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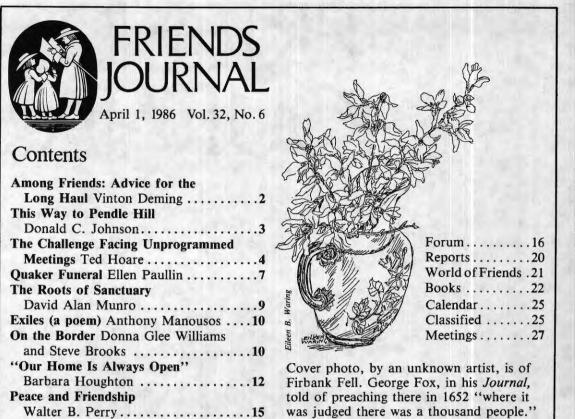
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Among Friends: Advice for the Long Haul

n a particularly cold, wet day this month, I took my boys to see a flock of Canada geese who make their winter home in Philadelphia. I'm not sure who enjoyed the event most: the ravenous birds, who quickly surrounded us and devoured every crumb of bread we tossed them; three-year-old Simeon looking wide-eyed at the geese, who stood as tall as he; five-year-old Andrew laughing as the geese impatiently snatched pieces of bread from his hands; or me trying to take in the whole affair.

In spring and fall I often watch and listen for flocks of wild geese overhead. Something about such seasonal migrations stirs my imagination and brings out the child in me. Once I tugged the sleeve of a perfect stranger on the street as I pointed skyward and said excitedly, "Look! It's the geese, they're heading north!" Another time my wife, hearing my urgent cries of "come, quick!", dashed from the house, fearing, perhaps, that a neighbor's dog had eaten one of the children. She seemed relieved to find me stumbling backward into the marigolds and pointing toward a disappearing flight of birds.

Recently one of my colleagues left a clipping

on my desk, a letter to the editor by William W. Kenney published in the Witness. It tells of a laboratory study of wild geese conducted in a wind tunnel. It was learned that the birds can fly a 71 percent longer range when they fly in formation than when they fly alone. "Evidently," Kenney writes, "the action of the wing tips of the goose ahead creates an uplift which makes it easier for the goose that follows." The geese rotate leadership so that the leader doesn't get worn out. Also, when one of the birds becomes ill or weakened and has to leave the flock to rest, another goose always accompanies it.

A moral for Friends: a flock working together covers more ground than one concerned Friend trying to wing it alone.

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This Way to Pendle Hill

by Donald C. Johnson

he sky was dark at 3:45 a.m. near the little village of Clitheroe in central England, and it was drizzling rain. I was in a hurry to find the foot of Pendle Hill so that I might retrace the steps of George Fox and complete the ascent before sunrise. This was the last remaining morning left in my

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hectic schedule before returning to the United States. I was really looking forward to seeing the beauty of the sun rising over the English countryside, yet I was hopelessly lost on a narrow, rainslicked country road. The meandering road was bounded on either side by neatly constructed stone fences.

On a side road I spotted a milkman making his early morning deliveries and much to his surprise, I pulled my car in front of his parked truck. The startled delivery man advised me that the path leading to the top of Pendle Hill was located a half mile down the winding road and that I should turn left into a farmer's field at the second cattle crossing. He told me I couldn't miss it and also said the farmer did not object to strangers crossing his pasture at night without permission. He then wished me good luck.

Next to the farmer's muddy, rut-filled lane, there was a simple, handpainted sign indicating the direction to Pendle Hill. The lane, which ran through the farmer's pasture, narrowed to a wellworn dirt footpath that rose sharply up the hill. The hillside was dotted by large rocks and numerous grayish-colored

sheep quietly grazed in the early morning mist.

I hurriedly ascended the footpath until it became quite steep, and I felt as though I were climbing a small mountain rather than a hill. My legs began to feel heavy and my breathing became difficult. I fell behind my planned schedule. There was no choice for me but to stop reluctantly and rest near a large boulder. There was little chance that I would be able to see the beauty of the sunrise. I suddenly felt foolish that I had lulled myself into making this climb in such bad weather. Perhaps George Fox's trip up the hill was a mere flight of fancy resulting from too much soul searching. The fact that the wet path was well worn and well marked meant that this was not going to be the unique experience that I had anticipated.

The short rest was followed by a 30minute struggle up the remainder of the hill, and to my surprise, there were seven sheep tranquilly grazing on top of George Fox's hill. They did not appear to be impressed by my late arrival at the shrouded crest of the hill. I saw a loose stack of stones of various colors, sizes, and textures. By custom, pilgrims who make the climb to the top of Pendle Hill are asked to find a stone and place it with the larger group of stones. I, too, placed a stone with the stones of others who had come before me.

Within the quiet, peace-filled mist on top of the hill, the struggle of the climb and the disappointment of not having my plans go according to a rigid schedule began to dissipate. I began to feel a sense of connectedness with those who had traveled up the hill before me and with those who would in the future.

In the stillness of that moment, I again experienced the kindness extended to me by the English milkman who helped to show me the way and the generosity of the unknown farmer who did not mind strangers walking across his pasture. I felt an appreciation for the struggle of the climb up the hill and the gift of the moment which I could not have planned or anticipated.

In the solitude of our hearts each of us, wherever we are, has the opportunity to experience the gift of feeling connected with one another and of being an important part of a much larger scheme. For me, this was my Pendle Hill experience. Thank you, George Fox, for sharing your legacy. \Box

The Challenge Facing

by Ted Hoare

hat canst thou say?" With these words George Fox challenged his listeners to reassess their attitude to the Scriptures. Hearing them, Margaret Fell cried, "We are all thieves for we have taken the Scriptures in words and know nothing of them in ourselves."

Today, many thoughtful Friends would echo her words on two counts. Many Friends take for granted not only the Scriptures (that is, if we think about them at all) but the past witness upon which the present structure of the Society has been built, and "know nothing in themselves."

As a result. Friends of the unprogrammed tradition are at a crossroads today. In the past there was an underlying commonality of belief. Although Friends had differences in doctrine, certain things could be taken for granted. This is no longer the case. Many convinced Friends, refugees from other churches, often bring with them baggage containing elements hostile to the word "Christianity." Other convinced Friends have had no Christian background. Few receive instruction in historic Quaker witness before being accepted into membership, and the result is a loss of Quaker testimony in our meetings.

Any one meeting may now contain members ranging from those who would call themselves Christian, in varying degree, to those Universalists, agnostics, and Humanists who disclaim the Christian label. Whereas at one time Quakerism was definable within a range of beliefs that could be described as an alternative Christianity, today Friends frequently hesitate to discuss their faith in their meeting for fear of offending others with different views. Consequently the message that Quakers once had

Ted Hoare is a member of Australia Yearly Meeting and has recently been traveling among Friends in Great Britain and the United States. His article appeared in a 1985 issue of Friends World News (No. 125). for the world is muted; attenders and children move on, not finding nurture in the meeting and numbers decline as older members die.

True, it is not only Friends who find their numbers declining. As a result of 19th- and 20th-century biblical criticism, traditional beliefs in the authority and authenticity of the Bible have been shaken. Advances in scientific knowledge, the godlessness of two world wars, and the impact of Eastern religious thought have turned many away from their traditional religious beliefs.

Such people see religious education as irrelevant, and children come of age ignorant of the Bible and of other religious thought. However, the natural human hunger for a spiritual dimension to life does not dry up, and within the Society of Friends there is increasing evidence that many members are not finding in their meetings the nurture that they seek.

The remedy is not to put the clock back and say that Friends should revert to the manners and language of their forebears, but it would be equally wrong to say that what past generations have found fulfilling can no longer have any

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meaning for us. If we are to recover our Quaker identity we have to find a mode of Quakerism that will serve us as effectively as the discovery of "Christian faith made new" served the early Friends. As a start we need to examine that discovery and consider what relevance their message has for us today.

Wilmer Cooper has set out the gospel of the early Friends in five parts, which may be paraphrased as follows:

1. The core of the Quaker gospel which George Fox discovered from personal experience was that "Christ has come to teach his people himself." The words acknowledge the reality of the Jesus of history and the Christ of faith and imply that the latter can be known inwardly in the experience of everyone. Early Friends took the Resurrection seriously and believed that since Jesus had overcome death he was, in some manner, alive. Isaac Penington wrote that the Scriptures "expressly distinguish between the Christ and the garment he wore; between him that came and the body in which he came." The inward Christ was present as Teacher, Master, Guide, Light, and Seed.

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2. They held that the Christ Spirit, with which Jesus had been filled, existed in smaller measure in everyone and that if each was true to the leadings of the Spirit a greater measure of the Light would be given. This teaching is based on John 1:9 and contrasted the good news of universal grace with the Calvinistic doctrine, prevalent at that time, of a grace limited to those predestined to receive it. The universal aspect of the Light has always been central to Quakers, for they realized that it cannot only



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be in Christians that the spirit of God is free to do God's work and that the church cannot act as if it had control of God as God's sole agent upon earth. Nevertheless, the church was the recipient of the gospel truth of God's grace and had a duty to make it known.

3. Early Friends maintained that the experience of the living Christ is not only a personal experience but a corporate experience of the people of God. The church was not buildings, but people. Friends gathered in community to seek the power of the spirit, and it was in community, all being in the one Light, that individual leadings were tested. Membership in a meeting became membership in a supportive community.

4. Having come to know the inward Christ, Friends were charged with the necessity of obeying its leading; hence the inward and the outward journeys. The Light was first Judge and then Teacher, and obedience to the teaching brought empowerment to live the life of the kingdom now on earth, instead of in some future existence. Early Friends tried to live "in the strength of the power that takes away wrongdoings," and George Fox held that it was a "poor gospel" that said that this was not possible.

5. The Quaker theology was one of hope, which George Fox expressed in terms of an ocean of light overcoming an ocean of darkness, of ultimate victory over sin and evil, despair and death.

In summary, Friends proclaimed a faith that was experiential and that was one of continuing revelation. The inward Christ was present, empowering, available to all. This power found its fullest expression in community, and Friends, being in the one Light, became responsible for one another. The awareness of the inner Light changed their lives as they tried to "align their souls with the will of God." This led them into their testimonies against war and for simplicity, equality, and justice, which would eventually prevail.

Taken as a whole, this message still has meaning for us, but looking at

Friends today, we find that the Society contains a number of different groups, each emphasizing a part of the traditional message of Friends.

The New Foundation Fellowship sees as its first priority the need to persuade Friends of the necessity to reconsider the original Ouaker message. This emphasizes the reality of the inward Christ and the need to be open to and obey those leadings. Individual leadings were tested in the community, which was also supportive in all other aspects of life. The Ouaker message has a general appeal and should be available to a wider sector of the community. We should proclaim it by speech, by the witness of our lives, by responding to the challenge of critics, and by the love shown to each other in community.

The Universalists remind us that Friends have always been universalist in outlook. We should therefore avoid expressing our message in terms that will deter seekers from examining it, and we should be open to "mutual irradiation" with other religions.

The ethical mystics call Friends to deeper contemplation, to a God-centered mysticism which "constituted the religion of Jesus himself as distinct from a religion about Jesus" (John Yungblut). While accepting the teachings of Jesus, we are called to look beyond him to the Godhead. It is through the unity that those of all faiths could reach on a deeper plane of consciousness, that the world can come into unity.

The Evangelicals remind us how early Friends thought that their message was for all and set out to proclaim it. They remind Friends of the need to share our Truth with others and also of the need to make a personal commitment of both time and resources to this purpose. They also bring joy to their coming together.

The liberals remind us of the early Friends' prophetic witness for justice and peace. They warn us against narrowness of thought and remind us to be open with each other.

The ecologists call us to a new witness of simplicity.

How are we to respond?

The first essential for individual Friends is to deepen our spiritual roots, for not only our personal attitudes but our outward actions evolve from our spiritual core. We need to establish better communication with the divine presence in ourselves if we are to "seek that of God" in others.

Second, just as early Friends thought that they were the true successors of the early Christian church, we need to look radically at the teachings of Jesus. Many convinced Friends entering the Society today either have little knowledge of these teachings, or are "turned off" by other experiences. Jesus' teaching forms much of the foundation of Western society and its relevance cannot be ignored. The Society of Friends has always been an alternative Christianity: to deny its roots atrophies its testimonies.

When we have worked upon the life of our meetings in these ways, we shall be ready to tell others about our Quaker faith and they will see in our meetings something worth joining.

Third, we need to reappraise our structures. In a reaction to authority which had often become oppressive, many meetings abolished the positions of recorded minister, elder, and overseer. The role of elders was to encourage ministry in their meeting, but with the abolition of recorded ministers, this function fell into disuse, and, ministry being the responsibility of all, in many meetings it has become the responsibility of no one. As a result, we often lack depth of ministry with a resultant lack of spiritual guidance. To be open to guidance presupposes obedience to it. Obedience to the will of God was at the root of Quaker living and decision making.

Fourth, the role of the overseers was to encourage the life of the meeting as *community*. Currently the element of community is lacking in many meetings whose members are reluctant to involve themselves in more than periodic attendance at meeting for worship. They tend neither to play a part in the business of the meeting nor to associate the meeting with their personal life. This lack of commitment distances members from each other and limits the effectiveness of the meeting's witness. Community requires accountability to each other and this we need to examine anew. Techniques such as creative listening need to be more widely understood and practiced. If Friends take time to listen to each other, differences can be understood and a deeper sense of trust and community will develop, leading to a greater sense of commitment to the meeting.

Fifth, many of our meetings have grown comfortably staid and selfsatisfied. We need to encourage a traveling ministry to hold up a mirror to meetings and to build up the network of Quaker action.

Sixth, when we have worked upon the life of our meetings in these ways, we shall be ready to tell others about our Quaker faith and they will see in our meetings something worth joining. We must look outside the written word to community radio for outreach and to video for internal instruction, devising imaginative programs to challenge members and stimulate attenders and young Friends.

We are living in a time of change in which the accepted truths of the past have been undermined, and we are having to cope with a flood of new knowledge. As a result, many outside the Society seek security in fundamental or dogmatic faiths. There are, however, many others to whom the real message of Friends, with its emphasis upon personal experience of the God within, continuing revelation, empowerment for practical action, hope, and membership in a supportive community, would be immensely attractive.

These people represent a challenge to us as members of the Society. Will we accept it? What priority will we give to the Society in our lives? Will we take positive steps to deepen our spiritual base, to discuss our beliefs and live in the open with each other, to renew our ideas of community, and to increase our active and financial support for Friends' actions under concern? Will we decide to make ourselves known to the public as a religious society with a message for our times, actively working for justice for all humankind?

George Fox asked the question What canst thou say? \Box

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Quaker Funeral

by Ellen Paullin

I t was Bach's 300th birthday. From the radio came "Jésu, Joy of Man's Desiring"; from the south windows came sun pouring into the room. One of the rays had been broken by the three-sided glass prism on the window sill. I smiled at the rainbow-rectangle on the ceiling as I crossed the room to answer the phone.

"How's the weather back there in Connecticut?"

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It was the traditional first question from my sister in Nebraska. However, as her last letter had said that she was going into the hospital for some "tests," I quickly disposed of our sunny day and asked about any reports from her doctors.

Edie's voice was very matter-of-fact. "They've found that some cancer cells have invaded the bone marrow, but no primary source yet. They're going to do what they call an 'exploratory' operation—soon, I guess."

I was shocked; I was speechless; I was totally unprepared for the request that followed: "I'd like for you to come out here and help me plan a Quaker funeral."

On the plane on the way to Lincoln, I recalled the experience that must have been behind my practicing Presbyterian sister's wish. One weekend when she had visited in Connecticut, she had gone with us to our Friends meeting. I had tried to prepare her for the silent worship service, no music, no minister, no structure of any kind, just friends sitting together in silence broken only by a speaker who felt moved to share a thought, an experience, or a spiritual insight. It happened that a beloved member of the meeting had died during the week before, and the messages given that Sunday were in celebration of Wendell's life, his generous, kind spirit, his obsessive love for the Cleveland Indians, and his habit of sending funny post cards whenever he wanted to communicate with his friends. Near the end of the service Edie rose and spoke quietly.

"I did not know your friend, but I wish I had. I feel as if I had known him, and that he is my friend, too."

That experience had stayed with her across the years, and was the reason for my flight that cold March day.

There was not much time for planning any kind of funeral when I got to Nebraska, for Edith died five hours after I arrived. I went with her husband and four grown children to the quiet hospital lounge at the end of the hall, numb and silent.

