



**Birthdays In August**

Judy Critchfield	August 5
Twila Nave	August 6
Aaron Holt	August 11
Benjamin Richards	August 11
Sean Richards	August 17



**Anniversaries In August**

Tony & Evalee Ciuca August 2

**HILLENDALE BAPTIST CHURCH**

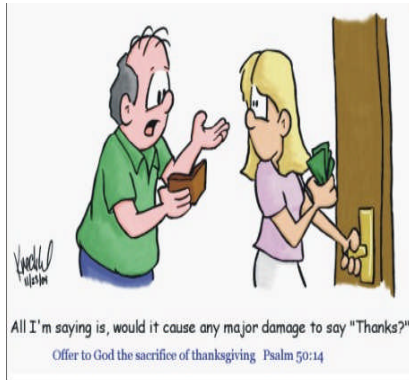


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**THE STEWARDSHIP OF A CHRISTIAN BILLIONAIRE**

John Templeton is an 86-year-old financial genius who founded the Templeton mutual funds. He is a dedicated Christian who still works, because he says, "it's far more important to be useful" than to retire.

His main focus is primarily on spiritual matters, especially in regard to funding research on spirituality. He believes that we need to know more about the power of prayer, spiritual healing, the life of the soul, the reality of God, and so forth. To encourage new spiritual discoveries, Mr. Templeton funds the annual \$1 million prize for Progress in Religion. Additionally, Mr. Templeton gives away some \$30 million annually to church and charitable projects.

Mr. Templeton is a phenomenal steward of all of his resources. He takes care of his body by daily going into the ocean near his home in the Bahamas and then propelling himself against the resistance of the water for 45 minutes. He reads widely. He prays throughout the day and offers prayers before business meetings. He is a trustee of Princeton Theological Seminary. He carefully shepherds the time God gives him daily. He tries to use every minute wisely. (He told a man wishing to interview him to come promptly at 4:02 because he had another appointment at 4:13). Although he is a billionaire, he flies coach, never first class. Believing we are all "temporary stewards" of God's wealth, he says that "spiritual wealth is vastly more important than monetary wealth."




## Keep The Cracks Repaired

Each year thousands of tourists journey to Mount Rushmore National Memorial that is carved above the town of Keystone in southwestern South Dakota. It is there that the images of four of the great presidents of the United States are carved in granite. What the average tourist does not realize is the constant work that goes on to keep this giant sculpture from deteriorating.

For one week in September workers go over this magnificent piece of art removing bird nests, pulling shrubs that have grown in the crevices in the rock. But the most important task of all is filling the hundreds of natural rock fissures that crisscross the executive figures. Workmen carefully fill these cracks with a special mixture of white granite dust, linseed oil and white lead. If these fissures were left unattended, the autumn rains and melting snow could creep into the rock and freeze, thus shattering a president's image.

Our lives are like that. We have to constantly keep our cracks repaired or our image will be shattered.

*Dave*



# The Water of Life

To beat the summer heat, we're often refreshed by a cold drink. Complete the puzzle below for a reminder of what Jesus offers us when we thirst.

KEY:  
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$\overline{5+7}$	$\overline{12-3}$	$\overline{9-3}$	$\overline{6-1}$						

Revelation 22:17, NIV

Answer:  
"Whoever is thirsty, let him come; and whoever wishes, let him take the free gift of the water of life." Revelation 22:17, NIV