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GETTING TO KNOW YOU

*New Image Ministries*  
Come & Be **CHANGED**

*May we all be changed into His Image by His Spirit that lives within us.*

*2 Cor. 3:18*

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**HAPPY ANIVERSARY**  
**NEW IMAGE MINISTRIES**  
**33 YEARS!**  
**February 18, 1988**



## **The Inner Life**

Devotional by: Elder Janet Petruzziello

Psalms 139:13 For You formed my inner most parts; You  
knit me (together)  
in my mother's womb.

We have been talking about the human soul being the  
gate of heaven & hell.

We all have experienced both in our bodies. Heaven

being joyful & hellpain and sorrow.  
God knows all our highs & lows in our human life. God  
wants us to discover our inner life.

We learned that Jesus went to the place of death within  
our bodies. He went to the  
depths of our soul. Death is the absence of life and  
another word for death is sleep.

God is waking us up to His presence within and all  
around us. This understanding  
causes us more & more to discover the Christ in us and  
everyone else. The discovery  
of Christ filling all humanity changes our minds about who  
we really are. This is  
something I contemplate!

Rev3:19 He knocked and the Heavens were opened up.  
The Inner Us! Heaven  
inside of us will change how we see things and how we  
think. It's like our minds  
are awakened to spiritual truths that will change  
everything forever.

Since this month we're celebrating our 33rd anniversary  
I thought  
it would be appropriate to end with this:

2 Cor. 3:18 Being changed from glory to glory.  
The night is falling and in the light of His glory we begin  
to see more clearly.

Happy 33rd Anniversary  
New Image Ministries



## Hello From Helen

Hello family,

I am sad to announce that we lost a beloved family member on January 9, 2021. Sister Lottie Strange passed away. Lottie, you were loved by all who knew you. We will all miss your beautiful smile and loving



ways. Rest in Peace my beautiful friend.

I didn't get to write about this in January but let me tell you what a great time we had for New Years Eve. First of all, Pastor Michael and Pastor Phil gave us wonderful words as we had a very special service. Pastor Phil Sr. prayed with us at the end of the service and it was mesmerizing, if they could keep us awake that time of night, you know that the messages were dynamic!

After the service, it was already 11:00 p.m. and we all went into the Fellowship Hall and had our last meal of 2020. There were 2 big, round sub sandwiches and then there were fried chicken wings. I have to talk about the extraordinary array of desserts, oh my goodness, I can't think of any dessert that wasn't out there. We all talked, we ate and we had a wonderful New Years Eve. At 10 seconds to midnight, Keith counted down 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, Welcome 2021!

February 18, 2021 will be the 33<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of New Image Ministries!!!!

Wow; are blessed to be here for that. We will celebrate on February 14<sup>th</sup> and I will tell you more about it in our next edition of Getting to Know You.

Deacon Ken Barnett and Deacon Patricia Barnett have been gone for a couple of weeks due to Ken's knee replacement surgery; but "They're Back". They were both at church Sunday January 10<sup>th</sup> and back up front where they belong. Ken with his new knee waking straighter than ever. We are grateful to have them back home.

Until next month,  
With God's blessings,  
Deacon Helen J. Caliendo

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# *the* GOOD News ONLY *Zone*

## MY GOOD NEWS IS....

My mother was very sick and she woke up. She is a miracle.

***Deacon Dyan Overstreet***

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I am grateful for my family and my friends.

***Eddie McIntosh***

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I started my New Year with great joy because I got a phone call from Helen.

Also, I have a brand new kitchen and we are working hard to stock it and get everything in place. It is beautiful.

I am very happy.

***Nancy Granger***

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*I'm grateful that He is our God and He is constantly watching over His people*

***Pastor Phil Porzio Sr.***

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I am grateful for my family and my friends

***Kiara Freeman***

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I am grateful for all the genuine people in my life who love me for who I am.

I am grateful for God!

***Toni Hidalgo***

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I am grateful for my job at Publix, I have a good home, and great friends like Ron.

