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City of Sierra Madre

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

From: The City of Sierra Madre
Subject: MUNICIPAL CODE TEXT AMENDMENT 17-05 – VACANT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT
Applicant: City of Sierra Madre
Project Location: Properties in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California

The City of Sierra Madre gives notice, pursuant to State of California law, that the City Council will conduct a second reading to consider adoption of Municipal Code Text Amendment 17-05 amending Title 8 of the Health and Safety Code establishing Chapter 8.18 – Vacant Residential Property Registration Requirement. The purpose of the amendment is to establish a registration program for vacant properties in the R-1 Zone (Single Family Residential), R-2 Zone (Two Family Residential), Hillside Management Zone, and Residential Canyon Zone. The purpose of the requirement is to protect neighborhoods from the effects of vacant properties that are not adequately maintained and to address health and safety issues that may arise at the property. The registration requirement will identify three responsible parties that can respond to health and safety code violations.

At the meeting on August 17, 2017, the Planning Commission conducted a public hearing and recommended to the City Council adoption of MCTA 17-05.

DATE AND TIME OF HEARING

City of Sierra Madre
City Council meeting
Tuesday November 28, 2017
(Hearing begins at 6:30 p.m.)

PLACE OF HEARING

City of Sierra Madre
City Council Chambers
232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Sierra Madre, CA

All interested persons may attend this meeting and the City Council will hear them with respect thereto.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION The Municipal Code Text Amendment is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §§ 15060(c)(2), 15060(c)(3), and 15061(b)(3). The Ordinance will not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment; the ordinance does not involve a "project" as defined by Section 15378; and the ordinance is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects that have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Therefore, it may be seen with certainty that there is no possibility this ordinance will have a significant effect on the environment.

APPEAL: If in the future anyone wishes to challenge the decision of the City Council in court, one may be limited to raising the issues that were raised or presented in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or before, the scheduled public hearing. For further information on this subject, please contact the Planning and Community Preservation Department at (626) 355-7138.

City of Sierra Madre

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

TO: CITYWIDE
FROM: THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE
SUBJECT: ORDINANCE 1394- AMENDING THE MUNICIPAL CODE TO AMEND THE 2016 CITY BUILDING CODE
APPLICANT: CITY OF SIERRA MADRE
PROJECT LOCATION: CITYWIDE

On November 14, 2017 the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre introduced for second reading Ordinance No. 1394, recommending adoption of amendments to the Municipal Code to amend the City Building Codes. The amendments to the Building Code would eliminate the permit requirement for fences up to six (6) feet in height and permit wood roof coverings on buildings except in the Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. This summary is published pursuant to Government Code Section 36933(c)(1) and a full and complete certified copy of the text of Ordinance No. 1394 is available at the Sierra Madre City Manager's office located at City of Sierra Madre City Hall, 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, CA. Ordinance 1394 becomes effective on December 14, 2017. For further information on this subject, please contact the Planning and Community Preservation Department at (626) 355-7138.

APPEAL: If in the future anyone wishes to challenge the decision of the City Council in court, one may be limited to raising the issues that were raised or presented in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or before, the scheduled public hearing. For further information on this subject, please contact the Development Services Department at (626) 355-7138.

43rd ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST CELEBRATED



In a recent broadcast news segment, Sierra Madre was called 'the Bible Belt' of the area. While that particular characterization of the city was challenged by many, it is true that certain activities are very much a part of the fabric of Sierra Madre. In particular, the Annual Community Prayer Breakfast. On Wednesday, the Sierra Madre Woman's Club held its 43rd event in the historic Essick House. The event, attended by a crowd that filled every room of the house, was a mixture of Clergy, residents, state, local and city officials, city staff and guests. It was a wonderful gathering of the diverse population of Sierra Madre. The breakfast also marked the beginning of the holiday season for many.

The event was presided over by SMWC President Beverly Clifton with Patricia Jessup-Woodlin as the Mistress of Ceremony. Thanksgiving remarks were offered by Father Michael Bamberger-Ascension Episcopal Church, Pastor Briant Cuffy - Bethany Christian Church, Deacon John Hull - St. Rita's Catholic Church, Father Alan Phillip - Mater Dolorosa Monastery. A musical selection was played on the guitar by Cantor Richard Schwartz of Temple Beth

David of Temple City., Elder Joe Rokus- Sierra Madre Church of Christ and Pastor Sangman Shin, United Methodist Church. Also in attendance was Steve Licata of the Bahai Faith.

Guests were treated to a free breakfast served by members of the Woman's Club included their famous special recipe quiche, an annual favorite.

The Sierra Madre Woman's Club, established as a voice for women in Sierra Madre in 1907. Its purpose "is to promote charitable, civic and educational advancement and social activities."

For more information on SMWC, go to: <https://www.facebook.com/SierraMadreWomansClub>.

Holiday Parking Enforcement Suspension Schedule

Thanksgiving Holiday:

Please be advised that starting at 2:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 22, 2017, there will be a City-wide exemption for parking violations relating to Permit Parking and Overnight Parking. This exemption will extend until 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, November 26, 2017, in observance of Thanksgiving. Please note that safety violations related to parking will be enforced 24/7.

Winter/New Year's Holidays:

Please be advised that starting at 2:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 16, 2017 there will be a City-wide exemption for parking violations relating to Permit Parking and Overnight Parking. This exemption will extend until 2:00 a.m. on Tuesday, January 2, 2018, in observance of the holiday season. Please note that safety violations related to parking will be enforced 24/7.

There will be Officers on staff, 24/7 to handle enforceable parking issues and safety violations during these times.

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REMEMBRANCE

KATHERINE BUCHAN 1948-2017

Katherine Buchan, 68, of Sierra Madre passed away Wednesday, November 15th, 2017. She was born December 21, 1948 in Pasadena, California. Daughter of Charles and Grace Whitley. She spent her career as a nurse in many different hospitals; she truly loved to care for people.

Kathy is survived by her husband, Ashleigh Buchan Jr of 31 years, Sister Janet, three sons, Douglas Heiberg, James Heiberg, Ash Buchan III and wife Margy, two daughters, Leslie Ary, Amanda Morrison and husband Mikah. She had ten grandchildren, Deven, Madi, Tanner, Tatum Luke, Robbie, Nolan, McKenly, Emme, Maisyn and one great-granddaughter, Paysli. She loved music and going to concert venues with her husband. She loved Sierra Madre, football, animals, cooking, but most of all she loved her family and friends. She will be sorely missed.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, November 25th at 3pm at The Episcopal Church of the Ascension, 25 E. Laurel Ave, Sierra Madre followed by a ceremony at Sierra Madre Pioneer Cemetery and reception at the Buchan Residence at 185 Santa Anita Ct, Sierra Madre.



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Thur:	Sunny	Hi 90s	Lows 60s
Fri:	Ptly Cldy	Hi 80s	Lows 60s

Forecasts courtesy of the National Weather Service

CITY OF SIERRA MADRE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings listed below are held at City Hall 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sierra Madre, Ca. 626-355-7135

NEXT REGULAR November 28, 2017
6:30 pm

1630 AM EMERGENCY RADIO & Free on-air publicity for local events

Sierra Madre's EMERGENCY radio station is now accepting scripts for Public Service Announcements (PSAs) about community events. PSAs will be broadcast on the air at no charge. The station operates 24/7 and can be heard at 1630 on the AM dial.

Any local non-profit or non-commercial organization can have their event information broadcast to the public on Sierra Madre Community Information Radio. The station covers the city of Sierra Madre, plus surrounding areas of Pasadena, Arcadia, and Monrovia.

Your event must:

- Benefit a non-commercial or non-profit entity
- Be open to the public
- Be of general interest to local citizens

Just write a Public Service Announcement that describes your event and e-mail it to radio@cityofsierramadre.com.



SIERRA MADRE CITY MEETINGS

Regular City Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 28, 2017,
6:30 pm

Can't make it to the meeting, but still want to share your thoughts? You can mail or drop off a written statement to City Hall or email city@cityofsierramadre.com before 30 the night of the meeting and your statement will be delivered to all the Council Members. Sierra Madre City Hall 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Sierra Madre, CA 91024 (626) 355-7135

City Council

November 14, 2017 at 6:30 pm
November 28, 2017 at 6:30 pm

Planning Commission
November 16, 2017 at 7:00 pm

Community Service Commission
November 20, 2017 at 6:30 pm

Senior Community Commission
November 2, 2017 at 3:00 pm

Library Board of Trustees
November 23, 2017 at 7:00 pm

Energy, Environment, and Natural Resource Commission
November 15, 2017 at 7:00 pm

SIERRA MADRE POLICE BLOTTER

November 5 to November 12, 2017, During this time period, the Sierra Madre Police Department responded to approximately 291 day and night time calls for service.

Monday, November 6

A vehicle burglary occurred on Mt. Wilson Trail Ave. north of Mira Monte Ave. between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 a.m. The passenger side window was pried open and two items were taken. Money was later withdrawn from the victim's personal and business checking account with a total loss amounting to \$1098.75. 4:45p.m. Officers responded to a business in the 100 block of W. Sierra Madre Blvd. for a commercial burglary investigation. It appeared that on Saturday November 4, 2017 at approximately 5:32 p.m., an unknown subject entered the restaurant through an unlocked door, during regular business hours. The subject entered the restaurant's office and removed \$500.00 from the restaurant's cash drawer, as well as, \$150.00 from a victim's purse. The suspect then fled westbound from the location. Case to Detectives 7:13 p.m. Officers responded to a medical assist call in the 400 block of Santa Anita Ct. The male was found deceased inside the home due to an apparent suicide.

Tuesday, November 7

A victim of a phone scam came to the station lobby to file a fraud report. The victim stated that she received a call from "Apple" that her computer had been hacked and she should call customer service for help. The victim called the number she was given and was told she should purchase several iTunes gift cards. She was instructed to call back with the serial numbers. The victim did as she was told, then discovered after calling Apple Support that she had been defrauded of \$1800.00 Case to Detectives

Wednesday, November 8

At about 6:23 a.m. a traffic collision involving two vehicles that occurred in the 00 block of E. Sierra Madre Blvd. The injured drivers were treated by Sierra Madre Fire Dept. and San Marino Paramedics at the scene. One of the driver's was transported to a local hospital for further treatment. 8:30 a.m.

An injury traffic collision involving a vehicle and a bicyclist occurred in the 600 block of E. Sierra Madre Blvd. The bicyclist was treated by the Sierra Madre Paramedics at the scene then transported to a local hospital for further treatment. 6:24 p.m. Officers responded to an abandoned residence that was vandalized by unknown suspect(s) in the 700 block of Baldwin Ct.

Saturday, November 11 An injury traffic collision involving two vehicles occurred at the intersection N. Hermosa Ave. and W. Montecito Ave. The drivers were treated by Sierra Madre Fire and Paramedics at the scene. One of the driver's was transported to a local hospital for treatment.



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2017
12 NOON

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Like mother, like daughter, Liz Skandale, left, of Sierra Madre, adds final touches to decorations for the Annual Benefit Luncheon of the Philoptochos Society of Saint Anthony Greek Orthodox Church, Pasadena, with her mother, Katherine Skandale. Liz is co-chairman of the 48th annual benefit this year, as her mother, Katherine, was twice before. Katherine also has served 3 terms as president of Saint Anthony Philoptochos.

The Christmas boutique, gifts and Santa's Kitchen will start at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 2, followed by luncheon, entertainment and fashion show in the Langham Huntington Hotel, Pasadena.

The luncheon theme will be The Gifts of Saint Nicholas. Proceeds from the event will benefit Philoptochos charities, which this year include Club 21, Pasadena, and Children of the Night.

Fifteen members of the committee live in Arcadia or Pasadena. Mrs. Skandale lives in LaCanada.

For reservations or more information, please call the church office, (626) 449-6943

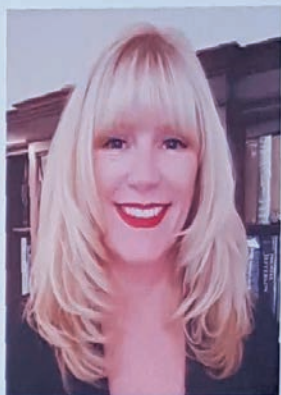
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Walking Sierra Madre...The Social Side

by Deanne Davis

Walking Sierra Madre this time of year is a delight, pure and simple. There are still pumpkins on lots of folks' porches, which will last for months, till the squirrels find a weak spot. Those easterners who say we don't have Autumn color haven't seen OUR leaves and it will probably never feel like Fall, but the weather reports from Texas, where I will be celebrating Thanksgiving have included cold and rain. With any kind of luck, that will end before I get there. We'll be celebrating granddaughter, Jessie's 10th birthday, too, and I'm looking forward to being there.

I expect we're all doing something about Thanksgiving. Brining our turkey (best thing ever for a moist and tender Festive Bird!) latest brining I read about was a sugar and salt rub inside and out of the aforementioned Festive Bird. You might be in charge of pie making and mashed sweet potatoes mixed with sautéed apple chunks, butter, cinnamon and a little salt are fabulous. Best of all, is inviting family and friends to share the feast and all the familiar family stories. Like this one, but I know none of you folks have ever had the following experience...

