If you use Wordpress, add the plugin called "Editorial Calendar". This tool will help you plan and write your content in advance and makes it super convenient to simply publish on a scheduled basis.
5. The cost of getting traffic will continue to rise. Google is not a charity; it's a profit machine. Their strategy of dropping the right sidebar in 2016 shocked advertisers into paying a premium for paid ads. Meanwhile, the added complexity of winning organic positions makes SEO efforts more costly, as well.

As always, don't set it and forget it. Know the numbers to make smarter decisions.



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## PERSONNEL MATTERS

## What Do You Plan To Do Differently In 2017?

By Mike Heffner

Recently our office had an end of year goal-setting meeting. In this meeting, Matt Nettleton, our Sandler Sales Trainer, had us thinking about all of the changes that are coming and asked us, "What do you plan to do differently?" He shared with us the reasons why people typically don't reach their goals. In a nutshell, he said it's because most people are not willing to make a shift in their personal beliefs that the goal can be reached and they don't believe that they deserve the outcome of the goal they set. That had my wheels turning.

My team is in the midst of a big change. We are moving offices and we will have people in different roles this next year. Change is something I embrace. After Matt's training, I thought about the few basic fundamental things that I have done to shift my beliefs that have allowed me to make a change or reach a goal.

• **REFLECT** – You can't move forward unless you know where you have come from or what brought you to where you are. Look at the data and facts and ask for others' opinions. Look for clues that will help lead you forward.

• **WRITE OUT YOUR GOALS** – I can tell you when I don't do it, I rarely hit them. If a year from now is too

far out, then look at quarterly or bi-annual goals.

• **TALK TO OTHERS** – Meet with other business owners, team members, leaders, mentors and family members. These are people that often know you well and can help you make sure you have thought about things from different angles. This is a good place to look for the "how" if you are not sure what you need to do to reach your goal.

• **SEE YOURSELF IN THE OUTCOME** – If you can't see yourself actually doing what you said, how in the heck can you get there? You have to believe you can make the change or reach the goal.

These seem very basic but I have found that when I take the time to do these fundamental things, I reach most of my goals. What you spend your time planning and thinking about in most cases are what set the outcome. Here is to a great 2017- I hope you reach your goals.



This article is written by Mike Heffner, the owner of the local Greenwood Express Employment Professionals franchise. Contact Mike at Mike.Heffner@expresspros.com, @IndySouthMike on Twitter or visit ExpressIndySouth.com.

## PLANNER OF NOTE

## Newly Incorporated Businesses

- **ADM Productions**  
Aaron Milbourn  
116 Galahad Circle  
Franklin, IN 46131
- **Booe Aviation Services**  
David Scott Booe  
7095 S. Road 400 W.  
Bargersville, IN 46106
- **Booe Farms**  
David Scott Booe  
7095 S. Road 400 W.  
Bargersville, IN 46106
- **Bufkin & Sons, LLC**  
Chris Bufkin  
4499 Diamond Ridge  
Greenwood, IN 46143

- **Cains Custom Construction**  
Daniel Cain  
796 Wheatgrass Dr.  
Greenwood, IN 46145
- **Hogue & Sons Transport**  
Johnathan Hogue  
1229 Kenwood Dr.  
Greenwood, IN 46143
- **J.A. Apman Construction**  
David Freeman  
2 Bentwood St.  
Greenwood, IN 46143
- **Mary Kay Consultant**  
Robin Greenwood  
2721 Reflection Way  
Greenwood, IN 46143
- **Ogden Trophy**  
Betty Jo Ogden  
1160 Northpointe Dr.  
Franklin, IN 46131

- **Painter with an Accent**  
3263 Eastpointe Dr.  
Franklin, IN 46131
- **Raker's Lawn care**  
Douglas Raker  
790 Morgan Way  
Greenwood, IN 46143
- **TAP'S Cleaning**  
Toni A. Powell  
860 Holman Place  
Greenwood, IN 46142
- **True to You Life Coaching**  
Brandy Vanderveen  
99 Virgil Dr.  
Greenwood, IN 46142
- **Wild Child Tans**  
Ryan D. Perry  
636 W. 550 S.  
Trafalgar, IN 46181

## Upcoming chamber meetings and events

- **10 - Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Tried & True Alehouse Grand Opening Ribbon Cutting)**; Jan. 10, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m., 2800 S. State Rd. 135, Ste. 100, Greenwood. For more information, visit [greenwoodchamber.org](http://greenwoodchamber.org).
- **10 - Franklin Township Chamber of Commerce (January Meeting)**; Jan. 10, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Wheatley's, 8902 Southeastern Ave., Wanamaker. For more information, visit [franklintwpchamber.org](http://franklintwpchamber.org).

**12 - Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce (January Luncheon)**; Jan. 12, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave., Beech Grove. For more information, visit [beechgrovechamber.com](http://beechgrovechamber.com).

**13 - Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Legislation Matters Luncheon)**; Jan. 13, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Have lunch with state legislators. For more information, visit [greenwoodchamber.org](http://greenwoodchamber.org).

**19 - Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce (Business After Hours)**; Jan. 19, 4 - 6 p.m., Stone Creek Dining Company, 911 N. State Rd. 135, Greenwood. For more information, visit [greenwoodchamber.org](http://greenwoodchamber.org).





## PEER TO PEER

## CNN fake headlines

By Howard Hubler

What is the story about a fake headline? As I did research for this story, one of the places I was led was "CNN Online." In an article dated Nov. 23, the headline read: "Millions may now lose eligibility for overtime pay after ruling". You can tell that CNN has been sleeping with the federal government. They now use government bureaucratic statistical logic. Recall then when we cut the budget, we never cut the budget, we just cut the growth of increase? Yes it was going to go at 3 percent next year, however we cut it 2 percent, hence it's only going to go up 1 percent. In my management meetings we call that phony crap.

First of all, the millions that may lose overtime never had the eligibility in the first place. They never received a dime. To those who read the headline, you were led to believe that they have had an income stream for a period of time and that it was now lost. The millions that may lose eligibility for overtime never had the eligibility in the first place. Yes the President enacted it; due to the courts, it never became law!

"First of all, the millions that may lose overtime never had eligibility in the first place."

A closing thought. This morning I was asked to rate the CNN app on my phone. When I went to rate it, I thought I was rating it mechanically for navigation. However everybody that came before me had their editorial comments listed as to the direction of CNN editorially. Comment after comment were from older loyal listeners absolutely blaspheming the station for all of this left anti-business politically-correct crap. No I have nothing against CNN; I have never written about them before. I will say this, the recent election wised up my media awareness. When I saw

this headline I have to say, my antenna went up. How many other Americans that used to be lulled to sleep by this stuff are now wide-awake and "are mad as hell and I are going to take it anymore?"



