



Drawing by Montez



Then I'll try something new!!!
Sweet poem

I will build you a castle with the tower so high it reaches the moon... I'll gather melodies from birdies that fly and compose you a tune.

Give loving as warm as Grandma's oven and if that don't do then I'll try something new!!

~ Smokey



Happy Autumn!
Bright leaves fall from trees,
morning sun, crisp and clean air-
first days of autumn!

-M. Dunn

Haiku from Morwa Dunn



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If you have any content to share for our newsletter please see one of the breadline staff. **We are in need of content such as a poem, lyrics, writing, thoughts, questions, image of your artwork or anything uplifting or informative.** Anyone who contributes content for our newsletter will receive a \$10 gift card.

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FRANCISCAN 360 IS OPEN!

WHAT: Case Management, Computer Access, Mailing Address, Health Clinic

WHERE: 144 W. 32nd Street

WHEN: Monday - Thursday, 9am - 4pm

WHO: All are welcome!

NEW: Art and Guitar classes, Work space available Tuesday 9am -11am

Good Morning! This week we have a short message from Deborah, writing from Jovan James, writing from Jane Farmer, a Haiku from Morwa Dunn, writing from Minister Cora Shaw, original lyrics from Chris, murder mystery from James D., writing from Izzy Iz, sports trivia from Dave Bank, poetry by Smokey, and art work from Joseph Richardson and Montez.

PSALMS 19:7 -9

The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statues of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple. The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of the Lord are radiant, giving light to the eyes. The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever. The decrease of the Lord are firm, and all of them are righteous.

This week's sports trivia provided by Dave Bank. Be the first person to answer all three questions submitted by Dave Bank or to solve the murder mystery provided by James D., to win a gift card.

Who was the first baseball player to hit 60 home runs?

Who is the only basketball player in the N.B.A to score 100 points in a single game?

Who is the first American world chess champion from New York?

Answers to last week's trivia questions.

Who holds the world record for the fastest time in the 100m dash? Answer: Usain Bolt

Who is the all-time leading scorer in NBA history? Answer: LeBron James

Who won the first-ever Super Bowl? Answer: The Green Bay Packers



Sometimes I forget where I am, Am I made from air? Or am I made from sand? If I don't ever fall I always will stand Make a plan Take a hand make a way shake the land I break through any obstacle before me From a heart that's broken, Who tore me? With my skin disheveled, Who wore me? With my mind tired from all those lies, Don't bore me Especially with another fake long story So when I'm stuck in situation And see my route I can always make ways To find my way out

~ Izzy Iz



The Power of Prayer

Prayer is our way of communicating with the Lord and it is truly one of the most powerful and effective tasks we can do if we're in need of guidance, love, and support. The Lord hears all of our prayers and is sure to answer every single one of them whether we realize it or not. Not receiving everything we ask from the Lord does not mean our prayers are going unanswered, but rather, God is ensuring we are getting exactly what we need to complete this journey of life on earth to rejoin him one day in heaven, as opposed to granting us all of our wants that may lead us down a path of unholiness. It's important to pray regularly, pray for passed loved ones, pray for those in need, and pray for ourselves among other things. Praying is an act of love for ourselves, for our own brothers and sisters in this world, and for the Lord as it shows that we are willing to take the time to ask for better for ourselves and other as well as take the time to ask for our Father and put all of our hope and faith in him. When we pray we tell God that we trust him, that we know he's listening, that we know He's the most high, and that we know he will do for us and others exactly what is necessary. We tell God that we trust his power and judgement and submit to his authority. More often than not, we will find our lives (and the lives of those we've prayed for) improving significantly and in ways that are noticeable to others. I believe this is the Lord's way of communicating to us that if we put all of our faith into him, he will deliver dramatically. When you are down on your luck and haven't been lucky for an extended period of time, it is easy to become jaded and lose hope, but maintaining trust in God and continuing to call out for him in times of need will always prove beneficial. Love yourself, love your brethren and all living creatures, and most importantly, love God and pray and he will always deliver.

