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Monday, October 17, 2011

Mommy runs, then fights with police during DUI arrest

A six year old boy was on hand to watch as his mother tried to run from law enforcement until her vehicle ran over a spike strip, then he got to witness her allegedly resist arrest and kick a police officer as she was being taken to jail for her alleged drunken endangerment of the public at large.

Bobbie Lee Warren, 30, Tammy Drive, Powell was charged Tuesday with DUI 1st offense, felony evading, felony reckless

(see Mommy's DUI pg. 3)



Warren

Georgia woman popped with pills & potty

A Georgia woman was jailed Friday after officials stopped her vehicle for reckless driving and found she had numerous pills and liquid medication from Florida and Tennessee as well as three bottles of urine she got from a friend in order to pass a drug test.

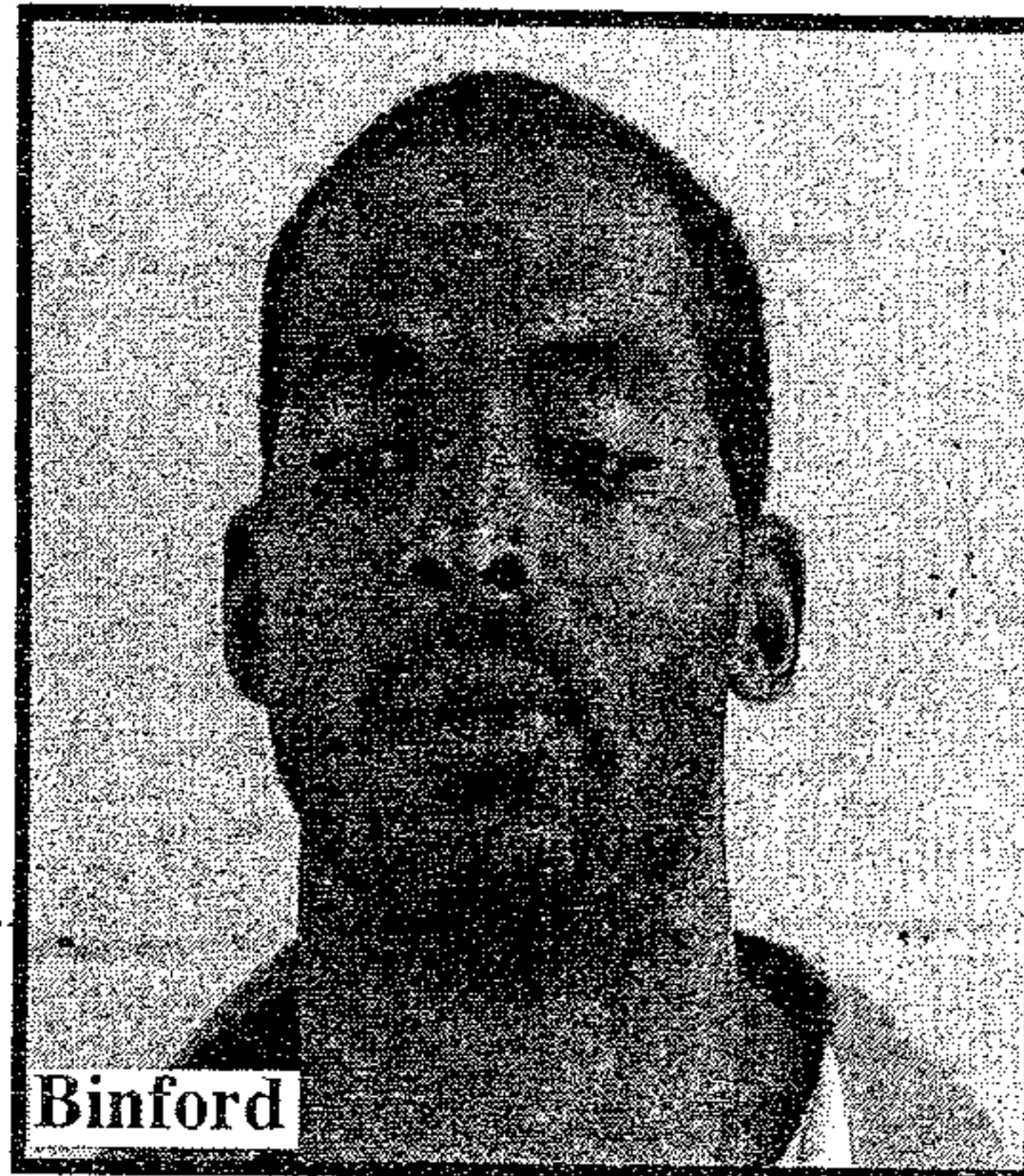
Julie Louanne Abel, 39, Chambers Street, Rossville,

(see Pills & Potty pg. 3)



Abel

Man charged after death threats



Binford

(see Threats pg. 7)

The Good News

by Jeff Vittatoe



"Sins of Relationships"

Dr. Gregory Frizzell, in his book "Returning to Holiness", lists five areas of relationships that can affect our ability to experience God's power in our lives. I have been guilty of every single example. If you will be honest with yourself, you probably have been or are now guilty as well.