Edie's husband took a paper out of his pocket.

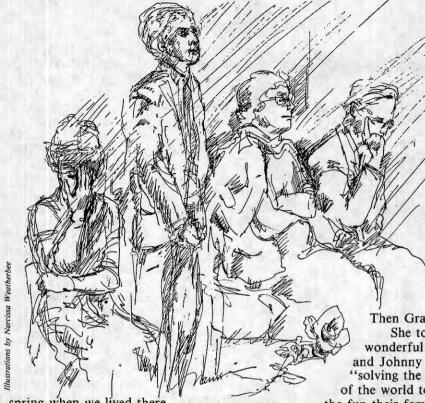
"Johnny talked with me before the operation about some things," he said, using the name he always called her one she had chosen for herself as an right-year-old tomboy and one that had stayed with her through college. "We just didn't think it would be so soon..." his voice broke.

At 55, the youngest of my six brothers and sisters, it was too soon, in all ways.

"She was so specific," said her husband, almost smiling. "The turquoise bracelet is for you, Janie, and the squash blossom necklace for Julie." He read from the piece of paper, his hand trembling: how insurance monies were to be divided, disposal of the many crafts supplies she had on hand, instructions for filling orders for the Christmas dolls she made; even the pump in the goldfish pond in her rock garden was "for the janitor at the church, he always wanted one like it."

She had requested a "Quaker funeral." "You will tell us how to arrange that," he said, nodding to me. "She wanted to be cremated," he turned to the children, "and she wants us to scatter her ashes in that valley in Iowa where we used to go to hunt mushrooms every

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spring when we lived there.

As I saw the many friends crowded into the long narrow room at the mortuary in the little Iowa town where Edith had wanted the service to be, I realized how strange the "Quaker funeral" would seem to my sister's family and friends. When I realized that the mortician had reserved an alcove off the side of the main room for the family, I asked him to remove the pulpit from the front and move the alcove chairs into the main room so we could all be together.

Edith's friend, Grace, had been playing the organ as people gathered. As soon as she finished, I stood, terrified. I explained the background of Edith's request-the meeting in Connecticut where the memories of our friend had been shared by all of us.

"The spirit of that meeting impressed her very much. I guess, and it is in that spirit that she wanted her life to be commemorated," I said. "In the next hour we will be gathered in silence, and if anyone wishes to share a memory, a poem, a song, please stand and do so. We will end the service by shaking hands with each other. and all are invited to the church, just down the hill, to meet Edith's family and her friends. We will now celebrate her short, full life, and be grateful together for the immense privilege of knowing her."

My heart sank as I sat down. Perhaps it was too different. The mortician, standing at the door, shifted his feet nervously.

Then Grace stood. She told of the wonderful talks she and Johnny had had, 'solving the problems of the world together," the fun their families had,

sailing, picnicking, hunting for watercress, making ice cream, picking strawberries, searching for mushrooms. "We shared so much. I will miss her terribly."

Edie's handsome son, her youngest child, stood. His voice was strong. "My mother was one of the most compassionate people I have ever known. On the day she died she told me that the most important thing in life is friends and friendships. She said you are born into a family, but friends you have to earn. She was a beautiful lady, and I love her very much."

The messages poured forth. A neighbor recalled that when Edith found that a window in her house looked out on a rather ugly corner lot, she painted a picture on the inside of the window shade and kept it pulled down.

Another remembered the many loaves of bread she had given away, always a loaf in hand when she came to visit.

"Not only bread, but prisms," another added. "She left a prism in our houserainbows move across our walls and ceilings every sunny day.'

"When my grandmother was in the nursing home," a niece recalled, "Edie wrote her every day for three years. Just

a card that might only say 'Hello, Mom, the sun is shining here' or 'I heard a cardinal today' but a message, every single day."

A young man stood up at the back of the room. "I was a student of hers when she taught in western Nebraska. She brought me up as I changed from a boy to a man. She taught me the value of hard work and honesty. But she also taught me to stop along the way and look at the flowers, pick mushrooms, bake bread, and have a good life. She started the Friends of the Red-Winged Blackbird Club. How she loved those birds! She made all of us one of these to wear." He indicated his black sweatshirt, with narrow bands of red and yellow felt sewed on each sleeve.

"Edith and I shared a love for John Neihardt, our beloved Nebraskan poet," said a small, gray-haired woman near the door. "She made a quilt, each block representing some book or poem he had written, for the public television auction. She admired him so much. I want to share part of one of his poems-it is so appropriate for Edith, and for this day:

Seek not for me within a tomb; You shall not find me in the clay! I pierce a little wall of gloom To mingle with the Day!

I brothered with the things that pass, Poor giddy Joy and puckered Grief; I go to brother with the Grass And with the sunning Leaf...

Her tousle-headed son, an artist, said quietly, "I am so proud to have been her kid. I keep thinking of what others will miss out on, as well as us-her love of the sand hills, trail rides in the mountains, hunting for agates, hunting for interesting people. So many things we'll all miss out on."

"My sister Edie is an inspiration to us all," said our youngest brother. "She taught us how to live, and she has taught us how to die."

The last person to speak was Edith's older daughter, Julie. "As I grew up, I was always terrified of the day my mother might die. I didn't think I could survive it. She was the core of our family, and I was afraid we would fall apart if she weren't there. But I know now that I didn't give her enough credit for the strength she gave each of us. We see her in all of you and will be reminded of her in all the beautiful things she taught us to see."

In the week that the lilacs bloomed in that valley in Iowa, a red-winged blackbird appeared at our bird feeder, the first I have ever seen there.

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The Roots of Sanctuary

by David Alan Munro

e children of Illinois political leader Fayette Smith Munro were bequeathed his own patriotism, derived from landed-gentry attitudes transplanted from upstate New York, mixed with a certain romantic impracticality which, for us, constituted being "American." This served us well. We projected it onto others. We looked for and found it in people everywhere. It organized our lives, saw us through upheavals and depressions, told us how to vote. It was comforting. It made the world comprehensible.

But into this web of certainties came the shock of Hitler's Germany. And our victory in war did nothing to heal the wound we suffered from a stray distant



ideological bullet. We knew we had fought a modern nation, like ourselves, turned implacably vicious; we knew we could only say, "There but for the grace of God go I." Obviously the solid gold coin of our patriotism had an ugly face we'd never seen. Protectively we pasted a warning label on it, saying "It can't happen here," but things were never again the same.

Burdened with this personal ambivalence, we are newly sensitive to every persecuted minority among us. It is not simply that we feel the blows of the billy clubs when the police break up a protest march; we also wield those clubs. The enemy is us.

This nourishes the roots of sanctuary among us. We care for the half million Salvadorians and Guatemalans in the United States—in flight from death squads at home—because we cannot do otherwise. I can do nothing about the terrors in Central America, but I am directly responsible for the terrors imposed by (my/your) clubs, guns, courts, handcuffs, concentration camps upon (our/your) scapegoats: (our/your) "Jews."

Thus it is in sadness but also desperation that we take up the cross of the sanctuary movement, knowing that to whatever level (our/your) government in Washington, D.C., with club-wielders in California, raises the intensity of violence against these people, we shall interpose our bodies, our physical churches, our assets, our hearts, and our hands until it is overmastered. In conscience we cannot do otherwise. In love of this land we now know that what we do to the least of these we do to ourselves, and to humankind.

This is not to disregard the *legal* case for sanctuary, which is powerful; or the *political* case, with the overthrow of Republican rule a distinct possibility; or the *historical* example, where the previous Underground Railroad prefigured civil war—but to assert that the roots of sanctuary are what we are. \Box

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(For Ramon,

from El Salvador)

Walking upland through snowy woods we used only the simplest words: Cold, *frio*. Trees, *arboles*. Snow, *nieve*. Sky, *cielo*.

Using only such speech as exiles speak, feeling the same cold, the same wind, we climbed higher, slipped on the wet snow, laughed, and clambered on. Our sanctuary lay ahead, some lichen-spotted boulders.

We sat down without a word. But echoing in my mind like wind trapped in a cave were words Ramon repeated often:

"I have lost my God, I have lost my God."

Marriage, children, country, God—all lost, like last fall's leaves.

What could I say?

Here, as we sat among the ancient stones, silence covered everything; nothing needed to be said.

With a smile Ramon got up and wrote his girlfriend's name in the snow, someone he hoped to meet in Toronto, then leaned back against a rock and disappeared into his poncho.

I continued to watch the trees: buds, like tiny nipples, slept on tips of branches.

-Anthony Manousos

ON THE

by Donna Glee Williams and Steve Brooks

The brick house with the salt cedar windbreak on Grant Avenue has been my grandmother's home since before I was born. For a long time she lived there with her husband and her sister. Then she lived there with her sister. Now she lives there alone.

In her 90s, with no family left in El Paso, she's come to depend on her Mexican help. A Mexican "nurse" stops by to get her up in the morning and to put her to bed at night. Twice a week an elderly lady crosses from Juárez to vacuum and dust for her. With this assistance, she's been able to avoid exile to a nursing home and stay in her own place.

The house stands on a large flat lot beside the tracks. Nothing but a crumbling stone wall separates the parched and prickly back yard from the trains that pass at all hours, shaking the house and continuously screeching their whistles.

Next to the house is an empty brick garage where my parents' dalmatian stays when they visit, and a water spigot where she drinks. The desert heat is vicious, and my parents make sure that Patch has good shelter and plenty to drink when they leave her outside.

Behind the garage, behind the clothesline, in the farthest corner of the tumbled stone wall is a little junky shed. For years my father has been saying that he should tear that shed down because bums probably sleep in it. In fact, we've known that *someone* uses it: one time my father hammered down a loose corner and, the next time he came to town, the strip had been pried up again, open-

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ing a gap large enough for a man to crawl through.

Someone in the shed. It fascinated me. In the last few years, when I've visited Grandmother, I've wanted to look inside, but I never did. The silent presence reminded me of stories about farm people on the railroad lines, during the Depression, leaving their doors unlocked so that strangers could come in. In the morning, they would get up and find several hoboes asleep on the kitchen floor. They would feed them and see them on their way.

I thought of that story and imagined putting out food for the people in the shed, but I never did.

I was scared, too. I didn't know what kind of people they were. Would they respect Grandmother's age? Would they feel compassion for her aloneness? Would they remember tenderness toward their own grandmothers? To them, would she be a venerable *anciana*, or merely "easy pickin's"? She's so old—her bones are so fragile—she's so vulnerable—the idea of anyone hurting her, or even just scaring her, is intolerable to me.

Yesterday, my parents phoned me from my grandmother's house, where they are staying on an extended visit.

"Patch," my father announced, "practically single-handedly captured six wetbacks." I waited to hear the story My mother, on the other line, laughed and said, "Well . . . she didn't actually put the handcuffs on them."

Just a week before, I'd met a Guatemalan refugee who is claiming sanctuary with a Baton Rouge church. I listened to his stories of desperately dodging immigration checks all across Mexico and Texas. He was an architecture student and his crime—for which he had been threatened with death—was to be president of his school's student association, which had imprudently demanded more desks and easier entrance exams.

So, on the phone with my parents, I was split. I was with them. I shared their fear for Grandmother's safety. I shared their indignation that *our* property had been invaded. But the Guatemalan boy's story was fresh on my heart, and I was also with the four men in the shed as the big spotted dog kicked up such a ruckus that the fat North American lady (my mother) came out to investigate. They told her that they were *emigrantes*. She told them that they were on *propiedad privada*—private property. They said they would go away and not come back. She said *muy bien*.

And the very next night, the dog set up the same kind of barking. (My mother commented, "That shed must be on their maps.") My father went down, put Patch on the leash, and walked up to the shed.

There were two of them this time. Daddy could tell from their accents that they were not Mexicans; they had come from even farther away. He told me they looked like "pretty tough *hombres*," but he hadn't been too worried because Patch was roaring and lunging, doing a good job of looking terrifying. One of the men had a little jug in his hand when he crawled out of the shed. He gestured toward Patch's spigot and told Daddy that they had come for *agua*. The men went away.

My father says he has the shed almost fully demolished now. He found that they had set up a nice little fire grate inside for cooking. He's going to start rebuilding the old stone wall tomorrow.

It amazed both my parents and me how quickly Patch extended her territorial possessiveness to include Grandmother's place. Guarding territory is her job, and she does it well. \Box



U.S./USSR Exchange:

by Barbara Houghton

At a conference of the Young Friends Committee of North America in 1955 a decision was made to promote contact between young people of the United States and the Soviet Union. That was a daring decision in those cold war days, but Young Friends believed it was an important mission.

Two years later David Houghton, a Quaker student at the Pennsylvania State University, sat down to write a "Dear Young Russian" letter. A correspondence was started that was to expand the ripples of that 1955 conference further than anyone dreamed at the time.

In 1959, after two years of exchanging letters, tapes, photos, and books, David Houghton and Yurey Gurskey, the young Russian (a 31-year-old high school English teacher), spent three days together in Moscow getting acquainted face to face, reinforcing the friendship that had been developed by mail. On that occasion David had not been able to get permission to visit Yurey's home in Parakhino, a small village 100 miles from Leningrad.

The visit was a prelude to more years of letter writing. Their friendship had developed a life independent of the vagaries of international relations.

A recent packet of photos illustrates the latest ripples from that Young Friends' conference 30 years ago. Pictured are David's son, Eric Houghton; Yurey's wife, Faina Gurskey; her daughter, Tanya; and her three-year-old granddaughter Katya. The photographer was Yurey, now 61 and a television repair person.

After 30 years the importance of the Young Friends' mission is undiminished. Indeed, the stakes are higher than ever—which was what inspired 21-year-

Clerk of Madison (Wis.) Meeting and Northern Yearly Meeting representative to the Friends Committee on National Legislation, Barbara Houghton is a freelance writer, poet, and a reporter for a weekly newspaper. She has published a history of McFarland, Wis. old Eric to take a tour of the Soviet Union before returning home from his college junior year in England.

Having been, during the course of the year, in Italy, Britain, and, of course, the United States, he confessed to having "the whimsical idea of visiting all four of the major empires of the past 2000 years." Only Russia was missing.

In a more practical vein, Eric added,

"I wanted to meet people and get a more personal look at Russia than the political views we get in newspapers and find out what kind of image they have of us. Also, I hoped to dispel at least a few of those images and have at least a few of my own dispelled."

Also high on his priority list was a "hoped-for visit with a friend of my father's who had seen me when I was



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just under two years old." (David and his family had visited Moscow for three months in 1966 under the Scientific Cultural Exchange program.)

Thus, on June 29, 1985, Eric landed at the Leningrad airport a bit cramped and very tired. While much of his experience was standard tourist fare, it was the part of the trip that wasn't included in his itinerary that makes the experience worth sharing.

After a night to catch up on sleep at the Hotel Moskva on Leningrad's Nevsky Prospekt, Eric placed a telephone call to Yurey, who had shared in an extensive three-way correspondence with Eric and David prior to Eric's departure. That phone call was disappointing, for Yurey told Eric that he had been 'nable to get permission for Eric to visit



him in Novgorod, where he now lives. Eric's pre-departure efforts had also come to naught. Now his last hope, it seemed, had fallen through.

However, Yurey, undiscouraged, promised that he would drive the 120 miles to Leningrad and try to "iron out any difficulty." Meanwhile, Eric continued trying to obtain a visa on his own. In doing so he experienced firsthand the elusiveness of Soviet bureaucracy. The interpreter for his tour group suggested that Eric contact the head interpreter for all tour groups quartered in the Hotel Moskva. That person sent him to the hotel service bureau, which directed him to the excursion desk, where his request was met by a flat no.

The normally unaggressive Eric pressed a bit. He was then told that going to Novgorod was possible, but he would have to purchase a side trip visa which would provide him with a car and an Intourist driver who would drive him to Novgorod. There the Novgorod Intourist people would give him two tours of Novgorod, one in the morning, one in the afternoon, and he would be driven back to Leningrad in the evening—all at a cost of 95 rubles or \$110. That suited neither Eric's pocketbook nor his purpose.

More discouraged than ever, he went with his group on a tour of Leningrad. Perhaps it was his state of mind, but his main impression was "that just about every building in Leningrad was designed by Carlo Rossi. They kept pointing out buildings, and they all looked the same—'classic Russian' style."

Back at the hotel things began to brighten up, for Yurey was there. "He recognized me," Eric reported with obvious pleasure. And to magnify the excitement, Yurey's wife, daughter, and granddaughter had accompanied him on the three-and-a-half-hour drive.

