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COMMUNITY LAY DIRECTOR

Welcome pilgrims of Walk 81 to our greater Living Water Emmaus Community. I would have loved to have been able to hear the music on your walk. It seems not only was the music team great but everyone on the walk was a talented singer. It amazes me how each walk is the basically the same but the Holy Spirit takes each walk and creates an environment that draws everyone to a closer walk with God. Special thanks to everyone who let God use them by being a part of Walk 81.

Walk 81 did not stop at the Ark they brought their love and excitement to our monthly community meeting. Our last community meeting was great. I really did not want that meeting to end.

Walk 82 is just around the corner (July 17-20), there are men hurting and feeling there is no hope. I read in Luke 10 where Jesus told us to love our neighbor as ourselves. Jesus was then asked who our neighbors are. He explained about a man who was beat up and left for dead. Two leaders of the church walk right past him after all they had important work to do. But a Samaritan stopped and took care of his needs. God is counting on us to help bring his flock back together. If you need registration papers go to LWE new web page www.livingwateremmaus.org

Mark your calendars for August 21. On this date we will be having our first Living Water Emmaus outdoor concert (Praise in the Park). The concert will be at Hale Center pavilion. Each family is asked to bring a picnic meal and chairs for themselves. We are asking for a donation of \$5.00/person for everyone over 18 and children free. The money will be used for LWE expenses.

Your brother in Christ

De Colores

David W Howell



Community Gathering --July 24--

Bethel Baptist Plainview, TX

Board 5:30 PM Sponsor's Training 6:00 PM Meal 6:30 PM Worship 7:30 PM

Guests are welcome and nursery will be provided.

Bring your favorite dishes. Wear your name tag. Bring your worship book. Come to share in the fun and fellowship!

LIVING WATER BOARD: 5:30 PM. SPONSOR'S TRAINING will be held at 6:00 PM with Janet Pyle as leader. The Board invites and urges all new community members and others who have never sponsored a pilgrim, and anyone who has not been through a recent training class to participate. The class will last for 30 minutes. Being a sponsor is one of the most important roles of the Walk To Emmaus. Several areas must be covered in order for the pilgrim to have an exciting and successful walk.

Worship begins at 7:30 with praise songs, and closes with communion.

UPCOMING **COMMUNITY GATHERINGS**

July 24 Bethel Baptist

Aug 21 Praise in the Park

Hale Center Park Bring your picnic basket and Chair to enjoy some great music Call Kayla Edwards @ 292-4807 to list your church on the schedule or

e-mail kayla.edwards@yahoo.com

Through The Storm

I did not know His love before, the way I know it now.
I could not see my need for Him, my pride would not allow.
I had it all, without a care, the "Self-Sufficient" lie.
My path was smooth, my sea was still, not a cloud was in my sky.
I thought I knew His love for me, I thought I'd seen His grace,
I thought I did not need to grow, I thought I'd found my place.
But then the way grew rough and dark, the storm clouds quickly rolled;

The waves began to rock my ship, my anchor would not hold.

The ship that I had built myself, was made of foolish pride. It fell apart and left me bare, with nowhere else to hide. I had no strength or faith to face, the trials that lay ahead, And so I simply prayed to Him, and bowed my weary head. His loving arms enveloped me, and then He helped me stand. He said, "You still must face this storm, but I will hold your hand."

So through the dark and lonely night, He guided me through pain.

I could not see the light of day, or when the storm might wane. Yet through the aches and endless tears, my faith began to grow. I could not see it at the time, but my light began to glow. I saw God's love in brand new light, His grace and mercy, too. For only when all self was gone, could Jesus' love shine through. It was not easy in the storm, I sometimes wondered, "Why?" At times I thought, "I can't go on." I'd hurt, and doubt, and cry. But Jesus never left my side, He guided me each day. Through pain and strife, through fire and flood, He helped me all the way.

And now I see as never before, how great His love can be. How in my weakness He is strong, how Jesus cares for me! He worked it all out for my good, although the way was rough. He only sent what I could bear, and then He cried, "Enough!" He raised His hand and said, "Be still!" He made the storm clouds cease.

He opened up the gates of joy, and flooded me with peace. I see His face now clearer still, I felt His presence strong. I found anew His faithfulness, He never did me wrong. Now I know more storms will come, but only for my good. For pain and tears have helped me grow, As naught else ever could.

I still have so much more to learn, as Jesus works in me; If in the storm I'll love Him more, that's where I want to be.

"They are as stubble before the wind, and as chaff that the storm carrieth away." - Job 21:18

UP COMING WALKS >> Walk Cost \$140 <<

#83 Women's Walk
October 16-19, 2014
Amy Kellison, Lay Director
Rance Young, Spiritual Dir.

#84 Men's Walk February 5-8, 2015 Jeff Braselton, Lay Director Rance Young, Spiritual Dir.

GET YOUR APPLICATIONS IN NOW,
WE WANT THESE TO BE GREAT FULL WALKS...
Men's Registrar: Darral Bryant 806-928-1344 or 806-771-5271
Women's Registrar: Nancy Martin 806-729-3817



Sign up your CHURCH For COMMUNITY MEETINGS



Pick Your Month before someone else gets it..... CALL OR E-MAIL ME @

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When hosting community, Churches are responsible for the Dinner & dessert plates, napkins, silverware, cups, & drinks. Childcare is optional for the church, but Emmaus does pay \$25.00

Welcome Women of Walk #81

Adelina DeLeon Alisha Henzler Amber Murphree Brooke Hayes Carley Hardage Catherine Beaver Esperanza (Hope) Mata Irma Alcala Judy Castillo Kayla Fore LeShay Everett Lisa Castillo Maria Romero Pam Wade Patty Franks Rachel Galvan Susie White Tonya McClenney Traci Lawrence Veronica (Ron) Sterling Tammy Smith Connie Enriquez

TEN WAYS TO LOVE OTHERS

- 1. Listen without interrupting Prov 18
- 2. Speak without accusing James 1:19
 - 3. Give without sparing Prov 21;26
 - 4. Pray without ceasing Col 1:9
- 5. Answer without arguing Prov 17:11
- 6. Share without pretending Eph 4:15
- 7 Enjoy without complaining Phil 2:14
- 8. Trust without wavering Cor 13:7
- 9. Forgive without punishing Col 3:13
- 10. Promise without forgetting Prov 13:12

<>< RECIPE FOR MIRACLES

Ingredients:

1 part of knowing who you are
1 part of knowing who you aren't
1 part of knowing what you want
1 part of knowing who you wish to
be
1 part of knowing what you

1 part of knowing what you already have

1 part of choosing wisely from what you have

1 part of loving and thanking for ALL you have

Instructions:

Combine ingredients together gently and carefully, using faith and vision. Mix together with strong belief of the outcome until finely blended.

Use thoughts, words and actions for best results.
Bake until Blessed.

Give thanks again

Yield: Unlimited service