

**Quarter Century Wireless Association Southwest Ohio Chapter 9**  
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**Our Regular Meetings are on the SECOND Tue with Lunch at 11:30 AM at the MCL Cafeteria,  
4485 Far Hills Av. in Kettering**

**Dec 12 Meeting:** Leon Bey, The Watervliet Shaker Community.

**Jan 9 Meeting; TBD**

**Happy Birthday to the following**

12/31/29	W9GIV	1/25/20	W8ZCR	1/31/52	N8LX
1/4/19	KB8HV	1/25/22	K2JOI	2/4/24	K8TUY
1/6/56	N8ZR	1/27/30	N8FRP	2/5/35	K8JE
1/13/24	WN8I	1/28/18	W8KQZ	2/7/34	W8GNV
1/15/28	N8AEG	1/31/42	W4NWR	2/11/17	W8SR

**President's Comments.**

Leafing through an "older" QST-magazine, I came across an article on how to find sources of power line noise. This, of course, has always been of interest to me; so I read it. Somewhat familiar with the situation I was nevertheless quite impressed how the author dealt with that problem, how logical things were and how easy to follow. At the end of the article was a brief profile revealing that the author was born the year I was and got his license the year I got mine. So I had no trouble at all following his line of thoughts.

Christmas time is here and the newspaper was asking a few folks about their favorite Christmas TV special. Well, they had already limited the choice to what the TV people chose to label their Christmas special. Anyhow, the answers were about shows that in my book were ok for children and parents watching them together. There are, however, other choices, and our favorite is "It's a Wonderful Life". We watch it regularly as it is presented by Public TV. It's a 1946 black and white film with James Stuart and depicts a small town that has good and bad people and where in the end the good wins but not before we get a good view of what the town would have become, had evil prevailed.

Sometimes I look at the present situation in our country and in the world and I see a resemblance to Portersville, as the nice little town was renamed after the evil banker, Mr. Potter, took over!

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and hope to see many of you at our next week's Christmas meeting. Leon Bey will give us a presentation on the Shakers that made their home in Dayton to about the year 1900. There are still remnants visible and some artifacts have been preserved.

It's time to send in or bring your dues, still only \$5 for next year. Jerry, WA8BOB, will be at the meeting or send it to him at 409 Park Av. Franklin OH, 45005-3500

**Vy73, Gerd, WB8IFM**

Visit with us on the air on Sundays!  
**75m QCWA Net (3975 at 1:30PM)!**

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

PS. Bring the xyl and a few cookies to the meeting if you can. Guests, as always, are very welcome!