

Bible Way Association Doniphan Missouri

The BWA Messenger

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Voice of 'Truth World Outreach Ministries

A Division of Bible Way Association

November - December 2022

Matthew 2:10 KJV When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy.

Luke 2:11 KJV For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

Jesus said;

John 11:9 KJV If any man walk in the day, he stumbleth not, because he seeth the light of this world.

John 9:5 KJV As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.



Merry Christmas

Rev. Eugene & Lana Abrams & Rev. Margaret Buckner
And The Staff Of

Bible Way Association & The Voice of Truth

October Camp Meeting Report

On Friday, October 21 we were excited to have several people come together to help take the first steps in building the structure of the new office building.



fellowship with the Thanksgiving Dinner. Well in excess of 50 individuals were participating in the service and the dinner.

We were able to accomplish the raising of all outer walls for the structure as well as all of the interior partitions.

On Saturday, October 22nd we held our Thanksgiving Fellowship service followed by a time of good

Everyone in attendance was given an opportunity to testify and offer praises to the Lord for what He has done, and is doing in their lives.

We certainly need more fellowship such as this.

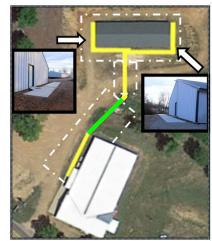
The new Sidewalk between the Tabernacle and the Dormitory

As we revealed during the June Camp Meeting, we are working to have the concrete walkway installed. We will be accomplishing this in at least three segments.

We are thankful that we were able to have the concrete walkways completed on each end of the Dormitory building. This improvement will help enable handicap access to the Dormitory.

We know this will be a significant improvement for everyone who wants to stay in the Dormitory rooms during both Camp Meeting and future Youth Camp Meetings.

We hope to have more accomplished by Spring time.

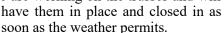


Update! The New Office Building

In the last issue, we gave pictures concrete floor for the new office building. Things are beginning to happen, and it's exciting to see

what God is doing and where it will lead! Over the past few months, the donations have improved and have become a great benefit to further the improvements of the Camp Grounds.

All of the exterior structural walls and the interior partition walls have been raised and we are working on the trusses and will



We do believe that continued Camp Meetings are a great part of the future of this vision. As part of this effort the Keepers of the Camp is a program where people have been

giving small monthly donations to help with cleaning, painting, mowing, and repairs as well as the continuation of these building projects.

Caring people and churches could pledge a monthly donation, or give a one-time donation, to

keep these projects moving and improving. God has certainly been providing what is needed, and we

believe with your help, His will can be done.

Thank you for your prayers and support! We are trusting God to make a way and direct our path as we continue to labor for His glory.

NEW MINISTERS IN BWA & VOT-CFI SINCE 2020

Over the past couple of years during the Board transitions and other distractions, we had not updated the new additions to the ministry of Bible Way Association and The Voice of Truth Christian Fellowships International.

Linda Blake	Sulphur Bluff TX
Chris Bradley	Eugene MO
Jennifer Bradley	Eugene MO
Deloras Coffey	Arnold MO
Jerry Coleman	Eldon MO
Linda Dangbar	Louisiana MO

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Your Support Is Appreciated

We certainly appreciate your faithful support of the multiple ministry outreaches of Bible Way Association and The Voice of Truth.

Bible Way Association operates solely on the faithful support of our churches and ministers by way of tithes and fees, as well as special love offerings for specific purposes.

We are currently involved in a special project to build a new office building. Along with that we are planning on remodeling the current office building to provide more rooms for people to stay during Camp meetings and other events.

We should be ready to begin building new cabins by Spring time.

We would also like to make everyone aware of the other ministry opportunities that could also use your support to further their efforts.

Keepers of the Camp

Office Building Project

Benevolence Fund

Bible Missions Program

Home Missions

Foreign Missions, (currently being revived with new foreign outreaches)

Voice of Truth Teaching Dept.

