

# The **SEARCH** Light

News & Information from *In Search of the Lord's Way Ministry*

## From Friend to Friend by Phil Sanders

As the leaves change color and we begin to wear sweaters, we give thanks to God for His abundant blessings and the beauty of the season. We give thanks to God for your faith and love in Christ Jesus.

We hope and pray you are thinking about what you can do for the cause of Christ. Many brothers and sisters seek to reach people in their communities with the gospel. In SEARCH of the Lord's Way goes into every home in your community every week with a gospel message. Don't overlook the good SEARCH can do when we tell people about a television or radio program that teaches the love and grace of the Lord Jesus.

While many find SEARCH for the first time by browsing through the channels on Sunday morning or seeing a YouTube presentation, we could help them find the program easier by advertising the program on church signs and in the local newspapers. You can tell a friend that you watch the program and encourage them to watch. You can make a difference in someone's eternal destiny.

This month brings the season of thanksgiving, and sweet Jackie and I are thankful for your prayers. "The LORD bless you, and keep you; The LORD make His face shine on you, And be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance on you, And give you peace" (Numbers 6:24-26).

## She Has Done What She Could

*"For you always have the poor with you, and whenever you wish you can do good to them; but you do not always have Me. She has done what she could; she has anointed My body beforehand for the burial. Truly I say to you, wherever the gospel is preached in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be spoken of in memory of her"*  
(Mark 14:7-9).

John tells us that Mary, the sister of Lazarus, anointed the feet of Jesus with very expensive perfume and wiped His feet with her hair. Jesus met the objections of the apostles that her perfume could have been sold and the money given to the poor. He recognized what she did was to prepare His body beforehand for the burial. Her kindness would be shared with the whole world. Even now, nearly 2000 years later, we can speak of it.

Jesus observed, "She has done what she could." The Lord notices the good we do. When we do what we are able, we please the Lord.

Todd McRay reminded me recently of Hatsene Milligan, who lived in Caddo, Oklahoma, used to make chocolate chip cookies

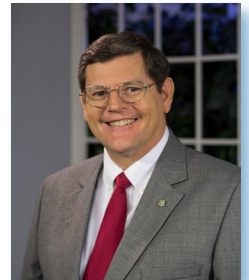


and put a handwritten note with them, and take them to those who had visited the service at Caddo or take them to the hospital, nursing home or somewhere else with a note that asked them to watch **SEARCH**. She even put the time and station on the note. When her health declined, she started giving candy with stickers to those she encountered. Thanks to Todd and her daughter and son-in-law, Jim and Tawana

Pratt for sharing the story of her mother. She has done what she could.

Will you tell others about **SEARCH**, pray for us, and support us financially?

May the Lord be with you,  
Phil Sanders



# November 2022



IN  
**SEARCH**  
OF THE LORD'S WAY®

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Phil's Schedule

**November**

5 Dayton, TN  
6 Ooltewah, TN (PM)  
13-16 Bell Ave., Amarillo, TX

**December**

5-8 West Freeway School  
of Evangelism, Ft. Worth, TX

**January**

16-17 Florida School of Preaching,  
Lakeland, FL  
TBD Georgia School of Preaching,  
Warner Robins, GA

**SPOTLIGHT**

Late last week I received an invitation from Freed-Hardeman University for **SEARCH** to bring our display during the 2023 Lectureship February 5-9, 2023. This annual event is one of the largest homecoming gatherings of members of the Church of Christ in the USA. There will be a number of inspirational speakers each day, as well as numerous classes for elders, deacons, teachers, preachers and members of the LORD's Kingdom. On Wednesday February 8, 2023 the annual **SEARCH** luncheon will be held at the Henderson church of Christ building, in the family life center, Phil will be speaking during this time. If you would like more information, give us a call 1-800-321-8633 or send an email [searchtv@searchtv.org](mailto:searchtv@searchtv.org). We encourage you to attend and hope to see you there!



Response to the new Bible correspondence courses is growing daily. There are eight lessons in the basic course and thirty in the advanced studies. **SEARCH** also still utilizes the Upon the Rock series of study lessons by Phil Sanders. All of these study materials are free for the asking. Please let your friends and family know about these courses. Daily Bible reading and study is the key to keeping our hearts in tune with what is vitally important in this confusing world!

The leaves and the weather in Oklahoma are constantly changing at this time of year. One day we have the heat on in our homes and offices, the next day we turn the air conditioner back on. Isn't God's creation amazing? We have but to look out our windows and observe His power and blessings all around us each day of our lives.

As always we thank our loyal volunteers who help us each month and all of you who prayerfully support this ministry. Our mission at **IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY** is to spread the seed of the Gospel to all who will listen. **SEARCH** works with the local churches of Christ to reach more people utilizing television, radio, internet and all the other media available. Thank you again for your support!

In HIM....Chris Lyon



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**EBAY SELLERS & BUYERS**

You can donate to **SEARCH** via *ebay's Giving Works* program and it's free to use. <http://givingworks.ebay.com/>



All the music used on the program is available for download on our website.

