



OUR CONDOLENCES...



at the passing of Roy Money on Monday afternoon (Loretta Money's husband) in Dyersburg, Tennessee. He was buried in Alabama on Thursday.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY



Satisfied
BY JEFF MANION

Series continues on
March 17 @ 7 PM



THE AMAZING ADVENTURE.
a children's musical
A Journey Through God's Love at Easter
A **SPECTACULAR EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 12 / 10 AM**



MARCH 22

will be Carol Souvigny's last day at JCC as she is moving to Arizona. Be with us as we cover her with blessing!

SAVE THE DATE



Memorial Service for *Bonnie Taylor*
SATURDAY, MAY 16 @ JCC

CONNECTION CARD

in order to "MEASURE" our church in five key areas. There will be a summary report each week in the bulletin that identifies those five key metrics.

Each week everyone will be asked to fill out a Connection Card

Please turn in your card each week. Members, leaders and guests will be asked to turn these in.



UNLIKELY Heroes

- Mar 01 » Gideon: A Life of Significance
- Mar 08 » Guest Speaker: Arvo Palm-Leis
- Mar 15 » Abigail: The Peacemaker
- Mar 22 » Esther: For Such a Time As This
- Mar 29 » Jehoshaphat: Winning the Battles of Life

PRAYER REQUESTS

► SALVATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brian H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Karen W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Rick L. | <input type="checkbox"/> Kirk Aricioglu |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benjamin G. | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheyenne W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Mike F. | <input type="checkbox"/> Dave S. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ryan K. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tyler M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tom M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Bato R. |

► HEALTH ISSUES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Suzie S. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Craig B. » Leukemia | <input type="checkbox"/> Linda » Diabetes Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kenny D. » Nuerological | <input type="checkbox"/> Michael C. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Ken R. » Hip Fracture |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shirley K. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Bethany » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Carol S. » Grief |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sam H. » Cardiac Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Art B. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Shirley P. » Neuropathy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ruth H. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Don H. » Health Issues | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phyllis L. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Rafael » Cancer | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jean G. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy P. » Anxiety | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michael D. » MS | <input type="checkbox"/> Marvin L. » Health Issues | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Keith M. » Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Noe F. » Health Issues | |

► URGENT REQUEST

- Baxter L. Sr » Hospice Care Billy H. » Sobriety

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“When people are mean to you, you don’t have to let that same spirit pass through you.” —Charlotte Gambill

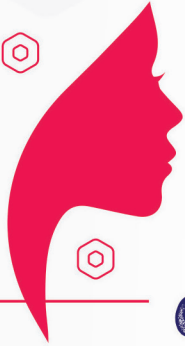
METRICS THAT MATTER (03/08/20)

ATTENDANCE ► 33 GIVING ► \$1,260 GUESTS ► 0
 VOLUNTEERS ► 21 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0

Abigail:

PROFILE

1 SAMUEL 25



- A woman who treated people with respect, even in bad circumstances.
- A wife whose clear thinking and quick actions saved many lives.
- A woman who earned a good reputation as a peacemaker.

Sheep-Shearing Time

A certain man in Maon, who had property there at Carmel, was very wealthy. He had a thousand goats and three thousand sheep, which he was shearing in Carmel. His name was Nabal and his wife's name was Abigail. She was an intelligent and beautiful woman, but her husband was surly and mean in his dealings—he was a Calebite. **1 Sam. 25:2-3**

David's Request

So he sent ten young men and said to them, "Go up to Nabal at Carmel and greet him in my name. Say to him: 'Long life to you! Good health to you and your household! And good health to all that is yours. . . Therefore be favorable toward my men, since we come at a festive time. Please give your servants and your son David whatever you can find for them.'" **1 Samuel 25:5-6;8b**

Nabal's Response

Nabal answered David's servants, "Who is this David? Who is this son of Jesse? Many servants are breaking away from their masters these days. Why should I take my bread and water, and the meat I have slaughtered for my shearers, and give it to men coming from who knows where?" **1 Samuel 25:10-11**

David Prepares to Retaliate

David's men turned around and went back. When they arrived, they reported every word. David said to his men, "Each of you strap on your sword!" So they did, and David strapped his on as well. About four hundred men went up with David, while two hundred stayed with the supplies. **1 Samuel 25:12-13**

Abigail is Informed

One of the servants told Abigail, Nabal's wife, "David sent messengers from the wilderness to give our master his greetings, but he hurled insults at them. Now think it over and see what you can do, because disaster is hanging over our master and his whole household. He is such a wicked man that no one can talk to him." **1 Samuel 25:14, 17**

Abigail Intercedes

- She gathered 200 loaves of bread; two wineskins full of wine; five sheep that had been slaughtered; a bushel of roasted grain, 200 fig cakes.
- She packed them on donkeys to meet David.
- When she met David, she bowed down before him.
- She accepted the blame in the matter.
- She begged David not to avenge himself.
- She encouraged David not to blemish his record.
- She prophesied that David would have a lasting dynasty.

David said to Abigail, "Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, who has sent you today to meet me. May you be blessed for your good judgment and for keeping me from bloodshed this day and from avenging myself with my own hands." **1 Samuel 25:32-33**

BE EMPOWERED

Women's Self-Defense Class

(there is no charge for this class)

In this **3-hour class** you will:

- Learn personal awareness.
- Learn physical tactics to protect yourself.
- Recognize and deal with personal threats.
- Develop self-confidence.

WHEN: Saturday, April 11, 2020 | 1:00 - 4:00 PM

WHERE: SBG Mixed Martial Arts | 891 S. Route 59
Bartlett, Illinois.

TAUGHT BY: Paul Sharp | A leading martial
arts Instructor.



MARCH^{FOR} JESUS

MAY 30, 2020

Basic Information

WEBSITE – www.elginmarchforjesus.com

FACEBOOK – Elgin Area March for Jesus

JCC COORDINATOR – Deborah Perez

JCC ASST. COORDINATOR – Phylis Huerta

PRODUCT PERSON – Emma Grebenick

Important Dates:

Choir Rehearsal – March 19 @ 6:30 PM | South Elgin

Volunteers – Meeting TBD in March

Choreography – Meeting TBD

We will offer MFJ product soon—