## NEW TESTAMENT RIDERS

# CHAPTER 353







## President's Message

Many of you have seen the news from Utah today. Conservative speaker **Charlie Kirk** was **shot at Utah Valley University**. It is reported that he has passed away.

#### Please pray:

- For his wife, children, and family for God's comfort, protection, and peace.
- For law enforcement—wisdom, clarity, and success as they investigate and pursue those responsible.
- For revival in America—that the Lord would turn hearts to Himself, heal our land, and replace anger with grace and truth.

In moments like this we remember: "The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit" (Psalm 34:18). Let's respond like Jesus—steadfast in prayer, gentle in our words, and confident that God is at work even in dark days.

We will keep our focus on Christ and continue to pray for all affected.

In light of all this now on to a lighter side of things.

Preparing for the Colors rally getting the bike in order tires ,oil change etc. I decided to get a pair of Sena 50s for Me and Kathy. Let's face it they ain't cheep. Once we got them installed in our helmets Kathy's like oh my God can I ware this to bed I can here my audio book so good.

The sound is great. What did you say Jack I can't hear you I'm rocked. LOL. Needless to say she likes it. She said we need to go for a ride to find out if I can hear you on the bike but it's too late. Ok so this weekend we will.

Moral to the story spend the dang money. Make her smile. Enjoy life. It could all be gone in the blink of an eye.

Thank GOD. For all HE'S done for us. Hope to see y'all all at the COLORS RALLY.

Your Prez, U-Turn Jack



# Representing at Michigan St. Rally













## RFS - Fundraiser - Crust Pizza



















## **VP's Thoughts for the Day**

#### Set God Size Goals

Marilyn and I had a great time at the CMA NETX Rally in Tyler. 319 people attended. We got to meet some really nice people and see some old friends. The NETX Region is the Number One Run for the Son Region in the Country. As you know, \$15,000 for RFS gets a Missionary a Motorcycle. An additional \$10,000 also gets a Jesus Film Projection Backpack in that pastor's language. CMA NETX Chapters donated 14 Motorcycles. 4 of those Chapters also raised enough to give the Backpacks as well. As you know, our Chapter has a goal of \$15,000 for RFS this year. I know several people in the Chapter have started donating monthly online to RFS to help reach this Goal. We just missed it by about \$2,000 last year. Everyone that spoke at the Rally said the same this: "Set God Size Goals, so when you make it, there was no doubt God did it!" One of the messages from National Evangelist Steve Brackeen was to "take care of your people first." Galatians 6:9 states Let's not become discouraged in doing good, for in due time we will reap, if we do not become weary. CMA has said 3 things about our mission field: Some Send, Some Go and Some Pray. This means that by your Chapter and RFS Donations, you Send. If going to Rallies are not your thing, you can support those that do Go to the rallies in Prayer. One thing I love about our Chapter is that we are a praying Chapter.

As I was reading the September Newsletter, I noticed how many were on our prayer list. I am glad that those on the list feel comfortable trusting us with what is going on in your lives to allow us the privilege of praying for you! Remember, we need to know what is going on in order to pray. Many years ago, I had a friend that would get mad when he was sick and nobody from Church called him. He was an over the road trucker and missed a lot of Sundays because of the job. I explained nobody knew he was sick because he never told anyone. We can't help if we don't know there is a need. Whether the need is physical, financial or prayer, you are not alone. We are here if you need us!

Mark White



# Chapter Meeting & Chapter Ride



















## **Bible Sticker Party**













## Marilyn's Minutes

We are gearing up for a busy fall. Hub and Vickey went to the state rally in Michigan. Mark and I went to the Northeast Texas state rally in Tyler. We have Colors coming up in October and Lone Star Rally in November, plus we are in the time of year when officer nominations will be presented and then voting in November. Everyone should pray and see where the Lord wants you in New Testament Riders this coming year.

I have been attending a class led by Marvin Bryant on Wednesday nights called "Experiencing God." This study teaches that God is always moving, we just have to see where He is moving and join Him.

We have opportunities through the events coming up, officer nominations and election, Lone Star Rally and upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas families we adopt. All of us can join in where God is moving in these areas by being participators. There is no such thing in the Christian life as "straddling the fence." (Sorry, that's an old cowgirl saying. I just couldn't help myself.) We all have a position and responsibility to the Kingdom of God to do what God calls us to do.