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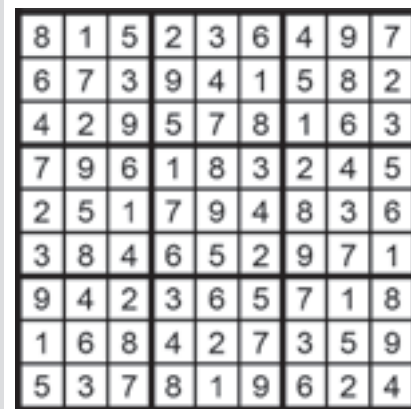
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States: ALABAMA, FLORIDA, ILLINOIS, OHIO, UTAH;  
Movies: COLLATERAL, JERRY MAGUIRE, RAINMAN, TOP GUN;  
Cities: GARY, GREENSBURG, GOSHEN;  
Journalists: PAULEY, PYLE; Restaurant: RATHSKELLER

## Q&amp;A

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1. C
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3. B
4. A
5. A



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## New Members

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# NIGHT & day LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT ENTERTAINING

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### BEECH GROVE

**Preschool Storytime & Craft @ Beech Grove •** Preschoolers and an adult can join children's librarians for stories and fun activities. | When: Jan. 5, 12, 19 and 26, 11 a.m. | Where: Beech Grove Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560.

**Family Storytime @ Beech Grove •** Families are invited to the library to listen to stories. | When: Jan. 10, 24, 6 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560.

### CENTER GROVE

**Block Party •** If you can imagine it, you can build it! Create and construct with the library's collection of LEGO bricks each month. | When: Jan 10, 4:30-5:15 p.m. | Where: White River Branch library, 1664 Library Blvd. | Info: (317) 885-1330, [pageafterpage.org](http://pageafterpage.org).

### FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

**Author Visit and Book Discussion •** Adults are invited to this monthly book discussion; "So To Honor Him" by Laura VanArendonk Baugh. The author will attend and discuss her book. | When: Jan. 9, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4380.

**Toddler Storytime at Franklin Road •** Toddlers 18 - 36 months and an adult are invited for stories, songs, finger plays and flannel board activities for toddlers. | When: Jan. 10, 17, 24 and 31, 10:15 a.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4380.

**Dance Party 2017 •** Children ages 3 - 6 and an adult are invited to listen, move, jump and dance with Miss Kasey to celebrate the New Year. | When: Jan. 10, 1:15 p.m.; Jan. 11, 10:15 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4380.

**Baby Lapsit at Franklin Road •** Babies up to 18 months and an adult are invited for stories, songs, rhymes and flannel board activities for babies. | When: Jan. 12, 19, 26 at 10:15 a.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch, 5550 S. Franklin Road | Info: (317) 275-4380.

### GARFIELD PARK

**Student, Faculty, and Staff Exhibition •** Garfield Park Arts Center hosts the year end exhibition that features artworks created by those connected with our center. | When: Now - Jan. 28, normal Fall hours of operation. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center, 2342 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: [gpacarts.org](http://gpacarts.org).

**Arts for All: Pixelated Magnets •** Select a design, match the colorful perler beads with the pattern, and use an iron to melt them together. | When: Now - Jan. 28, Saturdays, 12 - 4 p.m. No Arts for All on Dec. 10 or 24. | Where: Garfield Park Arts Center, 2342 Conservatory Dr., Indianapolis. | Info: [gpacarts.org](http://gpacarts.org).

**Job Center at the Library •** The session will fo-

cus on job search strategies, interviewing skills, resume development, and instruction on basic computer skills. | When: Jan. 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 28 and 31, 10 a.m. | Where: Garfield Park Branch, 2502 Shelby St. | Info: (317) 275-4490.

### GREENWOOD

**One-Artist-Show: Charlene Brown •** Charlene Brown will exhibit original drawings in various media and oil paintings, many which will be for sale. Charlene is an award-winning artist who teaches drawing and painting to youth and adults out of her home studio in Carmel, Ind. | When: Artwork showcased Jan. 4 - 31, Wednesdays - Saturdays, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Open House Jan. 13, 6 - 8 p.m. | Where: Southside Art League, 299 E. Broadway St., Greenwood. | Info: (317) 882-5562.

**Quilt Connection Guild •** Start the new year with the Quilt Connection Guild. Take a look at members' latest projects, enjoy a fashion show and snacks this month and maybe a door prize. The Guild meets every month and new members are always welcome. | When: Jan. 5, 7 - 9 p.m. | Where: 525 N. Madison Ave., Greenwood. | Info: [quiltcg.com](http://quiltcg.com).

**Try It Tuesday: Crayon Candles •** Teens: make a colorful candle made of crayons. Registration required. | When: Jan. 10, 3:30 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St. | Info: (317) 881-1953, [greenwoodlibrary.us](http://greenwoodlibrary.us).

### PERRY TOWNSHIP

**19th Annual Martin Luther King Community Festival •** Peace Learning Center hosts this multigenerational festival to celebrate the "Beloved Community" - Join for music, art, dancing, poetry, workshops, a non-profit resource fair, and many other family-friendly activities. | When: Jan. 14, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. | Where: Christian Theological Seminary, 1000 W 42nd St, Indianapolis. | Info: Visit [peacelearningcenter.org/mlk](http://peacelearningcenter.org/mlk).

### SOUTHPORT

**Family Game Day at Southport •** Games and puzzles will be provided. | When: Jan. 7, 12 p.m. | Where: Southport Branch, 2630 E. Stop 11 Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4510.

**Preschool Storytime at Southport •** Preschoolers ages 3 - 5 and an adult are invited for an active class featuring stories, songs and rhymes that focus on early literacy skills and school preparedness. | When: Jan. 10, 17, 24 and 31, 10:30 a.m. | Where: Southport Branch, 2630 E. Stop 11 Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4510.

**Baby and Toddler Storytime at Southport •** Babies and toddlers up to age 3 with an adult are invited for an active class featuring stories, songs and rhymes that focus on early literacy skills. | When: Jan. 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, 26 at 10:30 a.m. | Where: Southport Branch, 2630 E. Stop 11 Rd. | Info: (317) 275-4510.

