

Where Compassion Makes a Difference

MAY 2026

PASTORAL NOTE

In what ways can we find *happy memories* in our life? (Proverbs 10:7)

1. Trusting God
2. Showing Grace
3. Experiencing Grief
4. Providing Gifts
5. Choosing Gratitude

HUMOR MOMENT

Q: What do you call a flower that runs on electricity?

A: A power plant

BIBLICAL TRIVIA

What object did God give Moses to perform signs and wonders? (Exodus 4:2-4)

- A. Wooden Staff
- B. Flaming Sword
- C. Magic Wand

MEMORABLE QUOTE

“For love of country they accepted death, and thus resolved all doubts, and made immortal their patriotism and their virtue.”

—James A. Garfield

OUTREACH FOCUS

Mark Ministries provides spiritual and grief counseling to hurting people. These sessions are facilitated with individuals, families, and organizations.

INTERESTING FACT

The American incarnation of Mother’s Day was created by Anna Jarvis in 1908 and became an official U.S. holiday in 1914. Jarvis would later denounce the holiday’s commercialization and spent the latter part of her life trying to remove it from the calendar. —History®

PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray for continued wisdom and strength as we support local pastors while also ministering to several churches in our area.

APRIL REPORT

- 7 sermons and Bible studies
- 5 funerals and memorial services
- 16 spiritual and grief counseling sessions
- 22 music therapy and support appointments
- 33 bereavement groups and seminars
- **6 decisions for Christ...Praise the Lord!!!**

MISSION STATEMENT

Mark Ministries is a non-profit 501(c)(3) community outreach organization whose goal is for people to experience God’s love through grief counseling, spiritual guidance, and music therapy.