The Ghost of Thanksgivings Past

The Festive Bird is in the stove,
And time now for a nap.
I laid me down, closed my eyes,
And at the window heard a tap.

It's far too soon for guests to come,
I need a little peace!
The stuffing's ready, cranberries chillin',
Pies overflow with pumpkin fillin'.

The tap just keeps on at my window,
But I'm not gonna look!
There's nothing more for me to do,
This is one tired and sleepy cook.

So I snuggled deep down in my afghan,
Turned my head the other way.
I don't care who's at that window,
They can tap all day.

Off I went to slumberland and dreamed a lovely dream,
A kitchen, clean and washed and spotless, everything just right.
But then I dreamt a dreadful dream,
That made me shriek with fright!

The tapping at my window,
More insistent grew.
And what was out there tapping,
I'll now describe to you.

The Ghost of my Thanksgivings Past,

A turkey that was huge!
Tapped an enormous beak at my window,
And gobbled.... "J' accuse!"

"Forty Thanksgivings, and more," he said,
"Since you walked down the aisle.
Forty turkeys you've served up,
With sweet potatoes and a smile."

"Forty turkeys come and gone,
And still your gravy's awful!
And the year the turkey hit the floor,
Should be declared... unlawful!"

"Most of them were nicely done, I'll give you that," he said.
"But some were cooked so badly,
You should have ordered Chinese instead!"
What an awful dream, I thought, as I cowered in my bed.

The Ghostly Turkey wasn't finished,
With his accusations many.
And I, offering excuses,
Discovered I hadn't any!

But then he smiled and said to me,
"Your crimes are all forgiven.
For those who've gathered at your table,
Have rejoiced and laughed for hours."

"We turkeys relish meals like these,
They are sweet as summer flowers!"

Enjoy today, with friends and family,
Gathered 'round your table,
Give thanks for health and joy and peace...
Then share this Thanksgiving fable."

And with a last gobble...gobble, the Ghost of Thanksgivings Past,
Flew up, up, and away...
And I heard him exclaim, ere he flew out of sight...
"Happy Thanksgiving to all...
And for heaven's sake, learn to make better gravy!"

Happy Thanksgiving to you all! Hope it's the best one ever!

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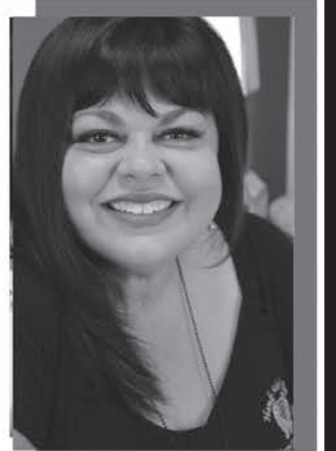


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The Women's Room (TWR) is a daytime refuge for women who are alone and homeless or at risk of homelessness. Art is a way that guests of TWR express

themselves to sustain self-respect and a spirit that keeps them going. Paintings and other art pieces will be available for purchase as a donation. Proceeds will benefit The Women's Room.

Further information is available on the Friends In Deed website frinedsindeedpas.org. Although the reception is free, a favor of a reply is requested and can be made on the website or calling 626-797-2402.

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Thanksgiving Closures, Reminders

Pasadena residents and businesses are reminded that City Hall and most City services will be closed on Thanksgiving and Friday.

Pasadena's Water and Power (PWP) Customer Service Call Center will be closed both days, but customers can make payments by phone at (626) 744-4005 or online at PWPweb.com. The Municipal Services Payment Center at City Hall will be closed both days.

The Citizen Service Center at cityofpasadena.net/Citizen-Service-Center will be closed Thanksgiving Day, but will be open to take your calls at (626) 744-7311 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Regular refuse and recycling collection for Thursday (Thanksgiving Day) will occur on Friday, and Friday's collection will be on Saturday, Nov. 25. No pickups for bulky items will be scheduled on Thanksgiving Day, but will resume Friday.

Pasadena Transit and Dial-A-Ride transportation programs will not operate on Thursday but will resume regular service on Friday. All parking meters are free and parking time limits will not be enforced on Thanksgiving Day, but shoppers are advised that all regular meter enforcement will resume on Friday. Violations for overnight parking restrictions, red curb and blocking fire hydrants will continue to be issued both days.

All Pasadena Public Library sites will close at 5 p.m., Wednesday and will be closed the following two days. All Recreation and Community Centers will be closed on both days, but all parks will be open. No site reservations are accepted for the holiday.

Call 9-1-1 for life-threatening emergencies. For non-emergencies, call (626) 744-4241.

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November is Adopt a Senior Pet Month and 8-year-old Aguila (A444215) is a brown german shepherd, who is hoping to find her forever home. If you want a dog to greet you happily when you get home from work, Aguila is your girl. She comes right up to the front of her kennel when volunteers, staff, and visitors come by. She has a lot of energy and gets excited when it's time for a walk. If you're looking for an active, but older dog, Aguila might be your new friend!

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New adopters will receive a complimentary health-and-wellness exam from VCA Animal Hospitals, as well as a goody bag filled with information about how to care for your pet.

Call the Pasadena Humane Society & SPCA at (626) 792-7151 to ask about A444215, or visit at 361 S. Raymond Ave. in Pasadena. Adoption hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday; and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Pets may not be available for adoption and cannot be held for potential adopters by phone calls or email. Directions and photos of all pets can be found at pasadenahumane.org.

Dinner in the Park to Feed Thousands Thanksgiving

Union Station Homeless Services is again set to feed over 1,000 less fortunate people this Thanksgiving as part of their annual Dinner in the Park in Central Park. The event includes 250 turkeys donated by Trader Joe's stores to be prepared by The Pasadena Convention Center and Centerplate.

This is Union Station's 46th year hosting holiday dinner events on both Thanksgiving and Christmas Day.

Anyone hungry this Thanksgiving is welcome.

"This uplifting community event provides thousands of holiday meals and hope for all who attend, including homeless men, women, children, seniors, very low-income families, and those with no place to go during



the holidays," organizers of the event said. "The impact of the event in the community is large because of your help." Organizers said the volunteer list is full but donations, such as, store-bought pies, aluminum pans, serving utensils and potholders and can be dropped off at Union Station, 412 S. Raymond Ave. or Central Park, 275 S. Raymond Ave, Thanksgiving morning.

They further said that Union Station cannot accept prepared food as a donation

because of city health regulations.

Started in 1973, Union Station offers a full continuum of nine programs throughout the San Gabriel Valley. Services for the homeless include street outreach, intake/assessment, care coordination and navigation, meals, shelter, housing, employment development, benefits enrollment, and referrals to medical and mental health services. For more information visit: unionstationhs.org.

Pacific Asia Museum Free Admission

USC Pacific Asia Museum announced Tuesday free admission December 8 through 17 and a schedule of free public programs through January to celebrate the grand reopening after the seismic retrofit of its 1924 Chinese Qing Dynasty-inspired home.

The seismic retrofit strengthened the building's foundation and added additional gallery space for special exhibitions. In addition to the special programs and exhibition, the building will reopen with a refreshed 21st century look, featuring an updated gallery flow, a new visitor center and gift shop, plus museum admission will now be free every Thursday from 5-8pm.

Enjoy FREE admission and explore the exhibitions Artmaking@PAM Sunday, December 17, 12:00pm - 4:00pm

Collaborative paper cut artmaking activity inspired by Mexican papel picado and Chinese jianzhe for PST LA/LA Pasadena and

San Marino Regional Day. All ages are welcome to participate in this artmaking activity focused on themes of cultural exchange and collaboration between Chinese and Mexican art and artists.

Free Second Sunday Sunday, January 14, 12:00pm - 4:00pm

Family day focused on Chinese animated film Uproar in Heaven with animation and character design artmaking activity for all ages.

Film@PAM Sunday, January 14, 2:00pm - 4:30pm

Join us for screening of Uproar in Heaven the 1964 feature-length animated film from China. Followed by a conversation facilitated by USC Ph.D. candidate Melissa Chan. Mandarin Chinese dialogue. English subtitles. Recommended for ages 8+

Conversation@PAM: Martial Arts in 1960s Chinese Cinema Thursday, January 18, 7:00pm - 8:30pm

This edition of Conversation@PAM will examine the connections between King Hu's martial arts films and the emergence of martial arts film as a genre

ALTADENA POLICE BLOTTER

Sunday, November 5th

9:15 PM – A petty theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 1300 block of Altadena Drive. Stolen: checkbook and insurance cards.

Monday, November 6th

3:20 PM – Pheonna Williams, 29 years old of Ontario was arrested in the 2100 block of Lincoln Avenue for possession of a controlled substance.

5:37 PM – Derek Clabber, 53 years old of Los Angeles was arrested in the 30 block of W. Harriet Street for possession of a concealed dirk/dagger.

Tuesday, November 7th

5:32 AM – A domestic battery occurred in the 2100 block of Summit Avenue.

11:59 AM – An assault with a deadly weapon occurred in the 2100 block of El Sereno Avenue. Suspects described as two males.

1:15 PM – An assault with a deadly weapon occurred in the 3100 block of Glenrose Avenue. Suspect has been identified as a juvenile.

4:30 PM – A petty theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 700 block of New York Drive. Stolen: black briefcase containing credit cards, iPhones, and mail.

8:30 PM – A petty theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 20 block of W. Loma Alta Drive. Stolen: children toys.

10:00 PM – A petty theft occurred in the 2500 block of El Sol Avenue. Suspect has been identified. Stolen: luggage rack bars.

11:30 PM – A petty theft from an unlocked vehicle occurred in the 3400 block of Fair Oaks Avenue. Stolen: vehicle keys and wallet.

Wednesday, November 8th

11:01 AM – A residential vandalism occurred in the 2900 block of Lake Avenue. Suspect(s) shattered the rear sliding door.

9:00 PM – A vehicle vandalism occurred in the 2100 block of Lincoln Avenue. Suspect(s) shattered a window.

11:00 PM – A petty theft of a bicycle occurred in the 300 block of Ventura Street. Stolen: black Diamond Back mountain bicycle with blue stripes, green seat, and green pedals.

Thursday, November 9th

8:00 AM – A residential burglary occurred in the 1600 block of Wood Glen Lane. Suspect(s) entered the residence by shattering the window. Stolen: unknown.

Friday, November 10th

1:05 AM – A robbery occurred in the 3200 block of Olive Avenue. One suspect was taken into custody and one remains outstanding. Investigation is on-going.

3:14 AM – A commercial burglary occurred in the 2400 block of N. Lake Avenue. Suspect(s) entered the location by shattering the window. Stolen: unknown.

11:50 AM – A vehicle was reported stolen from the 300 block of W. Mendocino Street. Vehicle described as a red 2014 Dodge Ram.

2:00 PM – Darren Sullivan, 52 years old of Pasadena was arrested in the 2600 block of N. Fair Oaks Avenue for possession of a controlled substance.

Saturday, November 11th

4:16 PM – Sebastian Robledo, 49 years old of Pasadena was arrested in the 2200 block of Raymond Lane for possession of a controlled substance.

Mayor's Holiday Tree Lighting Celebration

City officials are inviting the public, next week, to join Pasadena Mayor Terry Tornek as he lights the city's holiday tree starting the tree light celebration.

The Mayor's Annual Holiday Tree Lighting Celebration is 5-7 p.m., Friday, Dec. 1 on the front steps of our historic City Hall. The event begins with music and entertainment, followed by the Tree Lighting at 6 p.m.

Jolly Ol' Santa promises to make a special appearance following the tree lighting and will be here for a photo op (one per family) until



7 p.m.–be sure to bring your cameras and your best holiday sweater.

Once again, we ask, in the Spirit of the Holidays, bring an unwrapped new toy or sports equipment for the Spark of Love Toy Drive—and help pack the Pasadena Fire Department Ambulance.

The Pasadena Symphony at All Saints Church

Pasadena Symphony's annual Holiday Candlelight concert returns to All Saints Church on Saturday, December 16. Having sold out for the past six years, the symphony will offer two performances to meet community demand at 4:00pm and 7:00pm. The architecturally exquisite and acoustically sonorous All Saints Church, provides the perfect setting to hear your holiday favorites - all performed by candlelight. Audiences are going to love each and every moment of this cherished holiday tradition.

The program has something for everyone, from traditional holiday classics to popular

standards. Hear God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen, Silent Night, Go Tell It On the Mountain, Hallelujah! and many more favorites. The venue will again offer fully individual assigned seating available throughout All Saints' glorious interior, ensuring that the audience can enjoy their experience with ease and have a well-deserved break from the hustle and bustle of the season.

Tickets to Holiday Candlelight with the Pasadena Symphony are limited and will sell out. Reservations start at \$20 and may be purchased either at pasadenasympphony-pops.org or by calling the box office at (626) 793-7172.

Free Events Roundup at the Pasadena Senior Center

There is something for everyone in November at the Pasadena Senior Center, 85 E. Holly St. You do not have to be a member to attend. Some events require advance reservations as noted.

