

# Church

## OBITUARIES

**Neisha Nicole Bedford**, 4, died on August 2. She was born on June 1, 1985 in Las Vegas. She is survived by both parents Timothy Bedford and Linda Neal, both of Las Vegas. Grandmothers Mary Neal and Sarah Bedford and grandfather Eddie Bedford, two godfathers several aunts and uncles and friends. Services were held on Friday August 4, at 1:00 p.m. at the West Las Vegas Memorial Chapel. Burial was at Woodlawn Cemetery.

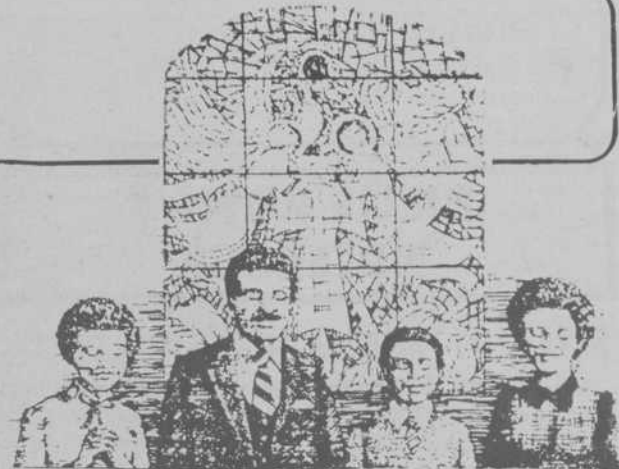
**Marilyn Walker**, 39 died on July 29. A lifelong resident of Las Vegas, she was a maid at one of the local hotels. She was born October 26, 1956 in Las Vegas. She is survived by sisters Charlotte, Linda and Diane, all of Las Vegas and Carolyn of New Orleans, and brothers Freddie and Andre both of Las Vegas. Visitation was August 3, and services were held at Graveside on August 4 at 11:00 a.m.

The 30th anniversary of the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church will be held Friday and Saturday, August 11 and 12, at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday, August 13 at 3:00 P.M. The Pleasant Grove Baptist Church is located at 1198 Hassell Avenue, where the information number is 648-1645. The Pleasant Grove Baptist Church is pastored by the Rev. J.L. Kemp.

The Young Adult Youth Department of the Unity Baptist Church will present its "Gospelfest" Sunday, August 13 at 3:00 P.M. For more information call 459-2263. The Unity Baptist Church is located at 535 North Marion Drive. The pastor is Rev. F. Harris.

The Tried Stone Baptist Church, 621 West Carey Avenue, will have revival services Monday, August 7

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## WORDS OF LIFE

*"As he thinketh in his heart, so is he."*  
--Proverbs 23:7

**I. Think victoriously.** Black Americans, despite our talk about being benighted and our entitlement to reparations, must nonetheless think victoriously. God is not only on our side but also shares our life. God and victory are one. Hence we must do more than think victoriously; we must actually live victoriously every day.

**II. Think rich!** Every word picture of heaven projects that ultimate reality as marked by richness and plenty, as a land (or area of life) overflowing with milk and honey. Heaven's realities are meant to be entered into every day by all of us, by everybody. God wants us to share today in heaven's richness...and glory!

**III. Think gratefully.** There are no "self-made" men or women. To be self-made means being a hermaphrodite. Are you a hermaphrodite? If not, then we are who, what and where we are with thanks due to many people -- and especially to the goodness and grace of God. As we think in these ways, so shall we see ourselves as actually becoming.



## Church News

By Mary Wilson  
Church Reporter

The Bethany Baptist Church will present Evangelist Ann Jones from San Bernardino, CA in Revival August 20-25 at 7:00 p.m. nightly. Bethany Baptist church is located at 1229 W. Owens Ave. Rev. Deontia Atkinson is the pastor.

The Mt. Ararat Baptist Church, 732 Miller Street, will be celebrating their 10th year anniversary Friday, August 11 at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday, August 13 at 3:00 P.M. For more information call 648-8157. The Mt. Ararat Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. E.B. Johnson.

The Greater Faith Baptist Church along with the Sensational Friendly Stars will honor Sister Fanny Davis in a service Saturday, August 12 at 7:00 P.M. For more information call 647-4110. The Greater Faith Baptist Church

is pastored by Rev. Earl Henry.

The St. John Church of God in Christ's Elders and Ministers Wives will have an "Old Fashioned Box Supper" Saturday, August 13 at 7:30 P.M. For more information call Mother Odessa Nelson at 642-2524. The St. John Church of God in Christ is pastored by Elder O.L. Jefferson and is located at 2301 Comstock Drive.

The Trinity Church of God in Christ will be celebrating the 18th year anniversary of their pastor and wife, Elder and Sister Lawrence Daniels on Friday, August 11 and Saturday, August 12 at 7:00 P.M. and Sunday, August 13 at 3:00 P.M. For more information call 646-6099. The Trinity Church of God in Christ is located at 1341 Blankership.

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**SUNDAY,**

**August 20, 1989 - 5:00 p.m.**

Maulin Rouge Parking Lot  
820 West Bonanza Road

The Public is Invited!  
For More Information Call 648-8180