## AN OPTION

### Marco's Pizza

#### THE SCOOP:

The Southside has two of the 700 Marco's Pizza franchises located in the continental US and the Bahamas. The two restaurants, located on West Southport Road at SR 37 and Emerson Avenue at Stop 11, serve up pizza, sandwiches and salads for you, your family or your event. The franchises also will cater your event and help schools, teams, bands and community organizations with fundraising. On the menu are build your own pizzas from 10 inches to 16 inches with choices of toppings, crust styles, crust toppers and sides. Specialty pizzas include White Cheesy, Deluxe Uno, Meat Supremo, Chicken Fresco, Hawaiian Chicken, and Garden. Sub sandwiches include Italiano, Steak and Cheese Bruno, Ham and Cheese Leonardo, Chicken Club Tuscano, Meatball Fabio, Turkey and Ham Maximo, Turkey Club Bravo, and Veggie Fresco.

#### TYPE OF FOOD:

Pizza, sub sandwiches, salads



*Veggie fresco*

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Hawaiian Chicken Pizza

#### HOURS:

##### S. EMERSON AVE. HOURS:

Monday to Thursday 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Friday and Saturday 11 a.m. to 12 a.m.; Sunday 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.

#### LOCATION:

IN INDIANAPOLIS at 2132 W. Southport Rd. and 7930 S. Emerson Ave.

#### PHONE:

W. SOUTHPORT RD. (317) 882-8888;  
S. EMERSON AVE. (317) 215-4359.

## BEHIND BARS

### Blue Ocean Long Island

#### Bartender:

Heath Mounce

#### Location:

Bubba's 33, 7799 US 31 S., Indianapolis, IN 46227

#### Ingredients and directions:

• 1 oz. Long Island pre mix, .5 oz. peach schnapps, .5 oz. Blue Curaçao liqueur, 6 oz. sweet and sour mix.

• Mix and add a splash of Sprite.

• Garnish with a mint sprig.



*Compiled by Brian Ruckle*

## WHERE I DINE

**Melinda Hess**, owner of The Southside Vintage Marketplace



#### Where do you like to dine?

I love to eat ice cream at Pinocchio's. She has fabulous handmade ice cream.

#### What do you like to eat there?

I usually get The Purple Cow. It is a black raspberry with chocolate chunks in it. It is delicious.

#### What do you like about this place?

It has great aesthetics. I love the wood wall and the people there are always friendly.

*Pinocchio's Original Italian Ice Cream is located at 1011 N. State Rd. 135, Greenwood, IN 46142. The phone number is (317) 865-8844.*

## What's going on Southside?

Send your news & events to: [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com)



Find the items in the puzzle going up, down, sideways or diagonally and list them. Each letter is used no more than once.

E

L R Z

E A I S F

H N R U T L R

M A N E G P O A N

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M D U U Z A M C I N G O O

K O A Y E L Y A D M P H I

A G N L C L R S A A O R H

H A C E I O R S O N T A O

L R D D T C E O R F W W K

O Y M K Y K J G O S H E N

R E L L E K S H T A R C A

G R E E N S B U R G M

I L L I N O I S A

Y E L U A P B

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6 Famous Painters

4 Tom Cruise Movies

3 Indiana "G" Cities

5 U.S. States

2 Hoosier Journalists

1 Downtown Indy German Restaurant

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	3		8					4

ACROSS

1. Smartphone downloads

5. Dads' Club members

10. Pacific island

14. Thai money

15. Licorice flavoring

16. Ind., for Indiana

17. Arab ruler

18. Channel 13 anchor John

19. Center Grove HS track event

20. M

23. Vito Provolone's good-bye

24. B1G Conference foe for IU

25. MA

29. Suit well

34. Hoosier Park feedbag morsel

35. St. Vincent Health medicine amount

36. Feast alternative

37. "The Art of Love" poet

39. MAR

41. Rajeev Ram org.

42. Breakfast item

44. Zionsville artist Nancy

46. USSR today

47. Prepare, as tea

48. MARS

50. Anthem bean counter, briefly

52. Theatre on the Square part

53. MARSH

59. iPod variety

60. Japanese cartoon art

61. Ichiban Sushi Bar fish

64. Norway's capital

65. Walked nervously

66. Simon \_\_\_\_

67. Southside Times reporters' questions

68. Sassafras Tea Room biscuit

69. Hoosier National Forest unit

DOWN

1. Indiana's Lincoln

2. WFMS singer Tillis

3. Goliath was one

4. Engage in an annual Purdue prank

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67					68						69			

5. Time gone by

6. Add to the pot at Indiana Grand Casino

7. Fishing spot

8. "Ain't that \_\_\_\_"

9. Feudal workers

10. Colts contest

11. Yellow Cab alternative

12. Cain's brother

13. The A-Team star

21. Word with pigeon or open

22. Southport HS marching band instrument

23. Necktie

25. Dispositions

26. Comedy Central's \_\_\_\_0

27. O'Charley's kitchen meas.

28. Hotelier Helmsley

30. Indianapolis Zoo big bird

31. Katz, Sapper & Miller period

32. Eventually

33. Make frizzy at Hair Passion

36. Ran from the IMPD

38. Fizzle out

40. WIPX network affiliation

43. Pet lovers' grp.

45. Harp's cousin

48. French brandy

49. "\_\_\_\_ for the weary"

51. Airplane wing parts

53. Mascara site

54. The O in SRO

55. Whispers sweet nothings

56. Puerto \_\_\_\_

57. Sign of things to come

58. Hand over

59. This instant

62. Soap ingredient for Indiana's Amish

63. Beech Grove-to-Louisville dir.

Answers See Page 15

Puzzle time

## OBITUARIES

**Ivan Bennington**

Ivan Bennington, 87 of Indianapolis died on Dec 18, 2016. He is preceded in death by his sister, Joanna O'Rear and son, Mark Bennington. Ivan is survived by his wife, Martha Bennington; children; Tom (Rita) Gallagher, James (Linda) Derby, Sandra (Joe) Bruni, Marsha Hack, Kathleen (Bruce) Cole and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A memorial visitation was Dec 31 at Crown Hill Funeral Home, 700 W. 38th St., Indianapolis.

**Angela Childs**

Angela Childs, 44, of Indianapolis, died Dec. 30, 2016. Born June 1, 1972 in Gary, Ind., she was a 1990 graduate of Franklin Central High School and 1994 graduate of Ball State. She was Project Manager at Imaging Office Systems. Survivors include her husband, O'Brian Childs; son, Taylor Childs; parents, Larry & Karen Beard; sister, Christina Beard; mother in law, Barbara Joan Childs. Visitation is Jan. 5, 1:30-2:30 p.m. at G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at the Gardens at Olive Branch, followed by memorial service at 2:30 p.m. She will be laid to rest at The Gardens at Olive Branch Cemetery.