Scenic Walkers Club – Wednesdays, to Nov. 29, at 10 a.m. Enjoy a series of leisurely walks in the great outdoors at locations throughout the west San Gabriel Valley. Alan Colville will give you a list of items to bring, let you know what to expect, provide detailed itineraries and arrange transportation. For more information or to sign up, email alancolville@charter.net.

Domino Club – Thursdays, to Nov. 30, at 1 p.m. New and experienced players will enjoy a rollicking version of Chicken Foot Dominoes that will have everyone cracking up! For more information call Vicki Leigh at 928-478-4654.

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Music – Tuesdays, to Nov. 28, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Tom Campbell will play guitar and sing songs in the Senior Center Lounge. Stop by and enjoy his covers of traditional country, country rock, blues, folk, gospel and classic rock originally made famous by Willie Nelson, Merle Haggard, Vince Gill, Elvis Presley, B.B. King, Neil Young, The Grateful Dead, The Rolling Stones and many more.

Long-Term Care and Retirement Income – Thursday, Nov. 30, at 10 a.m. Do you know which financial tools you need to navigate through your retirement? Learn how to guarantee your retirement income for the rest of your life, maximize your Social Security benefits and avoid the biggest retirement risks. Presented by New York Life. For more information visitpasadenaseniiorcenter.org or call 626-795-4331.



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST Structure of a News Story

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PASADENA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ORGANIZES MENTOR NIGHT FOR HEALTH CAREERS ACADEMY STUDENTS AT BLAIR HIGH SCHOOL IN PUSD

PASADENA, CA- Amy Foell, the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce Workforce Development director, organized the third speed mentoring session at Blair High School on Wednesday evening, November 8th. Business partners met dozens of students in the Health Careers Academy for mentoring sessions and mock interviews.

"Words cannot express my gratitude to all of the business partners for showing up to support our students," Ms. Foell said of the event. "Because of our Chamber member businesses, our juniors have increased insight and awareness regarding the vast career options as well as what it takes to secure a job."

Students had a chance to interact with professionals from the Pasadena community during the 90 minute session. "The Health Career Academy of Blair High School appreciates the time and effort local business people put into making our third annual speed mentoring event a huge success," said Ms. Foell.

The Pasadena Chamber coordinates work-based learning experiences to better prepare Pasadena

Unified School District students for college and careers through guest speakers, job shadows, summer internships and advisory board membership.

Any potential business partner wanting to be part of the effort can contact Amy Foell at 626-795-3355 or via email to amy@pasadena-chamber.org.

The Pasadena Chamber of Commerce is a business service member organization that works to ensure the prosperity of its members through a variety of offerings including referrals, networking, workshops and seminars, events and much more. The Chamber serves 1450-member companies. For the past two and a half years, the Chamber has worked to support the College and Career Pathways programs of Pasadena Unified School District by providing work-based learning opportunities.

The Chamber has placed more than 300 students in internships with local companies, brought dozens of classroom speakers to local high schools, provided hundreds of students with job shadow and field trip opportunities and externships for teachers.

GOLDENWORDS:

Dr. Dan's College Corner

DISPELLING DANGEROUS MYTHS IN THE COLLEGE PROCESS

Myths, those stories so commonly in circulation that they are taken as truths, are rampant in the college search, comparison and application stages. Some of these legends are particularly distracting and unfounded, and can constrain high school candidates from exploring all their options in finding the right place in the higher education marketplace. Here are some favorites to consider and avoid:

--"It can't be a good school because I never heard of it" Friends, family, uncle Lou and even some guidance counselors can't be on top of the close to 4000 four-year institutions out there in the US and Canada (stand by for a future column on the terrific opportunities for US nationals across the border for innovative academic programs at excellent price points). Candidates with zip-code flexibility should look at schools their high school classmates examined and even enrolled at, then crosscheck for the "cousin" institutions. (ex. If you look at Bates College, you might also consider other regional smaller liberal arts schools in the Northeast and elsewhere--Bowdoin, Colby, Trinity (CT), Connecticut College).

--"You should go for most prestigious brand name undergrad school you can." Well, it's a telling comment on narrowness of vision to learn that 75% of high school seniors apply to the same 250 undergraduate schools with entrance expectations that range from really difficult to astronomically-unlikely. We suggest you remember that it's your GRADUATE schooling that offers the great leveraging brand name effect.

Ah, you say, "but how can I get into Harvard Medical School unless I go to Princeton as an undergrad?" Look at the undergraduate colleges of record for first year medical students at Harvard, or first year law students at Yale, say. Surprises abound--Hanover College, Sonoma State, Bemidji State, Scripps College, Macalester College--these schools are among the 'sending' institutions that have fed enrollment at such prestigious graduate programs. You can get there from anywhere if you can become a winning candidate, really. We'll talk about exactly how to be that candidate in a future column.

--"My best price value will be at a UC or Cal State school." The vagaries of state budget cycles can wreak havoc on a student's plan to get through a UC or CSU institution in four years. You might actually need up to 15 extra months, for instance, to complete your pre-med requirements at UCLA because some crucial course sections could be cut by funding slashes. An extra year and trimester of costs might wipe out any ostensible in-state financial advantage.

What if you won a strong discount from a great smaller school, like Occidental if you're insistent on staying around this area? You'll likely graduate within four years,

and, as you'll learn in a future column, you'll be taught most of the time by real professors and will have earlier and deeper chances to do research with those faculty members, too. This isn't always the case at major Research I universities.

--"I can't leave California!" Most students want to go to college within a day's ride of home--but that can essentially mean anywhere in the US or Canada if your ride is a Boeing 757. Cali kids are really in demand across the country because they bring new and different perspectives to their destination colleges. The farther you go from LA, the more intriguing you'll be. And, if you come from a historically-underrepresented cultural group, you might even be more intriguing, as one of my students from Samoa learned in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

And, there'll be enough other Californians wherever you go to lament together over the absence of In-N-Out in Bloomington or Ann Arbor or Burlington, really. Californians often make up the second or third largest population by state at many universities and colleges. Go away to college, come back for your interning, job searches and graduate training? Sounds like a great way to learn about another part of your country (or Canada, as I suggested above!).

There are other myths we can cover, and my next column will address the "Big School/Small School" folklore. As a prelude consider this: wherever you do go off to college, research tells us that you will have a 'portfolio' of friends that hovers around 90-95 other students across class years. That seems to be about all the 'relational space' students have, given their busy undergrad lives. How you find your portfolio players will differ, depending on a school's size or culture. Tune in for more on this topic, and learn about fabulous honors colleges embedded in big universities--a chance to have the best of both worlds of school sizes.

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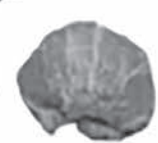
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THANKFUL GIVING HELPS KEEP THEM LIVING

Thanksgiving is once again upon us, reminding us of the many blessings we have to be grateful for. It is the season to share special times around the table with family and friends, and it is also a time to share with others who are less fortunate than ourselves.

There are numerous non-profit programs that one can participate in to help facilitate the thankful giving process, not the least of which are those focused on helping animals. With countless precious pets locked up in shelters hoping to be given a second chance at life and certain few lucky ones who've temporarily escaped that fateful destiny through the kindness of rescues and foster families, there is no shortage of ways we can give to help animals live.

Here is a list of non-profit organizations that offer unique and easy ways of spreading the wealth to help animals in need. These are groups with which I am personally familiar and have had positive experiences. It is actually the short list, as there are far too many to include in this short column.

Animazonia Wildlife Foundation - www.animazonia.org - Located in Perris, CA, Animazonia provides a permanent sanctuary for big cats and other exotic animals rescued from threatening conditions in captivity or displaced from the wild. Their 2015 fall fundraising is officially launched - You can shop and support them at two upcoming events: Talbots - Pasadena, Wed. Dec. 2, 5-8 PM, 497 South Lake Ave. Pasadena, 10% of purchases go to Animazonia. And: Strands of Harmony Jewelry Sale at Pasadena Senior Center, Dec.12, 1-4PM, 485 Holly St., Pasadena. Visit their website to learn more about the wonderful work they do and to make a donation, and Like them on Facebook for updates on their activities throughout the year.

Basset Hound Rescue So. Cal. (BHRSC) - www.basethoundrescuesocal.com - BHRSC's mission is to offer sanctuary, healing and forever families to distressed, abandoned, injured or homeless hounds. With a dedicated team of good-hearted hound lovers, they succeed in placing hundreds of otherwise homeless, hopeless hounds in permanent caring homes each year. Like them on Facebook and visit their website for details on fostering, volunteering and donating to this awesome, pawsome cause.

Companion Animal Rescue Effort (CARE) - www.carepets.org - CARE is a "no-kill" rescue group whose mission is to find forever loving homes for owner-relinquished, abandoned, abused or otherwise neglected puppies & dogs. Visit their website for heart-warming stories of successful adoptions they've facilitated and detailed information on how you can help through volunteerism or an instant cash donation.

Gentle Barn - www.gentlebarn.org - Saving neglected, abused or retired barnyard animals while making an enormous impact on special needs children, this organization has facilities in various states including California (just 40 miles north of LA). Donating to this group is guaranteed to reap a win-win benefit for both barn animals and needy kids alike! Visit their website for more information and details on how you can help.

National Disaster Search Dog Foundation - www.searchdogfoundation.org - With a motto of, "From Rescued to Rescuer", this group is committed to saving the lives of would-be shelter and otherwise euthanized dogs, and training them to save the lives of humans through their

Happy Tails

by Chris Leclerc



Canine Disaster Search Team program. What better time then now, to join them in their mission to strengthen disaster response in America? Their website provides all the details you need to get involved or make a donation. Also, be sure to Like them on Facebook.

Ojai Raptor Center (ORC) - www.ojairaptorcenter.org - ORC's core goals are to rescue, rehabilitate and release birds of prey and other wildlife. They are equally dedicated to educating the public about local raptor species and how human intervention affects them. The important work they do is definitely worthy of our support. Visit their website and Like them on Facebook to learn more about how you can take part in helping keep our bird of prey population in a healthy balance with nature.

Peaceful Valley Donkey Rescue - www.donkeyrescue.org - With a network of rescue professionals stretching from coast to coast, PVDR provides rescue and rehabilitation services to thousands of donkeys suffering from abuse, neglect and abandonment throughout the United States. You'll find informative videos, photos & text content on their website where you'll find it very easy to make a donation, and stay informed by following them on Facebook. One look at the faces of the darling donkeys they've saved and you will definitely want to get on board with supporting their worthy efforts.

Recycled Love Dog Rescue - www.recycledlovedogrescue.org - An all breed dog rescue dedicated to the belief that humans are morally responsible to assist in and/or rescue homeless, abused, neglected and abandoned animals, to be a voice for the voiceless. They rescue dogs from high-kill shelters and those about to be surrendered to the shelter system from all over the US. They take in sick, broken, elder, terrified, mom and babies. They are all examined by their contracted veterinarian, treated and rehabilitated until they are ready for the new chapter of their life.

San Gabriel Valley Humane Society - www.sgvhumane.org - Committed to providing a compassionate environment for the well being of animals, SGVHS is focused on the care and placement of family pets. They offer a plethora of practical programs for animal lovers to take part in, including Fall is for Felines, Race for the Rescues, Strut Your Mutt Dog Walking Event, and their Help Hoppy Holiday Fund Drive. Like them on Facebook and see their website for details on creative ways you can help save thousands of kitties and canines!

I hope you will join me in giving with a grateful heart this holiday season, knowing that your contribution, great or small, will make a difference. Love and let live!



A HOME BY THANKSGIVING?

Katnip News!



Pure Cuteness! Meet DUSTY, a most fetching little girl! Dusty is a pretty tortoiseshell, born 7/2017. She is very social and playful. Dusty can be adopted alone, or with another kitten.

Her video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=17&v=akHwVjXjzRo

Adoption fee is \$100, which includes spay, microchip, exam & vaccines. A great savings! Our cats are negative FELV/FIV unless otherwise indicated.

