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PASTOR'S COMMENTS

Some of you may remember a man by the name of George Younce. He was the renowned bass singer for The Cathedral Quartet. One the songs he sang lead on was "Thanks to Calvary". Oh how I love this song. You probably hear me say, "Salvation is a change" a lot and you may even be tired of me saying it. Sometimes I think we downplay salvation. Yes, we do. We assume that anyone who says "I'm fine, I'm good, I'm okay" as evidence of salvation. I was saved at a young age (11) and while I wasn't the most wretched sinner who had ever lived; in the eyes of God I was as lost as a lost person could be. Yet the night God saved my soul that changed. Yes, I'm still a sinner and yes I still make mistakes (this is NOT a green light to sin freely). I'm different though. Thanks to Calvary I'm not who I used to be. Thanks to Calvary I'm changed. Thanks to Calvary the old man that lived here doesn't anymore. Sometimes I think people hear us talk about having to leave an old life behind and it makes them feel like they have to walk some tight rope of sainthood. Here's the difference....are you ready? I don't have to, but it is my desire to leave that old man behind and walk hand in hand with the Lord. The things I could have been, places I could've gone, they don't appeal to me. Thanks to Calvary.

Welcome to Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church! We thank you for your interest in being here today. It is my sincere desire as the Pastor that you feel at home with us.

Bro Taylor Gregory

Lord, when we are wrong, make us willing to change. And when we are right, make us easy to live with.



Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble.

1 Peter 5:5

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PRAYER REQUESTS:

Brenda Knight, the sister-in-law of June Gregory
Georgia's as she is having back problems and her granddaughter,
Emily that she might be saved
Zack Haley's family in the passing of Zack
Lynn's husband Todd and her mother
Nita's Dad who is losing a lot of friends through dead
Joe & Bobby as they are both sick
A little girl that rides Gina's bus
Nita Reid's Parents

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BIBLE TRIVIA:

Last Week's Question: Who were the first missionaries? **Answer: Paul and Barnabas (Acts 13)**

This Week's Question: Who was the first shepherdess?

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Christmas Program

The Christmas Program is next Sunday evening at 6:00. Everyone, please try to attend and support those who have worked so diligently to make this a pleasurable event for you. Please invite your family and friends and encourage your friends at other churches to come. Ladies we will be having finger foods, so please plan accordingly.

He is the one who calms the seas
and the oceans with a whisper.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRACTICE TODAY. GRAB
SOME LUNCH AND RETURN AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE. WE HAVE SEVERAL THINGS TO GO
OVER TODAY BEFORE WE BEGIN OUR PRACTICE
SESSION.

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forever & always

**Happy Anniversary to Jean and Colin
Dyer on the 17th.**

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**Business
Meeting**

TODAY

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Christmastime is here again
A time of joy and peace
May all your holiday be bright
And all your sorrows cease.

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12/10/2016