**Maurice Richard Cline**

Maurice Richard Cline, 78, Franklin, died on Saturday, Dec. 24, 2016. He was born on June 5, 1938 in Cloverdale, Ind. to the late Maurice and Julie Jean Cline. Richard worked at Ford Motor Company running a Lamb for 42 years. He was married to Betty Jo for 29 years. He loved being with his daughter and grandchildren usually asking for fried potatoes for dinner. He was an avid NASCAR fan always rooting for his favorite driver Jeff Gordon. Richard was a bowler in his younger days and a fan of IU, the Indianapolis Colts and Indiana Pacers. Survivors include his wife, Betty Jo Cline; daughter, Jamie Marie Hier of Franklin; brother, Donald; grandchildren, Christa Kindsvatter, Bruce and Brooke Pleak; and great-grandchild, Laila. He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Roy and Robert. Family and friends will gather Jan. 5, 4 to 6 p.m. in Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services, 1458 S. Meridian St. A family gathering will conclude with a meal at Denny's following the visitation.

**Lovenia Cooper**

Lovenia Cooper, 86, of Indianapolis, died on Dec. 23, 2016. She was born on March 5, 1930 in London, Ind. to the late Clarence and Alice Deal. She loved spending time with her family and playing bingo and bowling. Survivors include her husband Charles "Bud" Cooper; sons, Barton Montgomery and Robert Montgomery; four grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Lovenia was preceded in death by her brother John Deal. Visitation and service was Jan. 3 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral

Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Burial is at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

**Ardwood "Art" Rhea Courtney Sr.**

Ardwood "Art" Rhea Courtney Sr., 88, of Greenwood, died on Sunday, Jan. 1, 2017. He was born May 30, 1928 in Bluffton, Ind., the son of Paul and Vera "Hazel" (Rhea) Courtney. He married Mary Christina (Schienbein) Courtney on March 19, 1949, who passed Nov. 19, 2008. Art attended grade school in Petroleum, Ind. and, in 1946, graduated from Emmerich Manual Training High School, Indianapolis. He was a US Army veteran and served during World War II in Japan and the Republic of Korea. In 1990 he retired as a partner of Quality Gage Company, Inc. He was an active member of United Faith Baptist Church, Acton. He participated in senior volleyball at the Gathering Place, Greenwood. Art is survived by his son Ardwood Rhea (Marjorie) Courtney, Jr.; daughters Lisa Ann Courtney and Lori Jane Courtney; sister-in-law Dorothy Jane (Schienbein) Gates; grandchildren Brandon Rhea Courtney, DaShawn Renee Courtney, Corin Lynn (Courtney) Beikman, and Cary Courtney; seven great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and fellow members of United Faith Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Mary; his brothers Donald Beverly Courtney, Sr., and Burton Arnold Courtney, Sr.; and his brother-in-law Jean Fairley Gates. Services are Jan. 6, 11:30 a.m. at G. H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at The Gardens at Olive Branch, 1605 S. State Rd. 135 Greenwood. Art will be laid to rest next to his wife Mary in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Greenwood.

**Terri Day**

Terri Day, 58, of Terre Haute, died Dec. 23, 2016. She was born Feb. 20, 1958 in Dover, Ohio. No services are scheduled at this time. Arrangements were entrusted to Simplicity Funeral & Cremation Care.

**Skylar Lee Harrison**

Skylar Lee Harrison, 21, died Dec. 31, 2016. Skylar was born Jan. 5, 1995 in Beech Grove to Janel Harvey and Christopher Harrison. Making people laugh came easily to Sky. Skylar is survived by his daughter Stella (Leslie Wyer); mother, Janel Harvey (Tim Mayfield); father, Christopher Harrison (Nicole Rodriguez); sisters, Olivia Mayfield and Nicole Harrison; grandmother, Kathy Puntarelli; maternal grandfather, Dave Harvey; paternal grandfather, Richard Harrison; great-grandparents, Larry and Dorris Lamping, Nancy Harvey; Aunt, Mandy (Tony) Hofmann; uncles, Tony Snyder, Aaron Puntarelli and Ryan Harrison. Cousins Ty, Ella, Jake and Ryan; and many relatives. Skylar is preceded in death by his brother Michael Mayfield and grandmother Becky Carter. Visitation is Jan. 6, 4 - 8 p.m. at G. H. Herrmann Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave, Indianapolis. Funeral service is Jan. 7, 11:30 a.m.

**Annabel Jane Spangle Hartman**

Annabel Jane Spangle Hartman, 101, of Indianapolis, died Dec. 30, 2016. Annabel was

born 11/30/1915 in Milford Ill., the only child of Eldo M. and Gertrude Bingham Spangle. She wed Grover L. Hartman on Sept. 14, 1942 and enjoyed 46 years of marriage. Annabel was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Grover L. Hartman (11/13/88), and is survived by sons Lowell (Sharon Crossen); Worth (Angie); Elden (Bernetta); and Howard (Marijo); and grandchildren Joel, Galen, Julian, Jacob, Anna, and Bethany. A service of memory and celebration of Annabel's life is Jan. 28, 7 p.m. at North United Methodist Church, 3808 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis, followed by a reception. A memorial service is Jan. 19, 1:30 p.m. at Robin Run Retirement Village, 5354 W. 62nd St.

**Marilyn Ann Harvey**

Marilyn Ann Harvey, 78, of Indianapolis, died on Saturday, Dec. 24, 2016. She was born on Feb. 5, 1938 to the late Henry and Margaret (Yocum) Taylor in Indianapolis. Marilyn enjoyed her word searches, adult coloring books and the "American Pickers" on the Hallmark Channel. She loved Elvis Presley and enjoyed traveling to Graceland with her children in 2004. Survivors include her children, Walter D. Harvey (Tammie J.), Mary A. Lane (Byron A.) and Margaret Ann Harvey-Short; sisters, Janis I. Cupp and Christina Dunbar; brothers, Patrick Taylor and Phillip Taylor; and seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Carol Gene Harvey; and three brothers, two sisters and one great-grandchild. Celebration of life was Dec. 30 in Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services. Burial is at Washington Park East Cemetery.

**Alan Dale Heshelman**

Alan Dale Heshelman, 74, of Indianapolis, died on Friday, Dec. 23, 2016. He was born on July 26th, 1942 in Morgan County, Ind. to the late Dale and Leona Heshelman. He was proud to serve in the U.S. Navy and later worked at Chrysler Corp until his retirement. He enjoyed art, creating music and studying numerology. He is survived by his three children, Alanna Ampil (Francis), Jennifer McCaslin (Timothy), and Maston Willis; sister, Anita Williams (James); brother, Leslie Ryan; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and extended family and close friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Maureen Blunk. No services will be observed at this time. Arrangements and care were provided by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.