(see The Good News pg. 5)

Woman charged with stealing laptop

Detective Brian Jenkins charged a Loudon woman with theft after she allegedly stole a laptop computer she later tried to sell.

Christina Marie Collins, 27, Caldwell Road, Loudon was charged with theft over \$500.

According to the affidavit filed by Detective Brian Jenkins, LPD; on or about September 3, 2011, Christina Marie Collins took

(see Charged pg. 6)



Collins

Probation officer is wasted woman's "Idol"

A woman who reportedly went to the Loudon County Justice Center so wasted she

didn't know what day or time it was, told Investigator Jason Smith she had come to the

(see Obliterated pg. 6)

Verse of the Day

"Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy, To the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power,

both now and for ever."

Jude 1:24-25

Obituaries

Clifford Lee Moats

Thomas Allen Thornburg

Wazzup

Here's a big shout out to Tami Coakley wherever you are! Sure would like to see ya!

Weather

Today: Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 80s.

Tonight: Lows in the mid 50s.

Tuesday: Isolated thunderstorms. High: 63; Low: 41.

Horoscopes

Libra 9/23-10/22

Business matters are much

easier to attend to now -- as long as you are focusing on the right people. Fortunately for you (and them), your ability to discern important relationships is strong now.

Scorpio 10/23-11/21

A simple disagreement could get

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Mommy's DUI

endangerment, and resisting arrest and assault.

The report states, Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSO was traveling north on Highway 411 in Greenback when he saw a white van coming at him southbound at a high rate of speed. Radar revealed the van was doing 78 mph in a 50 mph zone.

Deputy Brewer turned around and while attempting to catch up with the van he witnessed a white and blue van come out of the driver's window. He activated his emergency equipment, but the vehicle

continued south on Highway 411.

Upon entering the city of Vonore, Deputy Brewer was joined by Monroe County and Vonore City officers. After about three miles, the van was spiked by a Monroe County deputy, causing it to come to a stop.

The driver was identified as Bobbie Lee Warren.

Mrs. Warren had a strong odor of an intoxicating beverage about her breath and person and a check of the van revealed Mrs. Warren had her 6 year old son in the vehicle with her.

Warren could not follow directions,

had slurred speech and was unsteady on her feet. While attempting to place her in the car she kicked Deputy Brewer in the chest and was resisting other officers as well. She kept trying to push the door open with her feet and refused to follow directions.

Field sobriety was not given due to Mrs. Warren's violent actions. The implied consent law was read and explained, but she refused to answer whether or not she would consent to a blood test.

Deputy Brewer made the arrest.

Pills & Potty

Georgia was charged

with DUI, driving on suspended, violation of implied consent, possession of schedule IV xanax, possession of schedule II oxycodone and possession of schedule II methadone.

According to reports, Friday, at approximately 3:03 PM, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD was dispatched to a reckless driver in a copper colored Chevy Blazer on Interstate 75 northbound that was exiting on 72. The officer watched the vehicle pull into the Weigels parking lot and made contact with the driver, Julie L. Abel.

Ms. Abel stated the car in front of her had slowed down, so she hit her brakes and swerved. She seemed confused and her speech was slurred, and Officer Houser asked if she was on any medication. Ms.

Abel stated BC Powder.

When asked for her license, Abel said it was at her house, packed up. A check of her name and date of birth came back suspended for multiple traffic offenses.

Ms. Abel had numerous empty pill bottles in her vehicle including liquid methadone from Florida, and morphine and alprazolam from Tennessee. She had three bottles of urine and stated she'd tested positive for marijuana so she had someone else urinate in the methadone bottles to use for her test.

Ms. Abel also had a prescription bottle with someone else's name on it that contained methadone wafers, xanax, and oxycodone.

Abel performed poorly on field sobriety tasks, was read implied consent, but refused, and was transported to the Loudon County Jail. Officer Jon Yates, LPD was also on the scene.

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Obituaries cont.

of Lenoir City, Jimmy and Sherry Hill, of Mesquite, TX, Martin Bildeback, Sweetwater; numerous nieces and nephews. Services honoring the life of Thomas Thornburg will be held 7:00 PM Friday, Oct. 14, Philadelphia First Baptist Church with Rev. Brian Courtney officiating. Interment 11:00 AM Saturday in Loudon County Memorial Gardens. Contributions in memory of Mr. Thornburg may be made to the Building Fund of First Baptist Church, 606 Church St., Philadelphia, TN 37846. The family will receive friends 5:00 – 7:00 PM Friday prior to the service at the Church.

