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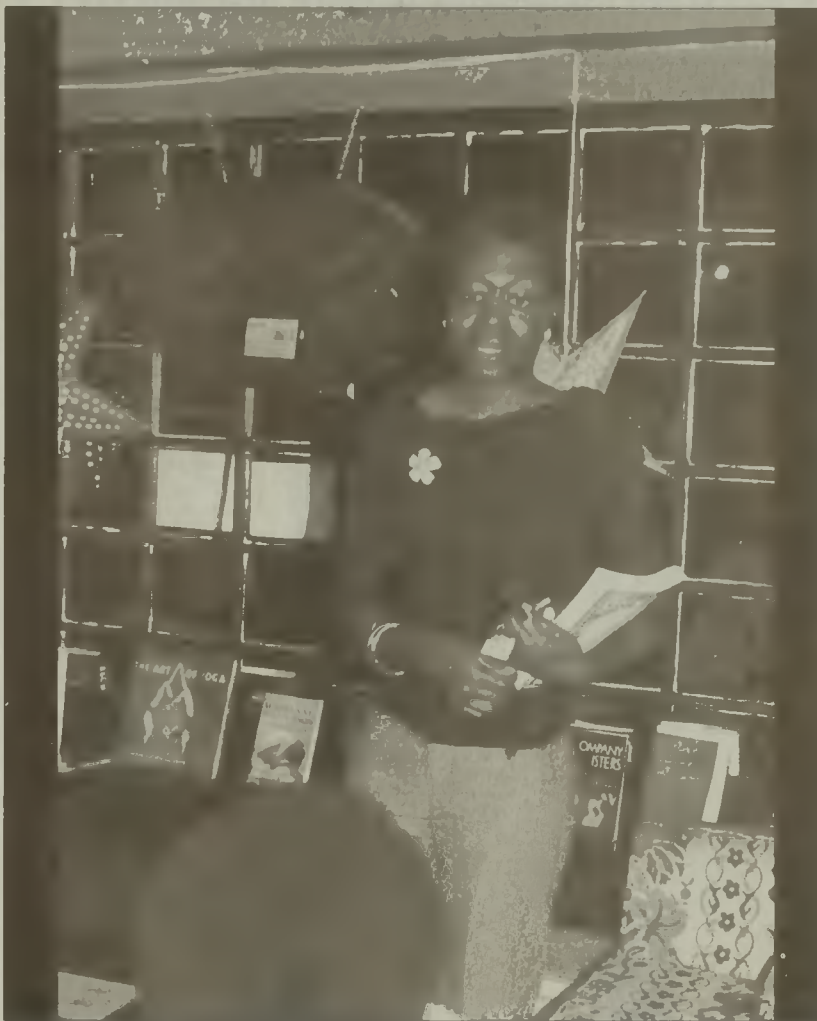


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Inspirational author LaTonya Mason, leads a discussion about her debut novel, "Good to Me" at Real Eyes Bookstore in NoDa. Mason said the book is semi autobiographical and she hopes that others will be inspired from the story.

Sons return home

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a chain with his dog tags.

"War shouldn't be necessary, but war has existed since the beginning of man," he said. "The Bible speaks of war constantly. King David was one of the greatest warriors. It shouldn't be a necessity, but it's a reality."

On the Net:

Watchtower Bible Tract Society:
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CHURCH NEWS

'Angel's Story'

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hem Revisited from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. through Sunday The outdoor experience recreates an ancient Bethlehem marketplace. The church is located at 8614 Pineville-Matthews Road. For more information, call (704) 542-3618.


December 9

Hickory Grove North Worship Department presents "An Angel's Story" a cosmic Christmas. The production centers around best-selling author Max Lucado, who imagines the spiritual conflict surrounding the coming of Christ. Tickets are \$15 and includes dinner. Showtimes are 7 p.m. Friday and 6 p.m. on Sunday. For more information, call (704) 531-5333.

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SUNDAY

- Physical Food (serving breakfast) 8 a.m.
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- Main Course "Family First Worship" 10 a.m.

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- "Hour of Power" Midday Worship 12 Noon
- W.O.W. Word On Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

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Tennessee church sprayed with racial graffiti slurs

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. — Racial slurs and "KKK" were spray-painted on a Methodist church in downtown Chattanooga over the weekend, police said.

Neither police nor parishioners at Hamlett Chapel CME Church knew of any potential suspects and said it appeared to be a random act of vandalism.

There was no evidence of theft or attempts to enter the building.

"This is the first time anything like this ever happened," said Marchyrel Strickland, a member of the church for 46 years. "Years ago there were some break-ins — an altar, Bible and the PA system were stolen — but nothing in recent years, and nothing like this."

The graffiti on the door and back wall of the church was discovered by Strickland's brother Herschel when he arrived Sunday morning to clean up before services.

It was painted over after services.

The Rev. Mary Baker Hendricks, the church's pastor, said the church has received an outpouring of support from the community.

"Some people still feel racial prejudice, but to voice it like this on a house of God is offensive to everyone," she said.

"The support lets me know we live in a city that does not condone racial slurs like this."

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The religious world has laughed and ridiculed me to scorn. That is alright. I'm just glad that the Lord saved me. Go on making fun all you want to. I praise God He elected me in Christ before the foundation of the world. What grace just to know Him! I want to quote a scripture that is very precious to my heart: "THEREFORE being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." (Rom. 5:1) God justified me by faith of the Son of God. One of the first results of justification is peace with God. The pit of noise was gone when God justified me. How is it with you? Some of my family members have accused me this way: "You think nobody is righteous but you!" Well, the Lord washed me in His blood, cleansing me from all my sins. Wouldn't you rather be washed in the Blood of Christ than going around here saying "I accepted Jesus as my Saviour"? If you knew Christ you would. I'm going to leave you with these eternal matters, my friends. Dear souls, see to it that your souls are saved! You are a creature of eternity!

Your Gospel Editor and Teacher,
J.M. Little


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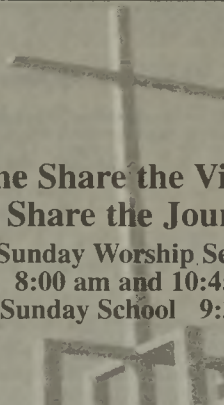
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Sabbath School	9:15a.m.
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Wed. Prayer Service	7:00p.m.



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