After filling Eric's arms with a pile of gifts ranging from books and badges to "a bottle of strong Russian drink for Dad and a doorbell," they went together to the excursion desk to continue trying to get permission for him to go with Yurey.

"Finally, with a slight smile, the woman there suggested that, under the circumstances, he should just drive me down," said Eric with an air of one remembering a huge anticlimax. He put the gifts in his room, picked up those he had brought along for the Gurskeys, let some of his group members know where he was going, and left!

Although he felt quite nervous about the whole expedition—unauthorized as it appeared to be—the experiences of the next day and a half more than compensated for any apprehensiveness he may have experienced.

The trip to Novgorod was accomplished "amidst flurries of what sounded like Russian backseat driving," Eric recalled. "Katya was showing off her new hat, pulling it down over her face and peeking at me from under it." She apparently had no hesitation about entertaining an American.

"Tanya was singing in English 'Little Mouse, Little Mouse, Come to My House' to Katya," and to make the atmosphere even more homelike, "we stopped at a wayside for lunch."

There, however, the similarity stopped. Eric described their lunch: "The gas stove came out of the back of the car. From canisters of water they brewed up a batch of strong Russian tea. There were long loaves of bread, fresh butter purchased on a quick stop just before leaving Leningrad, a two-and-a-halffoot-long tube of what appeared to be bologna, and a cupcake-style pastry."

Recalling the amplitude of the meal, Eric added, "We 'snarfed' it all down and then made a quick trip to the facilities, which were atrocious—dirty, basically hole-in-the-ground sorts of things carelessly used." He hastened to add that not all the facilities were in quite such bad condition.

As the drive continued, Eric observed the passing scene—terrible roads with bumps and potholes, many large tenement-style apartment houses, part of a program to move people out of villages. He also saw many small wooden houses in various styles and of indeterminate ages painted in very sharp, bright colors. A horse-drawn load of grain caught his attention as did occasional groups of men cutting roadside grass by hand with scythes, raking it up, or taking a break and sleeping on the ground.

"At one rather terrifying point," Eric recalled, "we were stopped at a stop light. There was one car in front of us. A policeman walked over and started talking to the driver, gesticulating. I had no idea whether they were stopping all cars looking for me or what. Eventually he



got into the car ahead, and they drove off."

The third floor apartment which was their destination had a small kitchen, a Western-style toilet in one room, and a bathroom with tub and sink. A bedroom, closet, dining room, and living room completed the layout.

Eric distributed his gifts-a computerized chess set, a copy of The Hundredth Monkey, Punch, and the London Guardian. Dinner presented him with the dilemma every non-drinker faces in the Soviet Union-the toast. For the sake of international friendship he allowed himself to be talked into drinking a proper toast with wine. (Perhaps that was because he recalled his mother's story of how during the 1966 visit she was told she could not toast with her water. "Only wine would do for toasts," they said.) His other hurdle at dinner was being urged to have a second piece of chicken when there was not enough for everyone at the table to have even one.

"After dinner," Eric reported, "things were cleared away, and we settled down for the evening's discussion," which covered some rather heavy material. Comparisons between Afghanistan and Grenada were drawn; the Soviet perspective being that, as Yurey put it, "Afghanistan was a very medieval country with many Russians living there. It was medieval in the sense of having a serf-landlord situation. The Russians living under this situation asked the USSR to help them to end this, and how could Russia refuse them? They moved in and ended the domination over the serfs, provided education, and protected them from the Afghans'

feared U.S. attack."

"Grenada," Yurey continued, "is so small, it's hardly a country. It couldn't possibly be a threat to the U.S., but since the U.S. automatically strikes out at any country with pro-Communist leanings, they trotted over and stomped on Grenada, so the situations are not comparable."

With equal certainty Yurey asked Eric if he was aware that "Reagan had signed a plan to build two concentration camps, each holding 100,000 people, to put people who disagreed with him into?"

Not having heard about such a plan, Eric pointed out that "it was basically silly because, though the Japanese were interned during wartime, it wasn't likely in a non-wartime situation."

"Besides," he added with a touch of humor, "more than 200,000 people disagree with Reagan."

In this 40th anniversary year of the bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki it was almost inevitable that the subject would be raised, and Yurey voiced the conviction that "the U.S. wanted to dictate terms to Russia, which was why the atomic bombs were dropped on Japan. It was politics, not military need. It was a sign to the USSR that they'd have to do what the U.S. said."

In a discussion about the power of the press Eric noted a basic difference between his perceptions and those of his Russian host. Eric's perspective was that it is difficult to know for certain whether what appears in the newspapers is correct, while Yurey gave the impression that in the USSR they believe what they read.

"They were trying to educate me while I was trying to sow seeds of doubt," was the way Eric summed it up. (In a letter written to David after Eric's visit, Yurey referred again to differences in "the perception of reality in our countries but," he continued, "our friendship is an example that we have more that unites than things that divide us.")

"We ended up talking 'til two in the morning," Eric recalled, and the sharing was warm and earnest. Following breakfast, Yurey, accompanied by Faina and Tanya, drove Eric back to Leningrad, where he "rejoined the group with comparatively few ripples."

After the intensity of trying to compress a lifetime of intercultural exchange into a few hours, Eric found it somewhat difficult to adjust to being a tourist, but "dazzling" Georgian folk dancing and singing, the Hermitage, the Fortress of Peter and Paul, GUM (Leningrad's largest department store), huge bookstores, and a painfully large hotel laundry bill helped to shift his gears.

On the last day of the tour an opportunity came which demonstrated once more the reason such trips are so important. During a final "round table discussion" Eric and 29 other tourists met with three Soviet experts chosen for their backgrounds in journalism, linguistics, and social science research. Since they had been informed ahead of time about this opportunity, some of the tourists came prepared with questions, but in the end there was very little time for them.

The session began with a summarization by the experts of the most recent five-year plan, a plea for "control of nuclear weapons, especially in space, then we could work together," discussion of the need for development at home—"How could we want to communize the world when we have so much potential for development at home? Look at Siberia. It has a bad reputation, but, really, it's quite beautiful, and in Siberia you can find every element in the periodic table," the social scientist pointed out.

When the tourists finally got their turn, there was only time for six major questions dealing with such topics as the role of women, the pay scale, and religious freedom. Eric, echoing the concern that has persisted since those early days when Young Friends worked so hard to implement true exchanges, spoke of the importance of reciprocal exchanges promoting "contact between ordinary people in both countries." "Why," he wanted to know, "can't Soviet citizens travel freely to other countries?"

One by one reasons were given—no hard currency was available, or they might be employed in government or other sensitive jobs. Thinking of the friend he had just visited who has several times been invited to go to the United States with all expenses paid, Eric refuted each of these reasons. The man responding to the questions shrugged and said, "Well, I'm sure there must be some kind of hitch."

Some kind of hitch—that might well describe the entire situation that exists today between the Soviet Union and the United States. There is a lot of rhetoric and a lot of fear, but the excuses don't always seem to fit the situation.

Thinking back over the time he spent in the Soviet Union, Eric acknowledged that the experience "gave me a lot to think about and will certainly lend a perspective that I would never have had otherwise. The time spent with Yurey and his family has personalized the Soviet Union as nothing else could have."

And what did the visit mean to Yurey and his family? "After Eric left us," Yurey wrote in his next letter, "Katya asked us, 'Why did not Eric speak Russian? Why do not I speak English? Why is Eric American?' Now you know more about us and how we live. Our home is open for your family any time. There is space for friendship in our families."

Thus, the mission of those Young Friends passes on to yet another generation.

Peace and Friendship

by Walter B. Perry

T ourists are known, and sometimes thought to be notorious, for the pictures they take. Our band of 43 Friends, Brethren, and Mennonites who traveled in the Soviet Union for more than three weeks last summer were no different in this respect. The flashbulbs of peaceniks bearing the message *Mir e Druzhba* (Peace and Friendship) were the same as the flashbulbs of tourists who have no such purposeful intent. And yet, I suspect that our thousands of candid snapshots rarely captured the warmth

Walter B. Perry is a member of Shrewsbury (N.J.) Meeting. He and Marlyn Perry were among 11 Quakers who participated in last summer's Journey of Reconciliation. we brought with us and the love and acceptance we received.

Ours was a widely diversified group in terms of age and occupation. We ranged from a delightful child of 6 to a just-as-delightful grandmother of 84. The common threads that ran among us all were our urgent desire for peace and our willingness to demonstrate our sincere feeling that peace between the two superpowers is an essential and attainable goal.

To me, the most mystifying event took place in Moscow within the first two or three hours of our arrival. Among the crowds of people that filled the sidewalks around the GUM department store, my wife, Marlyn, encountered a woman who was about the same age as she is. The woman was dressed in nondescript clothes. My guess was that she had just left her place of work and that she was hurrying home. Marlyn's grasp of conversational Russian may not be scholarly, but it is always more than sufficient to convey her message. Within less time than it takes to tell, our new-found friend and Marlyn were in one another's arms, exchanging *mir e druzhbas* and other phrases in what to me is a completely unintelligible language. When it was all over and we had gone our separate ways, I could only ask, "Did you know that lady from some place?"

"Of course not," Marlyn replied. "But she's experienced war herself. She knows what it has done to her own family. She knows why we have got to have peace."

No photograph—tourist or professional—could have captured that one moment when the desire for peace was transcendent to the point of incandescence.

A Special Readers' Forum

Do Friends Have a Testimony on Sexual Expression?

The following letters are in response to Herb Lape's article, "Our 300-Year-Old Testimony on Sexual Expression," which appeared in the JOURNAL'S February 1, 1986, issue. —Ed.

Thank you for publishing the carefully documented article by Herb Lape. I read it with thankfulness and relief that there are still members of the Society with sufficient knowledge to write such an article, and with sufficient courage to do so. It sorely needed saying. But I found myself uneasy with part of the challenge with which the article ended.

The historical testimony of Friends on sexual conduct is clear and clearly stated in the article; but this is a different situation from that of John Woolman with regard to slavery. In this case, there was no clearly established testimony on slavery, and Woolman's travels served, in large measure, to establish one. In the case of sexual conduct there is clearly an established testimony, and it has stood the test of centuries. This is, in essence, a straightforward factual matter. There is another testimony of similar age that categorically forbids attempts to introduce innovations that are inconsistent with the leadings of the Spirit in earlier ages.

Particularly on substantive matters such as personal conduct, monthly meetings have no mandate to abrogate the established testimonies. It is probably wise to follow George Fox's advice to "keep low," maintaining instead a faithful witness to the traditions of the Society both "in our own particulars" and in speech, wherever this is appropriate.

Nigel I. Dolby Anoka, Minn.

There is much with which I disagree in Herb Lape's article, but I wish to comment only on the matter of how testimonies get promulgated and then changed.

Any discussion of corporate testimonies

among Friends needs to acknowledge the primacy and autonomy of the individual monthly meeting. Although historically there have been testimonies on which most Friends within a given yearly meeting have united, the history of our Society is filled with examples of testimonies that have not been shared beyond the boundaries of individual monthly meetings or quarters. Herb Lape writes as though in order to be considered valid or legitimate, a testimony (that is, a mutually agreed upon stance relative to a specific issue) must be held by a broad distribution of Friends geographically or numerically. This is simply not so.

Many monthly meetings have wrestled over a long period of time with issues of sexuality, and have sought the Light. When such meetings achieve consensus on changing their historical stance to one that they now consider more enlightened, the new testimony has the full weight and authority of the earlier, now discarded position. It is unfair to assume that when some Friends do choose to hold new values in regard to such matters as homosexuality and cohabitation, that they do it in ignorance or out of a compulsion to yield to pressure.

I also think Herb Lape's suggestion that it is incumbent on those who wish to articulate a new set of values to travel in the ministry to convince other Friends of their views is absurd. True, that was the method that John Woolman followed. But other historical testimonies, such as those on plain speech and plain dress, have been challenged and changed simply by individual monthly meetings being led in a new direction by their corporate search for the truth and the Light. This is precisely what is happening now in many meetings on matters of sexuality.

> Lewy Olfson Stonington, Conn.

Our broad areas of agreement tend to make us Quakers forget that we differ greatly in other areas and that we have often come to similar conclusions from

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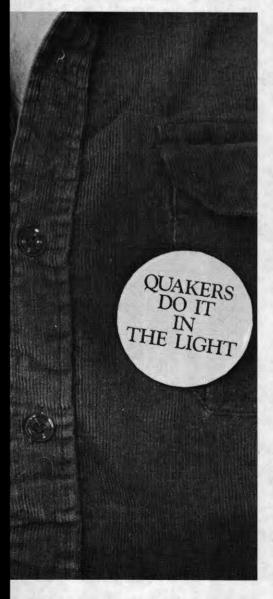
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(301) 774-7455 or 744-4531 16923 Norwood Road, Sandy Spring, Maryland very different starting points. It is a disservice to Friends of every variety when we do not try to understand the underlying assumptions that cause us to differ in detail within the overriding unity of our Quaker experience.

In my observation, the answers individuals give to three questions are crucial in determining what they will see as acceptable in the realm of sexual behavior. The three questions are: Which is more important: the bonding function of sex or its procreative function? Is there a duality of matter (flesh) and spirit or are they differing aspects of a valuable whole? Do humans naturally incline to do evil or to do good?

I believe that part of the reason that discussions of our differing views on sexual morality tend to generate as much heat as light is due to the fact that we rarely, if ever, discuss the underlying



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beliefs on which our differing views are based. To me these underlying beliefs are so central to the core of an individual's personality that I do not feel comfortable trying to change them if they are conscientiously held. In particular, I hope that the many Friends whose negative feelings toward homosexuality and homosexuals are based on prejudice and misinformation will inform themselves, reexamine their beliefs, and possibly change their minds. But I also hope that those Friends who, because of their underlying beliefs on the purpose of sex, the nature of humankind, and the material creation, find themselves unable to accept nontraditional sexual behavior will continue to say so, both so that they may be true to the Light that has been given them and so that those of us who have perhaps not sufficiently examined the basis for our own acceptance of it may be prompted to do so.

> Elizabeth H. Muench Lexington, Mass.

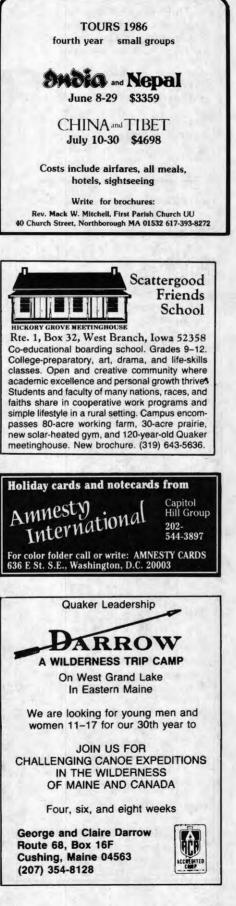
I would like to thank Herb Lape for writing and FRIENDS JOURNAL for publishing the article "Our 300-Year-Old Testimony on Sexual Expression." I believe both demonstrated courage in addressing a sensitive issue.

Sometimes in the past I have had the feeling that questioning subjects mentioned in the article (such as unmarried couples living together or homosexuality) was not acceptable. So it was gratifying to me to read the article and learn about the history and traditions on sexual expression in the Religious Society of Friends. I realize that there is diversity of opinion, that questioning or varying concerns can be expressed, and that it can be okay to have those concerns and feelings.

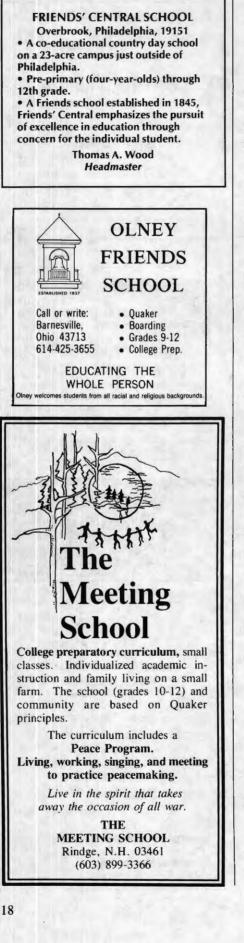
Tom Dodder St. Paul, Minn.

I read with interest Herb Lape's article and must agree heartily with his proposal that the subject needs discussion. I feel there is much to be said for long-term (forever?) relationships—and this after ten years of marriage to another man. I am disturbed, however, at the manner in which he chooses to raise the issue.