The Good News

The Good News today is that Jesus will forgive you as He did me and restore you to a place where His presence in your life is absolutely undeniable. Let's be honest with ourselves and honest with God, who already knows what we are guilty of. We will discuss the sin and what God's word says about it. If you truly believe the Bible to be God's infallible Word then allow it to speak to you and redirect your life for Jesus. Here we go!

(1) Can you think of people

you may have hurt or offended in some manner?

Mathew 5:23-24 (NKJV)
Therefore if you bring your gift to the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar, and go your way. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.

Is Jesus actually saying don't approach God until you first get right with those you have offended? YEPPIE! He sure is.

There are those in my life that I have offended and hurt very badly. I am ashamed of many things I have done. I believe I have asked each of them for forgiveness but that doesn't mean they all forgave. We are only accountable to humbly and sincerely try to make it right with those we have offended. If we cannot, that is between them and God and well, that's covered in number 2.

Is there anyone in your life that you may owe an apology? Is there a relationship you could repair if not for stubbornness? Please don't allow pride to rob you of God's blessings for your life.

(2) Are you bitter or holding grudges against people who have offended you?

Mathew 6:14-15 (NKJV)
For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

I don't believe that scripture requires any further explanation! If we hold grudges, we become sinful, hateful, and unable to receive God's merciful forgiveness.

How many of us are guilty of this one? Does it make sense why so many Christians don't act "Christ like"? Our lives are mucked up with sin that has not been forgiven because we don't listen to what Jesus plainly told us.

(3) Are you involved in any improper relationships?

Mathew 5:28 (NKJV)
But I say to you that whoever looks at a woman to lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart.

You're exactly right, who am I to talk about this? I am the guy who, just a few years ago, destroyed lives, families and relationships committing this exact sin. I am guilty and still ashamed. There is nothing worse in life than having to look into the eyes of the people who you have permanently scarred for no reason other than sin!

If you are doing this now, let me beg you to stop. The consequences of this sin reach

far beyond just you. It is true that Jesus will forgive this sin and I firmly believe He has forgiven me, but the wounds you cause others may never completely heal and definitely won't be forgotten.

Is receiving and exchanging sexual explicit emails and photos considered adultery? (See previous verse!) Social media sites such as Face Book, My Space etc are very dangerous as well. Christians, be very careful! If you are saved, then you will know you are treading in dangerous waters before it becomes sin. Don't try to justify the relationship, just run! And pray for strength!

(4) Do you neglect regular fellowship and meaningful service through your church?

Hebrews 10:24-25 (NKJV)
And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.

I use to go to church occasionally on Sunday mornings and for a long time I didn't go at all. It wasn't until Angie and I truly committed our lives to Christ that we discovered the importance of receiving every ounce of God's Word that we could get. We have a pastor that is inspired by God Almighty with two messages every Sunday for God's people, yet the people on Sunday eve-

(see TGN cont. pg. 7)

A \$500 Reward
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Clerk's Office to see her probation officer, Kelly Clarkson.

Shawna Elizabeth Smith, 26, Grove Road, Loudon was charged with public intoxication.

According to an affidavit; on October 10th, 2011, Investigator Jason R. Smith, LCSO-CID was notified a female was at the General Sessions Court Clerk's Office and appeared to be under the influence. Investigator Smith went to the clerk's office and spoke to Shawna E. Smith.

Ms. Smith stated she was there to pay court costs.

The investigator asked if she had driven to the Clerk's office and she said no.

Ms. Smith's speech



Smith

was slurred and as she led Investigator Smith to her car she was unsteady on her feet. He asked if she had been drinking or under the influence of any medication and she stated no, that she had only taken what had been prescribed for her.

Ms. Smith was unable to recall the date or time of day and did not know that it was

Monday. She stated she was going to see her probation officer, Kelly Clarkson, but she meant Kelly Schaffer. When asked if she could pass a drug test Ms. Smith stated, "No." Investigator Smith made the arrest.

Charged

possession of a black Acer laptop computer, which did not belong to her. Collins took the

computer without the victim's knowledge or consent.

The value of the computer as over \$500 and shortly after gaining possession of the laptop, Collins attempted to sell it to another woman.

Deputy Brad Rayfield, LCSO served the warrant and made the arrest Tuesday at the Loudon County Jail.

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Threats

Detective Brain Jenkins arrested a homeless man after the man reportedly used a gun and threatened to kill a Loudon man and his family.

Quinton L. Binford, 34, homeless was charged with aggravated assault and unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

According to affidavits filed by Detective

Brian Jenkins, LPD; on or about October 8th, 2011, Quinton L. Binford committed the offense of aggravated assault by intentionally and knowingly placing the victim in reasonable fear of im-

minent bodily injury. Binford accomplished this by stating to the victim he would kill him and his family, then raising his shirt in order to display a black handgun he had concealed in his waist band.