As New Testament Riders we have a great bunch of bikers who love to ride and love the Lord. Ask God where He wants you this coming year as a NTR participant. Does He want to stretch your comfort zone and learn to do bike blessings, pray for others, or just fold rag tracks? All of those are important and all are needed. The gifts of the Spirit have been distributed throughout the Body of Christ. Some have public gifts, some have quiet gifts. It doesn't matter which type God has given you, pray and ask God where He wants you this coming year and join Him in His work through CMA New Testament Riders.

Marilyn



## Representing at NE Texas State Rally























Jesus. We need you now more than ever. We need men to step up for their families. We need woman to be safeguards for their families. We need children to hear your gospel. We must rise as a community of believers for the sake of the gospel.



## **Vickey's Treasury Notes**

### **Are You Ready**

"Are You Ready?" for the return of Christ, based on Luke 12:40, where Jesus says, "You must be ready *all the time, for the Son of Man will come when least expected.*" - I feel that this is such an important subject, as we don't know when, but we know His return is imminent The Bible tells us so.

"How Can We Make Ourselves Ready?" - The call to make ourselves ready is a spiritual call, a Kingdom of God-involved call. In CMA, we have such a unique blessing. We are blessed to be able to ride motorcycles and enjoy riding while, at the same time, answering the specific call of God on our lives to share the Good News about Jesus with others who also enjoy riding motorcycles. For us, in the ministry of CMA, making ourselves ready is a mindset that produces actions. - Being ready brings forth actions in the way we approach evangelism, working with other members of our Chapters, and in how we speak to those bikers who have not yet become followers of Jesus. - The profound promise that Jesus WILL return to us is not an idle hope; it is the cornerstone of our belief. We find comfort knowing that our Savior has assured us of His return, which is such an encouragement. - Philippians 3:20 says, "We are citizens of heaven, where the Lord Jesus Christ lives. And we are eagerly waiting for Him to return as our Savior." - The lessons from scripture can be broken down into a few simple statements: o Jesus IS coming. o A great celebration, the uniting of Christ with His Bride, the church, is about to begin at any moment. o We who follow Jesus must prepare ourselves. Christ spoke often on the importance of being ready, in His parables and other teachings. His soon return should be our motivation, as II Corinthians 5:20 says, "We are Christ's ambassadors, God is making His appeal through us."

There are important ways that we can identified to make ourselves ready are: Watching, not sleeping, Serving, not quarreling Speaking, not shrinking "Sleeping" means going on about our daily lives like the future Kingdom of God doesn't matter or won't ever come. - "Watching" on the other hand, means actively serving Christ, sharing His love with others, as if today might be the day. Watching also means living in expectation of Christ's return, which adjusts our focus and aligns our hearts with God's purpose. We find peace and joy, even amidst challenges, knowing that we are part of a glorious plan that culminates in Christ's return. - Wouldn't it be cool if, at the moment of His return, he found us watching and not sleeping? Serving Him in such ways as sharing Jesus at a local bike night, or doing a bike blessing, only to look up and say, "AND HERE HE IS!" When Jesus returns, may He find us watching for Him, actively engaged in what He left for us to do. - I love what Paul wrote to the Roman church in this regard, "this is all the more urgent, for you know how late it is; time is running out. WAKE UP, for our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed." Romans 13:11 - Knowing these things should impact how we live. - Some practical ideas: o Include in our daily prayers, "Jesus, help me live each moment this day as if You are coming today." Our purpose in serving others and understanding His timing helps us to live out our faith daily. - Jesus sets forth an unusual way of living for us, His followers. The way of Jesus seems counter-intuitive to our normal nature and is unique in the motorcycling culture. Jesus, himself, was a servant, and we all know what He said, recorded in Mark 10:45, "For even the Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve others and give His life as a ransom for many." Our entire journey of readiness centers on hope in His return. It encourages us to remember that this world is temporary - that heaven awaits. "Life is a fleeting moment, and we must live in light of eternity." - Romans 8:18 - "For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us." "Are you ready?"

Inspired by Message from Jeff Wheeler CMA Michigan Rally

Vickey Williams



### The Power of Prayer.....

Back in mid July I had a nuclear stress test done. 2 weeks later I had an office visit with my heart doctor to discuss the results of the test. He asked me to follow him into another office and he had 1 of the technicians pull up the results of my test on a computer screen....There were probably 100 images showing but the doctor pointed to 3 or 4 of them and said----this shows that you have a significant blockage. He said that a heart cath test was called for and that (depending on how bad it was) they would either do balloon angioplasty, insert a stent, or do a complete bypass operation. He said I needed to be prepared for any of those 3 outcomes.....Needless to say, after learning the above, that I was scared.....So I asked my friends at my church (including 2 ministers) to pray for me....l asked my family members to pray for me....and I asked my CMA brothers and sisters to pray for me.....And everyone did......