Voice of Truth Media Dept.

Leslie Buckner Books and CDs

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Please designate which account is being supported in the memo!

Or At

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The Voice of Truth 3736 US Hwy 160 W Doniphan, MO 63935

Mercy & Grace Fellowship 1030 Hwy 68

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A Wew Church The pastors are Rev. Jason Harris and Kim Harris. Please keep them in your prayerfully support.

Service Times

and Friday—7 pm (Bible Study) Sunday—2 pm Everyone is welcomed and invited!



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President

Sister Margaret Buckner is the President of the Voice of Truth World Outreach Ministries Division and has the oversight of each of these Departments and their works. We are committed to keeping Brother Buckner's ministry available through the workings of the Voice of Truth Division.

To order, contact us at 573-996-7317, Ext. 103.

Catalogs Now Available!

We now have the following individual catalogs listing the volumes of ministry options available, all originating from the lifetime ministry of Rev. Leslie Buckner.

- 1. Booklets: written by Rev. Leslie Buckner
- 2. Adult Bible Study & Sunday School Literature
- 3. Children's Literature
- 4. Singing CD's from Rev. Leslie & Margaret Buckner
- 5. Preaching CD's from Rev. Leslie Buckner (Over 1000 listed)

Each of these catalogs offer a full listing of the various volumes of writings and recordings available with the suggested donation pricing of each. We also welcome tax-deductible donations to support the continuous work required to keep these valuable works available.

Pride Rev. Leslie Buckner

- 1. Haughtiness
- 2. To inflate with self conceit, high minded
- 3. Self confidence, boasting



Ezekiel 16:49 Behold, this was the iniquity of thy sister Sodom, pride, fulness of bread, and abundance of idleness was in her and in her daughters, neither did

she strengthen the hand of the poor and needy. **50** And they were haughty, and committed abomination before me: therefore I took them away as I saw good.

Proverbs 16:16 How much better is it to get wisdom than gold! and to get understanding rather to be chosen than silver! 17 The highway of the upright is to depart from evil: he that keepeth his way preserveth his soul. 18 Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall.

Pride was the number one thing that was wrong with Sodom. Sodom was prideful, had fullness of bread (plenty), abundance of idleness (doing nothing), and they did not strengthen the hands of the poor.

If we are not careful we will think that only the people with a lot of wealth have pride, but some people are prideful about being poor. One of the main things that are wrong with our Nation is pride.

There were some people that caused a big part of Los Angles to be burned and those people were proud that they did it. The homosexuals go up and down the street with banners because they are proud. Sin is abounding in our Nation and many people are

proud of it. People boast about being in bars and doing different ungodly things because they are proud of their sin, there are even some people that are proud they are gangsters. When lust hath conceived, it brings forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, brings forth death (James 1:15).

Pride has even gotten into the church. Some of us are too proud to shout at church because we are afraid of what people will think. Some people sit in church dead and are proud of it. Some of us do not pray or read the Bible because we are too proud. The people of Sodom had pride and God took them away as He saw was good (Ezekiel 16:50).

Idleness Brings Trouble

When children have chores to tend to, they are not as likely to get into trouble. There are a lot of young people today that are in idleness, I don't blame them, I blame the parents. They allow the children to watch them do all of the work and then give the children money whenever they want it. Everyone needs good things to do so that they will not be full of idleness and find something sinful to do. Problems will usually come from the people in church that are idle.

The people who sit in idleness are the people that cause so many problems in our nation also. In the book of Daniel it states that those in idleness will wear out the saints. Those who will not live for God will work a person that does live for God to death, if they allow them to. They will get you up at 3:00am to pray and then they will not show up for church on Sunday mornings. The people who end up in disarray would not have had time to end up that way if they would have been busy doing the Lord's work.

