

Melbourne Church of Christ

"A family of believers seeking to grow spiritually while sharing Jesus and serving others."

Five Wise Sayings for Life

by Jake Sutton

I love listening to older, wiser folks than myself. I love history and learning it from people who loved it. I thank God for wise fathers who taught us what to do right. Even so, for those of us who had no good fatherly example in life, we learned what "not" to do. The following are some of the wise words and sayings I've heard in life:

- 1. When you hear a kind word spoken about a friend, pass it along (Proverbs 3:27; Galatians 6:10). If it's a negative word, keep it to yourself.**
- 2. As a man, spoil your spouse, not your children (2 Samuel 12:3, 8; Proverbs 5:18-19; Ephesians 5:25; 1 Peter 3:7).**
- 3. It is not our job to get people to like us. It is our job to like people (John 13:35; Hebrews 13:1; 1 Peter 1:22; 2:17).**
- 4. To help your children turn out well, spend twice as much time with them and half as much money on them (Genesis 44:30; Proverbs 22:6; Ephesians 5:16; 6:4; Colossians 4:5).**
- 5. Focus on others, not on self (Galatians 2:20; Philippians 2:3-5). Someone wrote, "How to Be Miserable." It reads, "Think about yourself. Talk about yourself. Use 'I' as often as possible. Mirror yourself continually in the opinion of others. Listen greedily to what people say about you. Expect to be appreciated. Be suspicious. Be jealous and envious. Be sensitive and never forgive. Trust nobody but yourself. Sulk if people are not grateful to you for favors shown them. Never forget a service you have rendered. Avoid your duties and responsibilities if you can. Do as little as possible for others."**

Dates to Remember

★ Ladies will meet 4th Monday in March @ 6 p.m. bring a finger food

Sermons and bulletins available @
Melbournechurchofchrist.com

Sunday Bible Class 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 6:00 p.m.



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Family News

- Lavonia Roland and Betty Brightwell are both recovering well from knee surgery.
- * Communion is gluten-free and travel communion is available.

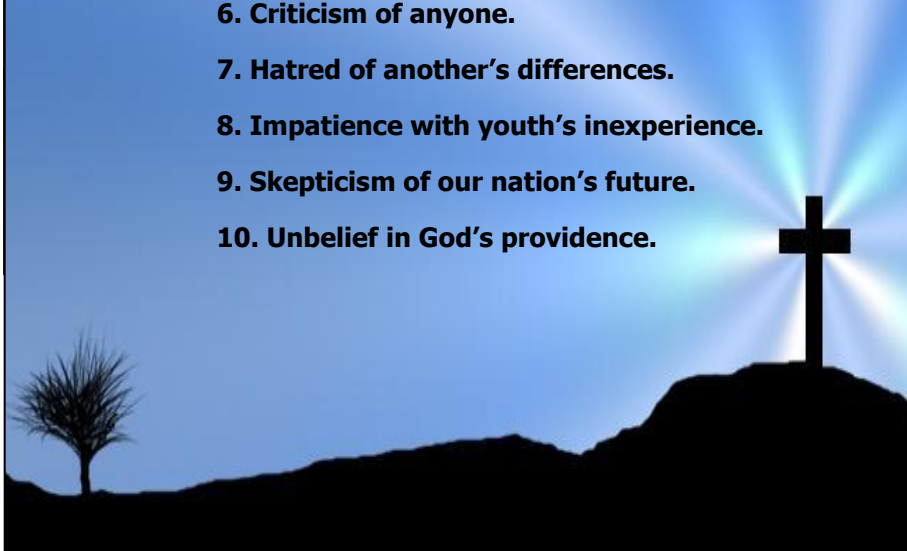
	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
SONG LEADER	TBA	TBA
OPENING PRAYER	TBA	TBA
CLOSING PRAYER	TBA	TBA



Self-Served

Ten Things to Avoid
via Broadway Church of Christ

1. Remorse over yesterday's failure.
2. Anxiety over today's problems.
3. Worry over tomorrow's uncertainty.
4. Procrastination with one's duty.
5. Resentment of someone's success.
6. Criticism of anyone.
7. Hatred of another's differences.
8. Impatience with youth's inexperience.
9. Skepticism of our nation's future.
10. Unbelief in God's providence.



Prayer List

Military: Derek Love, Tyler Talkington, A.J. Talkington

Officers: Steven & Sherry Davidson, Josh Morehead, Jamie Irvin, Tyler Webb, Caeden Wolfe, Blake Johnson

Health: Ted Kidd	Joyce Newbrey	Donnie Vest	Joanna Smith
Joe Guiltner	Dan Clark	Wilma Cooper	Wayne Crosby
Tracy Thomas	Brooke Pritchard	Troy Gaston	James Nicholson
Bill Roland	Hayden Phillips	Donny Smith	Joanne Weston
Bill Wiseman	Debbie Nicholson	Helen King	Phil Haagenon
Mary Kosmitis	Tommy Washington	Jim Fowler	Shirley Lewis
Diane Owens	Ivy Jo Slade	Jeff Young	Lynn Hicks
Justin Teague	Charlotte Cooper	Cecilia Broughton	Sue Campbell
Bob & Arlene Davidson	Chip & Regina Master	Richard Gunter	J.B. & Wanda Dill

Nursing Home: Debbie Hoskinds, Holly Stroud, Emma Jean Cooper

March Birthdays

Tyler Webb 1 st	Joyce Clark 2 nd	Justin Teague 9 th
Dorothy Teague 9 th	Jay Chaney 13 th	Tommy Taylor 21 st
Joe Guiltner 22 nd	Mandy Haney Ward 28 th	Bill Roland 28 th

March Anniversaries

David & Rita Hoskinds 3rd
Jeff & Sarena Young 5th

1 Peter 4:12-18, "Do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal among you, which comes upon you for your testing, as though some strange thing were happening to you; but to the degree that you share the sufferings of Christ, keep on rejoicing... If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests on you. Do not suffer as a murderer, thief, evildoer, or a troublesome meddler; but if *anyone suffers* as a Christian, he is not to be ashamed, but is to glorify God in this name... What *will be* the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God? If it is with difficulty that the righteous is saved, what will become of the godless man and the sinner?"