After his lengthy correspondence with Friends General Conference, I, as a member of the long-range conference planning committee, cannot understand how he could say what he did about their decision-making procedure without knowing it was misleading. It raises sincere doubts in my mind that his purpose is really the discussion of Friends' attitudes toward sexuality and not simply the exclusion of gays from participation in one of the few truly



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integrated religious gatherings in the world.

I'm sorry too that he chose to introduce the subject from the standpoint of Quakerism 300 years ago. Not that we shouldn't study our past—we should. But when we allow the truth to become subservient to custom or antiquarian interest, spiritual integrity suffers greatly. I do not believe the understanding of either God or sexuality common in the late 1600s are to be normative for Quakers today. Nor do I find that premise supported in our *Faith and Practice*.

This subject would have been better opened for discussion if Herb Lape had written out of his own spiritual journey from advocating free love to the position he currently holds. The issue could then be considered in its true spiritual context, and free of any question that it might be an effort to exclude other members from full participation in the Society of Friends.

Geoffrey D. Kaiser Sumneytown, Pa.

I was pleased to see an article dealing with the issue of sexuality. I feel it is an issue Quakers tend to ignore, yet one which is a part of our lives. I would like to express especially my support for such actions as the 1972 Friends General Conference decision to end its prohibition against unmarried couples living in the same dormitory, and its addition of a gay and lesbian dormitory. I feel that such actions, although they may go against prior Quaker tradition, reflect the reality of our lives in a way that allows us to live within the Light yet not outside of Quaker practice.

George Fox lived in a time when couples did not live together who were uumarried, when homosexuality was not even admitted. His philosophy may have been appropriate for that time and place, but I see the word of God as leading us toward a new place.

Thank you for bringing this question to light.

Anne McCord Richmond, Ind.

I have a couple of brief comments on Herb Lape's article about sexual customs.

Effective birth control methods appeared in Europe about 1850. The Catholic church responded in 1870 with prohibitions. It appears that this was done under political pressure, since European governments considered that they needed the "cannon fodder." The separation of the sexual act from the getting of children creates a new situation. Blind adherence to previous positions is surely not the correct response.

The prohibition against homosexual

practice in Western civilization dates back to the Roman Empire. It was imposed because "everybody knew that it caused earthquakes." For a somewhat different reason, then, blind adherence to previous positions is not the correct response.

> R. E. Cordray Huntsville, Ala.

Thank you for publishing "Dance, Then, Wherever You May Be" (FJ 2/1). As a celebration of one meeting's acceptance of gay people, it was a fitting antidote to the article which preceded it, "Our 300-Year-Old Testimony on Sexual Expression," which by itself would have been sufficient for me to cancel my subscription (bad enough that you announced it on the cover).

I do not doubt its author's sincerity and integrity, but as one who grew up gay in the Catholic church, I have had my fill of vague, inconclusively worded documents from the past being used to support the limited visions of the heterosexual majority.

I agree with Herb Lape that our present climate of indulgence is an unhealthy extreme; it was spawned in response to the equally unhealthy extreme of sexual repression which existed in the past. The answer lies not in a return to that past, but in a balance between the two. I appreciate your efforts to present all sides of an issue.

Timothy Denesha Buffalo, N.Y.

Herb Lape's article is the most solid, straightforward, and genuinely edifying article to appear in the JOURNAL in years. Friend Lape has spoken my mind.

With the survey results published in the same issue, I am prompted to wonder where this article will fit. Is it one of those on the "Christian basis of Friends testimonies" which the survey found so distasteful to some readers? Or, is it controversial enough to get a good rating? What use is to be made of such findings? Is Truth to be determined by a majority vote? God plus one makes a majority. Is the JOURNAL to lead or follow opinion?

The survey's findings on the average education of the typical JOURNAL reader lend support to one of Herb Lape's contentions; that is, that many Friends take their values uncritically from the world in a manner that early Friends stoutly campaigned against. There is also nothing like a graduate education to make one feel smug and self-righteous in the world's ways and ashamed of the plain gospel and the disciplined life which it demands.

Ronald Selleck Ardmore, Pa.

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Herb Lape has thought of a magnificent new term, sexual expression, whose scope can encompass the vast array of social contacts which have sexual elements. At the same time, he limits his concern to the traditional preoccupation of both the religions and the hedonists. those explicitly sexual activities which usually occur in the bed chamber.

Let us expand our vision to match the problem to his terminology. Then we may be able to create positive attitudes which fulfill our humanity rather than reinvent prohibitions which fail to do much more than preserve our reputation.

> Frank Shutts Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico

Herb Lape invokes isolated portions of our venerable 300-year history as justification for a return to corporate obedience in our sexual expression. By contrasting the behavior of early Quakers with that of one obscure, extreme sect of the period known as Ranters, he argues for a greater Quaker conservatism than can possibly be supported by simple fact. Indeed, his statistics for disownment within Philadelphia Yearly Meeting during the late 1700s do nothing more than reinforce the probability that Friends of this period embraced the moral criteria of the day: fornication, adultery, and incest were denounced universally. These references are unconvincing as evidence of an historic corporate testimony on sexual expression and are by themselves fairly innocuous. However, by their invocation, along with requisite quotes by Fox and Barclay, Herb Lape seeks to bolster the harsh notion that modern-day Quakers whose inner voices place them in the sexual minority are breaking with their spiritual forebears. He manipulates the voices of our past in order to speak to his contemporary, highly personal position on sexual ethics. This is an abuse of a precious history.

Herb Lape defines a "liberal" Quaker testimony on sexuality and then brands it "anarchistic individualism." His interpretation is worth repeating here: "Sex is a personal matter between the individual and his or her own inner Light, guarded only by the admonition that we are to be honest and responsible." He is obviously very uncomfortable with such individual discernment—he calls personal emotions "untrustworthy." But I call upon Friends to ask themselves whether anything can possibly be more Quakerly than obedience to the inner guides he eschews: honesty, responsibility, the inner Light.

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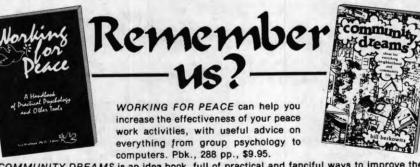
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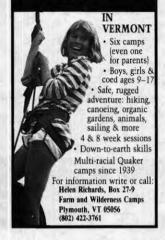
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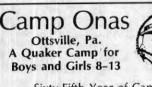
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Reports

FLGC Gathering: Sharing the Light Within

The 12th annual Friends for Lesbian and Gay Concerns (FLGC) Mid-Winter Gathering was held February 14–17 at Homewood and Stony Run meetings in Baltimore, Maryland. At Saturday morning worship sharing, 57 women and 62 men sat in silence, yet our collective spirit spoke very loudly of safety, caring, and honesty.

Saturday morning's guest speaker, Jennie Boyd-Bull (pastor of the Baltimore Metropolitan Community Church—a lesbian and gay congregation), spoke to us of the gathering's theme: "Reweaving the Family Web." Commenting on the unique relationships that lesbians and gay men have with their biological families, the speaker inspired a sense of hope.

Mealtimes and free hours provided time for socializing. The afternoon workshops (ranging from "Single People and the Family" to "An AIDS Update") gave us a greater understanding of the issu s most important to us. We could express o irselves so easily in that safe environment. Saturday night John Calvi—a healer, AIDS-work activist, and performer—warmed our spirits with songs of gentleness, humor, and sorrowful reality.

Sunday morning's memorial service and AIDS worship sharing at Homewood Meeting was a moving experience. Our FLGC family has been personally touched by AIDS (a friend who is dying of the disease was present), and several Friends shared their pain and hope.

Back at Stony Run Meeting, Elise Boulding addressed us on the gathering's theme. Her presence added to our intergenerational witness. After the Sunday afternoon workshops, a panel spanning three generations discussed their familial experiences. A young Philadelphia Friend shared what it was like for him to grow up as the son of a lesbian who had attended the gathering from its earliest years. The eldest panel member told of his experiences in coming out as a senior, a father, and a divorced man.

The gathering had lighter moments, too. One evening we watched various Friends perform in a talent show, which included singing, playing instruments, dancing, telling jokes, leading the group on an imaginary safari, and reading poetry.

Monday brought the gathering to an end. The meetings for worship and business were a powerful conclusion to what had been a deep, personal time of sharing the Light within. As the closing worship circle filled Stony Run's meeting room, I sensed a resistance by many to leave, to break for even a matter of months the strong, nurturing bonds which held us together. We made plans for our next gathering at Friends General Conference in late June.

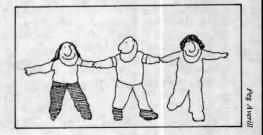
Michael Luick

Western Young Friends Are Building Bridges

We came together this 1985 New Year's Eve, almost 100 of us, with joyful expectations of celebrations, reflections, and sharing at Camp Myrtlewood, Myrtle Point, Oregon. We had no champagne, no drugs, and no rock and roll band. Yet we had all of the elements of a fun time—beautiful woods and hills, excellent food, friends, enthusiastic and lovingly supervised children, singing, dancing, and juggling. But that wasn't all that happened.

The theme of the gathering was "Building Bridges." It was very special to have delegates from the East Coast in addition to the participants from throughout the West. The many Friends who had attended the World Gathering of Young Friends shared a strong sense of unity with all Friends. Many aspects of the gathering challenged us to look at ourselves, individually and collectively. Worship-sharing support groups and workshops helped us to look at ourselves as part of a long history of Friends, challenged our attitudes toward money and computers, and showed us ways of working toward a world truly at peace. The workshop leaders taught us not only by sharing their ideas but by the examples of their lives. Mostly, we learned by looking at the gathering itself, the ways in which it met and fell short of our sense of what it should be. We struggled to work out structures and schedules that provide both discipline and flexibility to facilitate our growth. Our epistle catches the deep sense of caring felt at the gathering-not only for each individual but also for the Quaker spirit and process.

Lauren Ungar



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World of Friends

To help the growing antinuclear movement in and around Calcutta, India, Ouaker Peace and Service medical and community workers Janet and Manan Gaguli, who work in the state of Bihar, have returned from leave in England with books and other material on the nuclear cycle-the process of using raw uranium to create nuclear fuel for nuclear weapons and nuclear reactors. Their friends in Calcutta who are active in opposing the Indian government's demand for nuclear weapons will use this material in their work. They also hope to raise enough money to enable Helen Caldicott, president of International Physicians Against Nuclear War, to make a lecture tour in India. Donations may be sent to Eleanor Aitken, 63 Holbrook Rd., Cambridge CBI 4SX England.

And what would Friends do? In February, radio personality Jim Houston in Knoxville, Tenn., passed on to homeless people 20 unsolicited tickets he had received to a luncheon with Jerry Falwell. It was reported that Falwell's entourage was not amused when the homeless people showed up. *Sojourners* reports that Falwell said before the luncheon about anyone arriving without a ticket, "If they don't have a ticket, we could bounce them out on the sidewalk. We're not Mennonites, we're Baptists."



A peace embassy has been set up by German and U.S. peace activists in Heilbronn, West Germany, just a few hundred feet from the Pershing II rockets. The embassy serves as a clearinghouse and contact point for the exchange of information between peace groups in the United States and West Germany. For more information, write to German-American Peace Embassy, Lilo Klug, Katzensteige 40/1, 7100 Heilbronn, West Germany.

A denunciation of nuclear war is being drawn up by the United Methodist bishops. The Methodist statement may be stronger than the Catholic bishops' pastoral letter, which conditionally accepts nuclear deterrence. In a preliminary draft of their document, the Methodists declare that nuclear deterrence "cannot receive the churches' blessing."

Two prisoners, who express difficulty in growing or changing when all caring humanity seems walled out, are seeking correspondents: John C. Williams, #160-313, is experiencing "pain and cruelty" in prison and seeks friends in the outside world. Earning credits for an associate degree in business, he is interested in sports and music, and likes to read and write. Prince Talbert, #156-513, feels completely isolated, having lost all touch with his family. Addresses for both men are P.O. Box 45699, Lucasville, OH 45699-0001.



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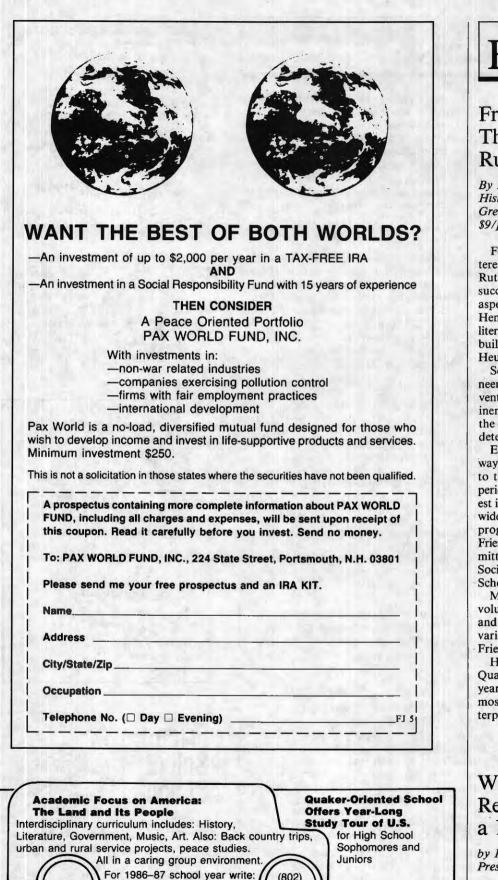
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Friends on the Front Line: The Story of Delbert and Ruth Replogle.

By Lorton Heusel. North Carolina Historical Society, P.O. Box 8502, Greensboro, NC 27419, 1985. 180 pages. \$9/paperback.

Few Friends in recent times have led as interesting and productive lives as Delbert and Ruth Replogle or been able to combine so successfully the vocational and spiritual aspects of their sojourn on planet earth. Hence this book is a valuable addition to the literature on Quaker adventurers and bridgebuilders, as ably chronicled by Lorton Heusel.

Some readers will be intrigued by the pioneering efforts of Delbert Replogle as an inventor and business person (especially prominent in the development of television and the electronics industry) and by his courage, determination, and acumen.

Even more will be interested in the many ways in which the Replogles have contributed to the Religious Society of Friends over a period of several decades through their interest in, support of, and leadership given to a wide range of organizations, institutions, and programs—such as missions, the American Friends Service Committee, the Friends Committee on National Legislation, the United Society of Friends Women, and the Earlham School of Religion—to cite only a few.

Mentioned here and there in this valuable volume but not stressed is their very quiet and effective work as interpreters among various "branches" of the Society of Friends, one of their unique contributions.

Here, then, is a fascinating story of Quakerism in the United States in recent years, told through the lives of two of its most dedicated and effective exponents, interpreters, and bridge-builders.

Leonard S. Kenworthy

Womanguides: Readings Toward a Feminist Theology

by Rosemary Radford Ruether. Beacon Press, Boston, 1985. 274 pages. \$21.95.

Rosemary Ruether, professor of theology at Garrett-Evangelical Seminary, Evanston,

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Illinois, and a leading feminist theologian, has brought together a valuable and stimulating collection of readings. Selections range down the centuries, from ancient Near Eastern texts to poems and stories by students in a course from which the book grew. Bible passages often take on new meaning from juxtaposition with other texts of their time. Many things are of interest, including journal entries by Rebecca Jackson, a black 19thcentury mystic who later joined the Shakers.

Chapters center on Western theological issues: gender images of God, creation, evil, repentance, redemption, community, eschatology. Each chapter begins with background for the readings and a section called "Reflection," with questions and suggestions for personal or group consideration. It is one of the book's most valuable features.

As Rosemary Ruether says, the book does not attempt "to go beyond the borders of Western Christian culture." Nor does it try to be definitive. This is "one person's selection," she tells us. It is not a final product, but "a first step toward creating a textual basis for a feminist theology."

For those whose faith is Bible centered. who see the Bible springing whole from the hand of God, this will be a disturbing book. For others who see the experience of Hebrews, and then Christians, in the context of their times and places, mingling with neighbors whose ideas and experience of divinity are quite different, this book throws light on the milieu in which the Bible grew. It is also encouraging to observe how women have seen through and transcended the patriarchal bias of the Judeo-Christian tradition in many times and places, and yet remained Christians. I expect to use this book both for personal enrichment and as material for group discussions.

