

EDITORIAL FEATURES

TEACHING PERSEVERANCE IS KEY

Q: My approach to parenting has basically been to let my kids try an activity, and if they don't like it, we just go on to something else. Some of my friends have told me they don't agree. What's your take?

Jim: Children hate disappointment, and they'll do almost anything to avoid it. But I think that's something for parents to watch for, because your children are practicing right now how they'll react to things they don't like -- for the rest of their lives.

Do you know any adults who have trouble sticking with jobs and relationships? You can probably trace a lot of that behavior back to their childhood. They were allowed too many times to quit when things got tough.

When my boys were younger, we'd play checkers or Monopoly, and as soon as the game wasn't going their way, they'd start to complain. Maybe your children want to quit a sport before they've given it a fair shot. Or perhaps you can relate to a friend of mine who was a couple of miles into a hike when his children broke into tears about having to walk all the way back to camp.

Keep your eye out for those moments. They're an opportunity for your children to understand how to face disappointment or to struggle through something they don't like. Don't rescue your kids from everything. Some of those experiences can teach them how to hang in there.

Here's the point: Perseverance on a soccer field or in activities at home is how your children will develop the perseverance to run a business, get an education or



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build a strong marriage. They'll need the ability to stay committed when what they want takes a lot of hard work. Those are crucial lessons early because the stakes become much higher later. We all need to learn to persevere.

Q: My husband and I seem to be caught in a rut in our marriage. We both know we need to make some changes, but we keep falling into the same patterns of action, reaction, re-reaction, etc. I'm basically waiting for him to take the lead, but... anyway, do you have any suggestions?

Greg Smalley, Vice President, Family Ministries: What're you're describing is something that I think happens in most marriages. It usually involves predictable back-and-forth cycles that can wear us down over time. Typically, we want our mate to make some kind of adjustment. But the only person you can change is yourself -- and that's where to start.

I like to explain the concept using the game of pingpong. Picture you and your spouse hitting the ball to each other -- but exactly the same way, game after game.

Neither one of you would have to change your approach because every shot would be identical. It's always the same pattern and result. And let's face it, before long that gets pretty boring -- and perhaps frustrating.

But now imagine placing just the slightest spin on the ball or directing it to the left corner instead of the right. That subtle difference requires your spouse to make some sort of change to return the ball, which alters how you play it back. Which changes their play, etc. Before long, you're both more engaged in the game, enjoying it more, and playing it in an entirely new way.

The point is this: Marriage is never static. It's a living system of action and reaction. Changing how you interact within your relationship, even slightly, can automatically influence your spouse to make a few positive changes as well.

For insights and encouragement to help your marriage thrive, visit FocusOnTheFamily.com.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PROBATE DIVISION Honorable Michael V. Headrick

**In the Estate of:
Doris Frieda Marie South,
Decedent**

Case No. 20PU-PR00029

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

**To All Persons Interested In
The Estate of Doris Frieda
Marie South, Decedent:**

On the 20th day of February, 2020, Richard Wayne South was appointed the Personal Representative of the Estate of Doris Frieda Marie South, Decedent, by the Probate Division of the 25th Judicial Circuit Court, Pulaski County, Missouri. The business address of the Personal Representative is 103 Sedona Lane, Willard, Missouri 65781 and the Personal Representative's attorney is Tyce S. Smith whose business address and telephone number are: Post Office Box 494, Waynesville, Missouri 65583 and telephone number is (573) 336-5222.

All creditors of the Decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of first publication of this Notice, or, if a copy of this Notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the Personal Representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the Decedent's death as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a Decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Receipt of notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the 25th Judicial Circuit Court, Pulaski County, Missouri.

Date of the Decedent's death was July 31, 2019

Date of first publication is March 4, 2020.

Rachelle Beasley
Circuit Clerk
By: Shelly Comte
Deputy Clerk
#10-4tc

IN THE 25th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF PULASKI COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE DIVISION

**In the Interest of:
CASW, III
Age 2 Years,
A Male Minor Child,**

**Gerald Wayne Evans and
Shantell Denise Evans,
Petitioners,**

Case No. 20PU-JU00015

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Natural Mother, Bryanna Davis: You are here by notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pulaski, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is Petition for Adoption which affects the following minor child, CASW, III, a minor male child, age 2.

