

Several persons were running the Courthouse Monday morning holding their hands in the air, swearing they had never fought a duel and wondering what that had to do with becoming an official of Russell County.

Sheriff Art Ragle reported to his office Monday morning as ole IC visited the new Sheriff, we noted not only was the office cleaned out, but, that it had some new furniture.

Placed in the office was the Sheriff, his wife, the office deputy, and a baby bed. It seems odd to this old country boy that a new sheriff would bring his wife and a baby bed to work the first day. Apparently the sight of the baby bed shocked the Sheriff a little bit because he was so nervous and confused he could not open his safe. Ah, well, we are sure the sheriff will solve the case of the baby bed and the unlocked safe.

friend, Kermit Our Mann, County Court Clerk, witnessed a sight last Saturday that needs to be passed on to the residents of the county. Not only did he witness it but he photographed it. Saturday was cleanup day for those persons leaving office, as they arranged for the officers-elect to take over. This included Judge Johnson and Judge Terril Flanagan.

It seems that Judge Johnson was not leaving soon enough for Judge Flanagan and Kermit snapped the accompanying photo as Flanagan physically rolled Johnson for the Judge's office.



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Ask Dr. Angelia

Someone Needs to Hear "I Love You"

A text message appeared that made my day. It was a simple, "I love you!" It wasn't about romantic love. It was about agape love, which I believe is the highest form of love. The message came while I was in a meeting. My reaction to the message was profound. In that moment, I realized the importance of hearing those words. We often tell each other in a cursory way when we hang up from a phone call, "Luv you" and a, "you too". It seems sufficient enough for daily life. I learned I need more. Who needs to hear an "I love you" from you - a genuine expression of your love for them. Text them now; don't wait...

"Being deeply loved by someone gives you strength, while loving someone deepły gives you courage." –Lao Tzu

What is an expression of your love? To love someone is to make them feel extraordinarily special. After all, love is the greatest gift you can give! To truly love someone is to treat them with the highest regard without exception. Love be should expressed continually. There are many ways to love someone. Unconditional love is given without expectation; it's a gift. If you expect the gift back, it's not a gift at all. Maya Angelou, as I have quoted many times, in essence says, people will always remember the way you make them feel. So, how do you make the people you love feel?

other hand is pure and transparent. It is always present; It resides in your spirit.

First Corinthians 13:4-8 provides a perfect description for agape love: "Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil, but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails."

My hope for you is that you grow in Love this season through awakened eyes. And so, be Grateful in all things, Live in Joy, Peace, Belief and Grace. Love God and People. Amen.

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KENTUCKY DAILY GRAIN PRICES bids for next day

Corn #2 Yellow - Louisville (\$3.56); Pennyrile (\$3.54 - \$3.74) Soybeans #1 Y - Louisville (\$7.94-8.34); Pennyrile (\$8.425 - \$8.45) Wheat #2 SRW - Louisville (\$4.62); Pennyrile (\$5.04-\$5.09)

WEEKLY FEED INGREDIENT PRICE bids for next day Wholesale prices, \$ per ton -Owensboro Grain KY Soybean Meal 48% sol \$314.50 Soybean Hulls \$175.00

Russell County Stockyards - January 2, 2019

Cattle weighed at time of sale.

Cattle Receipts: 1095. Last Week

Compared to last week: No trends due to Christmas and New Year Holidays. 4 Replacement cattle, 73 slaughter cattle, 1018 feeder cattle. Slaughter cows made up 7 percent of the offering, slaughter bulls 0 percent, and feeders 93 percent. The feeder supply included 46 percent steers, 49 percent heifers, and 4 percent bulls. Near 44 percent of the run weighed over 600 lbs.

