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**Happy
Thanksgiving**

TELETHON SUCCESS

The COACB telethon was a great success raising money and pledges totaling approximately \$30,000. The actual total will probably exceed that figure because often people send more than they pledge. One person pledged \$200 but the check arrived for \$900. Another pledged \$150 but their check was \$300. Still others had not pledged anything but sent in checks after the telethon.

Everyone had a lot of fun during the telethon. Bill Byrd from Byrd's Auto Sales brought two electric scooters to be auctioned. People laughed to see Brad Richardson zip around the studio on the yellow one chased by Bud Layne on the black scooter. Bud wore an inflatable sheriff's outfit. Both scooters sell retail for \$195 each but at the telethon, the yellow scooter sold for \$225 and the black one sold for \$450. Marion sold everything from tires to pickled corn.

Delaware viewers roared with laughter when a toilet bank was auctioned. Yes, Twyla Jackson proved that you can truly flush your money down the drain. Delaware also sold everything from collectable Harley Davidson watches to lamps and homemade fudge.

In Kenton many, many items were sold, including a car and a van. Everyone had a lot of fun and was completely exhausted by the end of the telethon.

We thank the many merchants, viewers, and everyone else who worked so hard to make this telethon a great success.

DECEMBER CRAFT SHOW

The COACB is planning a Craft Show and Sale at TV39 on Saturday Dec. 4, 2004. The chairs in Studio A will be stacked and 40 spaces will be available to display items made and sold by local craftsmen. Contact Betty Syck at (740) 387-4022 to reserve a space. Food will be available for purchase. Everyone Welcome.



Post Your Prayer
Request:
www.coacb.org/prayer



GOSPEL SINGING

Due to the TBN Telethon we will have our monthly live gospel singing at our studio in Delaware, Ohio, 36 Spring Street on Saturday, November 13, 2004 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers will be Steve & Diane Powers, Grace 4 Faith, and others.

The third Saturday night of each month we have live gospel singing at our studio in Marion, Ohio, 1282 N. Main Street. The next scheduled singing is Saturday, November 20, 2004 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers will be Living Waters Trio, Salvation Rain, Just Forgiven, and New Jerusalem.

The fourth Saturday night of each month we have a live gospel singing at our studio in Kenton, Ohio, 14 N. Main Street. The next scheduled singing is November 27, 2004 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers will be The Newlands, Bud Motter, Pete McKean, & Trish.

Free admission. Everyone welcome.

NOVEMBER LOVE GIFT

Get out of any situation with this swiss army knife. It comes equipped with tweezers, toothpick, knife, scissors, and a file. It also has a gold plate on one side with the inscription "Making Waves For Christ COACB Marion, Delaware, Kenton". **This love gift will be sent to all who donate \$5 or more during November.**

COACB VOLUNTEERS



Pictured at the table are Frank O'Bryant, Ron Janetzke, Brad Richardson, David Aiken, Carolyn Aiken, and Linda Williams. Ron Janetzke is a lawyer who has spent years helping Not-For-Profit organizations bring all of their legal documents into compliance with the many changes required by state and federal regulations. This group has already put in over 160 hours toward that purpose and will deliver their work to the general membership for ratification upon completion.



TRY THESE RESCIPES

SALMON APPETIZER

THELMA AIKEN

One 15 ounce can salmon or 2 cups cooked salmon (flaked); One 8 ounce package of creamed cheese, softened; 4 tablespoons mild or medium salsa; 2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley; 1 teaspoon dried Cilantro; 1/4 teaspoon ground Cumin (optional); 8 flour Tortillas (8 inch)

Drain salmon. Remove any bones. In a small bowl combine salmon, creamed cheese, salsa, parsley, and Cilantro. Add Cumin, if desired. Spread about 2 tablespoons of the salmon mixture over each tortilla. Roll each tortilla up tightly and wrap individually with plastic wrap. Refrigerate for 2 or 3 hours. Slice each tortilla into bite sized pieces. Yield 48 appetizers.

