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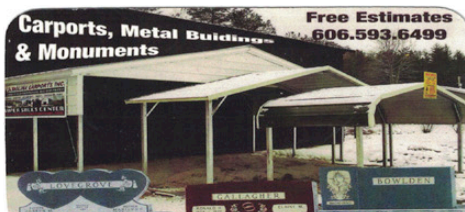
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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

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In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Sturgeon Mining Company, Inc., P O Box 368, Beattyville, KY 41311 intends to apply for a III bond release on increments 3 and 7 and a Phase II and III bond release of increment 4 and a Phase I bond release of increments 1, 9 and 15 of permit number 813-0271 and a Phase I, and II on increments 8 and 10 and a Phase I, II and III on increments 11 and 12, which was last issued on March 7, 2023. This application covers an area of approximately 532.65 acres, located 3 miles west of Buckhorn in Breathitt and Owsley Counties.

The permit area is approximately 2 miles southwest from State Route 28's junction with Freeman Fork Road and located in Freeman Fork and Cortland Fork.

The total bond on increment 1 now in effect is \$436,500. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I Release. The total bond on increment 15 now in effect is \$222,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I Release. The total bond on increment 3 now in effect is \$45,500. Approximately 40% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase II and III Release. The total bond on increment 4 now in effect is \$63,100. Approximately 40% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase II and III Release. The total bond on increment 7 now in effect is \$29,800. Approximately 40% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase II and III Release. The total bond on increment 9 now in effect is \$119,000. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I Release. The total bond on increment 10 now in effect is \$75,000. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I, and II Release. The total bond on increment 11 now in effect is \$94,500. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I, II and III Release. The total bond on increment 12 now in effect is \$228,000. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I, II and III Release. The total bond on increment 8 now in effect is \$134,500. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I, and II Release.

Reclamation work performed on increments 3, 4, 7 and 18 includes backfilling/grading/topsoiling/seeding completed in August of 2015. Reclamation work performed on increments 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 includes backfilling/grading/topsoiling/seeding completed in October of 2020. Results thus far achieved backfilling/grading/topsoiling/ and seeding and achievement of post mining land use. Reclamation work performed on increments 1 and 15 includes backfilling/grading/topsoiling/seeding completed in October of 2025

Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, 300 Sower Blvd., Frankfort, KY 40601 by February 6, 2026.

A public hearing has been scheduled for February 18, 2026 at 10:00 AM at the Hazard Regional Office, 556 Village Lane, Hazard, KY 41702. This hearing shall be canceled if the cabinet does not receive a request in writing, for the public hearing by the closing date February 13, 2026 for a hearing.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("PSC") will conduct a public hearing in Case No. 2025-00257 beginning at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at the PSC's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. The purpose of the hearing is to cross-examine Kentucky Power's witnesses and take evidence on Kentucky Power's application for adjustment of its electric rates and approval of certain regulatory and accounting treatments. This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed by connecting to the YouTube link posted on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov, on the day of the hearing. Public comments may be made at the beginning of the hearing. Those wishing to provide public comments may do so by arriving at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, before the start of the hearing.

Jackson Woman’s Club hosts November Birthday Party



Sandy Kincannon, Sarah Strong and Dana Fugate, host November birthday party.

The GFWC Jackson Women’s Club, spearheaded by Health and Wellness Committee Chairman Sandy Kincannon and Dana Fugate, hosted a birthday party on November 28, 2025, for residents at Breathitt Health and Rehab with November birthdays. Sarah Strong, Activity Director at Breathitt Health and Rehab, assisted with preparations.

Six residents had November birthdays and were presented with a variety of gifts, birthday cake and ice cream were enjoyed by all in attendance.

Happy New Year!

The Bible Way News

By Pastor and Evangelist Robert Bailey

How to enjoy the New Year

Jesus First
Others Second
You last
Brings true Joy!

Greeting friends and neighbours! This time of the year, we start making New Year’s resolutions. Are we going to be better people or do better in 2026? We as Christians feel we need to get closer to God than we ever have been before. James 4:8 says” Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded.” In 2026, let’s try to be more excited about having compassion, making a difference and serving God.