Elizabeth G. Watson

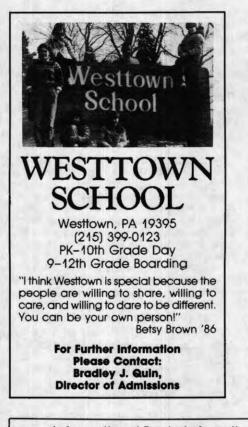
Books in Brief

The Thought of Paul Tillich

Edited by J. L. Adams, Wilhelm Pauck, and Roger L. Shinn. Harper and Row, San Francisco, 1985. 404 pages. \$24.95. An anthology of Paul Tillich's ideas on art and religion, and his contributions to 20th-century theology and the philosophy of being, this work attempts to evaluate Tillich's influence. The authors describe Tillich as a man of vivifying mind and scholarship, but we listen to him not because of his ability to reinterpret religion but because of his concern for those in pain.

Bearing Witness, Building Bridges: Interviews With North Americans Living and Working in Nicaragua. By Melissa Everett. New Society Publishers, 4722 Baltimore Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19143, 1986. 169 pages. \$8.95/paperback. Nancy Donovan; Mary Hartmann, a Maryknoll missionary with the Nicaraguan human rights commission; and others provide a sympathetic view

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The Deadly Connection:

Nuclear War and U.S. Intervention. New England Regional Office of the American Friends Service Committee. Edited by Joseph Gerson. New Society Publishers, 4722 Baltimore Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19143, 1986. 253 pages. \$8.95 (plus \$1.50 shipping)/paperback. Joseph Gerson and other specialists on political and military information discuss the actions and origins of the U.S. threat of nuclear intervention around the world. They describe a first-strike policy which is designed less to defend than to allow the U.S. government a free hand in protecting its interests throughout the world, and is one way of wielding unjust power in the Third World and elsewhere. There are pertinent chapters by Noam Chomsky, Daniel Ellsberg, and others.

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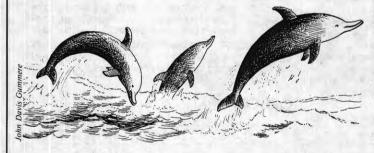
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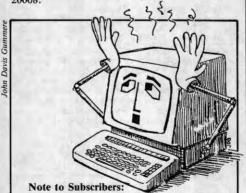
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Friendly Woman, a journal for exchange of ideas, feelings, and experiences by and among Quaker women, is seeking a new home. The current volunteer group publishing in Atlanta will send information packet and free sample copies to any interested group. We cannot consider offers to publish FW after June 15 and will decide the new location by July 10, 1986. Write: *Friendly Woman, clo* Quaker House, 1384 Fairview Rd. NE, Atlanta, GA 30306, attention: Margaret Horsley. (404) 875-3495.

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COSTA RICA

MONTEVERDE-Phone 61-18-87 SAN JOSE-Phone 24-43-76, 21-66-89, or 21-03-02. Unprogrammed meetings

GERMANY (FED. REP.)

HANNOVER-Worship 3rd Sunday 10:45, Kreuzkirche (Gemeindesaal). Call Sander 629057 or Wolckenhaar 822481.

GUATEMALA

GUATEMALA-Bi-weekly. Call 67922 or 37-49-52 evenings.

HONDURAS

TEGUCIGALPA-Second Sunday 9:30 a.m. and when possible. Calle Cedro Real No. 2727 Colonia Los Costanos. Contact Nancy Cady 32-8047 or evenings 32-2191.

MEXICO

MEXICO CITY—Unprogrammed meeting, Sundays 11 a.m. Casa de los Amigos, Ignacio Mariscal 132, Mexico 1, D.F. 705-0521

SPAIN

CANARY ISLANDS-Worship group, Pto. Guimar, Tenerife. Ask for "el Yanqui." Adults welcome too.

SWITZERLAND

GENEVA-Meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m., midweek meeting 12:30 p.m. Wednesdays. 13 av. Mervelet, Quaker House, Petit-Saconnex.

UNITED STATES

Alabama

BIRMINGHAM-Unprogrammed meeting for worship, 10 a.m. Sunday. Paul Franklin, clerk, 613 10th Ave. S, 35205. (205) 879-7021.

FAIRHOPE-Unprogrammed meeting, 9 a.m. Sundays at Friends Meetinghouse, 1.2 mi. east on Fairhope Ave. Ext. Write: P.O. Box 319, Fairhope AL 36533.

HUNTSVILLE AREA—Unprogrammed meeting for worship at Serendipity. 525 Yarbrough Rd., Harvest, AL 35749. John Self, clerk. (205) 837-6327.

Alaska

FAIRBANKS—Unprogrammed, First-day, 10 a.m. Hidden Hill Friends Center, 2682 Gold Hill Rd. Phone 479-3796 or 456-2487

JUNEAU-Unprogrammed worship group, First-days. Phone: 586-4409. Visitors welcome.

Arizona

FLAGSTAFF-Unprogrammed meeting and First-day school 11 a.m. 402 S. Beaver 86002. (602) 774-4298.

McNEAL—Cochise Friends Meeting at Friends Southwest Center, 71/2 miles south of Elfrida, Worship 11 a.m. Phone: (602) 642-3729.

PHOENIX-Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. 1702 E. Glendale, Phoenix 85020.

TEMPE—Unprogrammed, First-days, 9:30 a.m., child care provided. Danforth Chapel, ASU Campus, 85281. Phone: 967-6040

TUCSON—Pima Friends Meeting (Intermountain Yearly Meeting), 739 E. 5th St. Worship 10 a.m. Barbara Elfbrandt, clerk. Phone: (602) 299-0779 or (602) 887-3050.

Arkansas

LITTLE ROCK—Unprogrammed meeting, First-day school, 9:45 a.m. Winfield Methodist Church, 1601 S. Louisiana. Phone: 297-9893, 663-8283,

California

ARCATA-10 a.m. 1920 Zehndner. 822-5615.

BERKELEY-Unprogrammed meting. Worship 11 a.m., 2151 Vine St. at Walnut. 843-9725.

BERKELEY-Strawberry Creek, 1600 Sacramento. P.O. Box 5065. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m.

CHICO-10 a.m. singing, 10:30 a.m. meeting for worship, classes for children. 345-3429 or 342-1741.

CLAREMONT-Worship 9:30 a.m. Classes for children. 727 W. Harrison Ave., Claremont,

DAVIS—Meeting for worship, First-day, 9:45 a.m. 345 L. St. Visitors call 753-5924.

GRASS VALLEY-Discussion period 9:30 a.m., meeting for worship 10:40 a.m. John Woolman School Campus, 12585 Jones Bar Road, Phone: 273-6485 or 273-2560.

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MONTEREY PENINSULA-Friends meeting for worship, Sundays, 10:30 a.m. Call 375-3837 or 625-1761.

ORANGE COUNTY—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. Harbor Area Adult Day Care Center, 661 Hamilton St., Costa Mesa, CA 92627. (714) 786-7691.

PALO ALTO-Meeting for worship and First-day classes for children 11 a.m. 957 Colorado.

PASADENA—Orange Grove Monthly Meeting, 520 E. Orange Grove Blvd. First-day school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. Phone: 792-6223.

SACRAMENTO-Stanford Settlement, 450 W. El Camino near Northgate. Meeting 10 a.m. Phone (916) 452-9317. SAN DIEGO-Unprogrammed worship, First-days, 10:30 a.m. 4848 Seminole Dr. Clerk, Lowell Tozer, (619) 286-5886

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY-Unprogrammed worship, First-days, 9 a.m. 15056 Bledsoe, Sylmar. 360-7635.

SAN FRANCISCO-Meeting for worship, First-days, 11 a.m. 2160 Lake St. Phone: 752-7440.

SAN JOSE-Worship and First-day school 11 a.m., discussion 9:30 a.m. 1041 Morse St. 266-3083.

SAN LUIS OBISPO—Meeting for worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday. Cal-Poly University Christian Center, 1468 Foothill Blvd., San Luis Obispo, CA. (805) 543-3120.

SANTA BARBARA-10 a.m. Marymount School, 2130 Mission Ridge Rd. (W. of El Encanto Hotel).

SANTA MONICA—First-day school and meeting at 10 a.m. 1440 Harvard St. Phone: 828-4069.

SANTA CRUZ-Worship 10 a.m. Sunday. Louden Nelson Center, corner Laurel and Center St. Dave Rich, clerk,

SANTA ROSA-Redwood Forest Meeting. Worship 10 a.m. Phone: (707) 542-1571 for location.

STOCKTON-10:30 singing, 10:45 worship and First-day school. Anderson Y, 265 W. Knoles Way, at Pacific, (209) 477-6314. Jackson, First Sunday (209) 223-0843, Modesto, First Sunday (209) 524-8762.

WESTWOOD (West Los Angeles)-Meeting 10:30 a.m. University YWCA, 574 Hilgard (across from UCLA bus stop). Phone: 250-1200.

WHITTIER—Whitleaf Monthly Meeting, Administration Building, corner Painter and Philadelphia. Worship 9:30 a.m. P.O. Box 122. Phone: 698-7538.

YUCCA VALLEY—Worship 2 p.m. Church of Religious Science, 7434 Bannock Trail, Yucca Valley. (619) 365-1135.

Colorado

BOULDER-Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. Phone: 449-4060 or 494-2982.

COLORADO SPRINGS-Worship group. Phone: (303) 633-5501 (after 6 p.m.).

DENVER—Mountain View Friends Meeting, 2280 South Columbine St. Worship 10 to 11 a.m. Adult forum 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Phone: 777-3799.

DURANGO-First-day school and adult discussion 10 a.m., unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. Call for location, 247-4550 or 884-9434.

FORT COLLINS-Worship group. 484-5537.

WESTERN SLOPE-Worship group. (303) 249-9587.

Connecticut

HARTFORD—Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m., discussion 11 a.m. 144 South Quaker Lane, West Hartford. Phone: 232-3631.

MIDDLETOWN—Worship 10 a.m. Russell House (Wesleyan Univ.), corner High & Washington Sts. Phone: 349-3614.

NEW HAVEN—Meeting and First-day school, Sundays, 9:45 a.m. At Connecticut Hall on the Old Campus of Yale University. Clerk: Michael Burns, 103 Canner St., New Haven, CT 06511. (203) 776-5560.

NEW LONDON-Meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m., discussion 11 a.m., Oswegatchie Community Chapel, Oswegatchie Rd., Waterford, CT. 536-7245 or 889-1924.

NEW MILFORD—Housatonic Meeting. Rte. 7 at Lanesville Rd. Worship 10 a.m. Phone: (203) 746-6329.

STAMFORD-GREENWICH-Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Westover and Roxbury Rds., Stamford. Clerk: Nancy Notthelfer. Phone: (203) 661-6715.

STORRS-Meeting for worship 10 a.m. Corner North Eagleville and Hunting Lodge Roads. Phone: 429-4459.

WILTON—Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. 317 New Canaan Rd. M. Walton, clerk, 27 Cornwall Rd., Norwalk. 847-4069.

WOODBURY—Litchfield Hills Meeting (formerly Watertown). Woodbury Community House, Mountain Rd, at Main St. Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Phone: 263-3627.

Delaware

CAMDEN—Worship 11 a.m., First-day school 10 a.m. 2 mi. S. of Dover. 122 Camden-Wyo Ave. (Rte. 10) 284-4745, 697-7725.

CENTRE—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. 1 mile east of Centreville on the Centre Meeting Rd. at Adams Dam Rd. HOCKESSIN—First-day school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. NW from Hockessin-Yorklyn Rd. at 1st crossroad.

NEWARK—Worship, Sunday, 10 a.m. Phoenix Community, 20 Orchard Rd. (302) 368-7505.

ODESSA-Worship, first Sundays, 11 a.m.

WILMINGTON-Worship 9:15, First-day school 10:30 a.m.

Alapocas, Friends School.

WILMINGTON-Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. 4th & West Sts. Phones: 652-4491, 328-7763.

District of Columbia

WASHINGTON-Friends Meeting, 2111 Florida Ave. NW (near Conn. Ave.). 483-3310. Worship First Day, 9 a.m. 11 a.m. (First-day school 11:20 a.m.), Wed. at 7 p.m.

Florida

CLEARWATER—Worship 10 a.m. St. Paul's School, Oct.– May (homes June–Sept.). Clerk D. A. Ware, 311 S. Betty Lane 18, Clearwater 33516. (813) 447-4829.

DAYTONA BEACH—Sunday 10:30 a.m. in homes. Please call 255-2957 or 677-0457 for information.

GAINESVILLE-Meeting and First-day school 11 a.m. 1921 N.W. 2nd Ave. 462-3201.

JACKSONVILLE—Sunday 10:30 a.m. (904) 768-3648. KEY WEST—Worship 10:30 a.m. For location call Sheridan Crumlish, 294-1523.

LAKE WORTH-Palm Beach Meeting, 823 North A St. 10:30 a.m. Phone: 585-8060 or 848-3148.

MIAMI-CORAL GABLES—Meeting 10 a.m. 1185 Sunset Dr., 661-7374. Clerk: Patricia Coons, 666-1803. AFSC Peace Center, 666-5234.

ORLANDO—Meeting 10 a.m. 316 E. Marks St., Orlando 32803. (305) 425-5125.

SARASOTA—Worship 11 a.m., discussion 10 a.m. 2880 Ringling Blvd. at Tuttle Ave., Gold Tree Shopping Plaza. Clerk: Sumner Passmore. 371-7845 or 955-9589.

ST. PETERSBURG—Meeting 10:30 a.m. 130 19th Ave. SE. Phone: (813) 896-0310.

STUART-Worship group. (305) 692-9514.

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Georgia

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STATESBORO-Worship at 11 a.m. with child care. (912) 764-6036 or 764-5810. Visitors welcome.

Hawaii

HONOLULU-Sundays, 9:45 a.m. hymn singing; 10 a.m. worship and First-day school. 2426 Oahu Avenue. Overnight inquiries welcomed. Phone: 988-2714.

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Idaho

BOISE—Meeting in members' homes. Contact Jane Foraker-Thompson, 344-5326 or Curtis Pullin and Kate O'Neall, 383-9601.

MOSCOW—Moscow-Pullman Meeting, Campus Christian Center, 822 Elm St., Moscow. Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. Sunday. Childcare. (509) 334-4343.

SANDPOINT—Unprogrammed worship group. 1 p.m. Sundays. Pine and Euclid. Lois Wythe, 263-8038. Call for summer schedule.

Illinois

BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL—Unprogrammed. Call (309) 454-1328 for time and location. CARBONDALE—Southern Illinois Friends Meeting. Unprogrammed worship, Sundays 11 a.m. Phone: (618) 457-6542.

CHICAGO—AFSC, Thursdays, 12:15 p.m. 427-2533. CHICAGO—57th St., 5615 Woodlawn. Worship 10:30 a.m. Monthly meeting follows on first Sunday. Phone: 288-3066. CHICAGO—Chicago Monthly Meeting, 10749 S. Artesian. Worship 11 a.m. Phones: 445-8949 or 233-2715.

CHICAGO—Northside (unprogrammed). Worship 10:30 a.m. For location call Jim Oberholtzer, 728-7260, or Marsha Holland, 477-9016.

DECATUR—Worship 10 a.m. Mildred Protzman, clerk. Phone 422-9116 or 864-3592 for meeting location.

OEKALB—Meeting in Friends' homes. Phone: 758-1985 or 758-7084.

DOWNERS GROVE—(West Suburban Chicago) Worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m., 5710 Lomond Ave. (3 blocks west of Belmont, 1 block south of Maple). Phone: 968-3861 or 852-5812.

EVANSTON—Worship 10 a.m. 1010 Greenleaf, 864-8511. GALESBURG—Peoria-Galesburg Meeting, 10 a.m. in homes. 342-0706 for location.

LAKE FOREST—Worship 10:30 a.m. at meetinghouse. West Old Elm and Ridge Rds. Mail: Box 95, Lake Forest 60045. Phone: 432-7846 or 945-1774.

MCHENRY COUNTY—Worship 10:30 a.m. (615) 385-8512. MCNABB—Clear Creek Meeting. Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m., First-day school 10 a.m. Meetinghouse 2 miles south, 1 mile east of McNabb. Phone: (815) 882-2214.

OAK PARK—Worship 10:30 a.m. Hephzibah House, 946 North Blvd. Phone: 524-0099.

PARK FOREST-Thorn Creek Meeting. 11 a.m. Sundays. Child care and First-day school. (312) 748-2734.

QUINCY—Friends Hill Meeting. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m. Clerk: Paul Schobernd. 223-3902 or 222-6704 for location.