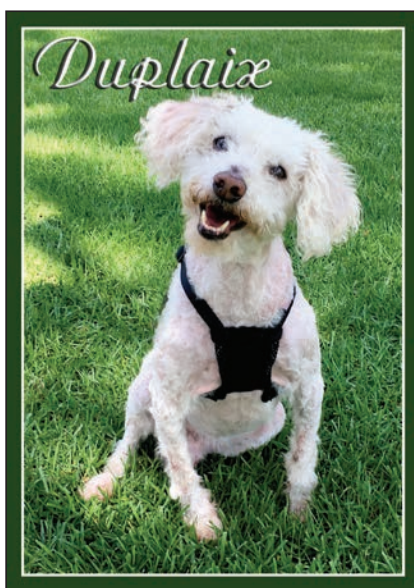
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BEST FRIEND

Duplaix is a sweet 10-year-old poodle mix that was found living on the streets. He is a medium sized boy, weighing close to 20 pounds. Duplaix is friendly, likes people and enjoys getting attention. He also has huge ears that have a big wingspan, giving him a great sense of hearing. This smart boy knows how to sit on command for treats. Duplaix is also quite a talker and almost seems able to verbalize words if we could only speak his language. He is also quite affectionate and in spite of his size, he loves to be on someone's lap sharing the love. He seems new to socializing with other dogs, but he is very eager to meet them and is still learning how to play. Duplaix does like playing with toys, fetching them and chewing on them. He is excited to go for walks and has a medium energy level. Duplaix is a happy dog, just full of



personality and he deserves a loving home. He would love to have a conversation with you. Why don't you come in to meet him soon? November is Adopt a Senior Pet month! His special adoption fee this month is \$39, which includes spay surgery, a microchip, first vaccinations and a free wellness check-up at a participating veterinarian. Duplaix also qualifies for our "Senior for Senior" discount program. ID#30925. Feel free to call us at (626) 286-1159 for more information. He currently resides at the San Gabriel Valley Humane Society located at 851 E. Grand Avenue in San Gabriel which is located off San Gabriel Blvd, north of Mission and south of Las Tunas Drive. To arrange a 'Meet and Greet', please stop by any time from 10:30am to 4:30pm Tuesday through Sunday. Website: www.sgvhumane.org.

HEALTHY LIFESTYLES THE JOY OF YOGA UNLOCK ABUNDANCE



Besides resisting negativity and building inner power, what else is going to ignite the spark of optimism?

You guessed it — gratitude! The welcomed annual November reminder to take stock of our lives is upon us. When gratitude is in present-moment awareness, we experience satisfaction and comfort. The search for the next best thing is subdued. It's the ideal place to be. Gratitude is one of my favorite topics to write about. The very fabric of my being operates on it. I have learned to be grateful for every thing that has happened in my life to this point, including every decision, circumstance, and experience. Past and present, each day has made me who I am today. In fact, some of those not-so-great experiences are my greatest assets and have been the greatest opportunity makers for growth.

In this way of thinking, I stay teachable and willing to learn. Although I don't always feel successful, I put great effort into letting go of what isn't, what wasn't, and what will never be. This is acceptance and, with

acceptance, I can then turn my attention to what I DO have and what IS possible. This creates momentum and positivity in every area of my life. There is ALWAYS at least one thing to be grateful for like clean running water, food, shelter, friends, family, yoga, meditation, and the list goes on and on!

The next step is putting gratitude into action. Taking special care of my body through yoga, meditation, diet, exercise and adequate rest is key. Nurturing my mind and spirit through education, service, and spending time with loved ones is important. If I do these things, I can move into each day with my best foot forward. Yoga builds awareness; it wakes us up. If I'm awake, conscious, and engaged, I am looking for gratitude and miracles in my life. They become recognizable because I see clearly.

What are you grateful for? What are the ways in which you can cultivate a daily practice of gratitude?

Namaste and Love,
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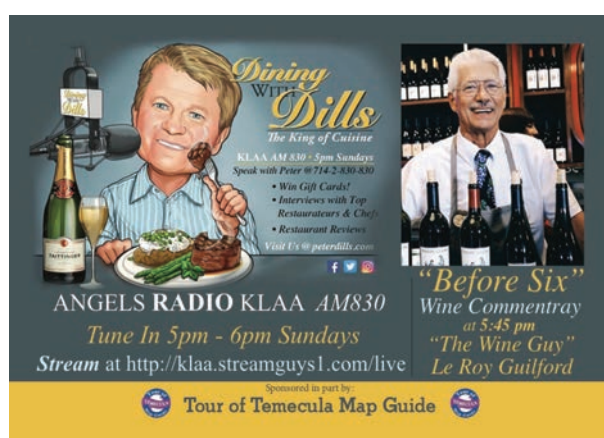
DILLS WINE PICKS FOR YOUR TURKEY

Thanksgiving is upon us and it is my sworn duty to come up with a handful of wines that will go with a traditional oven baked turkey /smoked turkey, even the duck substitution will go well with my list. First, sorry in advance for all my chardonnay loving readers (see blow for my apology) A high-acid, low-tannin Pinot, with bright cherry and cranberry flavors over rich spices, can do right by almost all the exuberant side dishes any turkey might require. San Simeon makes a marvelous Pinot Noir under \$20 it is a winner.

My second choice, though, isn't a surprise, at least if you love bubbles like I do. Two California Sparklers that I enjoy, Domaine Carneros Brut (\$30) from the house of Tattinger, I have said that this wine from California comes as close to a 'real' champagne that I've had, I picked up a bottle recently at Pavilions and it will also go great with Prime Rib. Newsweek Magazine selected the Roederer Estate their value for the New millennium and I agree, when I am shopping for that \$20 wine it is my go to choice.

How about a Rose, my friend Jason Valenzuela, wine steward par excellence recommends the Virage Rose it hails from Napa Valley and if you can find it for less than \$20 buy it!!

Last but not least do consider a Cabernet, a favorite side kick of Prime Rib for years, our own Maddalena has an outstanding one and the price of \$15 is perfect for the holidays, who does Prime Rib



on Thanksgiving? I must admit the Dills household has been doing it for years.

My Chardonnay apology, all that sauce, butter, gravy will absolutely kill any hope of your favorite buttery Oaky Chardonnay, though I defend your right to drink what you like to drink at any holiday party!

San Simeon Pinot Noir
Maddalena Cabernet
Domaine Carneros Brut
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SOCIAL SECURITY OPTIONS FOR DIVORCED SPOUSES

Dear Savvy Senior,

As a divorced woman, am I entitled to my ex-husband's Social Security benefits? I was married for 14 years and would like to know how this works.

Happily Divorced

Dear Divorced,

Yes, you may very well be eligible for divorced spouses Social Security benefits if you meet certain criteria. Here's how it works.

A divorced spouse can collect a Social Security retirement benefit on the earnings record of their ex-husband (or ex-wife) if you are at least age 62, were married for at least 10 years, are unmarried, and are not eligible for a higher benefit based on your own earnings record.

In order to collect, your former spouse must also be at least 62 and eligible for Social Security benefits. But, he doesn't have to be receiving them in order for you to collect divorced spouse's benefits, as long as you've been divorced for at least two years.

Even if your ex is remarried, it won't affect your right to divorcee benefits, nor will it affect your ex's retirement benefits or his current spouse's benefits.

Benefit Amount

A divorced spouse can receive up to 50 percent of their ex's full Social Security benefit, or less if they take benefits before their full retirement age – which is 66 if you were born between 1943 and 1954. To find out your full retirement age and see how much your benefits will be reduced by taking them early see SSA.gov/planners/retire/retirechart.html.

Keep in mind though, that if you qualify for benefits based on your own work history, you'll receive the larger of the two benefits. You cannot receive benefits on both your record, and your ex's work record too.

To find out how much your retirement benefits will be, see your Social Security statement at SSA.gov/myaccount. And to get an estimate of your ex's benefits, call Social Security at 800-772-1213. You'll need his Social Security Number to get it.

Divorced Survivor

You also need to know that if your ex-spouse



dies, and you were married for 10 or more years, you become eligible for divorced survivor benefits, which is worth up to 100 percent of what your ex-spouse was due.

Survivor's benefits are available to divorced spouses as early as age 60 (50 if you're disabled). But, if you remarry before 60 you become ineligible unless the marriage ends. Remarrying after age 60 will not affect your eligibility.

Also note that if you are receiving divorced spouses benefits when you ex-spouse dies, you will automatically be switched over to the higher paying survivor benefit.

Switching Strategies

Being divorced also offers a switching strategy that can help boost your benefits if you were born on or before Jan. 1, 1954. Here's how it works. If you worked and are eligible for benefits on your own earnings record, you could file a "restricted application" with Social Security at age 66 to collect a divorced spousal benefit, which is half of what your ex gets. Then, once you reach 70, you stop receiving the ex-spousal benefit and switch to your own benefit, which will be 32 percent higher than it would have been at your full retirement age.

Unfortunately, as a result of the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015, this option is not available if your birthday is Jan. 2, 1954 or later.

Divorced widows (and widowers) also have switching options regardless of your birthday. If, for example, you are currently collecting Social Security retirement benefits on your own record, and your ex-spouse dies, you can switch to survivor's benefits if the payment is larger. Or, if you're collecting survivor's benefits, you can switch to your own retirement benefits – between 62 and 70 – if it offers a larger payment.

For more information visit SSA.gov/planners/retire/divspouse.html, or call 800-772-1213.

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit SavvySenior.org. Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of "The Savvy Senior" book.

THE GOOD LIFE

SENIOR HAPPENINGS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!November Birthdays

Flo Mankin, Alberta Curran, Carmela Frontino, Kathy Wood, Lena Zate, Joe Pergola, Janice Kacer, Valerie Howard, "Mike" Ruggles, Joan Ruggles, Lois Stueck, Jean Wood, Shirley Yergeau, Kathi Jefferson, Pat Krok, Irene Nakagawa, Anna Ross, Mary Steinberg and Sue Quinn. * To add your name to this distinguished list, please call the paper at 626.355.2737. YEAR of birth not required but you must be over 60.

ACTIVITIES:

Unless listed differently, all activities are at the Hart Park House (Senior Center) 222 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre



Hawaiian & Polynesian Dance Class: Every Tuesday morning from 10a.m. to 11a.m. Join instructor Barbara Dempsey as she leads you in the art of Hula.

Bingo Time: Every Tuesday beginning at 1:00p.m. Cards are only \$0.25 each! Everyone is welcome to join. Activity may be canceled if less than five people.

Free Blood Pressure Testing: 2nd Tuesdays of the month from 11a.m. to 12p.m. No appt. is necessary.

Brain Games - *New Activity*: Join us on Thursday November 16th, at 10:30a.m. to 11:30a.m. for Scattergories. A creative thinking game by naming objects within a set of categories. Everyone is welcome, and no experience is needed. What a great way to strengthen your brain and make new friends. Activities are facilitated by Senior Volunteers.

Free Legal Consultation: Wednesday, November 15th from 10:30a.m. to Noon. Attorney Lem Makupson is available for legal consultation. Specializing in Family Law, Wills, Trusts, Estates, and Injury. Appointments are required by calling 626-355-7394.

Senior Club: Meets every Saturday at the Hart Park House Senior Center. Brown Bag Lunch at 11:30a.m.

Chair Yoga: Mondays & Wednesdays from 11:00a.m. to 11:45a.m. with Paul Hagen. Classes include yoga and balance exercises. All ability levels are encouraged and welcomed!* A voluntary donation of \$5.00 per week is suggested but not required.

Birthday Celebrations: Every 2nd Thursday monthly at the Hart Park House, share some free birthday cake provided by the Sierra Madre Civic Club.

Game Day: Every Thursday starting at 12:00p.m. Come join this group of Seniors in their poker game. Other games are offered to all.

Free Strength Training Class: Fridays from 12:45p.m. to 1:30p.m. with Lisa Brandley. This energetic class utilizes light weights, low impact resistance and training conditioning. Class equipment is provided.

UPCOMING EXCURSIONS:

The Maloof House and Gardens



.. (Alta Loma)
Date: Wednesday, November 29, 2017
Time: 9:15am to 2:30pm
Meeting Location: Hart Park

House Senior Center

Cost: \$20 (Does not include lunch)

Guided tour of the fascinating home handcrafted by renowned American woodworker Sam Maloof and furnished with examples of his signature furniture. The house is also a showcase of Sam and Alfreda Maloof's incomparable collection of 20th Century Studio craft and fine art. Following the house tour, take a self-guided tour of the Maloof Garden with its water-wise plantings and enchanting garden art and then visit the Museum Shop. Patrons are required to leave their handbags and other large belongings in a locked coat check room prior to touring the home. Lunch is on your own at Walter's Restaurant in Claremont. Level of Walking: Medium. Please call the Hart Park House 626-355-7394...



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WHITE SLIME --AGAIN

Happy Thanksgiving! I hope no one minds that I'm recycling this lightly-used article from 2012. Like I always say, if I barely remember it, you for sure won't!

One of the things I enjoy about Thanksgiving is the casual attitude my family and in-laws have developed. This means we can come wearing tee shirts and tennis shoes if we want. We can drink beer with the hor dourves and eat \$2 Ralph's pumpkin pie for dessert. And we're freed from the bondage of turkey.

Yes, turkey is bondage. Any dish that requires weeklong prepping or gallons of frying oil is a form of culinary slavery. An animal that comes with an implanted pop-up timer is a sure sign of freak farming. Unless you're a die-hard foodie, cooking a turkey is a daunting trial you should only have to experience once, if at all, in a lifetime.

I've never grasped why some people expend so much effort on a dish that typically tastes bland at best, and bland and dry at worst. I take that back. At worst, a colony of bacteria will fester in the stuffing crammed up your bird's body cavity, and sicken your whole family. If you manage to avoid food poisoning, you'll still most likely have a LOT of turkey left over. Sure, you can try to pawn it off on visiting relatives. "Kyle, you can take sandwiches on the plane back to Pittsburg." But Kyle will counter with a sly comeback, "I'd love to! (Liar!) But TSA is really strict about what you can take on board these days."

