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Kyle Swicegood, Mocksville Rotarian and member of the Board of Directors of **Operation Smile** provided a program describing his involvement, commitment and the life-changing experience he and his wife have had as a result of their participation in several Operation Smile missions.



Future Rotarian:
Richard Wood will be proposing Davis Wood for membership in Furnitureland Rotary, but not right now! For the third time: a grandbaby! This time a granddaughter
7.6 pounds - 21"
11:24 am - 2/21/09
"all is ok. brown hair!"*
[* would all be ok if the hair were blond?]



"Every child has a right to a smile." \$240 buys a 45 minute operation that gives a child a chance for a new life! Learn more about Operation Smile . . . visit www.OperationSmile.org

MARK YOUR CALENDAR –

Feb 26 – Furnitureland Auction 2009

- Mar 2 - Farr Associates - Leadership Development
- Mar 9 – TBA
- Mar 16 - Jody Moore - Moses Cone Health System (Disaster Preparation in the Triad)
- Mar 19 – 21 – Carolina PETS
- Mar 22 – Multi District Rotary Against Drugs Speech Contest
- Mar 23 - Dennis Franklin WFDD
- Mar 30 - Dick Thomas
- Apr 23 – 26 – District Conference 2009 – Myrtle Beach

THE 4 WAY TEST

of the things we think, say or do . . .

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to All Concerned?
3. Will it Build GOODWILL and Better Friendships?
4. Will it Be BENEFICIAL to All Concerned?



BACK TO THE BEACH for District Conference April 23 – 26, 2009 - District Governor Charles Allen will take us to Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort & Conference Center, Myrtle Beach, SC. See you there. Plan for a good time.

District Conference Challenge

We are challenging each club to find 2 business sponsors within their club (or) community to be part of District Conference. This is an opportunity to

promote those businesses to the leading business and community leaders in Central North Carolina. Opportunities start at \$500. Contact David Caughron (336)495-1100, or District Governor Charles Allen (CharlesAllen@Rotary7690.org) for additional information before February 25th.

Nothing to do with Rotar, or maybe it doe;!

While visiting Jerusalem, My brother-in-law, the preacher heard about a very old Jewish man who had been going to the Wailing Wall to pray, twice a day, every day, for a long, long time. So he went to check it out. He went to the Wailing Wall and there he was! He watched him pray and after about 45

minutes, when he turned to leave, my brother-in-law approached him for an interview. "I'm curious, sir, how long have you been coming to the Wall and praying?"

"For about 60 years."

"60 years! That's amazing! What do you pray for?"

"I pray for peace between the Christians, Jews and the Muslims. I pray for all the hatred to stop and I pray for all our children to grow up in safety and friendship."

"How do you feel after doing this for 60 years?"

"Like I've been talking to a brick wall."