The Bible says that Absalom was a beautiful man, he did not have anything to do, so he went to the people and started talking bad about his father, David. Absalom was lifted up with pride and told the people what a great king he would be. Absalom had people fighting against David until David ended up in a cave, but in the end Absalom ended up defeated and dead (2 Samuel 15:1-18:33).

During a different war David did not go out to fight when everyone else did. He stayed home in idleness and the lust of the eye and the pride of life got a hold of him. The wife of one of the men at war was sun bathing and David decided to watch her and they ended up having a baby together. David took the wife and had her husband go to the front line of the war, thus getting him killed. God said that David's first-born child would die and the sword of liberty would depart from his house because of what he had done (2 Samuel chapters 11 & 12).

We may think that those were "big" sins but the Bible says in the Song of Solomon 2:15 Take us the foxes, the little foxes, that spoil the vines: for our vines have tender grapes. Bitter and sweet water cannot flow out of the same person (James **3:11**). Judas carried the sack of money and he thought he was in authority. When the women washed Jesus feet with expensive items Judas said that those things should have been sold and given to the poor, but Jesus said that we would always have the poor with us. That night Judas had time to go sell out Jesus, but he did not have time to kneel and pray.

Our time is very valuable and we must be careful how we spend it. The people had time to say, "Give us Bar-

abbas," but they did not have time for Christ. People have the time to do whatever they want, but they want you to pray while they are shopping. They are too prideful to get down on their knees, pray through and get what they need from God.

Galatians 5:16 This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh.

The secret to having victory is walking in the Spirit and we will not have victory unless we do so. The Bible says in **Ecclesiastes 9:10** Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might... If you are called to preach, be a prayer warrior or whatever God has called you to do, do it with all of your might. If you walk in the Spirit you will not fulfill the lust of the flesh. Don't be idle, do something for God and you will have the victory twenty-four hours a day and seven days a week.

God called us all to be filled with the Holy Ghost and try to win souls for Christ. Sometimes the people that we lead to know Christ will be the people that get saved and spark a revival in the church. There was a man that was the lead guitarist in a boot hill jamboree and he was well known in his town. We prayed and worked for that man until he came to church and got gloriously saved and soon the church was completely full. Now he is preaching the gospel and is the pastor of one of our churches.

Almost the same thing happened in Alton, two or three congregations formed out of that revival, one hundred twenty seven people gave their hearts to the Lord.

God has called people to go out weeping and bringing in precious seed and it is not only for the person behind the pulpit. In the Bible Paul asked if the whole body was an eye where would the feet be. Pride is what keeps the body from having all of its members. God used me to win souls for Christ by simply driving the church bus. What does God want you to do?

1 John 1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

John 6:63 It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.

John 1:7 The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all men through him might believe.

1 John 2:5 But whoso keepeth his word, in him verily is the love of God perfected: hereby know we that we are in him.

1 John 2:11 But he that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.

Luke 6:27 But I say unto you which hear, Love your enemies, do good to them which hate you,

John 1:4 In him was life; and the life was the light of men.

The Bible tells us to walk in the light and the only way that we can walk in the light is when we walk in the Spirit. In Jesus was life, and His life became the light of men.

1 John 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him. 16 For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and

the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. 17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

The three things that are in the world are the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes and the pride of life, which are not of the Father. The flesh will lie to your Spirit man and reach for things that you do not need. Sometimes we can be driving down the road and see a sign with food on it and even though we do not need it our flesh will say, "Aren't you hungry?" The lust of the eye can get you to eat something that you do not need, which may be a simple thing but it works the same way with the other manifestations of the flesh.

The lust will pass away, but we will abide forever (1 John 2:17). David said that the Lord restores his soul and that he would dwell in the house of the Lord forever (Psalm 23). Some children are filled with the lust of the eyes. When they see something in the store that they want they will tear the shelf down to get it, mom might whip them three times, but then buy it. Then those children will be full of pride because they were able to "make" mom or dad get them what they wanted.