MOM'S MEATLOAF

CAROLYN AIKEN

2 eggs; 3/4 cup milk; 2/3 cup finely crushed saltines; 1/2 cup chopped onions; 1 tsp salt; Dash pepper; 1 1/2 lb lean ground beef; 1 cup ketchup; 1/2 cup packed brown sugar

In large bowl beat eggs. Add milk, saltines, onion, salt and pepper. Add beef and mix well. Shape into an 8 1/2" x 4 1/2" loaf in an ungreased shallow pan. Combine remaining ingredients. Spread 3/4 ketchup and brown sugar mix over meat loaf. Bake at 350° for 60 – 65 minutes until no pink remains. Let stand 10 minutes then slice and serve with remaining sauce.

TACO SOUP

NANCY WILSON

1 pound hamburger; 1 small onion, chopped; 1 package taco seasoning mix; 2 cans chili beans; 1 or 2 cans hominy, or can corn may be used; 1 can stewed tomatoes; 1 can Rotel; 1 small can green chilies; 1 package Hidden Valley ranch dressing mix.

Brown meat and onion together and drain. Put all ingredients in a large stew pan, **DO NOT DRAIN ANY OF THE CANS.** Heat until good and hot. It depends on how spicy the Rotel is on how spicy the soup will be. Sometimes I just use 1/2 can of Rotel. Good served with grated cheese on each serving and cornbread.

CRACKER SNACKS

ANONYMOUS

3 packages crackers (unsalted square); 1 1/4 cup Canola Oil; 1 package dry Ranch Dressing; 1-gallon Zip Lock Bag.

In Zip Lock Bag put your Canola Oil and dry Ranch Dressing and mix until blended. Add your crackers and shake until well coated. Store in a fresh Zip Lock Bag.

STORIES FROM MY RELATIVES

John Hoffman

My Grandpa Toone, Spit was his first name, drove a stagecoach but it didn't have any wheels on it. What held it up? He replied, "Bandits."

GIDEON AT TELETHON

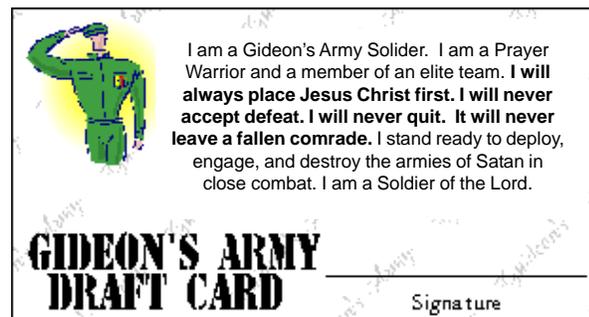
At 2:00 PM on Sunday all COACB stations linked up and telethon viewers saw the poorest son of the poorest family of Israel give an appeal to raise an army. The trumpet was sounded and people started to join Gideon's army. The Lord said 32,000 were too many so Gideon said for all the fearful to go home. All but 10,000 left. Gideon was very surprised when the Lord said that even that small army was too many and after the trip down to the river the Lord showed there was space for only 300 in Gideon's army. With the Lord's help and guidance that was all that was needed to win that great battle.

The Gideon's Army presentation by David Aiken (Gideon) and Jonathan Aiken caught viewers, technical staff, and studio audience by complete surprise. It had quite an effect on all who saw it. After seeing it, one person came to the Kenton station and was converted. Another said he had not been to church for years but, after seeing this, he had to come and tell what an effect this had had on him. Several said they thought David really imagined he was Gideon and was given a job much bigger than he was able to do. People were crying and rejoicing and there have been many requests to see the presentation again.

NEED AN OUTING FOR YOUR GROUP???



To schedule a free tour of any of our COACB stations, please call:
(740) 383 - 1794.



GIDEON'S ARMY

Are you one of the 300 for the COACB Gideon's army? There is space for only 300 and each will support the COACB with \$20 per month. Each member will receive a very nice certificate, draft notice, and dog tags. The COACB is also working with local merchants to provide a special discount card. This is a very exclusive group and when all 300 slots are filled no one else can join until there is a slot available. The money goes to advance the work of the Lord through the use of the COACB stations. Money from the Gideon's army pledges will arrive over the next 12 months but many have chosen to pay it in one lump sum. We want to thank God for Jonathan Aiken's work on the Gideon's Army promotion and Tracey Layne's work on the discount card.

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