The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioners, Gerald and Shantell Evans is Jeffrey Thomas, Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 4076, Waynesville, MO 65583.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 11th day of March, 2020, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 5th day of March, 2020.

Rachelle Beasley
Circuit Clerk
By: Ella Reeve
Deputy Circuit Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PULASKI COUNTY, MISSOURI

**In Re The Marriage Of:
Justin Probasco and,
Sarah Probasco**

**Justin Probasco
SSN: XXX-XX-5517
Petitioner,**

vs.

**Sarah Probasco
SSN: XXX-XX-4912
Respondent,**

**and
Christina and Douglas
Probasco
SSN: XXX-XX-7713
Intervenor,**

Case No. 20PU-CV00526

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Respondent, Sarah Probasco, Unknown Current Address:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Pulaski, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is a Petition for Dissolution.

The names of all parties to said action are state above in the caption hereof and Mr. Mark C. Prugh, Attorney at Law of 328 Historic Route 66 East, Waynesville, Missouri 65583 represents the Petitioner in this cause.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 25th day of March, 2020, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court, County of Pulaski, State of Missouri, this 19th day of March, 2020.

Rachelle Beasley,
Circuit Clerk
By: Sharon Swenson,
Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the payment of that certain note secured by Deed of Trust executed by **Marlon Arzu, also known as Marlon I Arzu and Terese L Arzu, husband and wife**, dated **September 20, 2012** and recorded on **October 10, 2012** as Document No. **2012-7179**, Office of Recorder of Deeds, **Pulaski County, Missouri**. The Successor Trustee will on **April 2, 2020**, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 5:00 P.M. more particularly at **10:00 AM**, at the Pulaski County Courthouse, 301 Historic Route 66 East, South Front door, Waynesville, MO 65583, sell at public venue to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate:

All of Lot 14 in Crismon Development Plat no.6, a resub of Lots 7-27, 50-53 & 70-83 of amended Crismon Development Plat #2, per the recorded plat thereof filed in the recorder's office of Pulaski County, Missouri. Subject to all easements, covenants and restrictions of record.

For the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the costs of executing this trust.

S&W Foreclosure Corporation

Successor Trustee
Pub Commences March 11, 2020

S&K File No.20-035114
By: Shapiro & Kreisman, LLC

www.logs.com/shapiro_kreisman_missouri
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the note described in and secured by Deed of Trust dated September 1, 2014, executed by Mironuck Enterprises, LLC, a limited liability company of the State of Missouri and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Pulaski County, Missouri, on September 4, 2014 at 3:54 P.M., in Document No. 201404383, and conveying to the undersigned trustee the following described property in Pulaski County, Missouri, to-wit:

All of the South Eighty Seven and one half feet (87 1/2 feet) of Lot 16 in Block #25 of the Original Town. (Now City) of Dixon, Pulaski County, Missouri.

Also the easement rights granted in instrument recorded

in Book 215, Page 497 in the Recorder's Office of Pulaski County, Missouri over the North 12 1/2 feet of the South 100 feet of Lot 16 in Block #25 of the Original Town (now City) of Dixon, Pulaski County, Missouri.

Subject to any easements of record.

at the request of the legal holder of said note and in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned trustee will on Thursday, the 9th day of April, 2020, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A.M. and 5:00 o'clock P.M., to-wit: at 1:00 P.M., sell said property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the SOUTH FRONT door of the County Court House in the City of Waynesville, Pulaski County, Missouri, to satisfy said note and costs.

Bruce B. Warren, Trustee
Box 163
Waynesville, MO 65583
Telephone 573-774-5277
Notice:

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. Section 1692(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose; provided, however, that the debt collector is not attempting to collect a debt from any person whose obligation to pay has been discharged by a bankruptcy court.

First Ins: March 18, 2020
Last Ins: April 8, 2020
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Orel Sands and Claudia Sands, husband and wife, by their future advance deed of trust dated July 15, 2016, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of

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