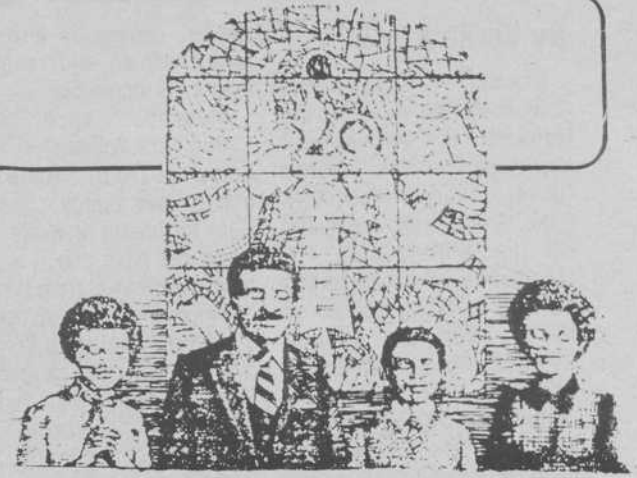


# Church



## WORDS OF LIFE

### BIBLICAL INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

**"Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee." -- Job 22:28**

**1. You can decide.** How often have you had problems with making up your mind? Most of us do, at some time. Some of us have this problem almost perpetually. Problem people are those who cannot make up their own minds. Successful people, those who are happy, creative and prosperous, are those who know that their own minds can be made up. It's always easy, especially if we let the same "mind of God" be "in us which is also in...Jesus."

**2. You can decide...for yourself!** Others never can know what is best for you. You cannot live or direct the lives of others...whether of children or of adults; and they cannot direct your life either. In God's scheme of things, each of us has control of just one life...our own. If you do not plan and decree for yourself, none will ever be properly made.

**3. You can decide...successfully!** Our text reminds us: "Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee." God's words are faithful and true. For those who live their lives "in Him" and whose hearts and minds are stayed in Him, God always gives us our hearts' desires. "It shall be established...unto you."

## HAWKINS

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health concerns may be a good idea, excise taxes in general tend to hit hardest on people with modest incomes. For instance, an increase in the cost of gasoline could prevent a low wage worker from getting a better paying job farther from their home, due to increased transportation costs.

Further, calling for a freeze in domestic spending is really a cut in current operating levels. If inflation runs about 4 percent, a freeze in compensatory education, for example, can mean a 4 percent reduction in the number of children who receive math and reading basic skills assistance. I am opposed to the Rostenkowski proposal. It does not address the true causes of the deficit.

A budget plan must evaluate the unmet national needs that constitute our...ding special effects. All are welcome. Free admission.

"human deficits," and then provide the spending and taxing authority to legislate the programs that can address those priorities. Spending in the public sector is not a built-in burden on the economy. Investments in education, training, housing, health care and nutrition, as well as making needed improvements in our communities, are key ingredients in our nation's ability to compete effectively in world markets. For example, it has been proven that \$1.00 spent on Head Start to prepare a child for school, returns \$6.00 in reduced costs for special education, public assistance and crime. One dollar (\$1.00) spent on the Job Corps, preparing youth for a life time of productive employment, yields \$1.45 in benefits to American society.

One dollar (\$1.00) spent solely on deficit reduction invests in nothing tangible; it produces nothing of national or personal worth. I say thumbs down to any proposal which does not focus on cutting the human deficits.

God in Christ, 2301 Constock Drive will have a Tom Thumb Wedding and reception Saturday, April 7 at 7:30 P.M. sponsored by the state Sunday School Department. For more information call 648-2524. The St. John Church of God in Christ is pastored by Supt. O.L. Jefferson.

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The members and we wishers of the Israelite Church of God in Christ, 1285 Miller Street, will celebrate the sixth anniversary of their pastor and wife, Elder Willie and Mother Jeanett Gray, Friday, April 6 at 7:30 P.M. and Sunday, April 8 at 3:30 P.M. For more information call 646-3619.

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The True Love Baptist Church, 1941 "H" Street will be in revival Monday, April 2 through Friday, April 6, nightly at 7:00 P.M. The speaker will be Rev. John Henry. For more information call 648-3603 or 647-9693. The True Love Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. I. W. Wilson.

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Evening Women's Aglow Fellowship will host a dinner meeting on Tuesday, April 10, at 6:30 P.M. at Port Tack located at 3190 W. Sahara. Dinner is \$10.00 and the guest speaker is Adelina Sutherland. For reservations call 870-0752, 438-5572 or 645-2360 before Friday, April 6.

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The Las Vegas Daytime Aglow Fellowship will have its April Luncheon on Thursday, April 12, 11:00 A.M., at the Jockey Club, 3700 Las Vegas Blvd. South. Cost of the Luncheon is \$5.00. Reservations must be made by April 9, by calling Marion, 367-6279 or Patti, 363-2483. Guest Speaker will be Mary Devilbiss. Come and be blessed and ministered to as Mary witnesses to the faithfulness of our heavenly Father. Mary Devilbiss and her husband, Bob, came to Las Vegas 17 years ago and together with Jack French, began KILA Christian Radio.

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RESURRECTION '90 — A city-wide Easter celebration will be held at Cashman Field Theater at 10:00 A.M. on Easter Sunday. Resurrection '90 will present "Paid in Full," an incredibly powerful musical presentation of the Easter Story, featuring live orchestration and outstan-

## Church News

By Mary Wilson  
Church Reporter



The nationally known gospel singer Sylvesta Blue will be performing at the Gold Coast Hotel at a buffet breakfast at 6:00 A.M. Saturday, April 7 and at a sit-down dinner at 6:00 P.M. For more information call 363-4267.

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The Pilgrim Christian Society of the Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church will be celebrating its 42nd Anniversary Sunday, April 8, at 2:00 P.M. For more information call 648-5666. The Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church is located at 1240 West Adams Avenue, where Rev. McKinley Hardman, Jr. is pastor.

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The Mt. Sinai Baptist Church, 1020 Balzar Street will be in a revival Monday, April 2 through Friday, May 6 at 7:00 P.M. nightly. The Rev. H. Hubbard of Redlands, California will be the evangelist for the week. For

more information call 649-1682 or 649-2300. The Mt. Sinai Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. S. Rogers.

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The Gateway to Heaven Church of God in Christ, 2025 Balzar Street, will sponsor a trip to the L.A. Garment District, Saturday, April 7. For more information call 399-1125 or 647-4036. The Gateway Church of God in Christ is pastored by Elder N.T. Harris.

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The congregation of the Greater New Morning Star Baptist Church, 304 East Lake Mead, will celebrate their 25th year anniversary Friday and Saturday, April 6 and 7 at 7:00 P.M. and on Sunday, April 8 at 3:00 P.M. The New Morning Star Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. Joe Carter.

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The congregation of the Church of the Lord Jesus will

be in a revival with Rev. R.D. Warren of Houston, Texas Monday, April 2 through Sunday, April 8 at 7:00 P.M. nightly. For more information call 648-0332. The Church of the Lord Jesus is located at 1260 West Bartlett Avenue where Elder S. Victorian is the proud pastor.

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The First Pentecostal Apostolic Church, 2215 Sandfield, will have a musical service Saturday, April 7 at 7:30 P.M. at the New Light Baptist Church 1165 Lawry and Sunday, April 8 at 3:00 P.M. at First Pentecostal, featuring Sister Cheryl Darling and Blessed. For more information call 648-3333 or 438-1938. The New Light Baptist Church is pastored by Rev. John Henry and the First Pentecostal Apostolic Church is pastored by Rev. Sammy Graham.

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