

MOUNTAINSIDE FELLOWSHIP COWBOY CHURCH

**The Devil's Game July 2008**

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The Devil came ridin' thru Mountainside Fellowship one day,  
Dun caught Cowboy Pastor off guard in a devious sort of way  
On horseback a planned weekend of fellowship was Pastor's forte,  
Sharing God's beauty with camping and trail riding was always his favorite way!  
A morning prayer was submitted to the creator above,  
extensively praising his Savior for life, health, and love.

Dismayed at the joy Cowboy Pastor had shown  
this sneaky demon prepared a most horrendous stunt of his own!  
The adversary command, "OH horse be possessed!  
I have imminent DOMINION over all of earth's free will nest!"  
Pastor's horse went ta buckin, head down between it's knee's.

Surprised Pastor Fred as he landed definitely without ease!  
"Ah-ha!" said the devil, "Pastor, let's see you moan!  
I curse you with fractures and pain to the bone.  
Now how will your Savior help you from this mess?  
I promise you riches, now let's play some chess.  
You are my pawn in this game; you can do as you please.  
BUT, I have your entire soul when death takes it's seize!  
Follow my teaching, thus on earth you'll be saved,  
I promise you everything until you enter your grave!"

Pastor winced in agony as he thought for a moment,  
"Blessed Savior, it's so hard to get up and praise you for life.  
But my priorities are in line by the grace of Jesus' stripes  
I refuse to be bluffed by this blasphemous beast!  
Why this earthly life is temporary for an eternity of everlasting peace!  
So devil, play your sly game of chess, no matter how much you try.  
My Creator is my player through His lasting promise; my soul will not die.  
God's desire is to grant me authority for saving soul's on this earth,  
I'm no slave to you, Satan, so get ready and tighten your girth!"

Mountainside Fellowship is prospering with purpose,  
derailing your hate!  
The heavenly Kingdom has dominion in this Ministry,  
so DEVIL CHECKMATE!