## **New Life Ministries**

Sunday School 10:00 am

Sunday Morning Service 10:45 am

Sunday Evening Service 5:00 pm

Wednesday Evening Service 7:00 pm

"Resolved, never to do anything which I would be afraid to do if it were the last hour of my life."

--Jonathan Edwards

. . . Mercy is not something God has but something God is.

--A.W. Tozer

## **Batter Will Be Lumpy**

Saturday mornings are a good time for many who don't usually cook breakfast to do so. What is the number one choice of most Saturday cookers to cook on Saturday? Pancakes.

Kids and adults as well love eating pancakes. Pancakes are not only fun to eat, but fun to make. Kids enjoy putting the ingredients in the bowl, mixing and pouring the prepared batter on the griddle.

Wait, what about all those lumps? Let's read the directions on the box one more time. It says, "Batter will be lumpy." Why is that? The experts believe overbeating the batter will develop gluten which makes pancakes tough. Glutens are found in wheat and cause digestive disorders. Now that doesn't sound like such a good thing. So those lumps indeed serve an important purpose. And those lumps dissolve away nicely after they are flipped a time or two.

Why do I give you all this useless information today? Well it is good to know that you know all you could possibly ever want to know about lumpy batter. But there is another lesson to be learned from this cooking lesson. In life, everyday isn't a fun easy going Saturday. There are a lot of bumps and lumps mixed in with the smooth and easy. The thing is most of the lumps and bumps serve a very important purpose. These good lumps often bring about knowledge that helps prevent us from making big mistakes that can cause a lot of chaos and disorder

in our futures. We learn as the old lumps dissolve and we become new creations. Let's read the directions. I Corinthians 5:7 Therefore purge out the old leaven, that you may be a new lump, since you truly are unleavened. For indeed Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us

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Sermon Notes:

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