

# Morning Star

Independent Baptist Church



**Pastor Leslie Bourdess  
and family**

**Sunday School  
10 : 00 AM**

**Sunday Morning  
Preaching Service  
11 : 00 AM**

**Sunday Evening Prayer  
5:30 PM**

**Sunday Evening Service  
6:00 PM**

**Wednesday Night Service  
7:00 PM**

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## Watch your wait!

How do you spend the 30 or 40 minutes in the doctor's waiting room? Or the 30 minutes under the hairdryer? Or the 10 minute waits for your children at school function, music lessons, scouting activities, etc.? For an interesting experiment, count the number of waiting minutes you spend each week.

One of the best ways to gather up fragments of time is by reading. Many women complain that they are too busy with diapers, dishes and housework to read. So the busy woman should assimilate bite-size books for mental and spiritual nourishment.

Women who practice the art of reading find greater self-fulfillment. They achieve a better sense of balance in various areas of life. Christian women who read discover that the world is a fascinating place. The one who reads becomes a more interesting person through intellectual growth, which leads to self-confidence and self-respect. Reading helps one to make distinctions in new areas of development and become sensitive to them.

Reading Christian Literature can give you new release and freedom, confidence and power in your witness. Getting a proper perspective on God's role and your role in evangelism can also have a dramatic impact on you.

God's Word is always at the apex of the reading list. Other materials that aid one's understanding of the word should also occupy a spot of top priority on any reading list.

Many Christian bookstores have racks well-stocked with small booklets-about 5"X 3 1/2" - just the ideal size for your purse or car's glove compartment. Why not make a note to visit your local bookstore this week and purchase a booklet for each purse and 2 or 3 for the glove compartment? Then when you find yourself waiting 10 to 15 minutes, you'll be amazed at the amount of reading you can do in just one month.

How you spend your waiting moments tells much about your basic affections. Do you sit idle, letting your mind wander aimlessly? Or are you bored while waiting for someone?

Reading is a matter of earnest commitment. After evaluating your commitment to what is really important in your life, determine to put good Christian reading at the top of your priority list this year. Make your waiting moments count for God. Honor Him as you read Christian booklets.

Missionaries  
Military  
Government  
Revival  
Our Leaders  
Our Law officers  
Our First Responders

## **CANCER**

Bobby Owens  
Thomas Miller  
Amanda Cockron  
Dillard Day  
Ronald Galloway  
Roger Grant  
Ernest Teague  
Allen Woodal  
Tim Cochran  
Becky Davis  
Mammie & Russell Bell  
Chuck Wooten  
Vance Harris  
Angie Turner  
Bobby McKinney  
Jack Shook  
Tammy McManis  
Wanda Nance  
Lloyd Way  
Tom Hernandez  
Bro. Renard  
Peggy Scroggs

## **OUR SICK LIST**

Bro. Joel  
Foy & Jane Trantham  
Bro. Charles Sister Martha Walker  
Mrs. Rey Bane  
Reba Ellenburg  
Maebell Hendricks  
Carolyn Freeman  
Marvin & Gail Ellenburg  
Delores Maulden  
Sis. Myrtle Cockrell  
Bro. Doyle Ledford  
Ann Goodwin  
Homer & Marlene Owens  
David Parker  
Bro. Cater  
Pat and Faye Maxwell  
Thomas Hendricks  
Mildred Harris  
Dorothy Snyder  
Kim Darnell  
Richard Wimpey  
Janice Anderson  
Vicki Morris  
Jeff Raby  
Alton Esuary  
Thomas Turner  
Benny & Sherry Chapman  
Tammy Trotter  
Tina Hendricks  
Betty Johnson  
Wesley Durham  
Pennie Way  
Linda Trotter  
Lynn Hoxit  
Bleu Watkins  
Chastity Anthony  
Ellie Reyner  
Ed Harris  
Cathy Shealy  
Hodge Family  
Elliot Family  
Harley Hanes Family