The procedure was done on August 18 and the doctor told me----there was a blockage but it was minor, not major like what the test had said....He then added---there was no need for any of the 3 surgical procedures.....NO angioplasty, no stent, and no bypass.....SO----some time between mid July and mid August, God gave me a partial healing and honored the prayers of his people......I am convinced of that....

Some of the nurses (while I was in the hospital, thankfully only 1 day---several hours----were saying.....You just had a false positive test.....I reject that because the doctor showed me my test results (the computer images) and he told me what the images meant.....and I know my heart doctor knows what he is doing because I have been going to him for 11 years---so he did not make a mistake in reading the results of the test.....My name was listed at the top of the test so my results did not get mixed up with someone else's results.....NOPE-----none of that is true.....I give GOD the glory for his grace, power, and healing which is what I know happened during this time.

Respectfully,

John Modesette, CMA member

## **RFS Secretary**

We have our Kroger Rewards set up. We are registered under Christian Motorcyclists Association NTR and our number is NG615.

Here are the steps to enroll and link your card.

#### 1. Go to

# www.KrogerCommunityReward s.com

If you do not have an electronic account you will choose create account on the right hand side. If you already have an account then you will go to step 2.

- 2. Under Link your card to an organization you will choose click the link that says Search for your organization here (here is in blue because it is the link)
- 3. Enter the name Christian Motorcyclists Association NTR or our number which is NG615., select it and click save. (the address will show Mena, Arkansas because that is where our headquarter's is.

If you have any place you would like to go email me at OneFrazzledMom@gmail.com.

Deidra Marroquin



## 2026 Run For The Son

Run for the Son is the Christian Motorcyclists Association's investment into world-wide evangelism. Over the past 38 years, Run for the Son has played an important role in 41.7 million salvations in 194 countries around the globe

On Saturday, May 2, 2026 motorcyclists from all over the United States will participate in the 38th Run for the Son.

Over the course of 38 years, CMA, through Run for the Son, has raised over \$111.6 million to fund biker evangelism in the United States and around the world.

All are invited to join with CMA members and others across the United States to come together and participate in the 38th Run for the Son. You do not have to be a CMA member to participate. Check with your local chapter leaders for specific ride information.











## Road Captain Roadmap

When we get together, I want to encourage you in your faith, but I also want to be encouraged by yours.

Romans 1:12

What an encouragement it is to get together with this group of believers. We like to cut up and carry on but it is all out of love. The friendships that have grown through CMA and especially through NTR is beyond my wildest dream. This group has truly become family to Katrina and I and we look forward to years of riding and just deep fellowship with all of you.

The weather is getting warmer so make sure you stay hydrated and carry water with you on your rides. Continue to check wear on your tires with the hot road surfaces and your tire pressure plays a vital role in tire wear.

Our chapter ride we are riding out to Yankees Tavern & Grill 10328 Fm 244 Rd, Anderson, TX 77830

## Craig Comp









## **Chaplain's Corner**

As a biker, we know to be aware of our surroundings as we ride. We need to constantly be scanning around us watching out for the other drivers. We are prepared to take any action necessary during our rides.

John 5:19 tells us:

Therefore Jesus answered and was saying to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, unless it is something He sees the Father doing; for whatever the Father does, these things the Son also does in like manner. (NASU)

As a follower of Christ, we need to constantly be looking around us, much as we do on our bikes. As we are looking, we need to look to see what God is doing around us and, as Jesus did, join the Father in His activities. God is always at work around us, so we need to train ourselves to look for what He is doing, much as we had to train ourselves to watch around us as we ride.

As you go through your days, watch to see where God is working and join Him there and you will be richly blessed.

In Him.

Marvin





Life House Church - Mens Breakfast









## **Upcoming Events**

#### Beast Feast

Oct 4th 5:30am Real Life Ministries TX. 1626 Cherry St. Tomball, TX

#### Funeral & Celebration of Life - Cecil Stephenson

Funeral - 10am Houston National Cemetery Visitation and Celebration Cowboy Church of Brenham Oct 9th 12 - 2 pm 4400 St Hwy 105 Brenham, Tx.77833

#### **Chapter Meeting & Ride**

Oct 11th 9am Waller County Line BBQ 20727 Fm 362 Rd.