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1 - 2					
Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price					
2 202-202 202 140.00 140.00					
2 265-295 280 155.00-160.00 157.63					
1 345-345 345 167 50 167 50					
1345-345345167.50167.503315-315315172.50172.50Fancy19400-443433144.00-157.00151.19					
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20 470-495 480 140.00-156.00 148.14					
20 470-495 400 140.00-150.00 140.14					
24 510-546 533 135.00-154.50 148.00					
20 548-548 548 149.00 149.00 Value Added					
51 555-598 576 129.00-147.00 141.69					
19 611-640 620 136.00-150.00 143.11					
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70 714-714 714 143.50 143.50 Value Added					
6 755-780 769 120.00-137.50 134.13					
13 815-825 821 130.00-133.00 131.85					
65 820-820 820 138.50 138.50 Value Added					
1 850-850 850 121.00 121.00					
1 975-975 975 119.00 119.00					
Groups of 20 head:					
20 head 548 lbs 149.00 blk					
22 head 630 lbs 144.50 blk					
65 head 820 lbs 139.50 55 blk 6 red 4 chxb 2xb					
70 head 714 lbs 143.50 49 chxb 12 red 6 blk 3 xb					
Small 1 - 2					
1 410-410 410 132.50 132.50					
1 505-505 505 130.00 130.00					
Medium and Large 2 - 3					
Medium and Large 2 - 32395-395395145.00145.001415-415415140.00140.00					
1 415-415 415 140.00 140.00					
1 465-465 465 136.00 136.00					
10 527-530 527 125.50-138.00 126.76					
2 602-602 602 120.00 120.00 1 715 715 715 116 00 116 00					
1 715-715 715 116.00 116.00					
Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1 - 2					
Freder Heners Medium and Large 1 - 2					
Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price					
3 270-285 280 127.50-132.50 129.11					
2 330-330 330 133.00-137.00 135.00					
24 355-398 384 132.00-141.00 134.05					
31 405-445 422 124.00-140.00 130.49					
17 450-483 470 120.00-129.00 126.76					
101 497-497 497 142.00 142.00 Value Added					
64 505-545 525 115.00-131.25 125.66					
39 560-592 580 113.00-129.75 125.05					
36 605-635 615 117.50-123.50 122.10					
25 651-690 671 114.50-119.00 117.44					
29 689-689 689 125.75 125.75 Value Added					
23 709-736 719 113.50-120.50 115.73					
12 750-770 752 112.00-118.50 117.95					
9 855-896 881 105.50-113.50 110.61					
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Groups of 20 head:					

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88 head 497 lbs 142.00 88 blk 8 red 5 ch					
20 head 613 lbs 123.25 15 blk 2 red 3 ch					
29 head 689 lbs 125.75 27 blk 1 red 1chxb					
Small 1 - 2					
1	460-460		114.00		
Medium and Large 2 - 3					
1	220-220	220	132.50	132.50	
			121.00		
4	500-535	518	113.00-117	.50 115.38	
Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1 - 2					
Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price					
1	240-240	240	145.00	145.00	
1	275-275	275	127.50	127.50	

4 350-380 358 135.00-153.00 148.22

3 417-425 420 133.00-142.00 136.04

"Let us always meet each other with smile, for the smile is the beginning of love." - Mother Teresa

Agape love is the ultimate gift. Agape love endures time. Agape love is forever. Agape love is God's love – a spiritual love. Spiritual love is love, without any rules, conditions, limitations or neediness. Human love says: 'I will love you if you show up on time, take the trash out or dress in the way I want." Sometimes love gets mixed up with a lot of conditions. Spiritual Love on the



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6 450-485 469 137.00-150.00 144.52 5 543-543 543 148.00 148.00 553-560 554 138.00-141.00 138.61 5 123.00-125.00 123.66 3 600-612 608 755-755 114.00 2 755 114.00 1 860-860 860 95.00 95.00 1 945-945 945 84.00 84.00 Small 1 - 2 108.00 585-585 585 108.00 1 Medium and Large 2 - 3 2 445-445 445 120.00-129.00 124.50 1 465-465 465 130.00 130.00 Slaughter Cows Breaker 70-80% Lean Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price 12 1125-1370 1216 44.00-53.50 47.59 3 1125-1315 1200 52.00-58.00 54.66 High Dressing 5 1415-1665 1540 42.00-47.00 45.80 Boner 80-85% Lean 10 975-1335 1149 25.00-41.00 34.95 1 1750-1750 1750 32.00 32.00 Lean 85-90% Lean 2 755-795 775 20.00-27.00 23.59 2 700-735 718 40.00-47.50 43.84 High Dressing 20 890-1170 1017 20.00-36.50 25.79 3 950-1090 1032 41.00-48.00 44.17 High Dressing 3 870-1260 1047 20.00 20.00 Low Dressing Slaughter Bulls Yield Grade 1-2 Head Wt Range Avg Wt Price Range Avg Price 1 1100-1100 1100 70.00 70.00 High Dressing 1 1560-1560 1560 59.00 59.00

Stock Bulls: no test.

Baby Calves: Beef: 248.00 Dairy: no test

Cow/Calf Pairs: no test.

Source: USDA-Kentucky Dept of Ag Market News, Louisville, KY Travis Gabbard Jodee Inman, OIC 502-782-4139 www.ams.usda.gov/mnreports/SV_LS168.txt *This report reflects prices of the majority of cattle with a USDA grade, weight and sex on this sale date. This report does not represent all animals at the sale on that date.*