The incident took place in the victim's yard on Ferry Street in Loudon.

A very short time after the confrontation, Officer Marty Ward and Sgt. Mike Newman of the Loudon Police Department found Binford in a public park approximately

two blocks from the victim's residence.

Sgt. Newman received verbal consent to search a backpack belonging to Binford. Inside the backpack, Sgt. Newman found a black Highpoint 9mm handgun matching the description of the one given by the victim.

A check through NCIC revealed Binford is a convicted felon. NCIC also revealed the firearm was stolen from Lenoir City.

Detective Jenkins made the arrest Saturday at Legion Park in Loudon.



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ning are often few. If you don't have a hunger for God's word, if you feel "satisfied" with only attending one time a week and you are not involved with specific activities and outreach opportunities then it may be that your relationship with God is being hindered by some sin in your life.

(5) Are your family relationships consistent with God's word?

Ephesians 5:23 (NKJV)

For the husband is head of the wife, as also Christ is the head of the church; and He (Jesus) is the Savior of the body.

We as husbands are responsible for being the spiritual, as well as physical, head of our household. We are to be the example that our families can follow. Yes, we are not only

responsible for our own Christian walk, but to see that our family receives guidance in the instructions that Jesus gave us. What a responsibility! Are you fulfilling this obligation? Let me share another verse or two with you men just so you know what Jesus fully expects;

Ephesians 5:28 (NKJV)

So husbands ought to love their own wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife loves himself.

Ephesians 6:4 (NKJV)

And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.

There is a movie called "Courageous" that was just released this month that covers this area so completely. Angie and I saw it and recommend that every Christian, every non believer, or anyone who agrees that our nation is

falling apart should go see.


Our relationships define us. Our relationships with our friends, our family, our church, our

neighbors, and most importantly our relationship with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ are often strained by the sin that we so often overlook. Angie

and I have discovered that Jesus is worth any changes that we had to make in our lives and our prayer is that you will examine your life as well. Thank you.

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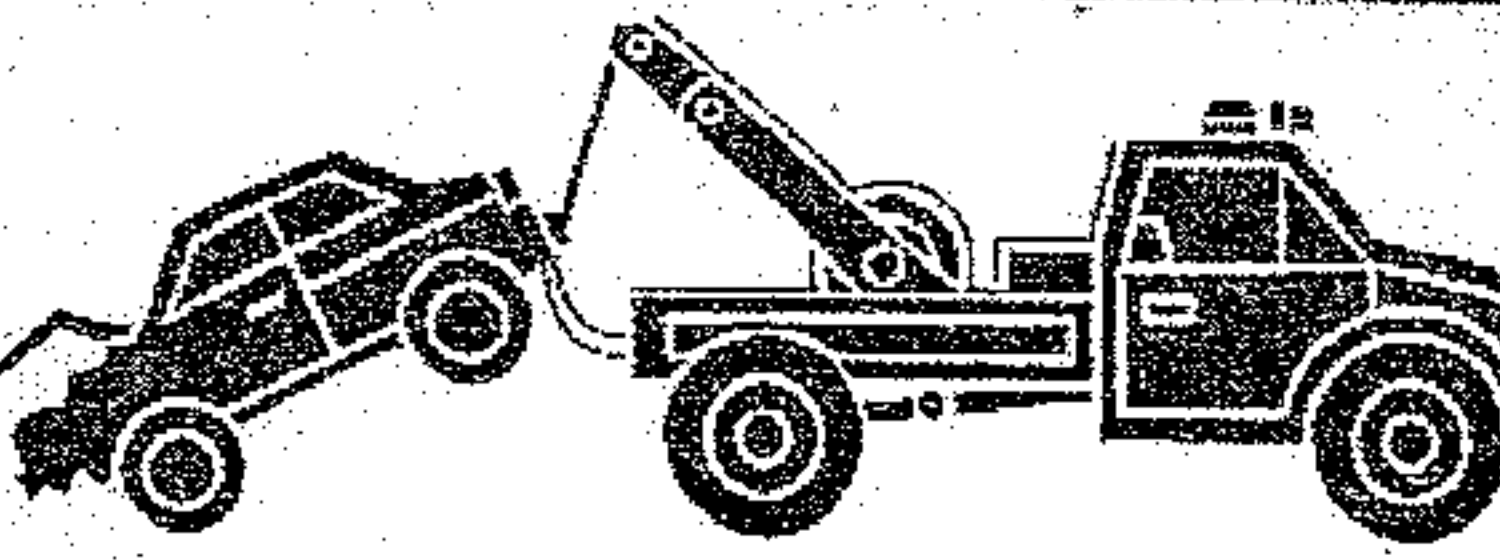
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