



FLIPPING THE LIST

by Martin Drummond

Sometimes, we can determine what a person really likes by considering what he or she really dislikes.

If a person detests months of ice and snow on roads and sidewalks, that person might delight in years of warm, Florida sand between his or her toes.

If a person detests heavy metal music, that person might delight in mellow jazz.

And so it is with God.

In Proverbs 6:16-19, we read of seven things that God detests. By extrapolation, we can discern seven things in which God delights.

Here is the first list:

“There are six things the LORD hates, seven that are detestable to him:

- *haughty eyes,*
- *a lying tongue,*
- *hands that shed innocent blood,*
- *a heart that devises wicked schemes,*
- *feet that are quick to rush into evil,*
- *a false witness who pours out lies*
- *and a person who stirs up dissension in the community.*

To please God more fully with our lives, I suggest that we each practice the opposites of the above items.

- eyes that depict humility
- a tongue committed to truthfulness at all times
- hands that protect the innocent
- a heart that devises righteous plans
- feet that are quick to rush to others' aid
- a faithful witness that pours out Gospel truth
- and be a person who pours a spirit of love into those confused or wounded by others' words

It's clear to me which list we should practice. Please join with me in doing more often the things that the Lord will love, not hate.

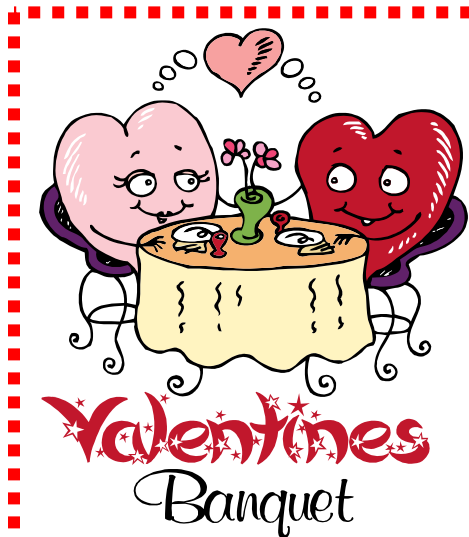
And let's pray — sincerely pray — for those in our congregations with first-list tendencies. They need our love and encouragement and example.



ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH AT 2PM

All members are encouraged to attend this important meeting where we will be voting on the proposed budget and approving the slate of board members chosen by our Elders for the upcoming year. In order to be eligible to vote you must be a baptized believer who has placed your membership with our congregation and be at least 16 years of age.



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH 6pm-8pm

An elegant evening of fun, catered food, and romantic music in an atmosphere of faith

This will be a "sweetheart" date night that you won't want to miss and that promises to be a highlight of the year. The \$25 per couple reservation fee is to cover the costs for decorations, fine dining tableware and restaurant-quality food, including dessert.

The deadline to make reservations is this Sunday, February 5th.

Please see Karen Kostowski, Patrice Moolah, or Keren Suarez to make your reservation.

*Cena de las
Damas*



*25 de FEBRERO a las 4pm
en la iglesia*

TEMA:

Amor Incondicional

DISERTADORA:

Teresita Terán

*Por favor, comuníquese con Zaida Velásquez
a más tardar el 18 de febrero si va a asistir.*



Women of Faith is holding a new and exciting One Day Event featuring Author, Singer and Television Host **Sheila Walsh** along with hilarious Christian Comedian and storyteller **Ken Davis** coming to the James L. Knight Center in Miami on **March 17th 2012 from 10am-5pm.**

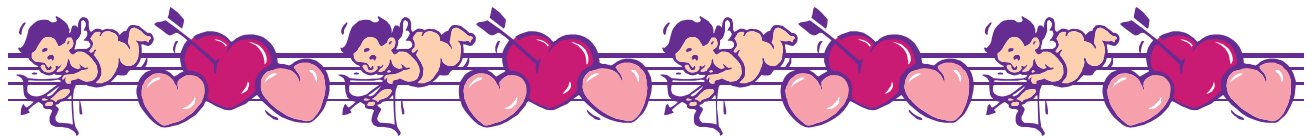
**This is a one day only event that combines biblical insight and in-depth teaching with humor and inspiration.
What if “One Day” could change everything?**

Tickets are \$59 & \$79. The seats are general admission. The \$79 seats are closer to the stage but still not assigned a seat number. Lunch is not included.

If you are interested in attending this event, please contact Tania Veloz.

FEBRUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5  ANNUAL MEETING 2pm	6	7	8  OLDIES GOLDEN 11am	9	10  Kids Bash 7pm	11  Valentines Banquet 6pm
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25  Cena de las Damas 4pm
26	27	28	29			



BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

2nd Marian Colman
 2nd David & Linda Hiers
 3rd Heidi Molina
 6th Bob Fifer
 6th Marc Hargraves
 6th Renee Hernandez
 6th David & Sherry Medder
 8th Carl Paschal
 9th Rachel Hernandez
 14th Nicolasa Hernandez
 14th Doris Torres

15th Gladis Garcia
 16th Ray Bowen
 16th Kim Schoenfeldt
 16th Ricky Velásquez
 16th Tania Veloz
 17th Doris Wilkosz
 17th Sixto & Ada Rosa
 18th Amelia Hernandez
 20th Alice Dacosta
 23rd Danny Abdo
 24th Mark & Kim Schoenfeldt



Serving Schedule

FEBRUARY 5

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Doug Kostowski

OFFERING MEDITATION

Gene Kinnaird

COMMUNION SERVERS

David Medder*

David Hiers

Eppy Suarez

Eli Medder

DONATION COUNTERS

Marino Polanco

Chris Kinnaird

FEBRUARY 12

Gene Kinnaird

Eppy Suarez

Steve Chin*

Danny Abdo

Tim Moon

Marc Hargraves

David Medder

Bobby Veloz

**Will lead offering prayer*



Pauta de Servicio

5 DE FEB

ORACION OFRENDA

Jorge Velez

ORACION SANTA CENA

Santiago León

LECTURA DE LA PALABRA

Zaida Velásquez

SIRVIENDO A LA MESA

Carlos Martín

Nelson Garrido

Pedro Madera

Marino Polanco

12 DE FEB

José Casas

Steve Chin

Reinaldo Alvarez

Santiago León

Marino Polanco

Eric Rojas

Gregorio Belmont



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