

Tomorrow is Too Late

I thank God every time I remember you.

—Phillipians 1:3

I wasn't there that morning when my father passed away - Didn't get to tell him all the things I had to say..I just wished I could have told him in the living years.

—Mike & the Mechanics

Why is it so hard for us to express our true feelings to the people we love the most? Have you ever experienced the sudden, unexpected death of a loved one? So many of us "don't know what we've got until it's gone..."

»Stop! as you slam the door to leave

And go to the streets to roam

Someday tragedy may strike

And tear apart you home

»Think! as you lie in bed at night

After a bitter spat with Mom

Tragedy hits all of us

And explodes just like a bomb

»Pause! as you turn to give your Dad

A cold and icy stare

Someday you will want to come home

But home will not be there

»For although parents' love endures
They cannot live forever

Someday God will take them

And your life will seem to sever

»And on that day you'll cry so hard

And the tears will be so real

Cause all that's left is memories

And all the pain you feel

»You'll stare at the pale white faces

Of this woman and this man

Who loved you as no others do

And as no others can

»Mom won't be there in winter

To make sure you wear your coat

And she won't be there to give you

medicine

When you catch a sore throat

»Dad won't be waiting up for you

At curfew -to see you heed it

Or there to slip you a couple of bucks

When you really need it

»You can't come home for Christmas

Cause no one will be there

And when you have a problem

There's no Mom and Dad to care

»When your birthday comes around

There's a present that you'll miss

You'll long for a hug from Daddy

And Mother's loving kiss

»As you recall the memories

And the good times there have been

A lot of warmth will leave your life

And loneliness creeps in

»You'll tell how wonderful they were

And all the fun you had

But there are two people you never told

That's right - your Mom and Dad

»Don't write it on their tombstones

Or wait for a twist of fate

Don't wait until tomorrow

Because later is too late!

How often we must lose something precious to us to realize its value.

"Abortion" Continued from page one

Nicole McSwain feels that Utah's actions are a step in the right direction. After attending the Washington pro-life rally in May of 1990, McSwain's opinion against abortion was even more fervently enhanced. Montreat, which held an open chapel for a Pro-Life Activists speaker last semester, also has students with opinions from the extreme opinions. Jennifer Beaman suffered through an abortion with a friend and can understand the dilemma

and fear teen-age pregnancy can hold. "I disagree and feel that abortion is solely the woman's choice and has nothing to do with the government," she says.

Editors note: We realize that this is a sensitive issue, and we would like your opinions. Next week we will run what we feel are the best two editorials written in response to this article, one pro and one con. Have your submissions in the Aletheia Box (Front Office Gaither with the Profs. Boxes) by 4:30pm Friday.

Give Blood,
yours might be
the pint which
will save a
life.

Workers are
also needed in
case you
cannot give...

**"She had big
brown eyes, the
cutest laugh—
and leukemia."**

"Andrea was in preschool with my son.
"One day they rushed her to the hospital with leukemia. She needed blood urgently, so I went and gave... She's in remission now, but every couple of months I go and give blood.
"Because I know someone else's Andrea may need it."
When was the last time you gave blood?

Blood. Give a little, so someone can live.

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Spiritually Speaking

Weekly Highlights

Wednesday, February 20

4:00p.m. G.A. Singer's Rehearsal—BCC 304

9:00p.m. Spring Play Rehearsal—BCC Third Floor

Thursday, February 21

8:00p.m. Spring Play Rehearsal—BCC Third Floor

9:00p.m. Open Dorm—Davis and Howerton Halls

7:00p.m. Chapel

Friday, February 22

7:30p.m. GYM Night at First Baptist of Asheville

Saturday, February 23

1:00p.m. Away Baseball (DH) at Truett-McConnell

3:00p.m. Home Men's Basketball vs. Louisburg

7:30p.m. Mike Eldred Concert—Gaither Chapel

Sunday, February 24

9:30a.m. Sing-a-long in Gaither chapel

9:55a.m. Sunday School

10:55a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service

7:00p.m. Vespers—BCC Mall

Monday, February 25

3:30p.m. GA Singer's Rehearsal—BCC 304

7:00p.m. SGA Executive Meeting—BCC Conference Room

7:30p.m. SGA Legislative Meeting—BCC 219

9:00p.m. Open House—Davis and Howerton Halls

Tuesday, February 26

10:00a.m. Convocation

6:00p.m. Student Activities Meeting—BCC Third Floor

7:30p.m. Home Men's Basketball vs. Lees McRae

9:00p.m. Open House—McGregor and Montreat-Anderson Halls

****Thursday, February 28, Montreat-Anderson College Blood Drive. 10:00a.m.-4:00p.m.****