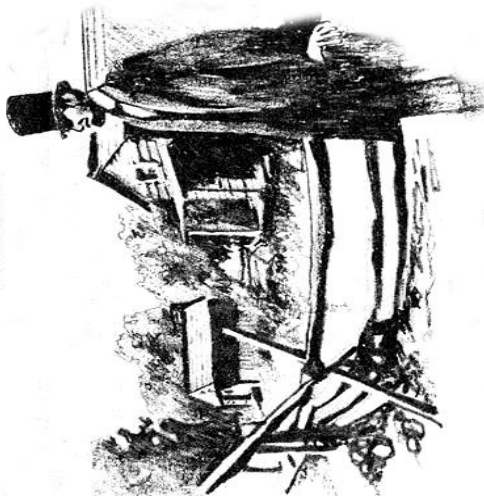
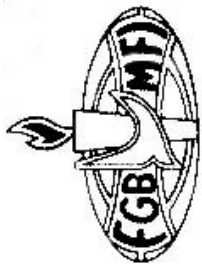


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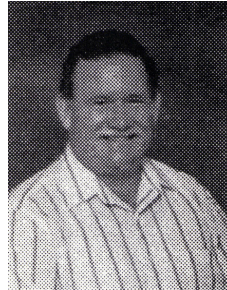
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**Mr. Jerry VanHouten**  
**Mt. Vernon, Illinois**  
**(618) 242-6640**

Born in Paris, Illinois, Jerry has been a life long resident of Southern Illinois. Brought up in a Pentacostal church, Jerry said yes to Jesus at age 6. But by the time he reached high school age, the glamorous things of the world began to look more appealing. Shortly after graduating from High School, he became married, and started a family. Jerry learned that he had a talent for selling automobiles, and soon became consumed in the business world. Making money, living in the fast lane took first place in his life, leaving little time for his family or his church.

On one November morning in 1974, Jerry arrived at his place of employment , only to discover he had lost his entire pay check in a poker game the night before, and all he had to show for it was a hangover. After meditating on what he had done, the enemy spoke up and told Jerry that he would loose his family, his wife, and his own life. That was a message Jerry did not want to hear. That was when Jerry cried out to God. Lord if you are there, I give this mess of a life to you to turn around. A short time later, Jerry began to see things turn around. The perils of alcohol, cigarettes, sex, lying and cheating seemed to fade away. Jerry rededicated his life, this time for good. He received the baptism in the Holy Spirit. Jerry does not hesitate to declair, Jesus has been good to me. Jerry is presently the Chapter president of the Mt. Vernon, and Marion chapters of the FGBMFI. Your invited to come for an evening of fellowship.

**DINNER MEETING**  
**LINCOLNLAND CHAPTER**  
**FULL GOSPEL BUSINESSMEN'S**  
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**SATURDAY, JANUARY 5TH, 2008**  
**DINNER 6:00 PM**  
**MEETING 7:00 PM**

**JEROME CIVIC CENTER**  
**2901 LEONARD**  
**SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS**

**MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO MEN AND WOMEN**  
**OF ALL AGES. WE ARE A MEMBER SUPPORTED**  
**ORGAINZATION.**  
**THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR THE MEAL - - BUT A**  
**DONATION OF ANY AMOUNT WILL BE RECEIVED.**  
**SUGGESTED DONATION \$7.00**  
**YOU MAY COME TO THE MEETING WITHOUT**  
**EATING**  
**YOU NEED NOT BE A MEMBER TO ATTEND.**

**PLEASE**  
**R. S V. P.**  
**BY**

**9:00 PM, THURSDAY, JANUARY 3RD, 2008**

**PLEASE GIVE US A CALL IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:**  
**ROBERT TIPPETT AT (217) 529-4634**  
**BOB CHILES AT (217) 498-7041**  
**OR DOUG BURKHART AT (217) 787-6491**

**MENU**

**LIME JELLO SALAD,**  
**BAKED HAM, SOUR CREAM**  
**CHEESE ,MIXED VEGETABLES,**  
**DINNER ROLL,**  
**CAKE WITH FROSTING,**  
**COFFEE, TEA, AND LEMONADE**

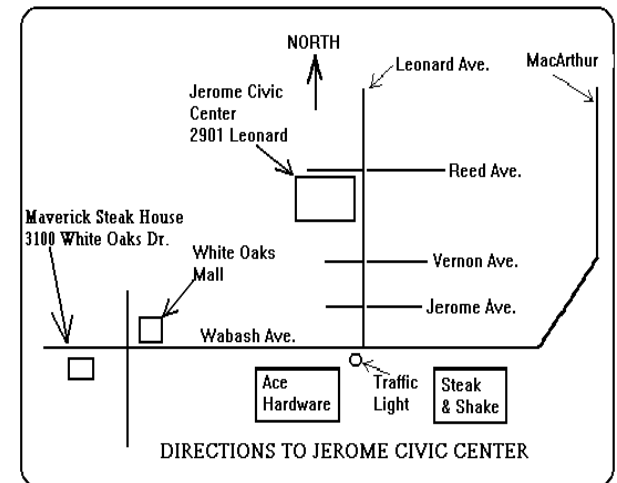
**Chapter Events**  
**Saturday**  
**January 5th,**



**2008**

Member's Breakfast, at **8:30 AM** in the Jerome Civic Center, 2901 Leonard St. The breakfast is open to all men & Women interested in what we are doing and who wish to participate in the fellowship. This is a regular featured meeting held the first Saturday of each month. We meet to consider chapter business concerns, to pray for one another's needs, to pray for the success of the evening meeting and to rejoice and praise the Lord together.

**Meetings are open to men and women**  
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