ROCKFORD—Meeting for worship, First-days, 10:30 a.m., except August. Friends House, 326 N. Avon. (815) 962-7373, 963-7448, or 964-0716.

SPRINGFIELD—Meeting in Friends' homes, unprogrammed 10 a.m. Co-clerks: Jeanne Thomas and John Arnold, (217) 789-1321.

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN-Meeting for worship 11 a.m. 714 W. Green St., Urbana. Phone: (217) 328-5853 or 344-5348.

Indiana

BLOOMINGTON—Meeting for worship 10:15 a.m. Moores Pike at Smith Rd. Call Norris Wentworth, phone: 336-3003. COLUMBUS—Unprogrammed worship Sundays 6 p.m. 423 8th St. Call Mig Dietz, 342-3725.

EVANSVILLE-Worship 11 a.m. Sundays at Patchwork Central, 100 Washington Ave.

FORT WAYNE—Maple Grove Meeting, unprogrammed worship. Phone Julia Dunn, (219) 489-9342, for time and place.

HOPEWELL—Unprogrammed worship 9:30 a.m., discussion 10:30 a.m. 20 mi. W. Richmond; between I-70, US 40; I-70 exit Wilbur Wright Rd., 11/4 mi. S., 1 mi. W. 478-4218.

INDIANAPOLIS—North Meadow Circle of Friends, 1710 N. Talbott. Unprogrammed, "silent" worship 10 a.m. Children welcome. 926-5614.

MARION-Unprogrammed 11:00 a.m. Call 662-0403, 674-9623.

PLAINFIELD—Unprogrammed worship 8:30 a.m., meeting for study and discussion 9:30 a.m., programmed meeting for worship 10:40 a.m. 105 S. East St. at the corner of U.S. 40 and East St. Thomas Newlin, clerk; Keith Kirk, pastoral minister, (317) 839-9840.

RICHMOND—Clear Creek Meeting, Stout Memorial Meetinghouse, Earlham College. Unprogrammed worship, 9:15 a.m. Clerk: Sirkka Barbour, 962-9221.

SOUTH BEND-Worship 10:30 a.m. Badin Hall, Notre Dame. (219) 232-5729, 256-0635.

VALPARAISO—Unprogrammed worship 10:45 a.m. First Methodist Church of Valparaiso, rm. 106B, 103 Franklin St. WEST LAFAYETTE—Worship 10 a.m. 176 E. Stadium Ave.

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AMES—Worship 10 a.m. Ames Meetinghouse, 427 Hawthorne Ave. Information: (515) 292-1459, 292-2081. DES MOINES—Meeting for worship 10 a.m., classes 11:30 a.m. Meetinghouse, 4211 Grand Ave. Phone: 274-4851. GRINNELL—Worship 12:30 Sundays (September-May). Varies in summer. (515) 236-8398 or 236-7002.

IOWA CITY—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 10 a.m. 311 N. Linn St. Co-clerks: Steve Fox and Charles Dumond, 338-2826. WEST BRANCH—Unprogrammed worship 10:30 a.m., discussion 9:45 a.m. except 2nd Sunday, 317 N. 6th St. Call (319) 643-5639.

Kansas

INDEPENDENCE (Bolton Friends Church)—Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday school 9:30 a.m. (316) 289-4260.

LAWRENCE—Oread Friends Meeting, 1146 Oregon. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m. Phone: (913) 749-1360. TOPEKA—Unprogrammed worship 4 p.m. followed by discussion. Phone: (913) 233-1698, 478-3383, or 273-6791. WICHITA—University Friends Meeting, 1840 University Ave. Unprogrammed meeting Saturday 6 p.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m., meeting for worship 10:45 a.m. Don Mallonee, clerk. Ministry team. Phone: 262-0471 or 262-6215.

Kentucky

BEREA-Meeting 10 a.m. Berea College, 986-8250.

LEXINGTON—Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. Sundays. Box 13366, Lexington, KY 40511. Phone: (606) 223-4176. LOUISVILLE—Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. 3050 Bon Air Ave., 40205. Phone: 452-6812.

Louisiana

BATON ROUGE—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 11 a.m. 546 Bienville St. Co-clerks: Nancy Kirk (504) 766-7602, Jenise Nicholson 383-9681.

NEW ORLEANS—Worship, Sundays, 10 a.m. 7102 Freret St. Phone: 885-1223 or 861-8022.

Maine

BAR HARBOR—Acadia meeting for worship in evening. Phone: 288-5419 or 244-7113.

BRUNSWICK—Unprogrammed meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m. 76 Pleasant St., Brunswick, ME. MID-COAST AREA—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 10 a.m. at Damariscotta library. 563-3464 or 586-6839. ORONO—10 a.m. Sundays. Drummond Chapel, Memorial Union, U.M.O. 866-2198.

PORTLAND—Worship 10 a.m. 1845 Forest Ave. (Route 302). For information call Harold N. Burnham, M.D. (207) 839-5551

WATERBORO—Unprogrammed worship, First-day school, 10 a.m. West Rd. (207) 247-3633, 324-4134.

Maryland

ADELPHI—Worship 10 a.m. Sun., 8 p.m. Wed., First-day school 10:20 a.m. (10 a.m. 2nd Sun.), adult 2nd hour (Mo. Mtg. 2nd Sun.) 11:30. Nursery. 2303 Metzerott, near U. MD. 445-1114.

ANNAPOLIS—Worship 11 a.m. Educational Bldg., First Baptist Church of Eastport, at 208 Chesapeake Ave. Box 3142, Annapolis, MD 21403. Clerk: Betty Lou Riley, 757-4965.

BALTIMORE—Stony Run: worship 11 a.m. except 10 a.m. July & August. 5116 N. Charles St. 435-3773. Homewood: worship and First-day school 11 a.m. 3107 N. Charles St. 235-4438.

BETHESDA—Classes and worship 11 a.m. Sidwell Friends Lower School, Edgemoor Lane & Beverly Rd. 332-1156. CHESTERTOWN—Chester River Meeting, 124 Philosophers Terrace. Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Clerk: D. Russell Palmer, Rte. 4, Box 282-J, Chesterton, MD 21620. (301) 778-6362.

EASTON—Third Haven Meeting, 405 S. Washington St. 10 a.m. David Hawk, clerk; Jane Caldwell, ass't. (301) 822-2832.

FALLSTON—Little Falls Meeting, Old Fallston Rd. Worship 10:30 a.m. Clerk, Hunter C. Sutherland, phone (301) 877-1635.

SANDY SPRING—Worship 9:30 and 11 a.m., first Sundays 9:30 only. Classes, 10:30 a.m. Meetinghouse Rd. at Rte. 108.

UNION BRIDGE—Pipe Creek Meeting. Worship 11 a.m. Margaret Stambaugh, clerk, (301) 271-2789.

Massachusetts

ACTON—Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Harvey Wheeler Community Center, corner Main and Church Sts., West Concord. (During summer in homes.) Clerk: Peter Keenan, 263 Great Road, Maynard. 897-8027.

AMESBURY—Worship 10 a.m. 388-3293, 388-3647. AMHERST-NORTHAMPTON-GREENFIELD—Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Mt. Toby Meetinghouse. Bte

and First-day school 11 a.m. Mt. Toby Meetinghouse, Rte. 63, Leverett. 548-9188; if no answer 564-2788 or 549-4845. BOSTON—Worship 11 a.m. (summer 10 a.m.) First-day. Beacon Hill Friends House, 6 Chestnut St., Boston 02108. Phone: 227-9118. CAMBRIDGE—Meetings, Sundays, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. During July and August, Sundays, 10 a.m. 5 Longfellow Pk. (near Harvard Sq., off Brattle St.). Phone: 876-6883.

FRAMINGHAM—Worship 10 a.m. First-day school. 841 Edmands Rd. (2 mi. W of Nobscot). Visitors welcome. Phone: 877-0481.

GREAT BARRINGTON—South Berkshire Meeting, Blodgett House, Simon's Rock College, Alford Rd. Unprogrammed 10:30 a.m. Phone: (413) 528-1847 or (413) 243-1575. MARION—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. Sunday at 10 South St.

MARTHA'S VINEYARD—Visitors Welcome! Worship 11 a.m., 10:30 a.m. summer. Location varies, call 693-0512 or 693-0942.

NEW BEDFORD—Meeting for worship and First-day school plus child care at 10 a.m., Sundays. Occasional potlucks and/or discussions, 5:30–8 p.m., first and third Wednesdays at meetinghouse. 83 Spring St. Clerk: Elizabeth Lee. Phone (617) 636-2829.

NORTH EASTON—Worship 11 a.m. First-days at Friends Community. 238-2682, 2282.

NORTH SHORE—Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Glen Urquhart School, Beverly Farms, Mass. Clerk: Bruce Nevin, 281-5683.

SANDWICH—East Sandwich Meeting House, Ouaker Meeting House Rd. just north of Rte. 6A. Meeting for worship Sunday 11 a.m. (617) 888-1897.

SOUTH YARMOUTH-CAPE COD-Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m. 58 N. Main St. 362-6633.

WELLESLEY—Meeting for worship and Sunday school 10:30 a.m. at 26 Benvenue Street. Phone: 237-0268. WEST FALMOUTH-CAPE COD—Meeting for worship, Sunday, 11 a.m. Rte. 28A.

WESTPORT-Meeting, Sunday, 10:45 a.m. Central Village. Clerk: John Potter. Phone: 676-8290.

WORCESTER—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 11 a.m. 901 Pleasant St. Phone: 754-3887.

Michigan

ALMA-MT. PLEASANT—Unprogrammed meeting 10:30 a.m. First-day school. Clerk: Nancy Nagler, 772-2421.

ANN ARBOR—Meeting for worship 10 a.m., adult discussion 11:30 a.m. Meetinghouse, 1420 Hill St. (313) 761-7435, 761-5077. Clerk: Nancy Taylor, 769-3354. BIRMINGHAM—Worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m.

Clerk: Brad Angell. (313) 647-6484.

DETROIT—First-day meeting 10:30 a.m. Call 341-9404, or write 4011 Norfolk, Detroit, MI 48221, for information. EAST LANSING—Worship and First-day school, Sunday, 12:30 p.m. All Saints Church library, 800 Abbott Road. Call

12:30 p.m. All Saints Church library, 800 Abbott Road. Call 371-1754 or 351-3094.

GRAND RAPIDS—Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. 25 Sheldon St. SE. (616) 363-2043 or 454-7701.

KALAMAZOO—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m., discussion and child care 11 a.m. Friends Meetinghouse, 508 Denner. Phone: 349-1754.

MARQUETTE-LAKE SUPERIOR—Unprogrammed worship and First-day school. P.O. Box 114, Marquette 49855. 249-1527, 475-7959.

Minnesota

MINNEAPOLIS—Unprogrammed meeting 9 a.m., First-day school 10 a.m, semi-programmed meeting 11 a.m. W. 44th St. and York Ave. S. Phone: 926-6195.

MOORHEAD—Red River Friends Meeting, UCM House, 1313 9th Ave. S. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m. 233-1215.

NORTHFIELD-SOGN-CANNON FALLS TWP.—Cannon Valley Friends Meeting, 2nd and 4th First-days. Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. Child care. (507) 645-4869; (507) 789-5735; (612) 258-4292.

ROCHESTER—Unprogrammed meeting. Call (507) 282-4565 or 282-3310.

ST. PAUL—Twin Cities Friends Meeting, St. Paul Campus Ministry, 1407 N. Cleveland. Unprogrammed worship at 11:15 a.m. Call (612) 644-7071.

STILLWATER—St. Croix Valley Friends, Unprogrammed worship at 10:15 a.m. Phone (612) 777-1698, 777-5651.

Missouri

COLUMBIA—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Presbyterian Student Center, 100 Hitt St., Columbia, MO 65201. Phone: 874-7154.

KANSAS CITY—Penn Valley Meeting, 4405 Gillham Rd., 10 a.m. Call (816) 931-5256.

ROLLA—Preparative meeting 11:30 a.m. Episcopal Christ Church meeting room, Tenth and Main Sts. (314) 341-3754 or 2464.

ST. LOUIS—Meeting 10:30 a.m. 2539 Rockford Ave., Rock Hill. Phone: 962-3061. SPRINGFIELD—Worship, First-day school 3:30 p.m., first, third First-days of month at Unity Church. Contact J. Cox, 2545A South Pl. (417) 882-5743.

Montana

BILLINGS—Call (406) 656-2163 or 252-5065. MISSOULA—Unprogrammed 10:30 a.m., Sundays. 105 Mount Avenue. 542-2310.

Nebraska

LINCOLN—Discussion 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. 3319 S. 46th. Phone: 488-4178.

OMAHA-Unprogrammed worship. 453-7918.

Nevada

RENO-SPARKS—Unprogrammed worship at 10 a.m. Senior Citizens Service Center, 1155 E. 9th St. 747-4623.

New Hampshire

CONCORD—Worship 10 a.m. Children welcomed and cared for. Merrimack Valley Day Care Center, 19 N. Fruit St. Phone: 783-4743.

DOVER—Unprogrammed worship 10:30 a.m., sharing at noon. 141 Central Ave. Clerk: Lydia S. Willits (603) 868-2629 or write P.O. Box 98, Dover, NH 03820.

GONIC—Programmed worship 10:30 a.m. except Jan. and Feb. Maple St. Clerk: Evelyn Lang, Phone (603) 895-9877.

HANOVER—Meeting for worship, Sundays, 10:45 a.m. Friends Meetinghouse, 43 Lebanon St. (next to Hanover H.S.). Clerk: Julia Childs. (603) 643-4138.

KEENE—Worship, Sundays, 10:30 a.m. P.O. Box 185. Phone: 357-0796

MANCHESTER—Manchester Worship Group, 118 Walnut St. (at Pearl). First and third Sundays, hymns 9:30 a.m., worship 10 a.m. Children welcome. Richard Kleinschmidt, (603) 668-3251.

PETERBOROUGH—Monadnock Monthly Meeting, 46 Concord St. Worship 9:45 a.m. Singing may precede meeting.

WEST EPPING—Friends St. Worship 1st and 3rd Sundays, 10:30 a.m. Clerk: Fritz Bell. Phone: (603) 895-2437.

New Jersey

ATLANTIC CITY AREA—Atlantic City Meeting gathers at 11 a.m. Call (609) 927-6547 or 965-4694.

BARNEGAT—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. Left side of East Bay Ave., traveling east from Route 9.

BURLINGTON-Meeting for worship 10:30 September through May. Broad St. near High.

CAPE MAY—Beach meeting mid-June through September, 9 a.m., beach north of first-aid station. (609) 624-1165.

CINNAMINSON—Westfield Friends Meeting, Rte. 130 at Riverton-Moorestown Rd. Meeting for worship 11 a.m., First-day school 10 a.m.

CROPWELL—Meeting for worship 10:45 a.m. Old Marlton Pike, one mile west of Marlton.

CROSSWICKS—Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. DOVER-RANDOLPH—Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Randolph Friends Meeting House, Quaker Church Rd. and Quaker Ave. between Center Grove Rd. and Millbrook Ave., Randolph. (201) 627-3987.

GREENWICH—6 miles from Bridgeton. Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m., First-day school 11:45 a.m.

HADDONFIELD—Worship 10 a.m. First-day school follows, except summer. Babysitting provided during both. Friends Ave. and Lake St. Phone: 428-6242 or 428-5779.

MANASQUAN—First-day school 10 a.m., meeting 11:15 a.m. Rte. 35 at Manasquan Circle.

MARLTON-See CROPWELL.

MEDFORD—Worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. Union St. Meetinghouse. (609) 654-3000 for information. MICKLETON—Worship 10 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. Kings Highway, Mickleton. (609) 468-5359 or 423-0300.

MONTCLAIR—Meeting and First-day school 11 a.m., except July and August 10 a.m. Park St. and Gordonhurst Ave. Phone: (201) 744-7449. Visitors welcome.

MOORESTOWN—First-day school 9:45 a.m. Oct. through May. Meeting for worship 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Main St. at Chester Ave. Visitors welcome.

MOUNT HOLLY-Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. High and Garden Streets. Visitors welcome.

MULLICA HILL—Main St. Sept.-May FDS 9:45, meeting for worship 11 a.m. Meeting only, June, July, Aug., 10 a.m. NEW BRUNSWICK—Meeting and First-day school 10:30 a.m. Meeting only July and August, 9:30 a.m. 109 Nichol Ave. (201) 846-8969.