Probably everyone that you have seen fall from grace and the things of God were prideful. The first thing that tries to get into your spirit is pride and then after that haughtiness. If a person sits in church and lives in the flesh they may think about how important they are to the church. After that they will think that the church could not survive without them. That could tear the church up because pride goes before destruction.

Proverbs 16:18 Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall.

Pride is what gives children the attitude that they can throw rocks at the windows of buildings. Pride will make you think that you can get away with anything. The first church that I pastored in was in St. Louis, had big beautiful stained glass windows in it. One of the windows had a picture of Jesus holding a lamb. The people told me that it cost two to three thousand dollars to put the glass in the church during the 1800's. Kids threw rocks at it and you can guarantee they were prideful of what they had done.

Romans 12:1 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

The flesh will try to lie to our Spirit man until our Spirit man conforms to this world. We need to be in control of our bodies instead of our bodies being in control of our Spirit man.

Romans 12:2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Philippians 2:5 Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:

Romans 8:6 For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.

We need to renew our Spiritual mind. A renewed mind is the mind of Christ.

Proverbs 11:1 A false balance is abomination to the LORD: but a just

weight is his delight. **2** When pride cometh, then cometh shame: but with the lowly is wisdom.

Pride will take us and make us low and put us to shame. We need to have balance in the church. Seventyfive percent of the preaching that I have heard in the last fifteen years pride. produces Some preachers prophesy over people and tell them how great they are, when they need to be told to obey God. Someone came to church and preached during camp meeting and he picked out the rascals on the campground and gave them a good prophecy.

When he was finished I told him that would be the last time he preached there, because he prophesied good over every rascal and the ones that worked hard for the Lord he made look like a fool. The devil's crowd knows how to do that and God wants us to be as wise as serpents and harmless as doves (Matthew 10:16).

God does not want us to be Shepherds that hide behind a tree while a wolf works on the sheep. We need to be as bold as a lion and rehearse the righteous acts of the Lord. We need to come out after the wolf. We need to protect God's people from the evils of the devil.

Proverbs 11:3 The integrity of the upright shall guide them: but the perverseness of transgressors shall destroy them.

Pride motivates the perverseness of the transgressor and that perverseness will destroy them.

Proverbs 1:7 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

Psalms 111:10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom: a

good understanding have all they that do his commandments: his praise endureth for ever.

Proverbs 9:10 The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the holy is understanding.

Proverbs 8:13 The fear of the LORD is to hate evil: pride, and arrogancy, and the evil way, and the froward mouth, do I hate. **14** Counsel is mine, and sound wisdom: I am understanding; I have strength.

Proverbs 6:16 These six things doth the LORD hate: yea, seven are an abomination unto him: 17 A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, 18 An heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, 19 A false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.

John 10:10 The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

The first thing that is mentioned that God hates, is a proud look. God hates pride because He knows what it does to us. Pride is a mean streak in a person, not how much money they have. Pride is something that the devil came up with so that he could use it to bring forth destruction and the devil certainly wants to destroy you. If pride comes before destruction the first thing that the devil will introduce is pride because it will lead to destruction.

Proverbs 29:22 An angry man stirreth up strife, and a furious man aboundeth in transgression. **23** A man's pride shall bring him low: but

honour shall uphold the humble in spirit.

1 Peter 5:6 Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time:

The church has lost its ability to become humble. The church cannot acquire humility because of the dominance of pride.

Psalms 126:6 He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him.

Psalms 126:5 They that sow in tears shall reap in joy.

John 11:35 Jesus wept.

We should not teach our young boys not to cry because the Bible says that he who weeps will bare precious seed and Jesus, the greatest man ever, wept. It takes tears to bring joy. A good rain will wash away all the things on top of the earth, which causes the trees, grass and birds to be cleansed and refreshed. There is a spirit of destruction in our land, in our home and in our churches and it all hinges from pride, the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye and the pride of life.