**John P. Hopkins**

John P. Hopkins, 79, of Greenwood, died Dec. 30, 2016. He was born Feb. 1, 1937 in Connersville, Ind. to the late Allen Ward and Esther Mae Hopkins. He retired as Senior Printed Circuit Board Designer from Delphi Corporation after 38 years of service. John was a coin collector; enjoyed photography and crafting both doll houses and Habitat for Humanity model houses. Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Joyce E Hopkins; children, Mark A. (Lisa) Hopkins (Lafayette) and Diana (Randy) Barnard; two

grandsons, Drew and Ben Barnard. He was preceded in death by parents Allen and Esther Hopkins, siblings, Nancy Antrim, David A Hopkins and Alice Rhoten, daughter, Debra Ann Hopkins. Visitation is Jan. 5, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. at G. H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at The Gardens at Olive Branch, 1605 S. State Rd. 135 followed by the funeral at 11:30 a.m. Burial is at Dale Cemetery in Connersville.

**Donald Clyde Kerns**

Donald Clyde Kerns, 71, of Indianapolis, died on Dec. 29, 2016. He was born Feb. 20, 1945 in Greencastle, Ind. to the late Donald G. Kerns and Virginia Kerns. Donald was a veteran in the United States Army and a member of the American Legion Post 64. He enjoyed having a couple of beers and riding his motorcycle and participated in the Mars Hill Charity Riders Club. Survivors include, son Andy Kerns; daughter in-law Taniel Harper Kerns; grandbabies, Ayden, Addilyn, and Allen Kerns; sibling Lynn Davis. Celebration of Life was Jan. 4 at G. H. Herrmann South East Street Funeral Home, 1505 S. East St. Indianapolis.

**Maryellen McKinney**

Maryellen McKinney, 78, of Indianapolis, died on Dec. 30, 2016. She was born Oct. 21, 1938 in Indianapolis, to Martin and Nobie Luckett. She loved to dance and spend time with friends and family. Survivors include her daughter, Vickie McKinney (Brian Nickell); canine companion, Dusty Lee and daughter, Christie Haynes. Visitation is Jan. 5, 4 - 8 p.m. at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Funeral service is Jan. 6, 1 p.m. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery.

**Reta Joyce Miller**

Reta Joyce Miller, 86, of Indianapolis, died on Monday, Dec. 26, 2016. She was born on Nov. 3, 1930 to the late Donald Terry and True (Cassidy) Cain in Beech Grove. Reta grew up attending Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Prior to retirement she worked for Western Electric. Survivors include her children, Teri Miller, Mike Miller, Dawn Oakley and Steve Miller; and grandchildren, Joseph Miller, Jillian Miller and Carley Miller. She was preceded in death by her parents; son, Scott Miller; and grandson, Justin Martin. In keeping with her wishes, no services will be held. Arrangements are by Lauck & Veldhof Funeral & Cremation Services.

**Helene Victorine Orr**

Helene Victorine Orr, age 91, of Greenwood, died on Saturday, Dec. 31, 2016. Helene was born on Oct. 3, 1925 in Bruxelles, Belgium to Georges Victor Pinchart and Julia Desmedt Pinchart. She graduated from The University of Liege in Belgium. In 1945, she married the love of her life, Ralph Edward Orr, in France. During the height of World War II, the home she lived in was destroyed. They moved to The United States where she later became a naturalized citizen in 1954. Helene worked as a model for Gimbles of New York in Vincennes a brief time before becoming a teacher at Illinois City schools. When she moved to Indianapolis, she taught at The International School in downtown Indianapolis and worked as a private French tutor to business professionals at Eli Lilly and Riley hospital. Survivors



include her daughter, Janine Helene Orr. She was preceded in death by her husband Ralph, her parents and her brother. A funeral service was Jan. 4 at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Service and Crematory, 481 W. Main St., Greenwood. Entombment is at West Ridge Park Cemetery in Indianapolis.

### Robert "Pete" Lee Lewis

Robert "Pete" Lee Lewis, 92, of Greenwood, died on Dec. 24, 2016. He was born on Aug. 6, 1924, in Bloomfield, Ind. to the late, Norval "Vernon" and Georgia (Vest) Lewis. Robert was a computer programmer for 20 years at Hi-Grade and previously at Wishard Hospital for 15 years. Robert enjoyed playing golf, with his scores down in the 60's. He loved spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, he loved to go fishing and hunting. Robert honorably served his country in the Navy. Robert is survived by his wife, Hazel F. (Cooksey) Lewis; daughter, Cheryl Diana (Jack) Boas; two grandchildren, Julie (Scott) Brenton and Ryan Borns; four great-grandchildren, Grace, Reid, Ella Brenton, and Grayson Borns. He was preceded in death by his parents and his two brothers, Maynard and Jimmy Lewis. Funeral services were Dec. 29 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. He will be laid to rest at Washington Park East Cemetery.

### Linda Mae (Hullinger) Rayburn

Linda Mae (Hullinger) Rayburn, 74, died on Dec. 18, 2016. She was born in Toledo, Ohio to the late Paul and Anita Hullinger. She is survived by her husband, Charles "Chuck" Rayburn; children, Michael Grimes and Tammy (Jeffrey) Myers Sellers; grandchildren, Angel, Stacy, Tracy, Amanda, Dakota, and Caitlyn; great grandchildren, Jonathon, Shawn, Lillian, Ethan, Haylee, Jayce, Stefan, Kyler, and Kent Gabriel; siblings, Paul (Darla) Hullinger, Frank (Lori) Hullinger, Bob Hullinger, and Jim Hullinger. Arrangements were entrusted to Simplicity Funeral & Cremation Care.

### Joseph L. Robinson

Joseph L. Robinson, 87, died Dec. 21, 2016. He was the son of Ivan J. Robison and Nina Banta Robison. He was born on Nov. 26, 1929. Joe was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Doris "Dee" Stoughton. He is survived by his sister, Miriam Fae Lusk; a brother Austin H. Robison; several nieces and nephews. Joe attended grade school at Clark Township in Johnson County and graduated from Boggs town High School. During high school he served as student manager of the basketball team. He proudly served in the Army during the Korean War and was stationed at Fort Carson, Colo. He worked several jobs as a truck deliveryman then retired from the Indiana State Highway Department after 25 years. Joe attended Bengal Christian Church for many years and received a certificate for serving as an Elder. He was also an avid race car fan. He loved going to qualifications and races at the Indy 500 and also watching NASCAR races. Joe lived at the Veterans Home from 2000-2016. Visitation was Jan. 4 at Wilson St. Pierre Funeral Service & Cremation - Greenwood Chapel 481

W. Main St., with graveside services following at Greenwood Cemetery.

### Lawrence R. Sexson

Lawrence R. Sexson, 68, of Indianapolis, died on Dec. 24, 2016. Born on Nov. 7, 1948 in Indianapolis to the late Robert and Betty Sexson. He served in the United States Army as part of the Military Police in Germany and served as a Correctional Officer with Marion County for 20 years. Larry was awarded the Deputy of the Month in August of 1984. Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Eileen Sexson; children, Sarah Nicole "Nikki" Magee, Brianna Eileen Sexson and Lawrence Tyler Sexson; grandchildren, Torin Anthony Magee, Todd Alexander Magee, Lillian Paige White and Alexander Lowell Cox; siblings, Mary Ellen Sexson and Edward Joseph Sexson; niece and nephews, David, Doug and Brian Ledgerwood, Joshua and Nicholas Ragsdale, David West and Kaitlyn Allison. Visitation was Dec. 29 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Funeral service was Dec. 30. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery.