PLAINFIELD—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. Watchung Ave. at E. Third St. 757-5736.

PRINCETON—Worship 9 and 11 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. Oct.-May. Quaker Rd. near Mercer St. (609) 924-7034.

QUAKERTOWN—Worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. Box 502, Ouakertown, 08868. (201) 782-0953.

RANCOCAS—First-day school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m.

RIDGEWOOD—Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. 224 Highwood Ave.

SALEM—Meeting for worship 11 a.m., First-day school 9:45 a.m. July and August worship 10 a.m. East Broadway. SEAVILLE—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. (July/August 10 a.m.) Main Shore Rd., Rte. 9, Seaville. (609) 624-1165. SHREWSBURY—Meeting for worship and First-day school Nov.-Apr. 11 a.m., May-Oct. 10 a.m. Rte. 35 & Sycamore.

Nov.-Apr. 11 a.m., May-Oct. 10 a.m. Rte. 35 & Sycamore. Phone: 741-7210 or 671-2651. SOMERSET HILLS-Meeting for worship 10 a.m.

SOMERSET HILLS—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. September-May, Community Club, East Main St., Brookside. Contact: (201) 543-4429 or 234-1812.

SUMMIT—Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. (July, August, 10 a.m.). 158 Southern Blvd., Chatham Township. Visitors welcome.

TRENTON-Meeting for worship 11 a.m. Hanover and Montgomery Sts. Visitors welcome.

WOODBURY—First-day school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11:15 a.m. 140 North Broad St. Telephone (609) 845-5080, if no answer call 848-8900 or 845-1990.

WOODSTOWN—First-day school 9:45 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. July & August, worship 10 a.m. N. Main St. Phone 769-1591.

New Mexico

ALBUQUERQUE—Meeting, First-day school, 10:30 a.m. 815 Girard Blvd. NE. Mary Dudley, clerk. 873-0376. LAS CRUCES—10 a.m. Sunday, worship, First-day school. 2610 S. Solano. 522-0672.

SANTA FE-Meeting for worship, Sundays, 9 and 11 a.m. Olive Rush Studio, 630 Canyon Rd. Phone: 983-7241.

SILVER CITY AREA—Gila Friends Meeting. 10:30 a.m. Call 535-4137 or 536-9565 for location.

SOCORRO—Worship group, 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays, 10 a.m. Call 835-0013 or 835-0277.

New York

ALBANY-Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. 727 Madison Ave. Phone: 465-9084.

ALFRED-Meeting for worship 9:15 a.m. at The Gothic, corner Ford and Sayless Sts.

AMAWALK-Worship 10:30 a.m. Quaker Church Rd., N. of Rte. 202-35 Yorktown Heights. (914) 763-5607.

AUBURN—Unprogrammed meeting 1 p.m. 7th-day worship. By appointment only. Auburn Prison, 135 State St., Auburn, NY 13021. Requests must be processed through Ruth Stewart, 46 Grant Ave., Auburn, NY 13021. Phone: (315) 253-6559.

BROOKLYN—Adult discussion 10 a.m., meeting for worship and First-day school at 11 a.m. (child care provided). 110 Schermerhorn St. For information call (212) 777-8866 (Mon.-Fri. 9-5). Mailing address: Box 730, Brooklyn, NY 11201.

BUFFALO—Worship 11 a.m. 72 N. Parade (near science museum). Call 892-8645.

BULLS HEAD RD.—Worship 10:30 Sun. N. Dutchess Co., 1/2 mile E. Taconic Pky. (914) 266-3020.

CHAPPAQUA—Unprogrammed meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. Rte. 120 Ouaker Rd. (914) 737-9089 or 238-9202.

CLINTON-Meeting, Sundays, 10:30 a.m. Kirkland Art Center, On-the-Park. Phone: 853-2243.

CORNWALL—Meeting for worship and Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Rte. 107, off 9W, Quaker Ave. Phone: 496-4463. EASTON—Unprogrammed worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Rte. 40. 664-6567 or 692-9227.

ELMIRA-10:30 a.m. Sundays. 155 West 6th St. Phone: (607) 733-7972.

FREDONIA—Unprogrammed meeting 11 a.m. Call (716) 672-4427 or (716) 672-4518.

HAMILTON—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. Chapel House, Colgate University. Phone: Joel Plotkin, (315) 684-9320. HUDSON—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. first and third Sundays. 343 Union St. Claudia Anderson, clerk, (518) 966-8940 or (518) 329-0401.

ITHACA—First-day school, nursery, adult discussion 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Anabel Taylor Hall, October-May, phone: 256-4214. June-September summer schedule.

LONG ISLAND (QUEENS, NASSAU, SUFFOLK COUNTIES)—Unprogrammed meetings for worship, 11 a.m. First-days, unless otherwise noted. Farmingdale-BETHPAGE—Quaker Mtg. Hse. Rd., op.

FLUSHING—Discussion 10 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. 137-16 Northern Blvd. (718) 358-9636.

Bethpage State Park. (516) 249-0006.

Huntington-LLOYD HARBOR-Friends World College, Plover Ln. (516) 261-4924 (eves.).

JERICHO-Old Jericho Tpke., off Rte. 25, just east of intersection with Rtes. 106 and 107.

Locust Valley-MATINECOCK-Duck Pond & Piping Rock rds. (July-August, 10 a.m.)

MANHASSET-Northern Blvd, at Shelte Rd, Adult class 10 a.m.

St. James-CONSCIENCE BAY-Moriches Rd. Adult discussion/singing, 10:30 a.m. (516) 862-6213.

SHELTER ISLAND-10:30 a.m. Memorial Day through Labor Day, circle at Quaker Martyr's Monument on Sylvester Manor. (516) 749-0555.

Southampton-EASTERN L.I.-Administration Bldg. Southampton College. (516) 537-3867.

SOUTHOLD—Colonial Village Recreation Room, Main St. (June through Labor Day, 10 a.m.).

WESTBURY -550 Post Ave., just south of Jericho Tpke. at Exit 32-N, Northern State Pkwy. (516) 333-3178 (July through Labor Day, 10 a.m.).

MT. KISCO—Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Meetinghouse Road.

NEW PALTZ-Unprogrammed meeting 10:30 a.m. Sundays. Plutarch Church; First-day school, second and fourth Sundays 10:15 a.m. (914) 255-5678 or 6179.

NEW YORK CITY-At 15 Rutherford Place (15th Street) Manhattan: unprogrammed worship every First-day at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; programmed worship at 10 a.m. on the first First-day of every month. Earl Hall, Columbia University: unprogrammed worship every First-day at 11 a.m. At 110 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn: unprogrammed worship at 11 a.m. every First-day. Phone (212) 777-8866 (Mon.-Fri., 9-5) about First-day schools, monthly business meetings, and other information.

OLD CHATHAM-Meeting for worship 11 a.m. Powell House, Rte. 13. Phone 794-8811.

ONEONTA-10:30 a.m. worship 1st Sunday, 11 Ford Ave., 3rd Sunday in members' homes. Call (607) 746-2844 for location

ORCHARD PARK-Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. East Quaker St. at Freeman Rd. 662-3105.

POPLAR RIDGE-Worship 10 a.m. (315) 364-7244.

POTSDAM-Worship and First-day school followed by potluck. 41 Main St. (315) 265-5749.

POUGHKEEPSIE-Meeting for worship and Sunday school 10 a.m. 249 Hooker Ave., 12603. (914) 454-2870.

PURCHASE-Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Purchase St. (Rte. 120) at Lake St. Co-clerks: Nancy First, Bittersweet La., Mt. Kisco, NY 10549, (914) 666-3524 and Fred Feucht, 88 Mountain Rd., Pleasantville, 10570. (914) 769-1720.

QUAKER STREET-Worship 11 a.m. Rte. 7 Quaker Street, New York 12141. Phone (518) 895-8169.

ROCHESTER-Sept. to June, meeting for worship 9:30 and 11 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. June 15 to Sept. 3, worship at 10 a.m. with babysitting sometimes available. 41 Westminster Rd., 14607.

ROCKLAND-Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. 60 Leber Rd., Blauvelt. (914) 359-2730.

SCARSDALE-Meeting for worship, 2nd Sunday in Sept. through June, 11 a.m.; July through 1st Sunday in Sept. 10 a.m. First-day school, 3rd Sunday in Sept. through 2nd Sunday in June, 11 a.m. 133 Popham Rd.

SCHENECTADY—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. Albany Street United Methodist Church, 924 Albany Street. (518) 374-0369.

SYRACUSE-Worship 10:30 a.m. 821 Euclid Ave.

North Carolina

ASHEVILLE—Unprogrammed meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m., forum and child care 11 a.m. 227 Edgewood Rd, 298-0944.

BEAUFORT-Worship group; 728-5005, 728-5279.

CELO-Meeting 10:45 a.m. Yancey County, off Rte. 80 on Arthur Morgan School Rd. 675-5936.

CHAPEL HILL-Meeting for worship, 11 a.m. Clerk: Bettie Flash. Phone: (919) 942-3528.

CHARLOTTE-Unprogrammed meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m., forum and child care 11 a.m. 2327 Remount Rd. (704) 399-8465 or 537-5808.

DURHAM—Unprogrammed meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. 404 Alexander Ave. Contact Alice Keighton, (919) 489-6652.

FAYETTEVILLE-Unprogrammed. Phone 323-3912.

GREENSBORO—Friendship Meeting (unprogrammed) Guilford College, Moon Room of Dana Aud., except vacations and summers at Friends Homes. Worship 10:30 a.m. Contact Alfred Henderson, 294-0745.

GREENVILLE---Unprogrammed meeting and First-day school 10:30 a.m. 758-6789 or 752-0787.

GUILFORD COLLEGE, GREENSBORO-New Garden Friends Meeting. Unprogrammed meeting 8:45 a.m., church school 9:45 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. E. Daryl Kent, clerk and David W. Bills, pastoral minister. RALEIGH-Raleigh Friends Meeting, unprogrammed, (919) 782-3135.

WENTWORTH/REIDSVILLE-Open worship and child care 10:30 a.m. Call (919) 349-5727 or (919) 427-3188. WILMINGTON—Unprogrammed meeting 10 a.m. New Horizons School, 4903 Oleander. Call (919) 392-2269.

WINSTON-SALEM-Unprogrammed meeting 10:30 a.m. in parlor of Winston-Salem Friends Meeting House, 502 Broad St. N. Call 725-8001 or 723-4528 (Jane Stevenson).

WINSTON-SALEM-Ardmore Friends, 2434 Rosewood. Unprogrammed meeting 10 a.m., first and third Sundays, 761-0335

WOODLAND—Cedar Grove Meeting. Sabbath school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. Elizabeth G. Parker, clerk. (919) 587-3911.

North Dakota

FARGO-See Red River Friends, Moorhead, Minnesota. Ohio

AKRON-Unprogrammed worship and child care weekly, business and potluck monthly. Call (216) 867-4968 or 253-7151.

BOWLING GREEN-Broadmead Friends Meeting FGC. Unprogrammed worship groups meet at:

BLUFFTON-Sally Weaver Sommer, (419) 358-5411.

DEFIANCE—Jon Shafer, (419) 596-4641 FINDLAY—Joe Davis, clerk, (419) 422-7668 TOLEDO—Rilma Buckman, (419) 385-1718

CINCINNATI-Clifton Friends Meeting, Wesley Foundation Bldg. 2717 Clifton Ave. Worship 10 a.m. 793-9241.

CINCINNATI-Community Meeting (United FGC and FUM), 3960 Winding Way, 45229. Unprogrammed worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Phone: (513) 861-4353. Eileen Bagus, clerk,

CLEVELAND—Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. 10916 Magnolia Dr. 791-2220.

COLUMBUS—Unprogrammed meeting 10 a.m. 1954 Indianola Ave. Call Rod Warren (614) 863-0731 or Marvin Van Wormer (614) 267-8834.

DAYTON—Friends Meeting FGC. Unprogramm to worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. 1516 Salem Ave. Rm. 238. Phone: (513) 433-6204.

KENT-Meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. 1195 Fairchild Ave. Phone: 673-5336.

MANSFIELD—Unprogrammed meeting 10 a.m., first and third Sundays, Rock Road. 756-4441, 347-1317.

MARIETTA-Unprogrammed worship group. 422-5299 (Parkersburg).

OBERLIN-Unprogrammed worship 10:30 a.m. Religious Activities House, Oberlin College campus, 152 W. Lorain, Oberlin. Ruth Schwaegerle, clerk, (216) 323-1116.

SALEM-Wilbur Friends unprogrammed meeting. First-day school 9:30 a.m., worship 10:30 a.m.

WAYNESVILLE—Friends meeting, First-day school 9:30 a.m., unprogrammed worship 10:45 a.m. 4th and Hight Sts. (513) 885-7276, 897-4610.

WILMINGTON-Campus Meeting (United) FUM & FGC, College Kelly Center, Unprogrammed worship 10:15 a.m. Barbara Olmsted, clerk, (513) 382-4118.

WOOSTER—Unprogrammed meeting and First-day school 10:30 a.m. SW corner College and Pine Sts. (216) 262-8533 or 345-7650.

YELLOW SPRINGS-Unprogrammed worship, FGC, 11 a.m. Rockford Meetinghouse, President Street (Antioch campus). Clerk, Paul Wagner, (513) 767-8021.

Oklahoma

NORMAN-Unprogrammed worship group; (405) 329-6673.

OKLAHQMA CITY—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 10:30 a.m., followed by forum and fellowship. 312 S.E. 25th. (405) 949-2106 or 631-4174.

STILLWATER—Unprogrammed, 10:30 a.m. (405) 372-5892 or (405) 372-9373.

TULSA-Friends church 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m. 13322 E. 31. John & Betty Jean Penrose, (918) 663-4496.

TULSA—Green Country Friends Meeting, (unprogrammed) FGC/FUM, 5 p.m. worship, 6 p.m. potluck, 7 p.m. forum each First Day. Call for location (918) 366-4057.

Oregon

ASHLAND-Meeting for worship 10 a.m. Sunday. 1150 Ashland St. (503) 482-4335.

CORVALLIS-Meeting for worship 9:30 a.m. 3311 N.W. Polk Ave. Phone: 752-3569.

EUGENE-Religious education for all ages 9:45 a.m., meeting 11 a.m. 2274 Onyx St. Phone: 343-3840 PORTLAND-Multnomah Monthly Meeting, 4312 S.E. Stark. Worship 10 a.m. Phone: 232-2822.

SALEM-Friends meeting for worship 10 a.m. Forum 11. YWCA, 768 State St. 393-1914.

Pennsylvania

ABINGTON—First-day school 10 a.m., worship 11:15 a.m. Child care. Meetinghouse Rd./Greenwood Ave., Jenkintown. (E. of York Rd., N. of Philadelphia.) 884-2865. BIRMINGHAM-First-day school and meeting for worship 10:15 a.m. 1245 Birmingham Rd. S. of West Chester on Rte. 202 to Rte. 926, turn W. to Birmingham Rd., turn S. 1/a mile.

BUCKINGHAM-Worship 11 a.m. Lahaska, Rts. 202-263. CARLISLE-First-day school (Sept.-May) and worship 10 a.m. 2nd. fl., Bosler Hall. N.E. corner College St. and W. High St. 249-2411.

CHELTENHAM-See Philadelphia listing.

CHESTER-Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m., meeting for business 2nd First-day at 9:30. 24th and Chestnut Sts CONCORD-Worship and First-day school 11:15 a.m. At Concordville, on Concord Rd. one block south of Rte. 1. DARBY-Meeting for worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Main at 10th St.

DOLINGTON-MAKEFIELD-Worship 11-11:30 a.m. Firstday school 11:30-12.30. East of Dolington on Mt. Eyre Rd. DOWNINGTOWN-First-day school (except summer months) and worship 10:30 a.m. 800 E. Lancaster Ave. (south side old Rte. 30, 1/2 mile east of town), 269-2899. DOYLESTOWN—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. East Oakland Ave.

ELKLANDS—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. May through October. Rte. 154 between Forksville and Canton, Pa.

ERIE-Adult discussion and First-day school 10 a.m. meeting for worship 11 a.m. 509 Sassafras St. 898-1077.

FALLSINGTON (Bucks County)-Falls Meeting, Main St. First-day school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. No First-day school on first First-day of month. Five miles from Pennsbury reconstructed manor home of William Penn. GOSHEN-First-day school 10 a.m., worship 10:45 a.m.