So, you're stuck with more than half of the carcass. What to do, what to do...? Of course there's a plethora of recipes online for those experiencing turkey overload. However, no matter what decide upon, you're going to have to doctor up the bird

somehow because, let's face it --turkey just doesn't taste good on its own.

Some good sports use up all their turkey bits in sandwiches, burritos, soups, and salads. But a lot of people take the easy, wasteful way out and chuck the remaining bird with the rest of the week's trash. I recall an L.A. Times article stating that about a third of the turkey meat purchased in the U.S. ends up in the dump.

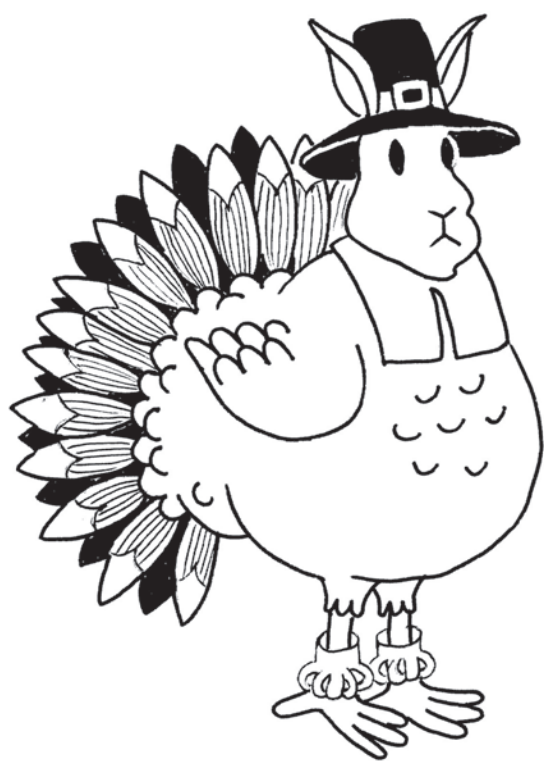
It was while I was considering the great American turkey waste that I had an epiphany! There's so much meat thrown away, while there

are so many hungry mouths to feed. Why not send turkey trucks into neighborhoods the Saturday after Thanksgiving to collect everyone's discarded turkey meat? (Friday won't work, because everyone's busy killing each other at the mall or Walmart on Black Friday.) Collecting home-prepared turkey presents the hazard of spreading infection and disease. But don't worry, I've accounted for that!

Several years ago, "Beef Inc." shut down most of its "pink slime" factories in response to public outrage about the quality of "beef" being fed to

school children and the public at large. Many of these factories remain dormant, silently waiting for a new protein to fill their tubes and vats.

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SENIOR CINEMA -

November 15th at 1:00 p.m.
Planes Trains and Automobile (1987)

Neal Page (Steve Martin) is somewhat of a control freak. Trying to get home to Chicago to spend Thanksgiving with his wife and kids, his flight is re-routed to a distant city in Kansas because of a freak snowstorm and his sanity begins to fray. Worse yet, he is forced to bunk up with talkative Del Griffith (John Candy), whom he finds extremely annoying. Together they overcome the insanity of holiday travel to reach their intended destinations. Run Time: 1h 33m.

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CLOSEST TEMPERATE WORLD ORBITING QUIET STAR DISCOVERED

A team working with the European Southern Observatory's High Accuracy Radial velocity Planet Searcher (HARPS) at the La Silla Observatory in Chile has found that the red dwarf star Ross 128 is orbited by a low-mass exoplanet every 9.9 days. This Earth-sized world, just 11 light-years away, is expected to be temperate, with a surface temperature that may also be close to that of the Earth. Ross 128 is the "quietest" nearby star to host such a temperate exoplanet.

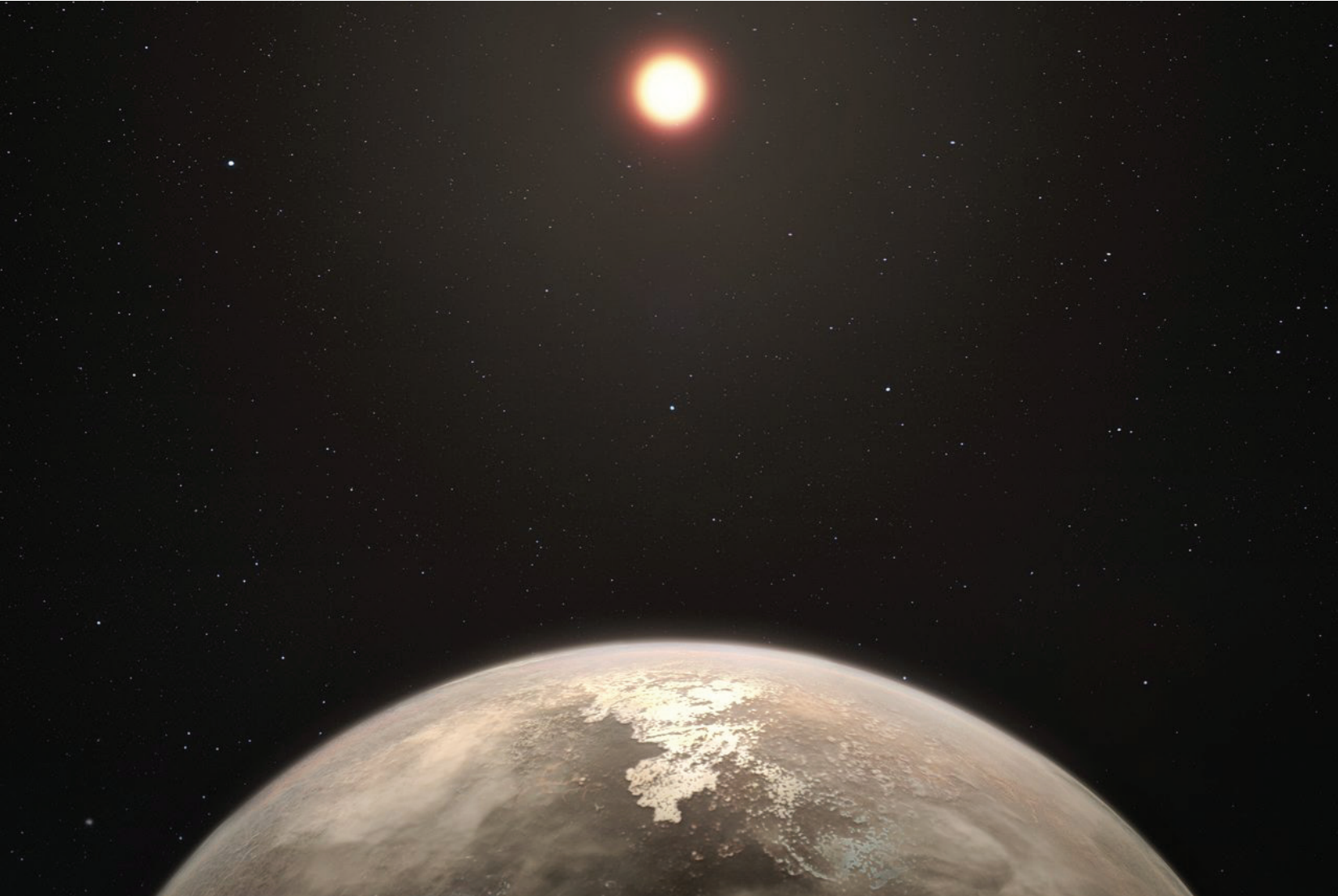
"This discovery is based on more than a decade of HARPS intensive monitoring together with state-of-the-art data reduction and analysis techniques. Only HARPS has demonstrated such a precision and it remains the best planet hunter of its kind, 15 years after it began operations," explains Nicola Astudillo-Defru (Geneva Observatory, University of Geneva, Switzerland), who co-authored the discovery paper.

Red dwarfs are some of the coolest, faintest, and most common stars in the universe. This makes them very good targets in the search for exoplanets and so they are increasingly being studied. In fact, lead author Xavier Bonfils (Institut de Plan tologie et d'Astrophysique de Grenoble, Universit  Grenoble-Alpes/CNRS, Grenoble, France), named their HARPS program "The Shortcut to Happiness," as it is easier to detect small cool siblings of Earth around these stars than around stars more similar to the Sun.

Many red dwarf stars, including Proxima Centauri, are subject to flares that occasionally bathe their orbiting planets in deadly ultraviolet and X-ray radiation. However, it seems that Ross 128 is a much quieter star, without such flares, and so its planets may be the closest known comfortable abode for possible life.

Although it is currently 11 light-years from Earth, Ross 128 is moving towards us and is expected to become our nearest stellar neighbor in just 79,000 years—a blink of the eye in cosmic terms. Ross 128 b will by then take the crown from Proxima b and become the closest exoplanet to Earth.

With the data from HARPS, the team found that Ross 128 b orbits 20 times closer to its star than the Earth orbits the Sun. Despite this proximity, Ross 128 b receives only 1.38 times more irradiation than the Earth. As a result, Ross 128 b's equilibrium temperature is estimated to lie between -60 and



+20 C, thanks to the cool and faint nature of its small red dwarf host star, which has just over half the surface temperature of the Sun. While the scientists involved in this discovery consider Ross 128b to be a temperate planet, uncertainty remains as to whether the planet lies inside, outside, or on the cusp of the habitable zone, where liquid water may exist on a planet's surface.

A planet orbiting close to a low-mass red dwarf

star has a larger gravitational effect on the star than a similar planet orbiting further out from a more massive star like the Sun. As a result, this "reflex motion" velocity is much easier to spot. However, the fact that red dwarfs are fainter makes it harder to collect enough light to make the very precise measurements that are needed.

Astronomers are now detecting more and more temperate exoplanets, and the next stage will be

to study their atmospheres, composition and chemistry in more detail. Vitally, the detection of biomarkers such as oxygen in the very closest exoplanet atmospheres will be a huge next step, which ESO's Extremely Large Telescope (<https://www.eso.org/elt>) (ELT) is in prime position to take.

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CHRISTOPHER Nyerges
THANKSGIVING DAY:

It's Roots, and other Commentary

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Thanksgiving has always been my favorite holiday of the year. Even more so than Christmas. It is our uniquely American holiday where the family gathers, where we remember our roots, we share a meal, and we hopefully "give thanks."

But look how quickly such simple and profound holidays get perverted. Today, we hardly know what "giving thanks" even means, and so the act of giving thanks is lost on most of us. Newscasters talk about "turkey day," as if all there was to the day was eating turkey. Interestingly, most folks would not know whether or not they were eating turkey, or eating crow, and most of the time we're doing the latter, figuratively speaking. Then, when we have barely taken the time to consider the notion of "giving thanks," we get up early on the following "black Friday" to rush around with the mobs "looking for a good deal" to help us celebrate the consumer-driven commercial craze into which we've morphed "Christmas."

Wow! How did we get here? What can we do about it? Let's take a moment to look at the roots of Thanksgiving.

In the history of North America, we are told that the first historic Thanksgiving Day was in October of 1621. After a successful harvest that year at the Plymouth colony, there was about a week or so of celebrations. The local Indians and the colonists joined together, with the Indians generally showing the colonists (mostly city folks) how to hunt for the meal which consisted of fowl, deer, duck, goose, and fish. Corn bread, wild greens, plums, leeks, and many other vegetables (wild and domestic) were shared in this celebration. Interestingly, there is no recorded evidence that wild turkey or wild cranberries were part of the menu. And we tell and re-tell this particular American story as if it is all about food!

In fact, some (but not all) historians question whether or not there were any religious overtones at all on this "first Thanksgiving," citing such evidence as the archery and firearms games, and the running and jumping competitions, which they say would never be done at religious ceremonies by the Puritans. The "competition" was more likely the men on each side doing their shows of bravado with weapons and physical feats before sitting down to eat.

What then is it, if anything, that sets the American (and the Canadian) Thanksgiving celebration apart from any of the other myriad of Harvest Festivals? Not widely known is that this "first thanksgiving" feast had mostly political overtones, which seem to have largely backfired. Tisquantum ("Squanto") was the interpreter for Massasoit, who was the political-military leader of the local Wampanoag tribe. Massasoit was worried that his weakened tribe would be taken-advantage of by the stronger Narragansett, because his own group had been so reduced from disease. Massasoit would permit the European newcomers to stay as long as they liked, as long as they aligned with Massasoit against the Narragansett. (Read all about it in your history books). Tisquantum spoke English because he'd

been to England and back, and had his own plan to re-establish his home-town village near what became the Plimouth colony.

Though Tisquantum successfully helped Massasoit broker a pact with the newcomers from across the ocean, Tisquantum died about a year later. The truce that Massasoit hoped to cement lasted perhaps another 50 years until there were too many Europeans flooding into Massachusetts and all of what was to become the eastern United States.

Despite the varied history of this day, Americans have chosen to see this as day set aside so that we do not lose sight of our spiritual blessings.