#### RFS Fundraiser - Hamberger Supper Waller Baptist Church

Oct 12th 9:45am - 12:30pm 2520 Cherry St Waller, Tx. 77484

#### **International Changing of Colors Rally**

Oct 15th - 19th CMA's Iron Mountain Hatfield, Arkansas

### **Ladies Bible Study**

Every Wednesday Waller Baptist Church 10am - 12 noon 2520 Cherry St Waller, Tx. 77484

#### Men's Breakfast

Waller Baptist Church Oct 25th 8-9am 2520 Cherry St Waller, Tx. 77484

#### St Timothy Lutheran Church - Fall Festival

Oct 26th 14225 Hargrave Rd. Houston, Tx. 77070

## **Lone Star Rally**

Nov 6th-9th Galveston, Tx To register and volunteer go to https://www.cmasetx.com

#### God Speed Rider - Turkey Run

Nov 22nd - Suggested Donation \$20 Registration 9-10 am KSU 10am San Jacinto HD 3636E. Sam Houston Pkwy, Pasadena, 77505



## Mission True: Visibility

When we accepted the call of God to become members of CMA and wear the CMA logo, our faith in Christ became visible for all to see. Our bright gold patch with a cross and Bible in the center are unmistakable – not easily hidden. We are proclaiming that we know the path to a relationship with Christ.

HOW HAS WEARING YOUR CMA LOGO
OR GEAR OPENED A CONVERSATION
FOR YOU TO SHARE ABOUT
THE LOVE OF CHRIST LATELY?

For sale:

Used SENA HD30k. Mesh/bluetooth with accessories.

Connects to Harley GTS Boom box \$400.00 new, asking \$150.00 from CMA Members OBO.

Jack Smith







## Prayer Request

Nancy Bryant - Roland, Yesenia, Bella, Mathew, Daniella - Salvation, State Farm to pay for Father roof

Marvin Bryant - Co-worker David Young's wife. In hospital with blood clot in brain. Brain

Surgery

Bobby Coons - Unspoken, Kidney Stones

- Daughter in-law - Lung, heart, brain problems

Deb Damm - Direction and wisdom for next steps

Sara Daniels - Results from my ultrasound and my neighbor Jack Landis. Recovery from brain surgery.

Deidra Marroquin - Parents have several issues. Caregivers fatigue. Settle into Nursing Home.

Selling of home

Angela & Gary Margum - 22 yrs old Son lost both leg in a work related accident

Jeremiah & Stephanie Hitchcock (Conroe Messengers) Both mom's having surgery

Dorothy Corral - In hospital, discovered mass in her stomach

Alan Kizer - Lonely

Pastor Mark Gardner - Back healing

Kris Reich - Back in hospital with G.I. issues

Carol Salab - Salvation

Bruce - Son's mother in-law Anita Robutka - Brain Aneurysm

Scott Abbey - Depression and anxiety, Sister Crystal needs healing

Changing of the Colors - Oct 15th - 19th

Jack Smith - Kathy has Cold, Jack William - torn knee

Michael - Healing for his knee

Katrina Comp - Aunt Jenn- Recovery from heart surgery

- Cousin Brian Givers - Emergency heart surgery - torn aorta

Terry Dalke - Son Tim - Salvation and sobriety

Jeremiah - Safe travel to Transformation weekend

Marty Ogg - Mother in-law Ruby - upcoming surgery, Father in-law possible heart attack Melvin Roland

Ronnie Vaculik - Leg surgery

Lone Star Rally - Nov 6th - 9th

## Praise Report

Sara Daniels - Thank God for all Blessings

John Modesette - Heart procedure went well. No surgery need. Prayers work



# Veteran's Day Word Search



AIR FORCE

ALLEGIANCE

AMERICA

**ARMY** 

BRAVE

FREEDOM

**HERO** 

JUSTICE

LIBERTY

MARINES

NAVY

PATRIOTIC

RESPECT

SACRIFICE

SOLDIER

VALIANT

**VETERAN** 

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Romans 3:23 For all have sinned and come short of the Glory of God

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord

Romans 5:8 But God commended His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us

Romans 10:9-10 That if we shall confess with our mouth the Lord Jesus and shall believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shall be saved. For with the heart of man believeth unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation

Romans 10:13 For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved



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