***Terry Barney***

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I am grateful to be alive and to have good blood work results.

***Donna Cipriano***

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I am grateful just to be alive.

***Marc James***

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**“THE GOOD NEWS ONLY ZONE-MY GOOD NEWS IS...”**

*If you are grateful for a particular moment or incident or, if you spot a moment where God is intervening in your day, write it down, call me and we will share it in our newsletter. We all need a little or a lot of good news. Let's share God and His Good New with each other.*

***Deacon Helen Jill Caliendo***



## Who Am I?

I was born in Philadelphia, PA  
I also lived in Richmond, Virginia  
My favorite colors are earth tones  
I love to do things around the yard  
I don't have any pets but my favorite pets are dogs  
I once jumped out of a second story window  
My favorite memories are those of Christmas in  
the 1950's  
I have 5 living children and one who is gone  
I have worked at auto body repair, painter, correction  
officer and an investigator  
I like to cook  
My favorite meal as a child was hot dogs, fried  
potatoes and baked beans  
I enjoy listening to R & B music  
My favorite author is Ralph Waldo Emerson  
My favorite singer is Barbara Mason  
I enjoy watching action movies  
My favorite actor was John Wayne  
On T. V. I like to watch murder mysteries  
As a child I loved Rin Tin Tin



I like to travel and fly  
I have traveled a lot  
I drink Arnold Palmer lemon aid and iced-tea mixed  
together  
I would rather eat at home than dine out  
Mornings are my favorite time of day  
My favorite holiday is Christmas  
I love the smell of Lilacs  
I never have free time  
My autobiography would be titled "My Own Sanity"  
My birth was the greatest give I ever received  
I praise God for waking me up everyday  
If I could have one superpower I would want it to be  
"Discernment"  
I'm an open book  
Making others laugh is what makes me laugh  
I have a big Teddy Bear collection  
My warning label would read: "Do Not Open until  
Christmas"  
The song that sums me up is "Lift Every Voice and  
Sing"

*If you think you know who I am, contact Helen in the  
church office with your guess. All correct guesses will be  
published in next months issue of 'Getting to Know You'.*

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### **WHO AM I?**

**Meet Vanessa Stephenson**

My favorite color is green

I have a dog

One crazy thing I've done is Skydiving

I love remembering my family vacations and water  
parks as a child

I have no children

I have worked in Retail management and Visuals

I enjoy the rain  
I have seen snow in person  
I enjoy cooking  
My favorite food as a child was Pizza  
I have been in 3 hurricanes  
I like all types of music  
My favorite singer is Janet Jackson  
I love a good Comedy movie  
I am enjoy a good Sitcom  
I loved "Who's the Boss"  
I have been to Haiti on a missionary trip  
I would rather eat home cooking than dining out  
I do not workout  
My favorite holiday is Christmas  
I love the sound of beach waves  
I spend a lot of my free time with my family  
I used to play Nintendo as a kid...Super Mario  
Brothers 2 & 3  
I would sing Karaoke  
If money was no object, I would travel and volunteer  
My warning label would read: Caution! Always  
optimistic! If you complain I'll twist it around to  
yourself to see what you need to learn about yourself  
and not change the situation  
My favorite quite is: It is what it is!

## **ONE OF MY FAVORITE RECIPES**



Fried Green Tomatoes  
Submitted by Geraldine Patterson

Ingredients:

- 1 Cup Yellow Cornmeal
- $\frac{3}{4}$  tablespoon – all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon seasoned salt
- $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon – cayenne pepper
- 1 cup – buttermilk
- 5 green tomatoes sliced
- 2 to 3 tablespoons of bacon drippings or vegetable oil

**Dip** tomatoes in buttermilk

Combine cornmeal, flour, sugar, and seasonings  
Coat both sides of the tomato slices with the mixture  
Place on a wire rack and allow it to dry for ten minutes.

In a large cast iron skillet, heat drippings or shortening over medium heat  
Fry tomatoes in a single layer  
Brown each side lightly



Serve immediately

UMMM GOOD

# Valentine's

## Day With Jesus

Jesus does not send perfume  
To linger in the air  
Instead He sends salvation, sweet  
To show how much He cares.

