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## A Message from your Community Lay Director

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What is a soul worth? What is a changed life worth?

At the last gathering when asked what Emmaus meant to him, one brother answered, "A change life." Short and sweet and so true—"A changed life"! No dollar figure can be put on a saved soul or changed life. But think about it. For seventy five dollars you can sponsor someone on the Emmaus week-end and perhaps change a life.

Did you take a changed life from your weekend? Was your life changed and do you continue to serve in your church and other Christian activities? Have you used the tool of Emmaus to help change lives? Please be encouraged to press on and pass it on.

Please feel encouraged to serve Emmaus and Kairos Teams. Kairos needs one outside servant for one inside participant. Kairos needs you and if you want to see the Holy Spirit work and see lives changed, then, Kairos is where you want to be. Dwight Dobbins is the Kairos representative on our Emmaus Board and would love to hear from you. It is an excellent way to pass your week-end on. Saved souls and changed lives.

We will be voting on new board members and this is my last article as Community lay director. I would like to thank all of you for prayers and support this past year. This year has gone very fast for this old geezer.

We have not had a walk in this past year. My goal was to re-ignite the fire that burned within us and made Springfield Emmaus very special. Please help your new Community lay director re-ignite the fire.

Don't forget that we will have a Women's walk in September. We could use more women's applications, we need men's Application to have a walk. What is a soul worth? What is a changed life worth?

DeColores, 'Pinky' Pendleton

**GOOD NEWS!** The Women's walk is on. It will be September 22 – 25.  
**GOOD NEWS!** We have a date! Sponsor someone you know (or don't know). We still have room for other women. You can be a sponsor and when they ask "When is it?" You can say SEPTEMBER 22 – 25. You will be blessed and so will they.



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**“David told the leaders of the Levites to appoint their fellow Levites as musicians to make a joyful sound with musical instruments: lyres, harps and cymbals.” (1 Chronicles 15:16)**

Music has always been an important part of my life. Certain songs invoke particular memories. From childhood, and especially through my teen years and beyond, music has helped and blessed me through hard times and good times.

If we were to try and explain music to an alien from another planet we would probably fail miserably, for music is not meant to be explained, but rather experienced. It affects us in our heart and soul.

There are times that music can express what we feel when words fail us. Music is poetry put to rhythm. It is rhyme put to a steady beat. It is a power that moves and stirs the soul. It is a gift from God.

Music can be therapeutic. It can lift us when we are down, and bring healing to our wounded spirit. Music can enable us to lift our voices to God in praise and worship. Music is one of God’s greatest gifts.

Those who suffer affliction are wounded souls. Those who suffer chronic or continual affliction badly need a salve for their souls. Music can be a perfect salve for the sorrowful soul.

Lift your soul with music. Let it carry your praises and appreciation to God even in your times of sorrow.

In His Service, Ben Webster

### [Springfield Area Emmaus 25th Anniversary Celebration](#)

I was able to make it from the board meeting to the May Reunion for Women’s Walks 11-20. These walks were the ones where I first served as a team member. It was wonderful to visit with Shirley Glover, Ruth Detrick, Bev Hess and so many others that I remember from those early walks. It was like a “hug from heave” seeing everyone. Thank you for coming and please keep coming!!

We have also started working on Women’s Walks #31-40 and Men’s Walks #16-20 plus a few earlier walks that we were unable to reach the lay directors.



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If you were a lay director on one of the walks listed below or if you know any current contact information (phone number or email; not street addresses) for those lay directors please contact me (text: 937.673.4587 or email [aen1979@sbcglobal.net](mailto:aen1979@sbcglobal.net). Please write Emmaus in the subject line)!

### Women's Walk

Katie Oder #31	Beth Morter # 32
Gail Eckler #34	Teresa Ehalt #35
Marty Scott #37	Dixie Selman #37
Melody Kay Boyd # 38	Lori Vineyard #39
Lisa Mayhugh #40	

### Men's Walk

Thom McClain #1
Jack Bell # 2
Chris Haines #3
Gary Slack #17
John Patton #20



Walk 44 @ORW was held 04/14 thru 17, I sat at the table of Martha. Watching Jesus change hearts from non-believers of those not really wanting to be there. The women open up, ask for prayer. Seeking to know more about Jesus. It renews my soul every time I serve. Surely the presents of Jesus is felt. Closing on Sunday every participant shared.

Come to a closing and see the end results from a week end, it may touch your heart to serve for a week end? 1 Corinthians 13: 7. Ellen Morgan

**Board Meets at 5:30 pm on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month prior to Gatherings which are a 7 pm**



June 12

July 10

August 14

September 11

October 9

November 13

December 11

Visit the web site to print a willing servant sheet or pick up at the Gathering!  
<http://www.spfldemmaus.com/>

**APPLICATIONS** are needed for women and men. Do you have a young person that several years ago went on **Chrysalis** flight consider sponsoring them on an **Emmaus Walk! Now!**

**Willing Workers will be needed as well in September.**





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Newsletter Request

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Walk# \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**Email (optional)** \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to have the Newsletter mailed please send your \$10 fee along with this or copy of requested information to Springfield Area Emmaus, 230 E. High St., Springfield, OH 45505



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