But we should not confuse "giving thanks" with "eating a lot of really good food." "Giving Thanks" is an enlightened attitude which accompanies specific actions. Perhaps sharing our bounty with the needy would be a better Thanksgiving activity than eating large volumes of food. More to the point, perhaps we should use Thanksgiving to give thanks where it is due -- to the indigenous peoples who have become the "forgotten minorities." Rather than "eat a lot," perhaps we could send blankets, food, or money to any of the American Indian families or nations who today live in Third World conditions

To me, the essence of Thanksgiving was the coming together of two cultures, trying to work together under trying circumstances. Yes, they shared a meal. Food sustains us. But it was not about food, per se. They practiced with their bows and guns, a sign of mutual preparedness. And in their own ways, they "prayed to God," in the ways that were appropriate to each culture.

But we really should not forget our national roots. Don't just give lip-service thanks to the Native Americans whose land was taken. Rather, find those organizations that are actually providing real assistance to Native Americans in poverty, such as many of those living in the third world conditions so prevalent on today's reservations.



OUT TO PASTOR

A Weekly Religion Column by Rev. James Snyder

POOR AS I AM, ALL I CAN GIVE IS THANKS

It was a pre-Thanksgiving evening and the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage and I were enjoying some hot cider tea. Nothing goes down quite as nice as a hot cider tea.

It was rather a quiet evening and I happened to glance over at my wife and saw her staring into space as it were. It concerned me because I knew that's what she did when she was thinking about something.

The problem that faced me was simply this. Was she thinking about me or something else? If it's me, I'm probably in trouble. If it's something else, I'm probably in trouble. No matter which side of the fence I'm on, I'm in trouble.

I was tempted to ignore the situation and continue the silent evening but something inside me would not let me sit still. I don't know what it is about us husbands, we don't know when to shut up and we don't know when to speak up. If only we could do the opposite of what we're thinking at the time, we probably could get along much better with the opposite side of the fence.

What are you, I asked her quite simply, thinking about so strongly?

Continuing to stare into space, she was silent for a few moments and then she said, I'm trying to figure out what gifts we should get for our family.

Say what? I haven't even demolished the Thanksgiving turkey yet and she's thinking about Christmas gifts.

That is the way with my wife. She cannot let a day go by without thinking of something three weeks or two months down the road. She cannot sit still and enjoy the moment.

I, on the other side of the fence, am able to sit down and enjoy this silence of the moment. I do not have the jitters to get up and do something. I have the calm, relaxing feeling of just sitting and enjoying the moment.

I knew what was going through her mind; all of the members of our family and what they like to get

at Christmas time. On my part, I cannot come up with all the members of our family without asking questions to someone across the room. I recognize them when I see them, but I always forget one or two when I'm trying to think about the family.

That is the difference between my wife and me. She can keep a list of the family in her head for months, yea even years and know exactly what they would like for Christmas and even for their birthday. I don't even know their birthdays and have to be reminded by my wife.

Here we were, just a few days away from Thanksgiving and the wife is thinking about Christmas.

It seems to me that there is a reason why Thanksgiving is a time that we give thanks sometimes for the turkey in front of us. Sometimes, for the turkey in the family, if you know what I mean.

I said very cautiously to my wife, "Just relax and enjoy the evening and wait until after Thanksgiving to work on your Christmas list."

She came down out of her staring across the room and began staring at me one of those stares that I've experienced so many times in life. "Must," she said most dramatically, "try to figure out what I'm going to get my family for Christmas."

I flashed a smile back at her and cuddled up to the silence for a few more moments.

One thing I can say about her, she is very generous when it comes to giving, especially at Christmas time.

As for me, my focus is on Thanksgiving. It's coming up very shortly and when it does, I want to be ready to enjoy every bit of that Thanksgiving dinner. I know that around the table will be a variety of family members. I know that some of them will be very chatty about what's going on in their life. I will smile and nod most generously, but my focus is on Tom the Turkey.

As my muse took me a little bit further down memory lane, I began to see and appreciate the difference between Thanksgiving and Christmas. I know they are about a month apart, but there's a bigger difference than days when it comes to Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Christmas is when you spend a whole lot of money buying Christmas presents for everybody in your family even those that, well, how can I say it, is not on your nice list.

Thanksgiving is quite different. Once I get beyond the turkey, I begin to realize that the purpose of Thanksgiving is simply to give thanks.

Christmas costs a lot, especially out of my wallet, but Thanksgiving costs more but in a different currency.

For Christmas, I have to work out a budget and I'm always, or should I say my wife is always over budget. However, Thanksgiving is different. Thanksgiving is giving thanks and that has no monetary value on it at all.

Giving thanks is a good thing as David points out, "It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High" (Psalm 92:1).

No matter how much coin I have in my pocket, giving thanks is the richest thing I could possibly give.

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Economic report details significant economic benefits to Los Angeles County both short-term – during construction – and once in operation

MONROVIA, Calif. – Today, the Foothill Gold Line Construction Authority (Construction Authority) released a report prepared by Beacon Economics, a leading economic research and forecasting firm headquartered in Los Angeles, detailing the economic benefits resulting from the upcoming construction and operation of the 12.3-mile Foothill Gold Line light rail extension to the region. The report, entitled “Economic Impact Study of the Foothill Gold Line Glendora to Montclair Segment,” quantifies the significant economic impact that will result from the \$1.5 billion investment the region is making in the six-station light rail project, including: jobs created, economic output, labor income and tax revenues. As highlighted in the 26-page report, during construction alone, the Foothill Gold Line segment will generate nearly 17,000 jobs, more than \$2.6 billion in economic output, more than \$1 billion in labor income and nearly \$40 million in tax revenues for Los Angeles County. In addition, once passenger service begins, the ongoing operations of the six-station extension will generate an annual benefit to the county of more than \$52 million in economic output, \$17 million in labor income and nearly \$800,000 in tax revenues, while generating 277 jobs.

“We know that investing in public infrastructure projects like the Gold Line are economic engines,” stated Habib F. Balian, CEO of the Foothill Gold Line Construction Authority. “But it is always impressive to see just how much each project directly benefits our region in job creation, economic activity and future revenues – it is a significant return on investment.”

The Beacon report also highlights the secondary economic benefits for the region from private investments in transit-oriented development already made or planned within a half-mile radius of the six future Gold Line stations from Glendora to Montclair. The extension already has spurred \$1 billion in private investments in residential and commercial development, including nearly 1,200 residential units near the future Montclair station alone and one million square feet of commercial property. An additional nearly \$600 million in development is planned along the corridor; with more than 1,800 new residential units and 10,000 square feet of commercial space in the works within a half-mile radius of a future station.

“The economic story of the Gold Line must also include the long-term private investment that is happening around these light rail stations as the area evolves from what was historically industrial land to suburban communities,” added Balian. “There is a unique opportunity along this light rail line to see extensive growth, allowing the region to add much-needed housing and jobs near our expanding county rail system; adding to the economic benefits of our investment well into the future.”

The economic impact report can be viewed online at <http://www.foothillgoldline.org/news/media-resources/>.

ALAN SANVICTORES SWORN IN AS MONROVIA PD'S 9TH POLICE CHIEF

By Joan Schmidt

On November 7, 2017, Alan Sanvictores was officially sworn in as Monrovia PD's 9th Chief of Police by City Clerk Alice Atkins at a special City meeting. Most recently a Captain with MPD, Sanvictores went through a full interview process before his appointment as Chief.

Sanvictores began his career with MPD 22 years ago, first hired as a recruit in 1995. He has served as a Police Officer, Police Agent, Detective, Sergeant and Lieutenant. He was promoted to Captain in January, 2010.

After it was announced Sanvictores was to be the next Police Chief, retiring Chief Jim Hunt said, “Alan has served as our senior Captain for nearly eight years. During that time, he has done a phenomenal job of supporting initiatives in the Police Department and has displayed integrity, innovation, and leadership at the highest levels. I know that Alan will be a simply tremendous Police Chief for the community.”

Monrovia Police Chaplain Terrence Brown gave the Invocation; he always finds the right words for whatever the occasion may be. Mayor Adams welcomed us; he, the entire City Council and City Manager Oliver Chi had nothing but praise for the incoming Chief. After he was sworn in as Chief, Sanvictores thanked Chi and the Council, as well as his family for their support as he faced his new position. He told his wife Lisa how he appreciated her for her support that began in college, and his daughters also for their support during his career. It's not easy being married to law enforcement officers—there are long hours, many difficult situations that arise, and the constant worry for their safety.

The entire City Chambers was full—many current Monrovia PD personnel as well as former Chiefs Jim Hunt and Roger Johnson. From LASD attending were Chief Eric Parra, Commander Jeff Scroggin and Temple Station Captain Dave Flores. I also noticed Chief Dave Reynoso, El Monte PD and several of the Chiefs that attended Chief



Chiefs Anthony Miranda (Vernon), David Reynosa (El Monte), Joe Ortiz, Sierra Madre

Jim Hunt's retirement the week before: Vernon's Anthony Miranda, Alhambra's Tim Vu, Covina's John Curley, and Sierra Madre's Joe Ortiz— to name a few! The CHP was represented by the Baldwin Park Office Commander, Captain Greg Hammond, and Officer Rodrigo Jimenez. Monrovia School Board's Rob Hammond and Terrence Williams also attended. Of course, Bob and I were sitting with Judge Bruce Mars and Susan Motander and across I saw Monrovia's City Treasurer and Historian, Steve Baker! Many business owners came including Dollmakers' Kattywompus' Pam Fitzpatrick and Wonder Dog's Brenda. Betty McWilliams from Foothill Unity Center also attended.

After the Swearing-in, there was a great reception to see many friends and congratulate a wonderful new Police Chief. Over the years, I have dealt with Captain Sanvictores on a few occasions and found him very professional, hard-working and a warm, caring individual. Monrovia, you've got a GREAT new Chief!

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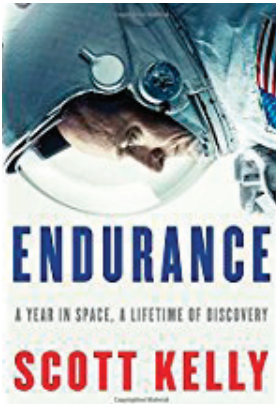
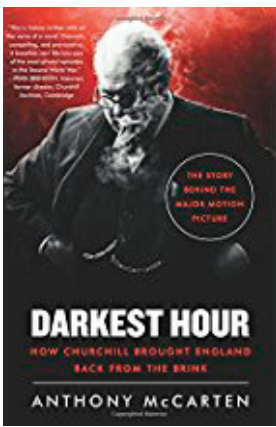
Jeff's Book Pics

By Jeff Brown

Endurance: A Year in Space, A Lifetime of Discovery

by Scott Kelly

A stunning, personal memoir from the astronaut and modern-day hero who spent a record-breaking year aboard the International Space Station—a message of hope for the future that will inspire for generations to come. The veteran of four spaceflights and the American record holder for consecutive days spent in space, Scott Kelly has experienced things very few have. Now, he takes us inside a sphere utterly hostile to human life. He describes navigating the extreme challenge of long-term spaceflight, both life-threatening and mundane: the devastating effects on the body; the isolation from everyone he loves and the comforts of Earth; the catastrophic risks of colliding with space junk; and the still more haunting threat of being unable to help should tragedy strike at home—an agonizing situation Kelly faced when, on a previous mission, his twin brother's wife, American Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords, was shot while he still had two months in space. Kelly's humanity, compassion, humor, and determination resonate throughout, as he recalls his rough-and-tumble New Jersey childhood and the youthful inspiration that sparked his astounding career, and as he makes clear his belief that Mars will be the next, ultimately challenging, step in spaceflight. In Endurance, we see the triumph of the human imagination, the strength of the human will, and the infinite wonder of the galaxy.



Prime Minister. "He was speaking to the nation, the world, and indeed to history..." May, 1940. Britain is at war. The horrors of blitzkrieg have seen one western European democracy after another fall in rapid succession to Nazi boot and shell. Invasion seems mere hours away. Just days after becoming Prime Minister, Churchill must deal with this horror—as well as a skeptical King, a party plotting against him, and an unprepared public. Pen in hand and typist-secretary at the ready, how could he change the mood and shore up the will of a nervous people? In this gripping day-by-day, often hour-by-hour account of how an often uncertain Churchill turned Britain around, the celebrated writer McCarten exposes sides of the great man never seen before. He reveals how he practiced and re-wrote his key speeches, from 'Blood, toil, tears and sweat' to 'We shall fight on the beaches'; his consideration of a peace treaty with Nazi Germany, and his underappreciated role in the Dunkirk evacuation; and, above all, how 25 days helped make one man an icon. Using new archive material, McCarten reveals the crucial behind-the-scenes moments that changed the course of history. It's a scarier—and more human—story than has ever been told.

Already Awake: Dialogues with Nathan Gill

by Nathan Gill

Nathan Gill is a rare voice in contemporary spirituality. Speaking with consistent clarity, he points out that all prescriptions for escape from the drama of separation instead serve as its reinforcement. Compiled from transcripts of one-to-one dialogues and group meetings, the talks featured in Already Awake present the essential message of non-duality in a profound yet straightforward way. Also included by way of an introduction to the main text, is a revised version of Nathan's first book, Clarity.