### Robert R "Smitty" Smith

Robert R "Smitty" Smith, 87, of Indianapolis, died on Dec. 30, 2016. He was born on May 15, 1929 in Indianapolis to the late Virgil and Pauline Smith. He was a member of the American Legion Post #252. He loved to write his own music and poetry, sing in the church choir and was a volunteer for "Collaborating with Kids" for a short time. Survivors include his wife of 66 years, Lavone "Bonnie" Smith; daughter Denise Smith. Smitty is preceded in death by his 10 brothers and sisters. Visitation was Jan. 3 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Funeral service was Jan. 4 at St. John's United Church of Christ. Burial is at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

### Carl Robert "Bob" Spoon

Carl Robert "Bob" Spoon, 87, of Greenwood, died on Dec. 16, 2016. He was born on Dec. 11, 1929 in Indianapolis to the late Charles Edwin and Lillian Dale Francis Spoon. Bob was married to the late Vera L. Walk Spoon on Sept. 10, 1960 in Morgantown. He was employed as an industrial photographer for 42 years at Detroit Diesel Allison Division of General Motors, retiring in 1990. Bob was a member of Mt. Pleasant Christian Church, a former member of Southport Baptist Church and Southport Masonic Lodge 270 F&AM. Bob is survived by his daughters Tammy (Richard) Johnson and Beth Ann (Sam) Payne; sister Mary Alice Beaumont; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. He is preceded in passing by his wife, parents, and a brother William A. Spoon. A celebration of life service is Jan. 7, 11 a.m. at Mt. Pleasant Christian Church, 381 N. Bluff Rd., Greenwood. Visitation is 10 a.m. until the service in the chapel. Singleton Community Mortuary and Memorial Center is handling the arrangements.

### Jerry Wayne Stafford

Jerry Wayne Stafford died on Dec. 24, 2016. Jerry was born Jan. 2, 1948. Arrangements are under the direction of Little & Sons Funeral Home, Beech Grove.

## Chef Wendell's 2017 Resolves

### NUTRITION

By Wendell Fowler

"Meh, I'll wait till I get sick... then I'll eat healthy." Years of public speaking and observation taught me that it is human nature to wait until one acquires disease before acting on it: like me facing death from terminal heart disease. It took sniffing the Grim Reaper's decomposing breath to crack open my mind and love myself enough to end the suffering.

Food is more than what is on your plate. It's the whole universe in produce, grain, seed, fish or fowl. The same universe that supports your existence provides shelter from the storm, keeps you holistically healthy, connected to your Universe within and the One Divine Mind; the creator of all that is. *"Neither shall they say, Lo here! Or, lo there! For, behold, the kingdom of God is within in you."* King James.

Ascending to a higher level of consciousness while consuming dead, barcoded junk food is a fairy tale. You're a satellite dish to the divine that needs correct tools and maintenance. Is your Wi-Fi corrupted? Are you disconnected from source?

- Eat closer to God's earth, not a soulless factory: Foods from nature contain more original life force and have a greater store of energy and nutrients.
- Support farmers markets. Savor the crunch and flavors of juicy ripe produce.
- Place food in context with disease and unfulfilled dreams.
- Begin perceiving your food as vitamins necessary to complete your life mission.

### Ruth V. "Cricket" Thacker

Ruth V. "Cricket" Thacker, 83, of Indianapolis, died Dec. 23, 2016. She was born Dec. 27, 1932 in Pontiac, Mich. to the late Richard and Agnes Beatty. She is survived by her son and his wife, Thomas Richard and Sheila Thacker; seven grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; four step-great-grandchildren; brothers, Jesse Abuldo and Guy Case; and sister, Delores Lambert. Cricket was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Thacker; and her son and his wife, Terry Lynn and Laura Thacker. She was the owner of Ruth's Beauty Shop for 20 years retiring in 1997. She was a member of Bethany Christian Church. Funeral service was Dec. 30 at Simplicity Funeral & Cremation Care, 7520 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Cricket will be laid to rest in New Crown Cemetery.

### Agatha Wiemer

Agatha Wiemer, 96, died on Dec. 12, 2016. She was born on Sept. 18, 1920. She grew up in the southwest corner of Germany, on the border. Here she grew up with eight other brothers and sisters. When the Hitler invaded Poland in 1939, she and her family were displaced. She was 19

- Back off soda that typically has between 30 to 40 grams of sugar and almost no nutritional value. The "American Journal of Public Health" notes there's a significant positive correlation between soft drink consumption and type-2 diabetes. Sugar and high fructose corn syrup devastate health.
- Back off deli meat, sausage and bacon. Harvard School of Public Health researchers found these increased risk of heart disease by a whopping 42 percent and type-2 diabetes by 19 percent. Processed meats are high in sodium - a single slice of bologna can contain from 310 to 480 milligrams.
- Take "food-based" multi-vitamins, sublingual B-12, Omega-3 EFAs, and D-3.
- Consume fermented foods or probiotics. Try a bottle of kombucha.
- Increase fiber from ground flax and chia, not a silly pharma pill.
- Get at least seven hours sleep.
- Exercise daily even if it's walking the dog.
- Carve out at least 15 minutes a day to sit in mute silence.
- Ask your guardian angels for help.
- Bless the food... offer thanks to God.

When you love yourself enough to end the suffering, it will make becoming the best version of yourself easier, plus your light will shine brighter.



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and was instructed to work in a hotel where she served soldiers as a maid and kitchen worker. She came to the US in 1951. She worked at St. Francis hospital where she served for nearly 50 years as a cafeteria worker before working her way up to the business office. While working in the business office, she met Charlie Wiemer. She and Charlie became friends and then began dating. They married in the late 1960's. Charlie was diagnosed with terminal brain cancer in 1973. Agatha continued working for St. Francis until mandatory retirement in 1985. She volunteered at the hospital until sometime in the early 2000's. She was involved with the 5th Wheelers for 20 years. Agatha moved into St. Paul's Hermitage and then the Altenheim Community. In 2008, she moved into Caruth Haven Court in Dallas Texas. She is survived by her nephew Thomas Leiser; neices Mary Ober and Brigit; nephew Manfred Leiser; great-nieces in Georgia and Alabama and many relatives in Germany and France. Mass is Jan. 5, 10 a.m. at Holy Name Catholic Church, followed by burial at Calvary Cemetery.