The devil gives us pride and gets us to do things that we should not do. If we walk in the light as Jesus is in the light, then we will not have pride because we will have fellowship with God and the blood of Jesus will cleans us from all sin. When we walk in the light and the Spirit we will not fulfill the lust of the flesh.

Galatians 5:19 Now the works of the flesh are manifest, which are these; Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness, 20 Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, **21** Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like: of the which I tell you before, as I have also told you in time past, that they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God.

Nehemiah 8:10 Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord: neither be ye sorry; for the joy of the LORD is your strength.

There are seventeen manifestations of the flesh written in the book of Galatians and he that lives in those things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

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Romans 14:17 For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.

The reason the church is not walking in strength is because the joy of the Lord is your strength and we cannot have the Lord's joy if we are walking in the flesh. Some people are proud that they have committed adultery and fornication. All unclean sexual sin, including homosexuality, is fornication.

2 Corinthians 7:1 Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

We not only have to clean our physical body we also have to keep our spiritual body clean. When you go to the store and buy a bar of soap you do not expect the store clerk to give you a bath, they only sell the soap. God has given us what we need to keep our spiritual bodies clean. Jesus purchased our salvation with His blood. He produced His Word and we are clean through the Word, but we have to do the washing. We are to cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting the fear of God and the fear of God is the beginning of knowledge (Proverbs 1:7). The knowledge of God is not prideful.

John 20:31 But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name.

Proverbs 16:25 There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death.

Deuteronomy 30:19 I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live:

We need to reorganize and clean the whole church system in order to get the pride out of it and to be able to allow God to move in it. His ways are not our ways.

John 14:6 Jesus is the way, the truth and the light and no man comes to the Father except through Him.

In order to have a Holy Ghost revival the church needs to conform to the ways of God. When we are conformed to the ways of God we will come to church in humbleness, with a shout and we will have revival in our souls at all times.

There are teachers that say, "God is so good and that He loves us so much that He will allow us to do anything that we want to do." They are incorrect because the Bible says that the Lord chastises those that He loves. There are some parents that say they cannot whip their children because they love them too much. If we really love our children we will follow God's Book and discipline them when needed. If preachers really love the congregation they will preach the truth. A Pastor told me that people were leaving the church because he was preaching to hard. I told him to praise God because his church was getting cleaned out. Then with the people that listen and take heeds to good preaching their church would have revival and the people that are hungry for the things of God will start coming in.

The Lord is coming for a church without spot or wrinkle (**Ephesians 5:27**). If your church is full of pride then it has spots and wrinkles. Pride produces all the manifestations of the flesh. The fruit of the Spirit is love, which will destroy pride, joy, which is our strength, and peace, which is Christ. If any one has the right to get discouraged I suppose that I have, but I am going to stand. The world can have the lust of the eye and the pride of life and all of the destruction that they want, but I will choose life.

Acts 17:28 For in him we live, and move, and have our being

Ker Leslie Bushner

Luke 10:2 KJV Therefore said he unto them, The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest.

The following articles is taken from July 2020 Ministers Bulletin as the "Spotlight Ministers". We felt it appropriate to offer this articles again in honor of Brother Elton Harris who passed away December 6, 2022. He will be greatly missed.

Missions Adventures of Ministers Elton and Jane Harris



In 1964 Pastor Elton Harris obeyed God's instructions and joined Rev. Leslie Buckners's Founding Board Members for what is known today as "Bible Way Association". Brother Elton served on that first Board of Directors for many years and has continued all these years as a valuable partner and asset to the Association.

After the death of Pastor Harris's first wife and four year old daughter, he was united in marriage to Missionary Jane on the Gila River Indian Reservation in Arizona, where she ministered among the 14 tribes. That day the American Indian Choir san, "And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love!" Before the day was over, God gave the Word that they would minister south of the border, meaning Old Mexico.