All Things

By Jeff Brown

RUPERT SPIRA QUOTE

Your Self, Aware Presence, knows no resistance to any appearance and, as such, is happiness itself; like the empty space of a room it cannot be disturbed and is, therefore, peace itself; like this page, it is intimately one with whatever appears on it and is

thus love itself; and like water that is not affected by the shape of a wave, it is pure freedom. Causeless joy, imperturbable peace, love that knows no opposite and freedom at the heart of all experience....this is your ever-present nature under all circumstances.

LOCAL AUTHORS TO SIGN/SELL AT WINTER SOLSTICE CRAFT FAIR

Several local authors will sign and sell their books at the Third Annual Winter Solstice Craft Fair and Flea Market on December 9, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Statue Plaza and Grace Fellowship Church, 1551 Huntington Drive. The event is sponsored by the Duarte Historical Society & Museum and co-sponsored by the City of Duarte. The fair will feature vintage items, antiques, food booths and entertainment.

Authors will include Richard Singer and his newly released The Renaissance Years: the History of Monrovia; Elizabeth Pomeroy and her many books on local history including Pasadena: a Natural History and her popular books Lost and Found I and II; Abe Hoffman and his newly released California's Deadliest Earthquakes: A History; Randy King's various books on

gunfighters including A Fraternity of Gunslingers: True Stories of Wild West Gunmen vols I& 2 and The Last Deputy; Bradbury romance novelist Marisela Adams, author of the trilogy Faith Betrayed, will present her new novel spy thriller novel KissZZZZzzz. Claudia and Alan Heller will be selling their books: Life on Route 66; Duarte Chronicles; and Curiosities of the California Desert.

Special guest will be Larry Walls and his recently released book: Hurdles: Struggles of a Blackman in the Land of Milk and Honey, an autobiography. Walls is a Duarte High School graduate and his book details his life of turmoil growing up in Duarte's Rock Town, his college days of football and track, and his career with the County District Attorney's Office.

FIRE SAFETY TIPS - AVOID COOKING FIRES THIS THANKSGIVING

By Jenee' Child, CEO SOS Solutions

I suffered 3rd degree burns at 9 years old when I cooked breakfast for the first time as a surprise for my mother. I wasn't strong enough to lift the cast iron skillet I cooked the bacon in and needed to empty the bacon grease from the pan before cooking scrambled eggs. I held the measuring cup while my sister poured the grease from the pan into the cup. At that age, I was unaware that the heat from the grease would cause the metal measuring cup that I was holding to instantaneously become hot.

I intended to pour the grease down the sink drain. Instead, in an instinctive reaction to holding onto a scorching object, I immediately flung the metal cup into the air. Sizzling hot bacon grease poured down my face and the front of my chest, scalding my skin.

I can't imagine how horrific it must have been for my mother to awaken to the piercing sound of my high-pitched screams. I vaguely recall, in her panicked state, being thrown into a bathtub filled with cold water and her impaling me with ice cubes. Thanks to the healing properties of Vitamin E Oil, I barely have any scars. Luckily, nothing worse happened, like a stove or kitchen fire.

According to statistics gathered by the federal government, over 2,000 fires occur every Thanksgiving Day. More than 2/3 are a result of food catching on fire. According to the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), "cooking fires

are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries. The leading cause of fires in the kitchen is unattended cooking." The NFPA also reports "there are nearly 4 times the amount of cooking fires on Thanksgiving than are any other typical day of the year."

With the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday, many people plan to deep fry a turkey and for some, it will be their first time. However, the NFPA discourages against deep frying because "deep-fryer fires are responsible for 5 deaths, 60 injuries, destruction of 900 homes and \$15 million in property damage per year". The amount of cooking oil required to fully-immense a turkey, combined with the oil's high cooking temperature, pose a significant danger. The oil can quickly catch fire and the oil splatter, heat and flames often result in severe burns, other injuries and destruction of property.

Please take extra safety precautions while cooking this Thanksgiving!

Jenee' Child, is CEO of SOS Solutions. For more fire safety cooking tips and to download an outline of age appropriate cooking tasks for children, go to SOS Solutions' website at www.TrustSOS.Solutions/Fire-Safety-Tips.

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FAMILY MATTERS

By Marc Garlett



DO YOU OWN RENTAL PROPERTY? HOW PROACTIVE, COMPREHENSIVE ESTATE PLANNING CAN HELP

A comprehensive estate plan should address all of your assets. For most people, an estate plan must include three common categories: (1) your home; (2) financial accounts, like your checking and savings account; and (3) personal property. Other types of assets - such as life insurance, retirement funds, and annuities - should also be considered as part of your estate plan.

If you own rental property, however, your estate plan will be more complicated because there are some unique considerations.

Rental Property & Estate Plans

It is no surprise that one of the risks of being a landlord of commercial or residential property is the threat of lawsuits. An injured guest or tenant, a claim under the landlord-tenant act, or a lease dispute can all end up in the courtroom. However, a well thought out rental property plan within your estate plan can hedge against this risk.

Protecting Your Assets: A prudent landlord purchases adequate insurance coverage as the first line of defense. Sometimes, however, the insurance policy's limit is not sufficient to cover damage awarded by a court. When this happens, the next place the prevailing party looks to for satisfaction of judgment is the property owner's personal assets, which leads us to the next layer of protection.

Using a Business Entity as Protection: Owning property through a business entity, like a limited liability company (LLC), can help protect personal assets against seizure. That being said, merely filing paperwork to create an LLC isn't enough. The LLC must be treated as a true business entity and all reports, filings, bank accounts, and other formalities must be met at all times in order to

benefit from the liability protection of the business entity. Additionally, when meshing your rental property ownership with your estate plan, you must consider who can manage your assets if you're unable to do so, our next consideration.

Who Is Managing Your Assets: Another factor to consider is the trustee who manages the living trust. A trustee bears the responsibility of managing the property owned by a trust for the benefit of the trust beneficiaries. The exact duties of a trustee may vary depending on what assets are owned by the trust and the trust's terms. While income from the rental property made you financially successful, many institutional trustees - or someone outside of your circle of family and friends - will often liquidate assets and invest the funds. This result may or may not be what you want done with your assets. For this reason, using an LLC to organize your rental property holdings and have the trustee simply collect the net income from the overall operation can be a way to ensure your wealth remains invested in the rental properties that made you successful.

Tax Advantages Through 1031: While many think of estate planning and LLCs as strategies to save on death taxes and provide for heirs, a good attorney can help with much more. A 1031 exchange is a vehicle to defer taxes from the sale of rental property. The rules to qualify are complex, but can save enormous amounts of income tax, depending on your situation. Your attorney should ensure your trust, powers of attorney, and LLC allow your family to take advantage of this tax-saving law if you are incapacitated and unable to manage your own affairs.

Bottom Line

You've likely worked hard over the years to acquire, build and manage your rental property portfolio, along with your other assets. Call us now for an estate plan review to make you're your estate plan takes all of this into account so that you and your family receive the highest level of benefits and protection.

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COUNTDOWN TO SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY

Get ready, set and geared up to take part in this year's Small Business on Saturday, November 25th, 2017. Promoted by the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), this annual day is a celebration and show of support of the small businesses that do so much in their communities.

The SBA website offers easy-to-use resources that can help business owners to make the most of this day, including marketing tips and a webcast with ideas on how entrepreneurs can use this nationally-recognized day to launch the beginning of increased sales and profits throughout the holiday season. In addition to seven short articles that include topics like "7 Holiday Marketing Tips on a Limited Budget" and "How to Market Your Business with an Event", "33 Creative Ideas for Small Business Holiday Marketing," the SBA website offers other free resources specific to Small Business Saturday.

A free online marketing kit at the site includes sample posters and press releases. The SBA also provides tips and resources to help promote

your business's participation in Small Business Saturday via social media. One example is a set of educational materials from Twitter to assist with writing Tweets designed to get your messages to stand out and generate interest in your business. You can also join Small Business Saturday® on Facebook and include links to your website and other social media outlets.

The SBA webpage below also includes a link to a "Shop Small" website maintained by American Express, which provides an opportunity for entrepreneurs to be placed in the online list of businesses participating in Small Business Saturday. This feature allows shoppers across the country to type in a zipcode to locate small businesses in the areas where they either live, or plan to shop.

For additional info and resources regarding Small Business Saturday, visit the SBA website: <https://www.sba.gov/about-sba/sba-initiatives/small-business-saturday>

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THE UNITED STATES OF HYPOCRISY

HYPOCRISY" Noun the practice of claiming to have moral standards or beliefs to which one's own behavior does not conform

Well that stuff that hits the proverbial fan has finally happened. In the midst of all the political chaos, Presidential mismanagement and lying and nuclear threats, a problem that has permeated this society and every other society on this planet since forever, has finally, really, come to the forefront.

That problem is the culture in which men are raised and how society condones the disrespect and abuse of women.

Fellas, don't put the paper down. This isn't a rant on men. This isn't a vindication of women. It is a statement of facts. We have all overlooked this problem all of our lives. Fortunately now, thanks mainly to Bill Cosby and Harvey Weinstein, the genie has really been let out of the bottle in such a way that HE cannot be stuffed back in.

Before I go further, let me isolate a few obvious forms of bad behavior. SEX WITH CHILDREN IS WRONG! Rape in any form is wrong. No means no. Period. Secondly, exchanging employment or contract opportunities for sexual favors is wrong. And a word to the wise, making assumptions about whether or not a person wants to is foolish and inexcusable.

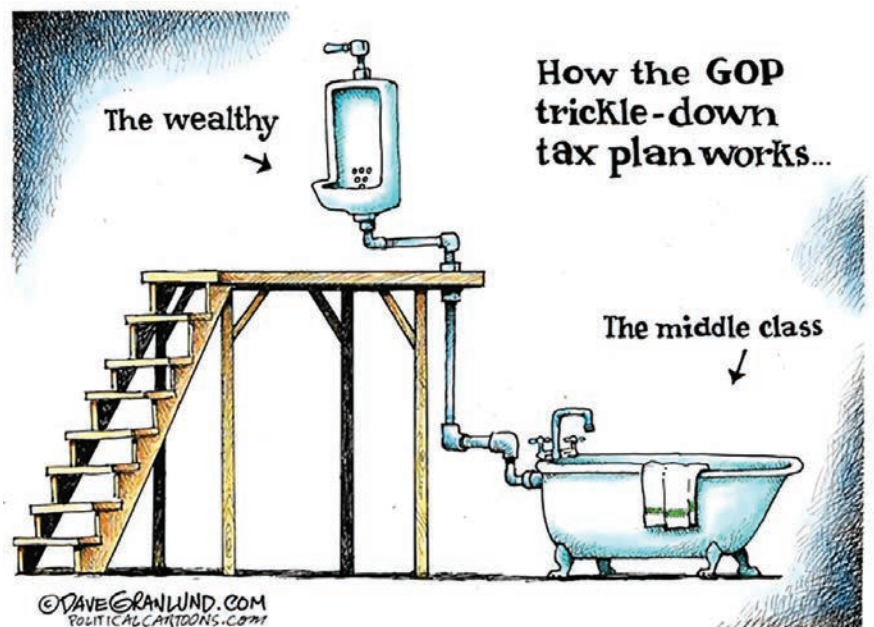
Unwanted advances and sexual abuse by both men and women are unpleasant and like most unpleasant things in this society, we don't want to deal with them. The very violent or sensational make the news, but until the last few days, we've had an attention span of exactly 5 minutes for every public sexual transgression. In the past, we've made jokes about it, ever heard of the expression 'the casting couch'? Or we made successful movies about it, yes, Mrs. Robinson (*The Graduate*) imposed herself on an initially unwilling young man. We have vilified women who have come forward, remember Anita Hill, and always questioned women's motives....never the man involved. We actually have blamed women for the way we dressed, or where we were at the time. And most egregious of all is how our society has made it taboo for people, especially women to speak up.

Think about it: Why in the hell should any child feel threatened to report sexual predators? They feel that way because we have outwardly shown that they will be ignored, punished or ostracized. A 14 year old standing up against a well-respected 32 year old? No one will listen to her and if they do, they won't say a thing. All the while proclaiming to be a society that embraces high moral standards.

And what about this: Why is it the first question out of everyone's mouth is *Why Now?* Unless you have been a victim of sexual misconduct or abuse you will never understand. A child fears rejection; a teen fears being discredited and ignored and women fear retaliation. Moreover, and everyone who can #metoo will tell you, that the years spent learning to move on with your life are not worth unraveling when you don't believe anything will happen that will protect you or the next person.

Now the issue has been thrown into the political arena again, making many people shy away from looking at the real problems. As a society, we must stop *saying* the words and actually *do something*. We have to amend our way of thinking and behaving so that it is clear that all people, regardless of gender can feel free to speak up when they have been violated. And we have to stop acting like a position of power gives you the right to "grab 'em....", as the man that conned his way into the White House boasted about. The gap between what a woman perceives as inappropriate and what a man thinks is inappropriate is a mile wide. We must close that gap and work on being on the same page. In Al Franken's initial response he said one thing that I truly believe. He said, "I certainly don't remember the rehearsal for the skit in the same way". I have no doubt that he doesn't. In the traditional way that our society thinks, he probably believes that his kiss was 'all that' not the disgusting 'fish mouth' kiss that Leeann Tweeden described. That's because he wanted it and she didn't. Therein lies the root of far too many inappropriate actions. One party assumes it is okay, the other doesn't.