As we approach 2026, can we think of someone we can help to get through a hard time or problem in their lives by just being there for them, being a friend, or having compassion? Jude 1:21-22 Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life. And of some have compassion, making a difference: Galatians 6:2 Bear ye one another’s burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ. 1 Corinthians 13:13 And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

As we approach 2026 as Christians, can we project the life of being a new creature as children of God? Have you put on the new person created by God in holiness? Ephesians 4:24 And that ye put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness. Are you walking in the newness of life and of the newness of spirit? Romans 6:4 Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. & Romans 7:6 But now we are delivered from the law, that being dead wherein we were held; that we should serve in newness of spirit, and not in the oldness of the letter. Are you renewed in mind and knowledge? Romans 12:1-2 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. & Colossians 3:10 And have put on the new man, which is renewed in knowledge after the image of him that created him: Are you enjoying the new and living way? Hebrews 10:19-21 Having therefore, brethren, boldness to enter into the holiest by the blood of Jesus, By a new and living way, which he hath consecrated for us, through the veil, that is to say, his flesh; And having an high priest over the house of God;

In Conclusion: As we focus on a new vision for a new year, carefully and prayerfully ask yourself these important questions and study what the Word of God has to say about them. As we make our New Year’s resolutions for Christ for 2026, let us ponder the Lord’s Truth. Luke 9:23-24 And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: but whosoever will lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it. Matthew 6:33 But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

In 2026, try to:

- 1) Pray Daily- 1 Thessalonians 5:17 Pray without ceasing.
- 2) Study the Word of God Daily-2 Timothy 2:15 Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works. Romans 10:17 So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.
- 3) Witness for Christ- Acts 5:42 And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.
- 4) Attend Church every service that you can- Hebrews 5:12-14 For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which be the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat. For every one that useth milk is unskilful in the word of righteousness: for he is a babe. But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil. Hebrews 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.
- 5) Visit and invite people to church- Acts 20:20 And how I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you, but have shewed you, and have taught you publicly, and from house to house,

We hope and Pray You and your family have a Very Blessed and Happy New Year!

One Injured in Highway 30 Wreck



Rescue crews removed the front windshield to help extricate Taulbee on Christmas Eve.

A female driver was injured late Christmas Eve after rolling her vehicle over a 15-foot embankment on Highway 30 West.

Brenda Taulbee, of Jackson, received an injury to her hand in the wreck near the intersection of Highway 30 West and Johnson Branch Road at 6:25 p.m. on December 24.

The initial call came into Post 13 Dispatch in Hazard, reporting a single vehicle over the hill on its side with a female trapped inside.

Fire Crews from Canoe Community Fire Department and the Jackson Fire and Rescue Squad responded to the scene and helped free Taulbee by cutting the front windshield out of her gray Chevrolet Equinox LS.

Firemen aided Taulbee up the hillside to the roadway. She was reportedly transported to the Kentucky River Medical Center for evaluation by a family member.

KPS Trooper Justin Baker is in charge of the investigation.

No Injuries in 205 Crash



A dozer was severely damaged after it rolled off a trailer during a crash on Highway 205 on Christmas Eve.

Traffic was slowed on Highway 205 near Mudlick Road after a single-vehicle commercial vehicle crash on Christmas Eve.

Vehicles passing the scene reported the crash at 2:30 on Wednesday afternoon after a truck, trailer, and bulldozer left the roadway and ended up in the creek.

Drivers in the area reported that a red Ford L9000 and its trailer had “remained connected” and were still upright in the creek bed. The truck sustained damage after striking several trees along the creek bed before coming to a stop.

The John Deere 450G Turbocharged Crawler bulldozer did not fare so well and was severely damaged after it left the trailer and rolled over at least once in the small field near the crash site. The cab of the dozer received severe damage.

The sharp curve has been the scene of numerous accidents in the past. Officials from the Kentucky Department of Transportation are currently planning to straighten and improve the roadway as part of the next round of improvements to Highway 205.

Information at the scene indicated that it was owned by Napier Logging of Highway 205.

Ambulance crews were dispatched to the crash site, but the driver refused treatment or transport.

The vehicle, the trailer, and the dozer were removed from the stream.