Obituaries are printed free of charge. Funeral directors are encouraged to send obituaries and photos to [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com). Information received by noon Tuesday will be published Thursday, space permitting.

## ✦ ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**Faith Assembly of God** • 186 Royal Rd., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 784-8566 | Pastor: Lawrence Cook | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wednesday: 7 p.m.

## ✦ BAPTIST

**Crossroads Baptist Church** • 1120 S Arlington Ave., Indpls, 46203 | Ph: (317) 357-2971 | Pr. Guy Solarek | Sunday: 10 a.m., 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wednesday: 7 p.m. | [cbcindy.com](http://cbcindy.com)

**Faith Baptist Church** • 1640 Fry Rd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 859-7964 | Pr. Steve Maxie | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. | Wednesday: 7 p.m. | KJV

**First Baptist Church of BG** • 5521 Churchman Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 784-1478 | [office@fbcbeechgrove.com](mailto:office@fbcbeechgrove.com) | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:50 a.m. | Wednesday: 7-8 p.m. | Childcare & programs, all ages, all services. Join Us! | [fbcbeechgrove.com](http://fbcbeechgrove.com).

**Historic Grace Baptist Church "Since 1927"** • 1907 E. Woodlawn Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 638-3143 or 536-8655 | Pr. Rick J. Stone | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

**Lighthouse Baptist Church** • 6950 E. Raymond St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 359-4275 | Pr. Dan Tidd | Sunday: 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wednesday: 7 p.m. | Thursdays Youth Meeting: 6:30 p.m. | Ladies' & Men's meetings (call for times) | "Independent Baptist Church"

## ✦ CATHOLIC

**Good Shepherd Catholic Church** • 2905 S. Carson Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 783-3158 | Rev. Todd Riebe, Administrator | Rev. John Beitans, Sacramental Minister | Saturday Mass: 4:30 p.m. | Sunday Mass: 10 a.m. | Completely Handicapped Accessible | All Welcome!

**Holy Name of Jesus** • 89 N. 17th Ave., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 784-5454 | Rev. Robert Robeson | Worship Times & Anticipation Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.; Saturday Mass: 5 p.m.

**Saints Francis & Clare Catholic Church** • 5901 Olive Branch Rd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 859-4673 | Fr. Steve Giannini | Asst. Pastor Fr. James Brockmeier | Saturday Anticipation Mass: 5:30 p.m. | Sunday: 7, 8:45 & 11:30 a.m.

**St. Jude** • 5353 McFarland Rd., Indpls, | Ph: (317) 786-4371 | Fr. Stephen Banet | Sunday: 7, 8:30, 10:30 & Noon | Saturday Anticipation Mass: 5 p.m.

**St. Mark Catholic Church** • 535 East Edgewood Ave., Indpls, | Ph: (317) 787-8246 | Fr. Todd Riebe | Deacon Tom Horn | Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, 11:45 a.m. | Saturday Anticipation Mass: 5:30 p.m.

## ✦ CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**Greenwood Christian Church** • 2045 Averitt Rd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-9336 | Pr. Matt Giebler | Saturday: 6 p.m. | Sunday: 9:30 & 11 a.m. | Sunday School: 8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.

**Mount Pleasant Christian Church** • 381 N. Bluff Rd., Greenwood | Senior Pr. Chris Philbeck | [mpcc.info](http://mpcc.info) | Saturday: 6 p.m. (ASL Available) | Sunday: 9 & 10:45 a.m. | Video Venue at Student Ministries: 10:45 a.m.

**Southport Heights Christian Church** • 7154 S. McFarland Rd., Indpls | Pr. Steve Ferguson | Sunday: 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. | Deaf Ministry: James Wines (317) 493-0414 VP or [jewshdccc@yahoo.com](mailto:jewshdccc@yahoo.com)

## ✦ CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

**Sixth Church of Christ, Scientist** • 7625 McFarland Rd. | Ph: (317) 888-3204 | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Sunday School: 10 a.m. | Wednesday: 4 p.m. | Reading Room Hours Tues: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & Wednesday: 2:30-3:30 p.m.

## ✦ CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

**Christ Cumberland Presbyterian Church** • 6140 South Meridian St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 787-9585 | Pr. Elmer Price | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | "Come Grow With Us!"

## ✦ DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

**First Christian Church of Beech Grove** • 75 N. 10th Ave., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 786-8522 | Pr. Paul Hartig | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday Christian Education: 9:30 a.m.

## ✦ EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**St. Thomas Episcopal Church** • 600 Paul Hand Blvd. (South of Whiteland), Franklin | Ph: (317) 535-8985 | Rev. Whitney Rice | Sunday: 10:15 a.m. | Adult Forum Sunday School (During Worship): 11 a.m. | [stthomasfranklin.org](http://stthomasfranklin.org)

**St. Timothy's Episcopal Church** • 2601 E. Thompson Rd., Indpls | Ph: (317) 784-6925 | Rector: Rev. Rebecca Nickel | Sunday: 9 a.m. | Godly Play: 9 a.m. (Sept - May) | Food Pantry: 3rd Tues each month | [sttimothy.indyidio.org](http://sttimothy.indyidio.org)

## ✦ EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF AMERICA

**Bethany Evangelical Lutheran Church** • 4702 S. East St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 786-7854 | Worship Sunday: 9:30 a.m. "We Welcome You"

## ✦ INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**Bethany Christian Church** • 4727 S. Sherman Dr., Indpls | Ph: (317) 787-5103 | Min. Jim Clark | Sunday: 10:15 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:15 a.m. | Bible Study Mon.: 6:30 p.m. and Weds. 7 p.m.

## ✦ INDEPENDENT NON DENOMINATIONAL

**Community Church at Murphy's Landing** • 7401 South Harding St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 807-0222 | Pr. Paul Erny | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 11 a.m. | [yourccml.org](http://yourccml.org)

## ✦ LUTHERAN

**Emmaus Lutheran Church & School** • 1224 Laurel St., Indpls (Inside historic Fountain Square) | Ph: (317) 632-1486 | Pr. Raymond Smith | Worship: Sunday at 10 a.m. | [emmausfountainsquare](http://emmausfountainsquare)

**St. Mark's Free Lutheran Church** • 1301 East Prospect St., Indpls (Inside the historic Fountain Square Community) | Pr. Terry Englert | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Adult & Children's Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Come join us for a traditional style worship experience followed by a time of food and fellowship!