Look for it in the Resources section at [www.SearchTV.org](http://www.SearchTV.org).



## PROGRAMS

December 2022

*Topics subject to change without notice*

### DEC 4 – DO YOU CARE?

How seriously do you take God? Does what God says matter at all to you? Many today never give God or His teaching a second thought. One day, however, the choices we make will matter to our destiny.

### DEC 11 – YOUR ATTITUDES MATTER

Each day we choose how we view life and whether we will focus on the good or focus on the bad. In this lesson we will explore ten positive attitudes that please God and make life richer and fuller.

### DEC 18 – A NOTEWORTHY MIRACLE

Peter and John healed a man over forty years old who had been born lame. Each day he was carried to the temple gate called Beautiful and begged alms. What the apostles did for him was a miracle no one could deny.

### DEC 25 – A FRIEND TO JESUS

No matter where you turn, you'll never find a better friend than Jesus. Though He knows everything about you, He still loves and cares for you. In this study, we will explore how we need to be friends with Jesus.

## From the *Production Room*

We've recently had calls from viewers that have had trouble finding the program on NewsNation. A recent program adjustment at NewsNation caused our listing to change to "paid programming". Although we had been airing at the listed time this made it appear as though the program was no longer available. Additionally, if individuals had set their DVR to record the program it would fail, unable to find the program. Once we were made aware of the issue we contacted NewsNation about the problem. We are happy to report that as of this past Sunday morning we were once again able to find the program listed by name in the appropriate time slot, 7:00am EST, nationwide.

This morning we received this email from a station in Tennessee.

*"Thanks for a great job with the show and the station materials. I wish other shows were as good – on both counts."*

We work hard each week and employ rigorous controls to ensure the program meets our standard of high quality. It's always good to hear from stations or viewers that appreciate that effort.

Craig and Brian

You can remember that special person or loved one by giving a **Memorial** or **Honor** gift

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To: **In Search Of The Lord's Way**  
Edmond, Oklahoma

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**Mack and Golda**  
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and Family  
**Jim Richmond**  
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and Family  
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**Vineyard Powers**  
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**Ray Watson**  
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**Roy Watson**  
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**Jack White**  
Greg Bullock  
**Pauline Willbourn**  
Roy and Paula  
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**Ray Willbourn Jr**  
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**Crawford**  
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McKinnis  
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Honor Gift Form* on page 3.

**From the heart...**  
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Happy Birthday  
Kemp church of  
Christ Ladies  
**Kelli Tolbert**  
Happy Birthday  
Kemp church of  
Christ Ladies  
**Tammy Williams**  
Happy Birthday  
Kemp church of  
Christ Ladies

## TENNESSEE

**Shirley Pulley**  
Kenneth Pulley  
**Jessie Rees**  
Happy Birthday  
Ann Simmons



## From the Mailbag...



**CHESTER, WV** “Please accept the enclosed check for continued support of local programming of the Search TV program. We realize this is a huge undertaking, and are very appreciative of your insight that promotes the program. Our desire is to see those that may not be a child of God, enlightened by the teaching and have a willingness to be part of His body. Also, it teaches those who are Christians, more of His word, and how to be better children of His, by example and everyday living. Our prayer is that this program can continue, and we can support it, giving God the glory He rightfully deserves.”

**TIPP CITY, OH** “We recently used some of your songs for a family funeral. The singing is beautiful – while the message gave us peace. We love the ‘old-time’ worship songs. We thank you for all your do for the family of God.”

**HACKLEBURG, AL** “I would like to donate to the cause of spreading the gospel of Christ. I watch In Search of the Lord’s Way program every day! I enjoy it, I have watched so many programs! I have some health issues going on right now and am unable to attend worship. I watch you and the different local Church of Christ programs. It is not the same as attending worship but my health is not good right now neither is my penmanship (Lol). I still contribute weekly to my local church but I know there are people out there for whatever reason need your avenue of communicating God’s word! I just want to contribute to this avenue. Your program is so helpful! Keep up the good work!”

**MEMPHIS, TN** “This program has taught me of Jesus Christ my Lord. Thank you.”

**SAN ANTONIO, TX** “A tremendous source for shut-ins!”

**MURFREESBORO, TN** “We pray that all of you are well and we thank God for you and the work you do to bring the gospel to all of those who are hungry for the Word.”

**WAIPAHU, HI** “I enjoy your TV program ‘In Search of the Lord’s Way’ every Sunday. Kindly send me the program transcripts so I’ll be able to study the subjects in the transcripts. Your program is indeed a good means of evangelism. Continue to do a good job in your endeavors to bring people to know God and His word. Thank you for your kindness and help in the quality of inspiration and encouragement.”

**EAST SAINT LOUIS, IL**  
“Beautiful sermon.”

**Those of us at SEARCH always want you to know that we are praying for you as you continue to pray for us! “The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.” (James 5:16b, ESV)**