He doesn't bring me candy hearts  
In boxes of delight  
Instead He always lets me know  
I'm precious in His sight.

He doesn't send out pretty cards  
Trimmed in shades of red  
Instead He gave His life for me  
His precious blood was shed.

He doesn't hand out fancy gifts  
Like we would send to mother  
Instead He sends a message clear  
To always love each other.

He doesn't give me teddy bears  
That whimper, "please be mine"  
Instead He gave His heart to me  
I wear it all the time.

He doesn't give me roses, pink  
For all the world to see  
Instead He gave eternal life  
That's good enough for me!

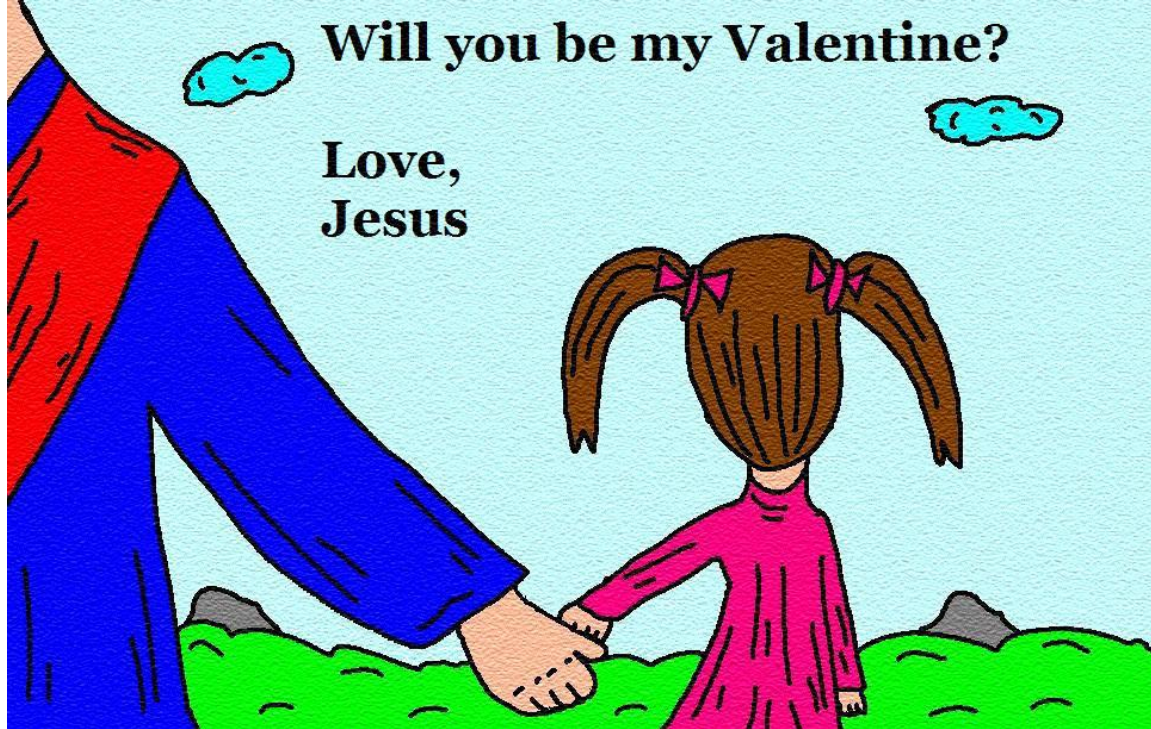
- Marilyn Ferguson-





"Hurry! Our New Year's resolutions start in ten minutes."

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## ONE OF MY FAVORITE BIBLE VERSES

### **Philemon 1:6**

I pray that your participation in the faith may become effective through knowing every good thing that is in us for the glory of Christ

There is only good in Christ

***Eddie McIntosh***

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**Psalm 126:1**

When the Lord brought back the captivity of Zion, We  
were like those who dream.

