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Have you complimented him on a job well done (for the glory of God)? If not, be reminded that he won't be able to read his tombstone – Tell him now, and encourage him to greater service and faith. We are so quick, sometimes, to tell brethren how much they have disappointed us, or how wrong they have been – or what they have failed to do. Let's be even quicker to see the good they do – and the strength they show us (in the Lord). It's not empty "flattery" – it's (instead) a vitamin we need to "dispense" regularly to others, just like a doctor gives medicines to the sick. It will make us (all) better. Hebrews 3:13 says, "But exhort one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin." Also, Hebrews 10:24-25 reminds us, "And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching." *Gene Samford*

## What Do We Owe Each Other? Les Kovar

We should love one another, Romans 13:8 says, "Owe no man anything, but to love one another: for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law." We should be, "Kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honor giving preference to one another." (Romans 12:10).

We should bear one another burdens, Galatians 6:2, "Bear one another's burden and so fulfill the law of Christ". How do we do this? Knowing our brethren, listening to them, praying for them, giving them scriptures, calling them, visiting, and encouraging. Do we take on their responsibilities? No, because each must bear his own load, verse 5. 1st Corinthians 12:25, "There should be no schism in the body: but that the members should have the same care for one another." Doing the same for all takes care of partiality.

We need to comfort and edify one another, 2nd Corinthians 1:3-4, "Blessed be The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, The Father of mercies and God of all comfort; who comforts us in all our affliction so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction." 1st Thessalonians 4:18& 5:11 tells us to use the word of God for comfort and edification.

We must encourage one another, Hebrews 10:25, The writer says "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another as you see the day approaching." We will get out of a service what we put into a worship service.

We are to be hospitable 1st Peter 4:9, "Use hospitality one to another without grudging. If you're going to complain about it, why do it. "Giving to the necessity of saints, given to hospitality," Romans 12:13. Let's open our heart to others.

We're to be good stewards, 1st Peter 4:10, "As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same to one another as good stewards to the manifold grace of God." God's blessings are to be used for others and not kept to ourselves. Of course we must pay our bills each month so we won't be a burden, but we must think of others also.

We are to admonish one another, Romans 15:14, "And I myself am persuaded to you, my brethren that ye are also full of goodness, filled with all knowledge, also able to admonish one another." We can't be afraid to warn someone when there is sin. It's not easy, but it must be done.

We must confess our sins and pray for one another, James 5:16, "Confess your faults to one another and pray for one another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availed much". Do we pray for a brother when he confesses and repents, or do we run to tell someone else? Let us do God's will.

These are only a few of the responsibilities that we as Christians have concerning our brothers and sisters. All of us must strive each day to do what we can to help and encourage each other so that we will stay on the straight and narrow path. GOD EXPECTS NO LESS



**Bonnie May** had successful kidney transplant 1/13 at UAB and continues to recover. Please keep she and Ben in your prayers.

**Carla Williamson**, Cameron's wife and daughter-in-law of Doug & Marsha Williamson, is finally scheduled for her kidney transplant on Feb. 22, 2013. Her mother, Charlotte Robertson, is the donor. Please remember them in your daily prayers as well as the surgeons who will be involved in this serious procedure. In all things, GOD's will be done!.

**Jim Keith...** Recovering from surgery.

**Joyce Johnston ...**Battling continued health problems.

### Leading in Worship

#### Sunday Morning Worship

Coordinators: Bill Knighten / Bud Porter  
Ushers: Mike Howard / Jerry Hensley  
Announcements: Neal Smith  
Scripture: Mike Stapleton  
Lead Singing: Craig Sims  
1st Prayer: Gary McDaniel  
Preaching: Marshall McDaniel  
Closing Prayer: John Williamson  
Sound System: Chris Lloyd

LORD'S Supper Preside Sam Smith

Bread Cup

Stephen Guy Richard Howe  
Jess Hart Alan White  
Aaron Smelser Roger Cobia

#### Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements: Neal Smith  
Scripture: Curt Williamson  
Lead Singing: John Burch  
1st Prayer: James Powell  
Preaching: Marshall McDaniel  
Lord's Supper: Jim Keith  
Closing Prayer: John Williamson  
Sound System: Paul Puckett

#### LORD'S Supper Preparation

02/03 Nancy Cobia 02/10 Katherine Trefethen

#### Wednesday Bible Study

Ushers: Todd Thayer / Daniel Jones  
Announcements: Neal Smith  
Lead Singing: Chris Lloyd  
1st Prayer: Aaron Smelser  
Invitation: Eric Bradford  
Closing Prayer: Charles Painter  
Sound System: Mike Howard

#### Count Contribution

Jerry Hensley Ragan Ingram  
Doug Williamson

### To our visitors:

- The people who assemble at Perry Hill Road are simply a group of Christians who belong to Christ and are devoted to serving God.
- Our aim is to glorify God by following the Bible, His inspired word, which is our only guide in worship and service.
- Our commitment is to preach Christ, who is man's only hope for eternal life, and live in such a way so that others may see Christ in us.
- We encourage an open study and discussion of the Scriptures in all our Bible classes and extend to all a sincere welcome.
- Personal studies are available upon request.

#### Schedule of Services

##### Sunday

Bible Classes 9 AM  
Worship 10 AM  
Evening 5 PM

##### Wednesday

Bible Classes 7 PM

#### Attendance

Sunday AM 126  
Sunday Class 88  
Sunday PM 92  
Wednesday 77  
Contribution \$ 4,018



*Group 1 Meets this month.*

#### Bible Study Eastdale Retirement Center

Thursday 9:30 a.m. Bible Study Eastdale Retirement Center

#### Isaiah study

Friday's at 8:30 a.m. - Study Isaiah with John Humphries at church building

#### Elders / Deacons Meeting

Sunday afternoon at 3:00 at the building

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### Perry Hill Road Bulletin

## The Vitamin We Need

Appreciation and encouragement from others is a fundamental human need. A famous football coach tells the story on himself about a vacation he and his family took in Maine. When he walked into a movie theater and sat down, the handful of people there applauded. "I can't believe it", he said, "People recognize me all the way up here!" Then a man came over and said, "Thanks for coming – they won't start the movie for less than 10 people".



We each need encouragement that we truly "matter" to one another. Like a vitamin our body must have, but cannot manufacture for itself, such exhortation is something others must provide for us.

Even the Lord Jesus Christ needed a validating word of encouragement now and again – and His Father gave it to Him. At the very beginning of His earthly ministry (and throughout) God affirmed Him powerfully, saying, "This is My Beloved Son in Whom I am well pleased" (Matt. 3:17; Matt. 17:5). Surely, this is one of the most endearing and "Fatherly" glimpses of God in all scripture, as He spoke the words every son yearns to hear from his father – "You are my son, and I love you; I am so very proud of you".

Mark Twain's famous comment, "I can live for two months on one good compliment", strikes a responsive chord in us all. How wise the Father of Heaven is, to challenge us (through His Word) to "exhort one another daily"! He knows how much we need to be encouraged to continue in faithfulness and in His work. Have you exhorted one of your brethren lately? *Continued on next page*