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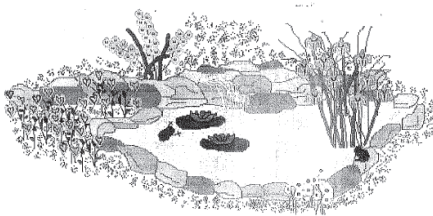
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From Your President...

How to Plant Your Garden

First, you come to the garden alone, while the dew is still on the roses.....



FOR THE GARDEN OF YOUR DAILY LIVING



PLANT THREE ROWS OF PEAS:

1. Peace of mind
2. Peace of heart
3. Peace of soul

Ready or not here I come...January 2012

Can you believe another year is history? 2012 promises to be an exciting and eventful year. Technology seems to be doubling every year, morality declining, corruption in high places, other religions coming to front, Christ and Christian principles being disregarded, lack of patriotism, and a general disregard to our constitution and laws that has made America the great nation we once knew.

The Bible says "If my people, who are called by my name, shall humble themselves, turn from their evil ways, and seek my face, then will I hear their cry and heal their land." What is it going to take for us to get the message? I pray that we are at the point of HEARING and DOING His will. Let us covenant to be part of the "Return to God" movement. Let it begin with all Christian believers.

In the next few articles we will be talking about "Planting a Garden for Daily Living." Let's all plant our garden under God's leadership. Consider what you want in your garden.

We have some very interesting programs planned for the 2012 year. Won't you plan on attending

and bring a friend, neighbor, or relative with you. The more the merrier. Just be sure to make reservations when your group captain calls. If for some reason you have not been contacted one week before the meeting date, call Sherri at the church office and she will take your reservation.

We look forward to seeing you on January 10. Our own Pete Wood will share the latest from the City of Smyrna. We want to recognize him for his years of service to the citizens of Smyrna.

In His Name,
Richard

January 10, 2012

Pete Wood, a member of our church, and our city councilman will give us an update on what changes were made in the city in 2011, and what we can expect in the year 2012.



Pete has faithfully served as councilman for 20 years.

Thank you for taking your time to bring us up to date on what is happening in our city.

MENU:

Beef Tips
Noodles
Glazed Carrots
Roll
Dessert
Tea and Coffee

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From Bro. Chuck's Desk 
A Little Spirit Lifter

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

I pray that you and your family have a blessed and prosperous 2012, always be mindful that “Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above” James1:17.

May this year be a year filled with “a Spirit of thankfulness” that you will be able to say, “I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation,” as Paul wrote in Philipians 4:12.

Some years ago I visited a man who was wealthy and successful, the envy of all his friends and business associates. But as we talked, he broke down in tears, confessing that he was miserable inside—wealth had not been able to fill the empty place in his heart.

A few hours later I visited another man who lived only a few miles away. His house was humble, and he had almost nothing in the way of this world’s possessions. Yet his face was radiant as he told me about the work he was doing for Christ and how Christ had filled his life with meaning and purpose.

I went away convinced that the second man was really the richer man—although he had very little, he had learned to be thankful for everything God had given him. A spirit of thoughtfulness makes all the difference.

Looking back at 2011, we see a year filled with many opportunities to serve our Lord, help build our church family, mentor many young/new Christians. Thank you for being faithful to serve.

Our K.I.T. Ministry is still going strong with about 30 members enrolled and still room for others.

“Woodland Ridge Assisted Living Ministry” is supported by ten church members and about 20 residents who faithfully attend our services each Thursday at 6:30pm-7:30pm.

The Smyrna Travel Club has many trips planned for this New Year. If you have not traveled with us, please plan to take a trip with us. Fellowship is great, food and accommodations are great and just the trip in itself is fun. If interested, call Richard Brown, 770-435-0150/770-435-9298 or Bro. Chuck Allen at the church.

**HAVE A WONDERFUL NEW YEAR AND
BE FAITHFUL SERVING OUR LORD JESUS
CHRIST.**

In His Love,
Bro. Chuck

KEEP IN TOUCH MINISTRY

K. I. T. (KEEP IN TOUCH) BIRTHDAYS



January	8	Pat Hilscher
	13	Mary Ann Bates
	13	Doyle Bruce, Sr.
	17	Jewell White

