



# ROADWAY EXPRESS

## RETIRES NEWSLETTER

**JUNE 6, 2005 - CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE AREA - EVERY 1ST MONDAY**

### UPDATE ON THE SICK

Floyd Bledsoe is doing pretty good. They have taken him off the chemo treatments and he is now taking his medication in a pill form.

Jack Reneker has his gall bladder surgery May 6, 2005 at East Ridge Hospital. He is doing real good.

David Grisham has good reports from all of his tests. He is now waiting for the Dr. to schedule his surgery. The Dr. says he thinks he will be able to remove the cancer in his lung, since it is located in one spot.

Dorma Farmer's Mom came out of her surgery just great. She had a pace maker put in. She was very weak before the surgery. Dr's said she did fine. Dorma says she may get to come home today or tomorrow. And thanks for all the prayers.

D. T. Daniel will go to Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning to have a stint put in his neck.

Bill Welch was in the hospital last month with pneumonia. Doing pretty good now. Bill also had cataract surgery on his left eye last Tuesday. His sight in that eye has greatly improved. Will have the right eye done on the 14th.

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### Mr. Noble Owen Hovater

Mr. Noble Owen Hovater, 62, of Nashville, Tenn., died Monday, May 9, 2005.

His funeral service was held at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 14, 2005, at Morrison Funeral Home chapel, Tuscumbia, with Stan Dean officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Tuscumbia, Al.

Mr. Hovater was a native of Tuscumbia, where he graduated from Deshler High School in 1961. He graduated from the University of Mississippi in 1965. He was a member of the University of Mississippi M Club Alumni Chapter and the University of Mississippi Alumni Association. He was a Vietnam Army veteran, earning the Bronze Star.

He worked for Roadway Express in Chattanooga, RPS, He was a senior manager for FedEx.

### NEXT MEETING

**Monday July 11, 2005**

**11:00 A.M.**

**WALLY'S RESTURANT**

**I-75 Exit 1 - East Ridge, Tn.**

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### PRAYER REQUEST

**David Grisham**

*Waiting for Dr. to schedule surgery*

**Jessie Holt**

*Recovering from knee surgery*

**Bill Watts**

**Loretta Wyatt's Mom**

**Bill Welch**

*Recovering from Pneumonia & Cataract surgery*

**Tom Burris**

**Jimmy & Loretta Wyatt**

**Larry Wyatt**

*Jimmy Wyatt's brother*

**Travis Jordan**

**Willie Stoner**

*Chemo treatments*

**Don Greeson**

**James Petty**

**D. T. Daniel**

**Levada & Bill Brown**

**Billy Brown** (*Bill & Levada's son*)

**Linda Wolf's Mother**

*Ruby Anderson*

**Virginia Bledsoe**

**Floyd Bledsoe**

*Chemo treatments*

**Linda English**

*Dorma & Dwight Farmer's Friend*

*Dorma Farmer's Mother*

**Frances Vickers**

**Christy Bowman** (*Dorma's Niece*)

**Louise Bird** (*Levada Brown's Niece*)

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### CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Floyd and Virginia Bledsoe  
Tree Creek Pkwy. - Apt. 905  
Lawrenceville, GA. 30034

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Bill Needam - 6/3

Barbara Greeson - 6/4

Joann Lawrence - 6/6

Tom Crowe - 6/7

Corkey Roberson - 6/8

Sandra Merritt - 6/15

Doris Johnson - 6/16

Wayne Johnston - 6/16

Jim Lawrence - 6/18

Linda wolf - 6/18

Jack Reneker - 6/22

John Mizell - 6/25

Raymond Martin - 6/28

Phylis Forehand - 6/28

Virginia German Spells - 6/28

Louise Grisham - 6/30

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Jennie & James Thurman - 6/2/62

Phylis & Cecil Forehand - 6/4

Brenda & Frank Caywood - 6/22

DeAnn & Gene DeBerry - 6/30/63

### RETIREE ANNIVERSARY

Pete Crawford - 6/30/99

Marlyn Robinson - 6/30/99

Cecil Forehand - 6/30/01

D. R. Long - 6/19/02

### Palm Sunday

It was palm Sunday and because of a sore throat, five-year-old Johnny stayed home church with a sitter. when the family returned home , they were carrying several palm branches.

The boy ask what they were for.

"People held them over Jesus' head as he walked by"

"Wouldn't you know it "the boy fumed, "the one Sunday I don't go, he shows up!"

Thanks to: Jack Reneker