

Faith Talk

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Ten Things



God wants you to remember these ten things:

- 1) I am for you.
- 2) I love you.
- 3) I believe in you.
- 4) I will not fail you.
- 5) I will be with you.
- 6) I will provide for you.
- 7) I will bless you.
- 8) I will give you rest.
- 9) I will strengthen you.
- 10) I will answer you.

Never forget the love that God has for you... He gave His very own Son to die for you so that you could live in eternity with Him. It's His gift to you...

-In the Wonderful Name of Jesus, Pastor Bob and Susan Tilton

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Youth Talk

“A Yard of Learning”



How about the following idioms: “Give him an inch and he’ll take a mile!” or “Give him an inch and he’ll take a yard!” These idioms are spoken to refer to someone who will eventually take advantage of another if given an opportunity.

Sometimes as parents we give permission to our kids to do things and before you know it, they have stretched that permission far beyond what we allowed.

Let’s consider this... If we give an inch of good solid foundation, it’ll cover a mile or a yard of their walk or their life. Let’s read that again and let it soak in... “If we give an inch of good solid foundation, it’ll cover a mile or a yard of their walk or their life.”

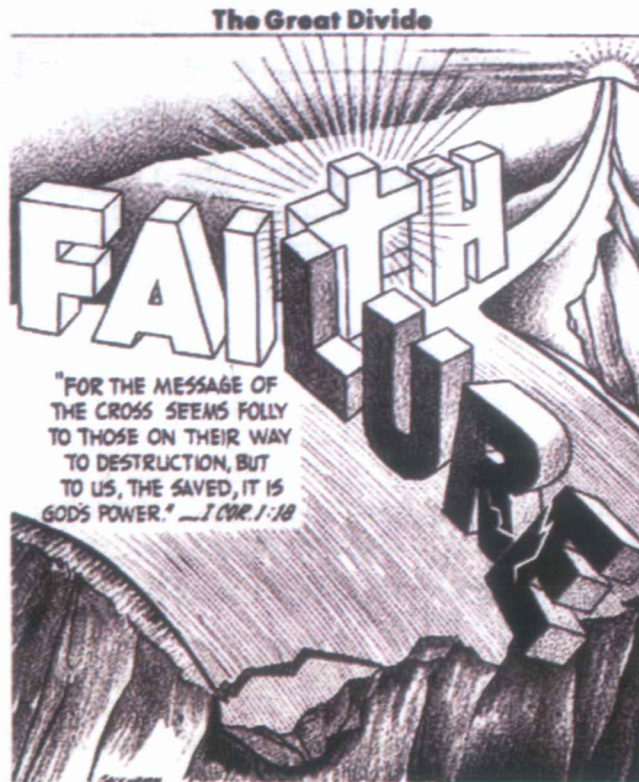
There are so many things that we can learn from each other about parenting. After seeing a child talk rudely to their mother, we may say to ourselves, “I would NEVER let my kid talk to me like that!” Yet we allow our children to get away with other things that make people say to their selves, “I would NEVER...”

So, what are some things we can do to lay an “inch” of foundation in our children’s lives? Below are a list of things that we practice in our own home that may help... Please feel free to share with us the things that work in your home, too, and we’ll be happy to include them in our next newsletter.

- 1) Purchase a Devotional Bible or Biblical Devotional that they will enjoy reading each morning or night. Getting the Word of God in them is as important as eating. LET them read while they eat... it won’t kill the book.
- 2) Make sure your children have breakfast. Not eating can cause a child to not listen well in school and make them irritable throughout the day.
- 3) Allow your kids to drink plenty of water throughout the day instead of high fructose corn syrup (sodas). This will allow their joints, brain, and vital organs to function properly.
- 4) Have healthy food on hand for after school snacks.
- 5) Help them with their homework—make time to spend discussing their education and progress. Don’t wait until their report card shows up to freak out! Know what they are struggling in before hand so you can help.
- 6) Have a “hot seat” ready. Pray for your children individually and allow other siblings to pray for each other in a designated chair, especially during difficult times in their lives. Daily prayer is a wonderful addition to the start of the day!
- 7) Kiss and hug your kids frequently. Tell them you love them. Tell them what they are good at and help cultivate the gifts you see in them regularly.
- 8) Give them opportunities to see the world through your eyes by talking to them about your experiences and things you have learned.
- 9) Open opportunities for them to do things they’ve never done before.
- 10) Get your kids in bed each night at a decent hour. Kids (including teenagers) need about eight and one-half to nine and one-quarter hours of sleep a night. <http://www.sleepfoundation.org/article/sleep-topics/teens-and-sleep>
- 11) Pray EVERY night with your children

Remember: Proverbs 22:6 “Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it.” How are you training yours today?

-fLoYd & Michele Dotter



Church Sign

P.U.S.H. Pray until something happens!

Recipe of the Month German Potato Salad

Ingredients:

3 cups diced peeled potatoes	4 slices bacon
1 small onion, diced	1/4 cup white vinegar
2 tablespoons water	3 tablespoons white sugar
1 teaspoon salt	1/8 teaspoon ground black pepper
1 tablespoon chopped fresh parsley	

Directions:

1. Place the potatoes into a pot, and fill with enough water to cover. Bring to a boil, and cook for about 10 minutes, or until easily pierced with a fork. Drain, and set aside to cool.
2. Place the bacon in a large deep skillet over medium-high heat. Fry until browned and crisp, turning as needed. Remove from the pan and set aside.
3. Add onion to the bacon grease, and cook over medium heat until browned. Add the vinegar, water, sugar, salt and pepper to the pan. Bring to a boil, then add the potatoes and parsley. Crumble in half of the bacon. Heat through, then transfer to a serving dish. Crumble the remaining bacon over the top, and serve warm.