Goshenville, intersection of Rte. 352 and Paoli Pike. GYWNEDD-First-day school 10 a.m., except summer.

Worship 11:15 a.m. Sumneytown Pike and Rte. 202.

HARRISBURG-Worship 11 a.m., First-day school and adult education (Sept. to May) 10 a.m. Sixth and Herr Sts. Phone: (717) 232-7282 or 232-1326.

HAVERFORD-First-day school 10:30 a.m., meeting for worship 10:30 a.m., Fifth-day meeting for worship 10 a.m. during college year. Buck Lane, between Lancaster Pike and Haverford Rd.

HAVERTOWN-Old Haverford Meeting. East Eagle Rd. at Saint Dennis Lane, Havertown, First-day school and adult forum, 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m.

HORSHAM-Rte. 611. First-day school, meeting, 11 a.m. HUNTINGDON-Worship 10 a.m. 1715 Mifflin St. (814) 643-1842 or 669-4408.

INDIANA-Unprogrammed worship group. 349-3338.

KENDAL-Worship 10:30 a.m. Rte. 1, 1 mi. N. of Longwood Gardens.

KENNETT SQUARE-First-day school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Union & Sickle. Mary Faye Glass, clerk, (215) 444-0788.

LANCASTER—Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. Off U.S. 462, back of Wheatland Shopping Center, 11/2 miles west of Lancaster

LANSDOWNE-First-day school 9:45 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. (10 a.m. July and August). Lansdowne and Stewart Aves.

LEHIGH VALLEY-BETHLEHEM-Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. On Rte. 512 1/2 mile north of Rte. 22.

LEWISBURG-Worship 10:30 a.m. each Sunday. Vaughan Lit. Bldg. Library, Bucknell University. Clerk: (717) 524-0191

LITTLE BRITAIN—First-day school 10 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. Eastland near Kirks Mills on Friends Rd. and Penn Hill at U.S. 222 and Pa. 272.

LONDON GROVE-Friends meeting Sunday 10 a.m., child care/First-day school 11 a.m. Newark Rd. and Rte. 926. MARLBOROUGH-Worship 11 a.m. Marlborough Village, 1 mile S of Rte. 842 near Unionville, Pa. Clerk, (215) 688-9185

MARSHALLTON—Bradford Meeting (unprogrammed), Rte. 162, 4 mi. west of West Chester, 11 a.m. 696-6538. MEDIA--Worship 11 a.m. (10 a.m. June-August) except 1st Sunday each month, worship 10 a.m., bus. 11:15 a.m. 125 W. 3rd St.

MEDIA (Providence Meeting)—Meeting for worship 11 a.m., except at 10 a.m. on the first Sunday of the month. Meeting for worship at 11 a.m. every Sunday in July and August. Joint First-day school 9:30 a.m. at Providence MM February–June; at Media MM September–January. Providence Rd. (Rte. 252) near 4th St.

MERION—Meeting for worship 11 a.m., First-day school 10:15 except summer months. Babysitting provided. Meetinghouse Lane at Montgomery.

MIDDLETOWN-Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. Delaware County, Rte. 352 N. of Lima.

MIDDLETOWN—First-day school 9:30 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. 7th and 8th months worship 10-11 a.m. At Langhorne, 453 W. Maple Ave.

MILLVILLE—Main St. Worship 10 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. Dean Girton, (717) 458-6431.

NEWTOWN (Bucks Co.)—Worship 11 a.m., First-day school 9:45 a.m. Summer worship only. 968-5143 or 968-2217.

NEWTOWN SQUARE (Del. Co.)—Meeting 11 a.m. Rte. 252 N. of Rte. 3. Clerk, (215) 356-2740.

NORRISTOWN—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Swede and Jacoby Sts. Clerk: Clifford R. Gillam, Jr., 539-1361.

OXFORD—First-day school 9:45 a.m., meeting for worship 11 a.m. 260 S. 3rd St. Caroline C. Kirk, clerk. Phone: (215) 593-6795.

PENNSBURG—Unami Monthly Meeting meets First-days at 11 a.m. Meetinghouse at 5th and Macoby Sts. Bruce Grimes, clerk, 234-8424.

PHILADELPHIA—Meetings, 10:30 a.m. unless specified; phone: 241-7221 for information about First-day schools.

Byberry-one mile east of Roosevelt Boulevard at

Southampton Rd., 11 a.m. Central Philadelphia-15th and Race Sts.

Cheltenham—Jeanes Hospital grounds, Fox Chase,

11:30 a.m. July & August 10:30 a.m.

Chestnut Hill-100 E. Mermaid Lane. Fourth and Arch Sts.-First- and Fifth-days.

Frankford-Penn and Orthodox Sts., 11 a.m.

Frankford-Unity and Waln Sts., 11 a.m.

Germantown Meeting-Coulter St. and Germantown Ave.

Green Street Meeting-45 W. School House Lane.

PHOENIXVILLE—Schuylkill Meeting. East of Phoenixville and north of juncture of Whitehorse Rd. and Rte. 23. Worship 10 a.m., forum 11:15.

PITTSBURGH—Meeting for worship and school 10:30 a.m., adult class 9:30 a.m. 4836 Ellsworth Ave, East End. PLYMOUTH MEETING—Worship, First-day school 11:15 a.m. Germantown Pike & Butler Pike.

POTTSTOWN-READING AREA—Exeter Meeting. Meetinghouse Rd. off 562, 1 and 6/10 miles W of 662 and 562 intersection at Yellow House. Worship 10:30 a.m.

QUAKERTOWN—Richland Monthly Meeting, Main & Mill Sts. First-day school and meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. RADNOR—Meeting for worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m., forum 11:15 a.m. Conestoga and Sproul Rds., Ithan. READING—First-day school 10 a.m., meeting 11 a.m. 108 North Sixth St.

SLIPPERY ROCK—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. Franklin St., United Methodist Church. Phone: 794-4547.

SOLEBURY-Worship 10 a.m., First-day school 10:45 a.m. Sugan Rd., 2 miles NW of New Hope. 297-5054.

SOUTHAMPTON (Bucks Co.)—First-day school 9:30 a.m., worship 10:30 a.m. Street & Gravel Hill Rds. Clerk: 639-2144.

SPRINGFIELD—Meeting 11 a.m., discussion 10:15 a.m. (Oct.–June). W. Springfield and Old Marple Rd. 544-3624. STATE COLLEGE—First-day school and adult discussion 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. 611 E. Prospect Ave. 16801.

SWARTHMORE-Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m., forum 11 a.m. Whittier Place, college campus.

UPPER DUBLIN—Worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Ft. Washington Ave. and Meetinghouse Rd., near Ambler. VALLEY—First-day school and forum 10 a.m. (except summer), worship 11:15 (summer, 10). Monthly meeting during forum time 2nd Sunday of each month. West of King of Prussia on old Rte. 202 and Old Eagle School Rd. WEST CHESTER—First-day school 10:30 a.m., worship

10:45. 400 N. High St.

WEST GROVE-Meeting for worship 10 a.m. 153 E. Harmony Road. P.O. Box 7.

WESTTOWN-Meeting for worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday. Westtown School campus, Westtown, PA 19395.

WILKES-BARRE—North Branch Monthly Meeting, Wyoming Seminary Lower School, 1560 Wyoming Ave., Forty Fort. Sunday school 10:15 a.m., meeting 11 a.m., Sept.-May. Summer phone: (717) 675-2438. WILLISTOWN—Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. Goshen & Warren Rds., Newtown Square, R.D. 1. WRIGHTSTOWN—First-day school 9:30 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Summer months worship only 10 a.m. Rite. 413. YARDLEY—Meeting for worship 10 a.m. First-day school follows meeting during winter months. North Main St.

Rhode Island

PROVIDENCE-Meeting for worship 11 a.m. each Firstday. 99 Morris Ave., corner of Olney St.

SAYLESVILLE-Worship 10:30 a.m. each First-day. Lincoln-Great Rd. (Rte. 126) at River Rd.

WESTERLY-Unprogrammed worship and First-day school 10:30 a.m. 57 Elm St. (203) 599-1264.

South Carolina

CHARLESTON—Worship 9:45 a.m. Sundays. The Christian Family Y, 21 George St. (803) 556-7031. COLUMBIA—Worship 10 a.m. Presbyterian Student Center, 1702 Green St., 29201. Phone: (803) 781-3532.

South Dakota

SIOUX FALLS—Unprogrammed meeting 11 a.m. 2307 S. Center, 57105. Phone: (605) 338-5744.

Tennessee

CHATTANOOGA—Worship 10:30, discussion 11:30. 335 Crestway Dr. Bill Simmons, (615) 622-1308.

CROSSVILLE—Worship 9:30, then discussion. (615) 484-6059 or 277-5003.

MEMPHIS—Unprogrammed meeting, child care, 11 a.m. Clough Hall, Room 302, Rhodes College. 767-4956.

NASHVILLE—Meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. 2804 Acklen Ave., (615) 269-0225. Steve Meredith, clerk, 2804 Acklen Ave., Nashville, TN 37212. (615) 889-7598.

WEST KNOXVILLE-Worship and First-day school 10 a.m. D.W. Newton, 693-8540.

Texas

ALPINE—Meeting for worship, Sunday, 10:30–11:30 in the home of George and Martha Floro. Call (915) 837-2930 for information.

AUSTIN—Forum 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Supervised activities and First-day school for young Friends. 3014 Washington Square. Jennifer Riggs and William Walters, clerks, 452-1841.

BRYAN/COLLEGE STATION—Unprogrammed worship every Sunday. Call (409) 846-7093, 846-6856, or write 754 S. Rosemary, Bryan TX 77802.

CENTRAL TEXAS—Unprogrammed worship. Call (817) 939-8596 or write 816 Lake Rd., Belton, TX 76513.

CORPUS CHRISTI—Unprogrammed worship 11:15 a.m. 1015 N. Chaparral. (512) 884-6699.

DALLAS—10 a.m. Park North YWCA, 4434 W. Northwest Hwy. Clerk, Dorothy Watts, (214) 576-3868, 361-7487, or 258-0578.

EL PASO—Meeting at 10 a.m. Sunday. Meetinghouse at 1020 E. Montana Blvd., El Paso, TX 79902. (915) 544-6724. FORT WORTH—Unprogrammed meeting for worship. Phone: (817) 535-3097 or 926-1526.

GALVESTON—Meeting for worship, First-day 6:30 p.m. Call 744-1806 or 762-1391 for information.

HILL COUNTRY—Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m., discussion 10 a.m. Schreiner College, Old Faculty Club, Kerrville, TX 78028. Clerk: Don Warrington (512) 833-5368. HOUSTON—Live Oak Meeting. 1105 W. 10th St. Meeting for worship 11 a.m., First-day school/adult discussion 9:30 a.m. Phone: 862-6685. Clerk: P. Bell, 664-5505.

MIDLAND—Worship 10:30 a.m. Trinity School Library, 3500 West Wadley. Clerk, John Savage, Phone: 682-9335. RIO GRANDE VALLEY—Winter worship group. For time and place call (512) 787-9437.

SAN ANTONIO—Discussion 10:30 a.m., unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. New Age School, 217 Pershing, 78209. William Donovan, clerk, 11634 Caprock, San Antonio, TX 78230. (512) 690-8961.

Utah

LOGAN—Unprogrammed worship, Sundays, 10:30 a.m. Campus Christian Fellowship, 1315 E. 700 N. Call Al Carlson 563-3345 or Allen Stokes 752-2702.

SALT LAKE CITY—Unprogrammed meeting and First-day school 10 a.m. Seventh Day Adventist Church, 2139 Foothill Drive. Phone: (801) 583-2287 or 582-4357.

Vermont

BENNINGTON—Worship, Sundays, 10 a.m. Old First Church barn on Monument Circle at the obelisk. (802) 447-7980 or (802) 442-4859.

BURLINGTON-Worship 11 a.m. Sunday. 173 North Prospect St. Phone: (802) 862-1439 or 863-3014. MIDDLEBURY-Worship 10 a.m. 3 miles out Weybridge St. at Weybridge School. (802) 388-7684.

PUTNEY-Worship, Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Putney Central School, Westminster West Rd., Putney.

SOUTH STARKSBORO—Hymn sing 10:30 a.m., unprogrammed worship 11 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays. Off Route 17. Phone Whites, (802) 453-2156.

WILDERNESS—Sunday meetings for worship in Rutland. Phone Kate Brinton, (802) 228-8942, or Len Cadwallader, (802) 446-2565.

Virginia

ALEXANDRIA—Worship every First Day 11 a.m., unprogrammed worship and First-day school. Woodlawn Meeting House, 8 miles S. of Alexandria, near US 1. Call (703) 765-6404 or 455-0194.

CHARLOTTESVILLE—Adult discussion 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. 1104 Forest St. Phone: (804) 971-8859.

LINCOLN-Goose Creek United Meeting for worship and First-day school 10 a.m.

McLEAN—Langley Hill Meeting, Junc. old Rte. 123 and Rte. 193. 10 a.m. First-day school, adult forum 11 a.m. RICHMOND—Worship 11 a.m., children's First-day school 11:20 a.m. 4500 Kensington Ave. 358-6185.

ROANOKE—Blacksburg/Roanoke Monthly Meeting; Roanoke section, Genevieve Waring, 343-6769, and Blacksburg section, Sandra Harold, 382-1842.

VIRGINIA BEACH—Meeting for worship 11 a.m. (based on silence). 1537 Laskin Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23451.

WILLIAMSBURG—Unprogrammed meeting for worship 4 p.m. Sundays, First-day school 5 p.m. 1333 Jamestown Road. (804) 229-6693.

WINCHESTER—Hopewell Meeting, 7 mi. N. on Rte. 11 (Clearbrook). Unprogrammed meeting for worship 10:15 a.m., First-day school 11 a.m. Clerk: (703) 667-1018.

Washington

BELLEVUE (Seattle)—Eastside Friends Meeting (NPYM), 4160 158th St. SE. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m., study 11 a.m. (206) 822-2461 or 632-7006.

OCEAN PARK-Unprogrammed worship, 665-4723.

OLYMPIA-Worship 10 a.m. except first Sunday each month in homes. YWCA. 943-3818 or 357-3855.

PULLMAN-See Moscow, Idaho.

SEATTLE—University Friends Meeting, 4001 9th Ave. NE. Silent worship, First-day classes 11 a.m. 547-6449. Accommodations: 632-9839.

SPOKANE—Unprogrammed worship. Contact Jean Fredrickson, 328-8133.

TACOMA—Tacoma Friends Meeting, 3019 N. 21st St. Unprogrammed worship 10 a.m., First-day discussion 11 a.m. Phone: 759-1910.

WALLA WALLA-10 a.m. Sundays. 522-0399.

West Virginia

CHARLESTON—Worship, Sundays, 10 a.m. The River School on the campus of Univ. of Charleston. (304) 345-8659 for information.

MORGANTOWN-MONONGALIA—11 a.m. on Sunday; First-day school, first and third Sundays; business meeting and potluck, third Sunday. Friendship Room #223, Garlow Building, 354 High St., Morgantown, WV 26505. 265-0018, 599-3109. Clerk: Judy Rodd, Rte. 1, Box 78, Moatsville, WV 26405.

Monongalia Meeting. Unprogrammed worship and First-day school 11 a.m. Phone John Gamble (304) 599-1767 or Lurline Squire 599-3109.

PARKERSBURG-Unprogrammed worship group. 422-5299.

Wisconsin

Wyoming

BELOIT—Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. Sundays, 811 Clary St. Phone: (608) 365-5858.

EAU CLAIRE/MENOMONIE—Meeting for worship and First-day school, Sunday, 10:30 a.m. 1718 10th St., Menomonie, 54751. Call 235-5892 or 832-0094.

GREEN BAY/APPLETON—Meeting for worship and Firstday school 11 a.m. Contact Barbara Mounts, clerk, (414) 725-0560.

MADISON—Sunday 9 and 11 a.m., Friends Meeting, 1704 Roberts Ct., 256-2249; and 11 a.m. Yahara Allowed Meeting, 2201 Center Ave., 249-7255.

MILWAUKEE—Worship sharing 10 a.m., meeting for worship 10:30. 3224 N. Gordon PI. Phone: 263-2111. OSHKOSH—Unprogrammed worship 11 a.m. Sundays. Call (414) 233-5804 or write P.O. Box 403.

CASPER—Unprogrammed worship in Friends' homes at variable times. Phone Sharon Hiltner at (307) 234-7028.

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