



# ROADWAY EXPRESS

## RETIRES NEWSLETTER

May 3, 2004 - CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE AREA - EVERY 1ST MONDAY

### Hev Retirees,

We want to thank all of ya'll for the beautiful get-well card and the money and I do plan to buy another tree for my backyard to replace a tree that had to be taken up last November due to a bad wind storm we had.

Well, Bill will be at North Florida Regional Hospital May 3rd getting his stent put in. The hospital is in Gainesville, Fl which is 80 miles from here.

He will have to stay over night, but, if all goes well, he will be back home on May 4th (Tuesday).

We really did appreciate Jack and Jackie coming down last week and going with us when Bill had his heart-catheter. We had missed them so much and we miss all of ya'll too. So, keep us in your prayers and I will keep ya'll up-dated on what's going on. Wish we could be at the meeting, but, maybe it won't long before we can get back up there.

Take care. Love, Bill & Lottie

**BILL IS TO GO TO THE HOSPITAL TODAY AT 7:30 FOR THE STENT.**

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Hi, we went to see Bill & Lottie Watts a couple of weeks ago. We are happy to report both are doing well. Bill will have a stent put in on May 3rd...it is an overnight stay in the hospital and then take it easy for a couple of weeks. He will be in Gainesville hospital.

### **Some Truths to Take Seriously**

He who angers you controls you. Nothing else ruins the truth like stretching it.

God doesn't call the qualified, he qualifies the called.

He who kneels before God can stand before anyone.

Never give the devil a ride; he will always want to ride.

*Jack Reneker*

### NEXT MEETING

**Monday June 7, 2004**

**11:00 A.M.**

**WALLY'S RESTURANT**

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

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### FOR THE NEEDY

Droma and Dwight Farmer are doing great work for the needy in Chattanooga. Each week they gather items and distribute them. If you have anything you would like to contribute, such as, clothing, coats, socks, canned goods and etc, just bring it to the lunch at Wally's, or contact them and they will make arrangements with you to pick it up. Thanks

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An elderly gent was invited to his old friends' home for dinner one evening. He was impressed by the way his buddy preceded every request to his wife with endearing terms- Honey, My Love, Darling, Sweet-heart, Pumpkin, etc.....

The couple had been married almost 70 years, and clearly they were still very much in love. While the wife was in the kitchen, the man leaned over and said to his host, "I think it's wonderful that, after all these years, you still call your wife those loving pet names." The old man hung his head. "I have to tell you the truth," he said, "I forgot her name about 10 years ago.

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As a senior citizen was driving down the freeway, his car phone rang.

Answering, he heard his wife's voice urgently warning him, "Herman, I just heard on the news that there's a car going the wrong way on Interstate 280. Please be careful!" "It's not just one car," said Herman. "It's hundreds of them!"

From: Dorma Farmer

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- T. E. CORNELIUS - 5/2
- THOMAS PIERCE - 5/2
- WILLIE HALPIN - 5/4
- ROY McCLARY - 5/13
- A. L. NOTARO - 5/14
- ROBERT SWANSON - 5/22
- LOIS HOLT - 5/25
- PETE CRAWFORD - 5/26
- LEVADA BROWN - 5/26
- CINDY MURPHY - 5/27
- RACHEL GRANT - 5/28

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- Charlotte & Bill Welch  
May 3, 1968
- Bill & Levada Brown  
May 11, 1968

### RETIREE ANNIVERSARY

- Robert Swanson - 5/30/93
- James Petty - 5/97
- Bobby Rose - 5/31/97
- Paul Williams - 5/30/98
- Tom Crowe - 5/99
- Bill Watts - 5/2/02
- Tommy Bryant - 5/30/02

### PRAYER REQUEST

- Travis Jordan
- Linda and Raymond Martin
- Don Greeson
- Loretta Wyatt
- Lois Holt
- David & Louise Grisham
- Paul & Ann Williams
- James Petty
- D. T. Daniel
- Harold Hammond
- Levada & Bill Brown
- Billy Brown
- Linda Wolf's Mother
- Ruby Anderson
- Virginia & Floyd Bledsoe
- Linda English
- Dorma & Dwight Farmer's Friend*
- Dorma Farmer's Mother
- Frances Vickers
- Christy Bowman
- Dorma's Niece
- Louise Bird
- Levada Brown's Niece