

Jamey Walker Eulogized

Eighteen year old Jamey Walker was eulogized on Wednesday of last week at the True Love Baptist Church, Rev. I.W. Wilson, Pastor.

Jamey was the daughter of James and Eleanor Walker, and the granddaughter of Mrs. Sara Ann Knight-Preddy. Mrs. Walker is a past president of the local branch of the NAACP, and has been active in other community affairs.

The services were attended by more than 1500 family members and friends.

Prayer was led by Rev. A.J. Thompson, pastor of the Victory Baptist Church. The eulogy was delivered by the Rev. Marion Bennett, pastor of the Zion Methodist Church and a Nevada Assemblyman.

James was a former Clark High School honor student. Cheerleaders from Clark High School were in attendance at the services. She was attending the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, at the time of her death.

Her grandmother, Mrs. Sara Ann Knight-Preddy, also a past president and vice-president of the local chapter of the NAACP, is a former candidate for the Las Vegas City Commission, and an active member in community activities.

Jamey's body was found on last Sunday morning at the bottom of a bridge in the Lake Shore Road area of Lake Mead. The autopsy revealed that she died of a fractured skull.

She was reported to Metro Police as having been kidnapped on Saturday afternoon.

The tragedy put an end to a very promising career of an intelligent young lady who was loved by young and old alike. Members of the university community, both students and faculty, have expressed remorse at the alleged kidnapping and murder.

The district attorney's office has requested that the Metro Police Internal Affairs Division conduct an investigation into the manner in which Metro handled the kidnapping. It has been reported that Metro Police waited more than seven hours to act after being informed that Jamey had been kidnapped.

The VOICE once again extends its deepest sympathy to the Walker and Preddy family, and prays that this type of incident never happens again in our black community.

Social Security Cuts OK'd by Committee

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WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House Ways and Means Committee Tuesday approved \$9.1 billion in spending cuts from Social Security, Medicare, unemployment and other assistance programs, but fell \$100 million short of its new goal of deeper cuts.

Chairman Daniel Rostenkowski, D-Ill., directed his staff to "come up with some options" for the panel to consider in trying to meet a remaining \$136 million shortfall.

The committee approved \$8.9 billion in cuts recommended by its subcommit-

Cook-Off Contest Slated

The Committee on the Woman's Day Program for the New Bethel Baptist Church, located on the corner of "D" and Adams Streets, is sponsoring a cook-off at 4:00 P.M. on Saturday, May 23, 1981, at the church.

The Committee is taking recipes from anyone in the community who wishes to submit one. However, the recipes must contain the exact measurements of the ingredients to be used.

The Committee will use the recipes submitted in the cook-off to compile a cookbook. The cookbook will be sold, with the proceeds going toward the Woman's Day Program quota for Woman's Day in October.

Anyone interested in submitting a recipe may contact Mrs. Cynthia Watson at 643-1055, or Mrs. Thelma Kinchen at 870-7713.

Rev. J.L. Wesley is Pastor of New Bethel Baptist Church, and Mrs. Rosie Brewer is President of the Women's Missionary Society of the church. Mrs. Watson is Chairperson of the Woman's Day Committee.

Young Black Shot in NLV

A 29-year-old North Las Vegas man was shot Tuesday afternoon in front of his mother's home, North Las Vegas police reported.

of his mother's home at 1917 Carver Avenue about 4:30 p.m., police said.

Police said they have identified a suspect in the shooting and an arrest was expected as soon as they can track him down.

Williams was taken to Southern Nevada Memorial Hospital where he was in surgery under guarded condition, a hospital spokesman said.

Ben Williams of 3320 Harlin Ave. was shot once in the abdomen with a handgun in front

of the shooting were not immediately known, but police said there was a dispute between the victim and the suspect.

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tees and added a \$190 million reduction in benefits under the AFDC program — Aid to Families with Dependent Children.

The powerful tax-writing committee has put off work on President Reagan's controversial tax cut proposal while it makes the deeper

spending cuts mandated by the austere 1982 budget.

The budget blueprint, written last week by a House-Senate conference committee, is due for House action Wednesday and is expected to receive final congressional approval this week.

LORD, TEACH ME

Thy throne is such a sacred place
Where I've earned no right to be
But I have experienced amazing grace
Because of Calvary.
Such love you've shown for us all
In sending your precious son
And He when He answered Calvary's call
Did it for everyone!
So often I feel that I've let you down
And the tears begin to flow
It's then Father that I've always found
Your forgiveness I can know.
Teach me please to do thy will
Help me become an obedient child
May thy Holy Spirit my life instill
Guiding me all the while.
Each time I kneel at your precious throne
With its blessed sacredness
May I spiritually have grown
Having fewer things to confess.
Dear lord, I appreciate so much
The love you've shown to me
And pray that other lives I touch
Will know of my love for Thee.
I will always fall short, I fear,
But I sincerely wish to try
To show in the life that I live here
And true faith when its time to die.

by: Martha Leach Rice

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WORDS OF LIFE

"Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."
Matthew 4:19

1) *God gives us direction.* Like the road signs along the highway, God gives us directions for our daily trek through life. At the beginning of each day, He says, "Follow Me!" All through the day and through life's nights when the shadows fall and the way seem unclear, God says to us, "Follow Me!" We are never lost... because of God's unfailing care.

2) *God gives us power.* So often we ask, "How can we do the things God asks of us?" The answer is that it is in God's hands. "I will make

... "I will do..." So God promises each of us. The Apostle reminds us that there is no test or trial for which God does not provide the wherewithal "that we may be able to bear it."

3) *God gives us success.* Whenever we follow God's directions faithfully, we become "overcomers." "To him who overcomes, the crown of life shall be. He with the King of Glory shall reign eternally."

"Follow me," said Jesus in effect, "and I will make you succeed in every good work."

Prayer Poem

In 1852 Cecil Frances Alexander, whose name be may known to us as the composer of "All Things Bright And Beautiful," wrote the equally familiar hymn, "Jesus Calls Us."

Mrs. Alexander's husband served a rural ministry during much of his life and eventually became the Anglican (or Episcopal) Archbishop of

Ireland. Mrs. Alexander's poems reflect a rural imagery. Her own life was one of selfless service ministering personally to the sick and rural poor but otherwise managing a rural estate and writing poetry. Her husband spoke of himself as his wife's "most ferocious critic."

Here, we are called to a life of Christian service.

Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild, restless sea,
Day by day his clear voice soundeth,
Saying, "Christian, follow me."

In our joys and in our sorrows,
Days of toil and hours of ease,
Still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
"Christian, love me more than these."

As of old, St. Andrew heard it
By the Galilean lake,
Turned from home and toil and kindred,
Leaving all for his dear sake.

"Follow me!" This is a call which you may wish to discuss with your pastor or minister this week. "Love me more than these" means putting God above all else.

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