So what happens next? You tell me. Do we file this away as we have done in the past? Do we make a movie about it? Do we use it as political fodder against our opponents? Our do we start at home, having honest discussions with our families? We can't legislate moral behavior. We have to embrace it individually. Perhaps this might be a good Thanksgiving Dinner topic, "What can we do to stop the hypocrisy?" #itsaboutdamnedtime



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RAGING MODERATE by
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A PRAYER FOR PEACE
THAT CALLS US TO ACT

HARRISBURG, Pa. - Howard Henry's no preacher.

But the prayer he uttered outside a home on Logan Street in Harrisburg on a chilly night last week for Kaliah Dearing, 16, and Natasha Harner, 24, who had been found shot dead there, carried the same weight as if they'd been uttered by a man or a woman of the cloth.

"This really is the time for us join together and ask some very important questions," Henry said. "What is love? What is love? Does love really conquer all or not? That's why we're here. God is everything or God is nothing, right?"

As someone shouted out an "Amen," Henry continued. "We have to understand the truth of God," he said. "We're not worried what other people did. We have to understand what God wants of us."

Then he stepped down from the stoop of the home that Harner and Dearing, their lives cut tragically short, shared together.

His voice was hoarse. His hands were cold. The questions that Henry posed that night challenge all of us. And they call us to act.

They're posed in the face of unspeakable violence, both in the streets of Pennsylvania's capital city and elsewhere, in such places as Sutherland Springs, Texas, whose names we only learn when their tranquility is shattered by the sharp report of semi-automatic weapons fire.

So we ask ourselves: Does love really conquer all? Is love enough to overcome the shocking darkness that fills someone's soul when they choose, as a man named Stephen Paddock did last month, to mow down 59 people and injure hundreds more people gathered for a concert at the Mandalay Bay hotel and casino in Las Vegas.

The answer, tragically, and obviously, is that it is not. If love alone were enough, then it would have been enough to put an end to the sad catalog of mass shootings that have claimed thousands of lives across America over the last five years.

It would have been enough to calm the spasms of violence that resulted in the slaughter of the children of Sandy Hook or the revelers at the Pulse nightclub in Orlando, Fla.

If love alone were enough, then perhaps Harrisburg would not have seen, with the deaths of Harner and Dearing, its eighth homicide of the year.

But since it is not, then we need to look to the second half of Henry's impromptu prayer: What's being asked of us, as a society, as a community, as a nation, to staunch the flow of blood, to end the violence?

The answers are not easy. And the obligations are heavy. It starts, obviously, with looking after each other; with taking to heart the admonition to love our neighbors as ourselves; to committing ourselves, however we can, and in whatever small way we can, to making the streets safer. And people of good faith and character are working toward that end all the time.

There is a place, too, for educators, for community groups, for law enforcement, for counselors, for clergy, for parents or extended family, for anyone who can act as a role model, a guide, a friend. Someone who can provide stability and a home and recognize the warning signs of violence and intervene before it's too late.

But they can't do it alone. There is room, too, for policymakers, for our elected leaders, who are called to move beyond the bromides of their own "thoughts and prayers" - however earnestly offered - and to act.

That responsibility was starkly outlined last week by U.S. Sen. Christopher Murphy, D-Connecticut, who offered that "the terrifying fact is that no one is safe so long as Congress chooses to do absolutely nothing in the face of this epidemic."

Murphy's lengthy remarks are worth reading in their entirety, but one part stands out: "The paralysis you feel right now - the impotent helplessness that washes over you as news of another mass slaughter scrolls across the television screen - isn't real," he said. "It's a fiction created and methodically cultivated by the gun lobby, designed to assure that no laws are passed to make America safer, because those laws would cut into their profits."

After every one of these mass slaughters - and the killings that wrack our streets - we are told that no law, no government program, would have prevented the newest tragedy.

We've been told it so often now that it has become self-perpetuating, that it's become its own excuse not to act.

Henry's prayer challenges us to honor our obligation to each other and to do better than that. Murphy's words, forged from the hard experience of Newtown, point the way out of the darkness.

The only question is whether we are brave enough to work together, all of us, to take up those burdens.

And the answer, of course, is that we must. Or Howard Henry's prayer, offered on a cold night on a dark street in Pennsylvania's capital city, will die on the air.

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MAKING SENSE by
MICHAEL REAGAN

NOT SEN. MOORE
AND NOT WEIRD AL



Hello, Senator Franken.

Welcome to the growing list of creepy guys in Hollywood and Washington who apparently think it's OK - or funny -- for men in power to sexually harass or assault women and men.

We'll see if the liberal media and his fellow Democrats treat the charges against Franken as seriously as they've been treating the ones against Republican Senate hopeful Roy Moore of Alabama.

Franken, the very unfunny comedian who became the very liberal senator from Minnesota in 2009, is apologizing as fast as he can - and even calling for a Senate ethics committee to investigate himself.

But weird Al's got a lot of 'splainin' to do. On-air radio personality Leeann Tweeden of Los Angeles has accused him of kissing her without her consent and groping her in 2006 during a USO tour in Afghanistan.

There's even a damning photo of a grinning Franken cupping his hands over Tweeden's breasts while she slept that has quickly gone viral.

Given that sexual predators of all kinds don't commit a single sleazy act of molestation, assault or harassment and then retire, we'll probably be hearing from other women who had unwanted encounters with Franken.

In any case, Franken apparently is not Congress' lone harasser. We learned just this week that for years Congress has had a secret slush fund to pay off women who had been victims of sexual harassment by its members.

More than \$15 million in settlements - paid by taxpayers --was spent from 1997 to 2014 to protect our duly elected slime balls from bad publicity they probably deserved.

Meanwhile, in Alabama Roy Moore is still refusing to exit the special election next month to fill Jeff Sessions' vacated seat.

Voters may elect him and ignore the credible charges that he hit on or assaulted underage girls as a 30-something DA nearly 40 years ago.

But I think Moore is guilty as charged. Having lived through molestations and abuse by a man as a boy, I think I can read when someone is being honest about their accusations and someone is not.

I tend to believe the women accusers more than I believe Roy Moore. People will say, "Why did the women wait 40 years to bring these charges up?"

I tell them I didn't reveal my sexual abuse for 34 years. It's not something you're dying to publicize, believe me.

The charges against Moore are coming forward now because the young women he took advantage of long ago are being empowered by the "Me Too" campaign.

It's a new era. Victims of sexual assault by the powerful and famous -- women and men -- can now come out of the closet and tell their horror stories.

Moore's got zero defenders in the GOP establishment, and his poll numbers are crashing. It's true he has not been convicted in a court of law, and probably could never be. But he's been declared guilty in the court of public opinion.

He should step aside. Alabama's governor should delay the election or do whatever he can to allow a write in.

The Moore and Franken cases are a good morality test for conservatives and liberals. Is sexual assault, harassment or serial creepiness by a man always wrong, or is it just wrong when the guy charged with it is not on your political team?

During the 1990s Bill Clinton's misbehavior and possible crimes got a pass from Democrats and most of the mainstream liberal media, which didn't believe the women accusers or denigrated them.

I see some in the conservative media making the same partisan mistake by disbelieving Moore's accusers.

In the 1990s conservatives were right about Bill Clinton. Let's not be wrong about Roy Moore. I don't care what party he belongs to, I don't want someone like him in the Senate any more than I want someone like Al Franken.

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ELITE CAMPAIGN CONSULTANTS 1656 WEST LOMITA BLVD., #1, HARBOR CITY, CA. 90710 and ELITE CAMPAIGN CONSULTANTS PO BOX 4753 CULVER CITY, CA. 90231. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ANDREW L. BARKER 1656 WEST LOMITA BLVD., #1, HARBOR CITY, CA. 90710. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ANDREW L. BARKER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/23/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017304907
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: A HEALTHIER COMMUNITY STARTS WITH YOUTH! 258 E. RADBARD STREET, CARSON, CA. 90746. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) COURTNEY PORTER 3619 VINTON AVE., #10, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90034. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: COURTNEY PORTER, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/23/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017306217
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: WEST COAST SPORTS FIELD 26500 AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 347, CALABASAS, CA. 91302. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) HAMMIN, INC. 26500 AGOURA ROAD, SUITE 347, CALABASAS, CA. 91302. This Business is conducted by: CORPORATION. Signed: HAMMIN, INC., ROBERT SCOTT HAMMOND, CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/24/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017306420

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PARTY'S FLOWER 7444 NESTLE AVE., RESEDA, CA. 91335. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE DE JESUS GOMEZ 7444 NESTLE AVE., RESEDA, CA. 91335 and ALVA GOMEZ 7444 NESTLE AVE., RESEDA, CA. 91335. This Business is conducted by: MARRIED COUPLE. Signed: JOSE DE JESUS GOMEZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/24/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/23/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017306442
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: QUEEN SALES 322 N. ISABEL ST., UNIT 8, GLENDALE, CA. 91206. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) EMMA BADALYAN 727 E. VERDUGO AVE., UNIT 102, HURBANK, CA. 91501. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: EMMA BADALYAN, CEO/OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/24/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017306674
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BEST COAST TRANSPORTATION 10443 WOODLEY AVE., GRANADA HILLS, CA. 91344. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GHEYVANDIAN, JERIC 10443 WOODLEY AVE., GRANADA HILLS, CA. 91344 and TSATURYAN, TOUMAS 1111 E. LEXINGTON DR., APT. 210, GLENDALE, CA. 91206. This Business is conducted by: GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: JERIC GHEYVANDIAN, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/24/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017305849
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: BETHEL CAREGIVING AGENCY 7943 VICKY AVE., WEST HILLS, CA. 91304. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JENNIFER PAJARON BRAULIO 22401 CANTARA ST., ANAHOA, CA. 91304 and JOSEPHINE LOZADA 7943 VICKY AVE., WEST HILLS, CA. 91304. This Business is conducted by: GENERAL PARTNERSHIP. Signed: JOSEPHINE LOZADA, PARTNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/24/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017307195
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: POLISH ME PRETTY 10310 SEPULVEDA BLVD., MISSION HILLS, CA. 91345 and POLISH ME PRETTY 27911 TYLER LN., #719, CANYON COUNTRY, CA. 91387. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JENNY C. RAMERIZ 27911 TYLER LANE, #719, CANYON COUNTRY, CA.

91387. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JENNY C. RAMERIZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/25/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017307401
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DARK GYPSY 6115 WHITTSETT AVE. 206, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91606. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DINA FERREIRA RODRIGUES 6115 WHITTSETT AVE. 206, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA. 91606. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: DINA FERREIRA RODRIGUES, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/25/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/20/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017307830
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DZ NUTS 5140 COLDWATER CANYON #5, SHERMAN OAKS, CA. 91423. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOHN SIMONS 5140 COLDWATER CANYON #5, SHERMAN OAKS, CA. 91423. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOHN SIMONS, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/25/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017307869
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CARBINGTON LINKS 12661 BYRON AVE., GRANADA HILLS, CA. 91344. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) NICOLE VALLEE 12661 BYRON AVE., GRANADA HILLS, CA. 91344. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: NICOLE VALLEE, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/25/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017307820
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RENGINE 409 N. PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY, STE. 650, REDONDO BEACH, CA. 90277. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RENGINE, INC. 409 N. PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY, STE. 650, REDONDO BEACH, CA. 90277. This Business is conducted by: LLC. Signed: REGINE, LLC., RODDY RADNIA, MANAGER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/25/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017308572
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CLASSIC CADILLAC TOUR.COM 6769 1/2 YUCCA ST., HOLLYWOOD, CA. 90028. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) HAIDAR GIAHI 6769 1/2 YUCCA ST., HOLLYWOOD, CA. 90028. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: HAIDAR GIAHI, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/26/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/20/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017308845
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MARINA VANYAN STUDIO 2627 MISSION STREET, SAN MARINO, CA. 91088. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARINA VANYAN 10078 MCBROOM STREET, SHADOW HILLS, CA. 91040. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MARIA VANYAN, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/26/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/01/2017. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017308861
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RENTTOYS 18445 VALERIO ST. 109, RESEDA, CA. 91335. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JESSICA GAVTAN RAMERIZ 18445 VALERIO ST. APT. 109, RESEDA, CA. 91335. This Business is conducted by: INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JESSICA GAVTAN RAMERIZ, OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/26/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: ES Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2017302010
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: JEWELRY ART STUDIO 550 S. HILL ST. STE 733, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90013. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JEWELRY ART STUDIO, INC. 550 S. HILL ST. STE 733, LOS ANGELES, CA. 90013. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JEWELRY ART STUDIO, INC., ARMIN AZILAZIAN, PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 10/19/2017. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/2008. NOTICE- This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code). Publish: Mountain Views News Oct 28, Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017

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