The Harris's pastored two churches and held a number of Crusade Revivals in Old Mexico with outstanding results! God had well-placed them as He greatly used Brother Elton in Healing for the Body and Sister Jane in Emotional and Broken Hearts ministries. Then they visited a church where the evangelist saw them walk in as strangers but God used him and prophetically called them to "THE NATIONS"!

They served over 12 and a half years full time in Old Mexico, where they both taught in three Ministerial Bible Institutes instructing preachers and equipping them for their callings. Brother Elton found Mexican preachers who had just parts of the Bible. So Bibles were distributed as well as many other supplies and necessities. It seems they became all things to all men! Their works are still flourishing and stretch from the Board unto a thousand miles to the end of Old Mexico!

Their first work to the Nations in Malaysia, followed by India. In India they each ministered to 530 pastor and their wives. The men truly worshipped with Brother Elton while in the Ladies' meetings a stranger sneaked in and was saved! To God be the glory because she was a Hindu High Priest's wife!

Brother Elton won a drug dealer to the Lord on the streets in the nation of Belize! They have sown into about a dozen other nations. Some by networking and partnering with other Missionaries for special projects, such as showing Jesus Films high in the Bustamante mountains, or by soul winning; where Brother Elton and a fellow minister went to an isolated village by fording the river, where 50 people lived and all got saved but one!

Brother and Sister Harris even had a special ministry to Latinos for a period of time in Missouri. It consisted of all the field workers from five Latino Nations employed by Stark Brothers' Nursery. They had church services, a special Easter meal where they served 56 people away from their home nations! Included in the ministry efforts was an English/Spanish class to acclimate Latinos to the region.

This ministry team has worked with the poorest, and the rich ones, but all for the glory of the Lord Jesus!

Even though they cannot travel like they used to due to health concerns, their works continue and they continue to support and help sustain the works they've established! Together, (not counting Sister Jane's work when single) they have over 37 years of ministry to the nations!

Bible Way Association is blessed and enriched by the fellowship and partnership with Brother Elton and Sister Jane Harris who currently reside in Louisiana, Missouri.

Encouragement from the Harris's to the churches and ministers of Bible Way Association: "Hold to God's unchanging Hand and stay prayed up so you can go up!" And, "If you have any unforgiveness in your heart against anyone, "FORGIVE", because we sill all stand before the judgement Seat of Christ!"

Obituaries



Rev. Elton Jackson Harris Sr.

April 6, 1934 - December 6, 2022

Rev. Elton Jackson Harris Sr. passed away on December 6, 2022 at the age of 88 rears in Louisiana Missouri.

He is survived by his wife, Rev. Jane Harris in Louisiana Missouri; his son Elton J. Harris Jr. of St. Louis Missouri, 3 grandchildren and 2 great-

grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Rev. Harris has been an Ordained minister of the Gospel and part of Bible Way Association in Doniphan Missouri since the early 1960's and served on the Board of Directors of the Association for several years. He will be greatly missed.

A graveside service was held on Friday, December 9th, 2022 at the Troy City Cemetery.



Sondra Gayle Salamone

December 8, 1940 - October 21, 2022

Sondra Gayle Salamone, 81, of Barnhart died Oct. 21, 2022, in Barnhart. Mrs. Salamone was a licensed minister and co-pastor of Bible Way Assembly. She was an accomplished singer and worship leader and served as foster

mother to many children. She was born Dec. 8, 1940, in Poplar Bluff, the daughter of the late Lawrence and Isabell (Vines) Pugsley.

She is survived by her husband: Vito J. Salamone III of Barnhart; three sons: Billie (Mari) Amarine of Park Hills, Nick (Liz) Salamone of St. Charles and Randy (Christine) Salamone of Poplar Bluff; a daughter: Sherri (Ted) Hensley of Hillsboro; 16 grandchildren; an aunt: Versie Canfield; and many extended family members and friends.

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