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# MORNING FAX™

Today's News...This Morning

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**Kat-a-Ru** says **THANK YOU** to **Women at the Well**  
 for letting us cater your Annual Banquet on Fri., March 15th. A big Thank You to all the sponsors for sponsoring a Dinner Table. It was a Great & Blessed Event.  
**Kat, Ruthie & Our Staff**  
**252-0242**

Monday-March 18, 2013

Athens, Tennessee

## Local and State News

◆ **JOBLESS RATE CLIMBS IN AREA**  
 The unemployment rate in McMinn County and surrounding counties rose in January. In McMinn County, the jobless rate was 9.5% in January, up from 8.6% in December. In Meigs County, the unemployment rate in January was 10.6%, up from 9.2% in December. Monroe County's jobless rate in January was 11.1%, up from 9.9% in December.

◆ **FULL SPEED AHEAD ON NEW GAS LINE**  
 Construction crews are working full speed ahead to run a new natural gas line to the Mt. Verd Industrial Park. Crews are currently working along County Road 172 to install the 8-inch gas line. AUB says the deadline for completion is the end of May. Several sources who asked to remain anonymous say an auto parts supplier for Volkswagen may be planning to locate a plant in the industrial park.



## NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

- ◆ Kentucky Senator Rand Paul won the annual Republican presidential straw poll taken at the Conservative Political Action Conference this past weekend. Paul got 25% of the vote, narrowly beating out Florida Senator Marco Rubio, who received 23%.
- ◆ A bus carrying the Seton Hill University's women's lacrosse team crashed on the Pennsylvania Turnpike on Saturday, killing the driver along with the team's pregnant coach and her unborn baby.
- ◆ A race car struck and killed a 14-year-old boy and a 68-year-old man as they were standing in the maintenance pit area at a raceway in northern California on Saturday.
- ◆ The North Dakota legislature has passed a law banning abortions in cases where a fetal heartbeat can be detected.
- ◆ Long time Grand Ole Opry star Jack Greene has died at age 83. Greene died at his Nashville home from complications of Alzheimer's disease. His record, "There Goes My Everything," was country music's song of the year in 1967 and earned him the male vocalist of the year award.



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Presented by Troy Teets, manager of Spring Creek Veggies

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## Morning Fax™

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### WHEN RADIO WAS

Old-time Radio Shows  
6:05-7 pm Nightly  
**WYXI AM-1390**

Tonight:  
**Phil Harris-Alice Faye & Burns & Allen**

Athens, Tennessee

### Obituaries

**John W. (Doug) Glass**, age 90, of Athens died Saturday night at his home. He owned Glass Grocery Store on Depot Hill in Athens for many years and retired from Peterbilt Truck Co. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

**Janie Christine Johnson**, age 86, of Athens died last Wednesday in a Knoxville hospital. Funeral services were held this past Saturday at M.D. Dotson & Sons Funeral Home.

**Alma Prichard Carroll Webb**, age 91, of Athens died last Friday at NHC of Athens. She was a charter member of the Athens Luncheon Pilot Club. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Smith Funeral Home, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

**Mary Elizabeth (Bill) Newman Armstrong French**, age 93, of Englewood died last Friday at NHC of Athens. She had owned and managed various real estate properties in McMinn County and had owned Armstrong IGA in Englewood. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at McMinn Memory Gardens, with visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Smith Funeral Home.

**Gina Williams**, 46, of Calhoun died Thursday at her home. Funeral services were held Sunday at Serenity Funeral Home of Etowah.

### Who's New In Pink & Blue?

**Hunter Letner** was born March 8th at Athens Regional Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds and 9 ounces and was 20 inches long. His mother is Jaycie Letner of Athens.

**Cheyenne Barner** was born March 8th at ARMC. She weighed 6 pounds and 1 ounce and was 17¾ inches long. Her parents are Tiffany and Michael Barner of Decatur.

**Terry Andrew Stamey** was born March 6th at ARMC. He weighed 11 pounds and 15 ounces and was 23 inches long. His parents are Carrie and Randall Stamey of Philadelphia.

**Braison Debty** was born March 5th at ARMC. He weighed 7 pounds and 1 ounce and was 20 inches long. His parents are Donna Farner and Cheyenne Debty of Madisonville.

### MAN ARRESTED FOR FALSE 911 REPORT

A young man has gotten himself into hot water for making a false report to 911 dispatchers in McMinn County. The man called 911 Saturday afternoon to report that three youngsters were trapped under a bridge tile on County Road 279. He actually gave dispatchers the names of the three alleged victims. Rescue personnel were called to the scene, and a backhoe was brought in to try to dig down and reach the victims. That's when the young man admitted he had made up the story and called in the false report. He was taken into custody.



### JESUS OF NAZARETH

Saturday March 23  
at 6 pm

Sunday March 24  
at 6 pm

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