God will fulfill our dreams

***Pastor Michael Porzio***

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**Psalm 144:2 NKJV**

My loving kindness and my fortress, my high tower  
and my deliverer, my shield and the One in whom I  
take refuge. Who subdues my people under me.

He is my loving kindness

**Pastor Phil Porzio Sr.**

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**Romans 8:39**

“Nothing will be able to separate us from the love of  
God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Forever Grateful!

***Toni Hidalgo***

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**Genesis 1:1**

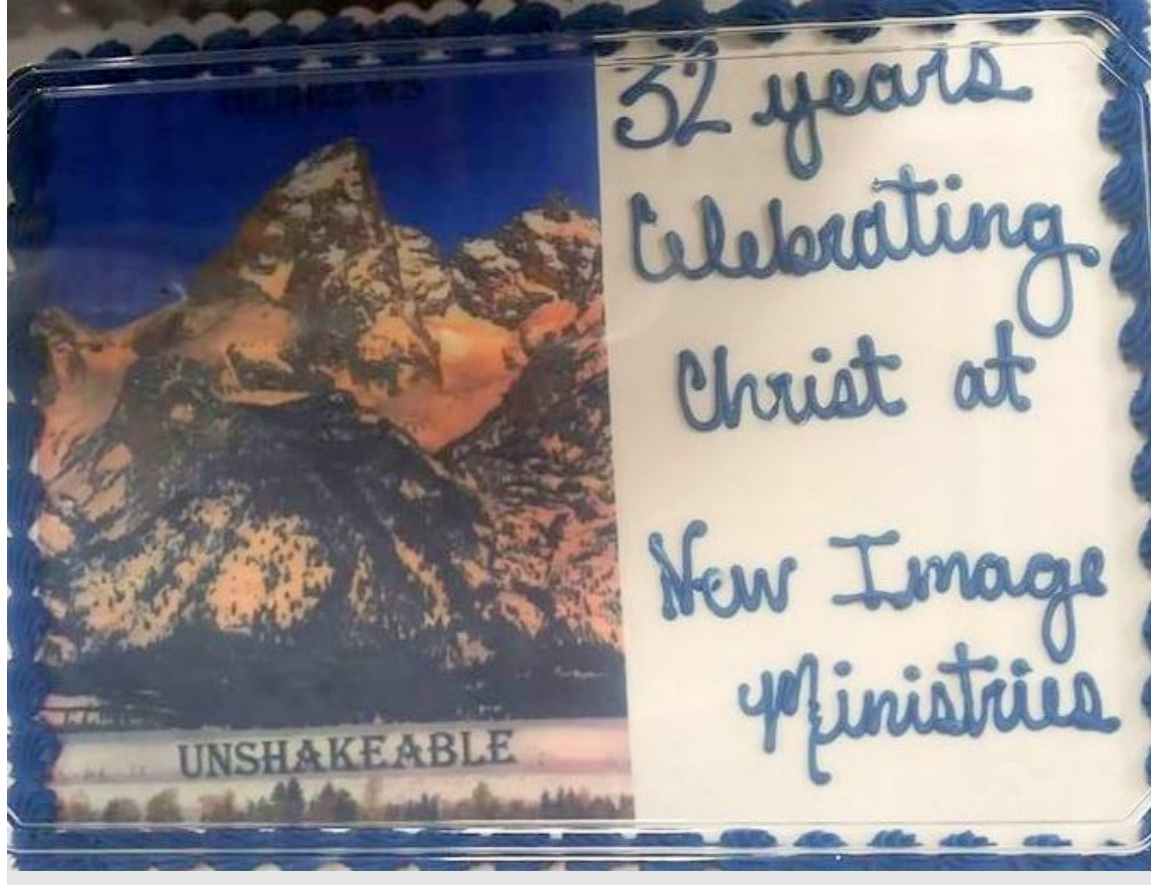
In the beginning God created the heavens and the  
earth

Because it's the beginning of everything.

***Terry Barney***

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