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church** • 3932 MiCasa Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 787-4464 | Worship: Sunday, 9:30 a.m. & Thur, 7 p.m. | Sunday School after Worship | [stpaulsindy.com](http://stpaulsindy.com) | [StPaulsIndy](http://StPaulsIndy)

## ✦ NAZARENE

**Cross-Way Community Church of the Nazarene** • 1248 Buffalo St., Beech Grove | Pr. Mark Ramsey | Sunday: 11 a.m. | [CrosswayCCN](http://CrosswayCCN)

## ✦ NON-DENOMINATIONAL

**Church of Acts** • 3740 S. Dearborn, Indpls | Ph: (317) 783-ACTS (2287) | Pr. Bill Jenkins | Sunday: 10 a.m. | Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m. | Celebrate Recovery: Thursdays, 7 p.m. | [churchofacts.org](http://churchofacts.org)

**Community Church of Greenwood** • 1477 West Main St., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 888-6024 | Sunday: 9 & 11 a.m. | Real Church. Real People. | [ccgonline.org](http://ccgonline.org)

## ✦ PRESBYTERIAN

## Greenwood Presbyterian Church •

102 West Main St., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-1259 | Pr. Cheryl Montgomery | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Free Community Meal — 3rd Monday: 6:30-8 p.m.

## ✦ SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Southside Seventh-Day Adventist** • 4801 Shelbyville Rd., Indpls | Ph: (317) 786-7002 | Pr. Brian Yensho | Services Saturday: 11 a.m. | Sabbath School: 9:30 a.m. | [southsideadventist.org](http://southsideadventist.org) | Health Ministries, CHIP+ : [chiphealth.com](http://chiphealth.com)

## ✦ SOUTHERN BAPTIST

**Calvary Baptist Church** • 200 Sunset Blvd., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-5743 | Ernest E. James, D. Min. | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | Something for All Ages

**Southwood Baptist Church** • 501 S. 4th Ave., Beech Grove | Ph: (317) 786-2719 | Pstr: Dr. Patrick Wood | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. | Sunday & Weds. Eve Worship: 6:30 p.m.

## ✦ UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Faith United Church of Christ** • No matter where you are on life's journey, you are welcome in our community. | 4040 E Thompson Rd. | Ph: (317) 784-4856 | Pr. Scott Simmons | Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. | Sermon's online at [myfaithucc.org](http://myfaithucc.org)

**St. John's United Church of Christ** • 7031 S. East St., Indpls (U.S. 31, Southport Rd.) | Ph: (317) 881-2353 | Rev. Ross Tyler | Sunday Contemporary Worship: 9 a.m. & Traditional Worship: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

**Zion United Church of Christ** • 8916 E. Troy Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 862-4136 | Pr. Sarah Frische-Mouri Hannigan | Sunday: 8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30-10:15 a.m. | [zionuccindy.net](http://zionuccindy.net)

## ✦ UNITED METHODIST

**Center United Methodist Church** • 5445 Bluff Road, Indpls | Ph: (317) 784-1101 or email: [info@center-umc.org](mailto:info@center-umc.org) | Sunday Traditional Worship: 9 a.m. & Contemporary Worship: 11:15 a.m.

**Edgewood United Methodist** • 1820 East Epler Ave. | Ph: (317) 784-6086 | Pr. Jim Allen | We are on Facebook | Thursdays, 3 p.m. Bible Study | Sunday: 9 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:15 a.m. | [edgewoodumc.com](http://edgewoodumc.com) | "The Church for The Next 100 Years"

**Greenwood United Methodist** • 525 N. Madison Ave., Greenwood | Ph: (317) 881-1653 | Rev. In Suk Peebles | Sunday: 10:15 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m.

**Rosedale Hills United Methodist** • 4450 South Keystone Ave., Indpls | Ph: (317) 786-6474 or email: [officerhumc@att.net](mailto:officerhumc@att.net) | Rev. Doug Wallace | Sunday: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:45 a.m. | [rosedalehillsumc.org](http://rosedalehillsumc.org)

## ✦ UNITY

**Unity of Indianapolis Church of the Daily Word** • 907 N. Delaware St., Indpls | Ph: (317) 635-4066 | Rev. Bob Uhlar, Senior Minister & Rev. Carla Golden, Director Lay Ministries | Celebration: 10 a.m. | [unityofindy.com](http://unityofindy.com)

## ✦ WESLEYAN

**Southview Wesleyan Church** • 4700 Shelbyville Rd., Indpls | Ph: (317) 783-0404 | Pr. Rick Matthews | Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

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## Weekly Devotion



*1 Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such an high priest, who is set on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens; 2 A minister of the sanctuary, and of the true tabernacle, which the Lord pitched, and not man. Hebrews 8:1-2*

The church and the reformation are key elements in the plan of salvation that

God put into place once man had needed redemption. Christ said that the reason He had come to us was "to seek and to save that which was lost," the "that" here being the kingdom of God.

In verse two we have Christ as a Minister of the sanctuary, the true tabernacle, which the LORD pitched, and not man. Meditate for a while on those words. They are rich with meaning for us. In the first verse, Christ is our High Priest Who is "set" on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty

in the heavens. God is the Majesty in the heavens. Christ is "set" by Him to be at His right hand. The right hand of God is His power and His authority. So Christ is God in power and authority. He is our High Priest.

Now, every High Priest must have a sanctuary and a tabernacle in which to do his ministry. The church is the sanctuary and the tabernacle of our Lord. Though He has a right to rule the whole earth as king, only in the church does He do it as High Priest.

My High Priest is now and forever, Jesus Christ. There will never be another to which I will bow my knees and honor in that position. None should put any man or woman in that place in their lives because none other has ever died to set us free from sin and death.

God bless and go and have a great day.

Paul A. Kirby is the pastor at the Church of God at 3939 S. Emerson Ave.



Public/Legal

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Notice is hereby given to Kathlynn Marie Phillips that Ponderosa MHC will dispose of the following mobile home at public auction: 1982 Schooner mobile home VIN #187469 for amount owed to community. The home is located at 3517 Saddle Ridge St., Indianapolis, IN. 46222 in Ponderosa MHC. You do not have permission to keep the Mobile home at the above address. Attempts to serve you notice by certified mail have failed. The auction will take place at Ponderosa MHC located at 3559 Cossell Road Indianapolis, IN 46222 on Saturday January 14, 2017 at 9:00am to 9:15am. Ponderosa MHC reserves the right to bid and purchase the home at auction.

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