

We extend a special welcome today to those of you who did not win the powerball lottery. We extend a very special welcome today to anyone who did win the powerball lottery. We welcome democrats, republicans, none of the above, who are single, married, divorced, straight, gay, filthy rich, dirt poor, yo no habla Ingles or espanol.

You're welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Catholic than the Pope, or haven't been in church since little Joey's Baptism.

If you blew all your offering money at the dog track, you're welcome here. We offer a special welcome to those who work too hard, don't work, can't spell, or because grandma is in town and wanted to go to church.

We welcome those who are inked, pierced or both. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid or got lost in traffic and wound up here by mistake. We welcome tourists, seekers and doubters, bleeding hearts, pet lovers, parrot heads ... and you!

If this is your first time then please give us another chance and pick up your first time guest bag at the back table.

CELEBRATION NOTES:



MOST OF WHAT I LEARNED ABOUT LIFE I LEARNED AROUND A TABLE

1. If You're Late, That's Your Loss
2. Your Mom Really Loves You
3. You Don't Get Dessert Unless You Eat Your Vegetables
4. Nothing Takes Precedence Over Family

THE BIBLE SAYS A LOT ABOUT TABLES

"Put the bread of the Presence on this table to be before me at all times." Exodus 25:30

"Shewbread"

"You must bake twelve loaves of bread from choice flour, using four quarts of flour for each loaf." Lev. 24:5

"Don't be afraid!" David said. "I intend to show kindness to you because of my promise to your father, Jonathan. I will give you all the property that once belonged to your grandfather Saul, and you will eat here with me at the king's table!" 2 Samuel 9:7

“You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.” Psalms 23:5

“COME TO THE TABLE”

THIS WEEK’S BIBLE STUDY:

NATION

ONE NATION...UNDER GOD PART 2

What Does It Mean When We Pledge ‘One Nation Under God, indivisible, with liberty & justice for all?’

TUESDAY MORNING 10:30 AM

Goodlette-Arms Apartments Community Center
950 Goodlette-Frank Rd.

WEDNESDAY EVENING 7:00 PM

GIRL SCOUT BUILDING (New Location)
CAMBIER PARK