~ Jane Farmer, September 30, 2024

GLORY

My eyes shall see your Glory, whatever life's situation is our story, in your LOVE, it's Healing, GLORY. Our lives aren't without reverencing fear, and confident you are near, and Here with outpouring of your Spirit, Shekinah Glory, manifesting your powerfulness, it rained. Through Creation in nature I see and feel your awesome handiwork, your Angels dancing. It eliminates pain. Thy Will be done on Earth and Heaven. It's working as you purposed it, we are over comers. By your wisdom and might, in spite of man's opinion your judgement is fair. Therefore, we persevere. Rise forth Oh Gallant Troops and march in and out the city, proclaim Liberty. Freedom Call. I Am the Creator spiritually reviving through My outpouring, refreshens, healing and resurrecting for my chosen people., setting Divine Order according to my law that I might be pleased, I came to set the captive free. When the righteous are in rule a city rejoice. And the Government shall be upon my shoulders. Rejoice!

Precious Savior, you are my refuge through life's obstacles, protect me from my enemies, in The time of trouble, in you may I find comfort. Uphold your chosen, your Servants, your Leaders and Presidents Appointed all over America. You're Counselor and Wisdom, thanks for your guidance you're Freedom And Justice, Government and our Fortress, lead us forth victoriously. Keep our lives with good standards. Our hearts with integrity, our minds in heights of awareness, upward mobility, grant thy perfect will. THY WILL BE DONE THY KINGDOM COME.

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~ Minister Cora Shaw, 9/30/24

The Case of Hit and Run

Mrs. John Hill was hit and killed by a speeding car around 8:40 last night. Two witnesses agree that the car barely slowed down after striking the victim. Just after midnight, the car was found, abandoned in a vacant lot, with bloodstains and fragments of clothing on its front bumper. The same car was reported stolen by it's owner, Thomas Tracy, In a phone call to the police last night. Tracy said he left his car parked with the ignition key in it, while he went to his neighborhood drugstore for cigarettes. When he came out he discovered his car was missing, so he hurried back into the store to phone the police. To check his story you drive to the the drugstore, a small establishment, with a sign on the door open daily 9:00 - 9:00 you question the wonder, Malcom McGregor who confirms Tracy's visit last night. Yes. McGregor says Tom came in just at closing time. He bought some cigarettes, and we exchanged a few friendly words. Then he went to the phone and made a call. In that order you ask. That's right then he left. You return to your office to question Tracy. He exclaims, I hope you were able to track down that guy who used my cat to kill that poor woman. You can Imagine how shook up I was this morning when I learned about the accident. Get ready to be shook up some more. You are our #1 suspect as the driver, who killed Mrs. Hill?

~ James D.

SAY I WONT GO HARDER BUT I CONQUER,
LIKE IM SMARTER THEN THE AVERAGE
MOTHA FATHER YOU WOULD NEVER SEE,
WHY PONDER I RONT WANT NO FREAKING
DRAMA, FORGET YOU AND YA BABY MAMA
CANT YOU SEE IM AT THE TABLE EATING
LOBSTER WITH SOME MOBSTERS TAKE YA
TIME AND ALL WILL PROSPER, AS IM HEADIN
TO THE CITY SHOUTIN OUT TO FRANKY T.
FOR ALWAYS ROLLING WITH ME PART OF
THIS ENVIRONMENT IS NOT TO BE WITH
MANY ROLLIN WITH THE BILLIE'S AND THE
MILLIES IN THE BENTLEY'S CHECK A BETTER
PRICE STARS N' OVER STRIPES WHATCH MY
APPETITE CATCH ME ON A FLIGHT HAVE A
BETTER LIFE DIAMONDS SHINING BRIGHT
PLAY YA CARDS RIGHT 1 MORE THING I HAVE
TO SEE, THAT'S HAVE A GOODNIGHT

~ Chris



Painting by Josheph Richardson

I Hope you're Telescope
Can Spot our life On the Moon"
You Picking me Will Bring Forth
Warm Tears
Of Joy Daily"

I'll Be your Crater In Your Life
The Only WATER Flow
Available"

Uplifting your Spirits
Twice
The Speed of your Heart Beat"

A life without Feet
Can Be Considered
a Life Of Gravity"

A Life without
Worry
Could make you Immortal For Eternity"

But YOU, given me You're time In a Day
Could make US something Special"

Life On The Moon
_Soon"

The Implications of these Finding's
Offer new Insight's into the Complex
Interactions of TWO SOULMATE'S

GasDust&Photons

~ Jovan James (315) Cushite"

"Lord Jesus, you are gracious,
merciful, and kind. Set me free
from my prejudice and intolerance
towards those I find disagreeable,
and widen my heart to love and to
do good even to those who wish
me harm or evil."

~Deborah