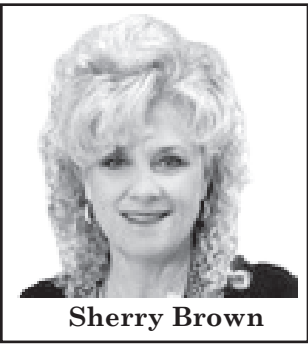


OPINION

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Sherry Brown

Here I go with more scheduled trips filled with days of flying domestically was my assignments out of my Detroit (DTW) base and that was the sweetness of my flight attendant career and I loved it so with the international waters and foreign countries below my aircrafts as well. Whether domestic or international trips I welcomed them all with excitement and my God given assignments were always filled with the wonderment of heaven and the beauty of His accomplishments within my spiritual being. I must say I've had thousands upon thousands of glorious assignments with souls globally. I loved impacting the hearts of my customers one flight at a time. I was born to fly and I loved it dearly! It was so exciting to experience every

new day at the Airline as I never knew the details of what my days would fully encompass but I knew God did and I just wanted to always be led of the Holy Spirit whether on the ground or in the air. Many years ago, I was between flights in Minneapolis-Saint Paul International Airport where I went to a McDonalds restaurant and as I turned to my right there was standing a famous country singer by the name Conway Twitty so I said excitedly, "Hello Conway" we shared friendly greetings as we were waiting side by side we also talked for a bit. He was such a nice man and at the end of our chatting I told him that Jesus Christ loved him and he smiled so big and thanked me. He was happy to hear those words. I could only pray and trust God for shining more hope upon his life as the departure of his Spirit out of the earth was not far down the road. That

day I never knew if I'd ever see him again in this life and I had to fully trust God to take the inspirational words and minister to his heart for the good gospel sake as I prayed God's sovereign will for Mr. Twitty. ***Psalm 28:7 - The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusted in him, and I am helped: therefore my heart greatly rejoiceth; and with my song will I praise him.*** People everywhere need inspirational encouragement that goes beyond this earthly (natural realm). The Spirit realm is more real than me writing this column to you. God is a Spirit and he is Supernatural and he sets up things in the earth that we cannot fully explain as he is supreme over all. The beauty in the reality of God is the majestic wonders of his Son caring about and loving us in spite of all our shortcomings and failures. See John 4:24

Not many months after my visit with Conway Twitty was announced on June 5,1993 that he passed away and I was so thankful that he was one of my many divine assignments that I hold dear even unto this very day. Being in the right place at the right time is truly divine intervention. Our Supernatural Creator does glorious things in the earth every single day! We must look for the glory of his Kingdom happenings because they are all around us. Amen. ***James 4:14 "Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away."*** One single day we are alive and one single day we are dead. It's something we all need to think about and not deny it, or refuse to ponder our eternal destination. Wisdom is powerful. Foolishness is folly. Selah.

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Habits can form over a lifetime

It was years ago. My sister and I were sitting with our elderly father on his back porch, just shooting the breeze. I had told some story about the last will-and-testament of someone I knew. It was then that dad said, "Oh by the way, I changed my will the other day." "You did?" Jessica asked.

Yes he replied. It now says, "Being of sound mind, I spent it all!" We all three burst out laughing. We knew that Dad wasn't going to spend a dime. Looking back on that story got me to thinking about the spending habits of old people. It seems to me that we can be divided into two groups. There are those

that have some money to spend but won't let go of any of it, and there are those that don't have it to let go of. The first group has spent a lifetime being thrifty and very careful with their money. They have saved every penny they could. They became informed with the ways of the dollar and many of them invested wisely. By old age, they had accumulated considerable to spend. Unfortunately, after a lifetime of watching and saving every penny, an unbreakable habit has formed. This group can't get past this behavioral pattern: Letting go of any of their savings is just too painful. The second group never saved a penny. If they had a dollar, they

spent it. Savings and investments were foreign words. When this group reaches retirement and old age, they really don't have much to spend. So it becomes clear: Neither of these two groups of aged people are going to spend much on themselves. It doesn't seem likely that the merchants and sales people of the word are going to get very much from either one of these groups. They are wasting their time and their advertising dollars. Of course this is an oversimplification: Money matters are so complex. The list of factors that go into who has money to spend in their old age, and who doesn't, is endless. Generosity, health factors, inheritance, bad

luck, high paying jobs, and size of family are just a few. (Very few) But there is one clear message. Elderly people who have saved their entire life are reluctant to spend much on themselves in their old age. The cause is clear. It's called "breaking a habit" and really has little to do

with money. A lifetime of doing things a certain way presents quite a challenge when one attempts to change directions. So don't try to fool us, Dad. You couldn't knock that dollar bill out of your hand with a hammer!



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BREAD OF LIFE

God the Father knows everything about each one of us. He wants us to have a personal relationship with Him. Psalm 139:1 O Lord, thou hast searched me and known me. 2 Thou knowest my down sitting and mine uprising, thou understandest my thought afar off. 3. Thou compassest my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways. 4 For there is not a word in my tongue, but, 10, O Lord, thou knowest it altogether. The Bible tells us that even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. (Matthew 10:30) God loves us, even as He

loves His own son; Jesus. God sent His only begotten Son to Earth to die on a cross, so that you and I could be reconciled to Him. Jesus death was the ultimate expression of His love for us. Only Jesus life sacrificed and His blood could make atone-

ment for our sins before our Heavenly Father. This was the only acceptable sacrifice to God the Father for our sins. This

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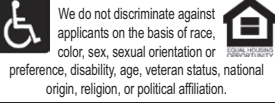
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