<http://allrecipes.com/Recipe/Authentic-German-Potato-Salad/Detail.aspx?evt19=1>

Chillie's Corner "Sherlock and Dr. Watson"

Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson went on a hunting trip. After a good meal and a bottle of wine, they lay down for the night and went to sleep. Some hours later, Holmes awoke and nudged his faithful friend and said, "Watson, look up at the sky and tell me what you see."

Watson replied, "I see millions and millions of stars."

"What does that tell you", Holmes questioned?

Watson pondered for a minute and said, "Astronomically, it tells me that there are millions of galaxies and potentially billions of planets. Astrologically, I observe that Saturn is in Leo. Horologically, I deduce that the time is approximately a quarter past three. Theologically, I can see that God is all powerful and that we are small and insignificant. Meteorologically, I suspect that we will have a beautiful day tomorrow... What does it tell you?"

Holmes was silent for a minute, then spoke. "Watson, you idiot!! Someone has stolen our tent!"



Psalms 92:1-2

*"It is good to give thanks to the LORD,
And to sing praises to Your name, O Most High;
To declare Your lovingkindness in the morning,
And Your faithfulness every night..."*

Bible Trivia—I Didn't Know That!

- A)** Ahab, King of Israel, should not be confused with another Ahab, son of Kolaiah, who, according to Jeremiah 29:21-22, met his demise *how*?
- B)** Jezebel promoted the worship of *what*?
- C)** This prophet who was constantly bringing Ahab negative reports was named *what*?
- D)** Ahab made a treaty with the King of Syria, named Ben-*what*?
- E)** Ahab coveted Naboth's *what*?
- F)** While in his chariot during a battle, how was Ahab killed?
- G)** When Ahab's chariot was being washed by a pool, "the dogs licked up his blood" while *what*?
- H)** When Jezebel heard Jehu had come to Israel, she "painted her eyes" and *what*?
- I)** In meeting her demise, Jezebel was thrown out a window then *what*?

(See page 6 for answers)

The Crucified Life of the Father

(We want to encourage you to look up the Scripture references as you read.)

The true Church is well aware that Jesus Christ came down to the earth, which was pining in sin and sorrow, leaving behind the glories of heaven and its atmosphere of light, love and power. Even prior to the Cross, Jesus had given up huge blessings. Meanwhile, the Father remained in heaven. Perhaps one could imagine the Father moving His throne to the celestial version of Waikiki Beach and just relaxing away from His Son for 33 years. However, such an idea has no scriptural basis.

In Genesis 22, God called on Abraham to sacrifice his son Isaac. This very difficult assignment has many angles, but for now consider what Abraham experienced emotionally. It is easy to imagine him quitting because of the emotional agony! Similarly, the Father was intensely emotionally involved in the crucifixion of His Son. When Jesus prayed, "Not My will but Thine be done," I believe that the Father's will was being done, yet emotionally the Father also was living the crucified life! The three hours of darkness on the afternoon of "Good Friday" did not occur as a solar eclipse, but rather as a supernatural sign of the Father's feelings.

The Father had already been living the crucified life for centuries, because His Son is "the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world" (Revelation 13:8). In Old Testament times, He had many occasions to live the crucified life in particular situations.

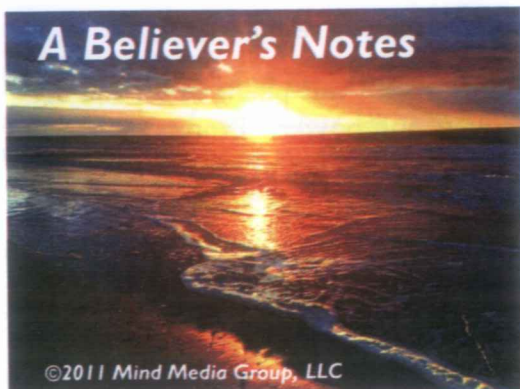
One obvious example of this occurred when God was so distressed over the evil times that He told Noah about the flood He intended to bring on the earth. That constituted a 99.999+% wipeout of all the life He had created on earth! It's such a blow when you must scrap a great project where so much of yourself is invested, and He loved the sinners that He had to drown.

In Isaiah 1:11, 14 God says, "I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams ... your new moons and your appointed feasts My soul hates; they are a trouble to Me, I am weary of bearing them." Yet, He is talking about His commands given through Moses! Israel may have been fulfilling the letter of the law, but they were missing the whole point, being clueless about the spirit of these activities. God wanted relationship with His people, but for centuries the Father was instead living the crucified life.

As we all know, there is unity in the Godhead, oneness in the Trinity. He has always been love. He created man and woman and the marriage relation as a testimony of prime heavenly reality. But we have failed through marital strife and divorce to illustrate heaven. It's true that God loves divorced persons, but the Father is not honored by a society that is increasingly willing to approve divorce and lose sight of what it means to Heaven. If that were not a large enough problem, Western civilization has also shown increasing willingness to accommodate counterfeit marriage. We are like the little children whose minds it never crosses how the Creator might feel about their ways to represent ultimate reality.

The Father certainly has the fruit of longsuffering that He wants us also to exhibit. But I would urge all of us to give Him occasions for joy! One key verse is John 14:15, "If you love Me, keep My commandments." I'm thinking less of the "thou shalt not" decrees, and more along the lines of mercy, love, worship, prayer, and faith. If the righteous can be shining examples on earth, then "the righteous will shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father (Matthew 13:43).

-Phil Rust

Healing Scriptures!

God has said:

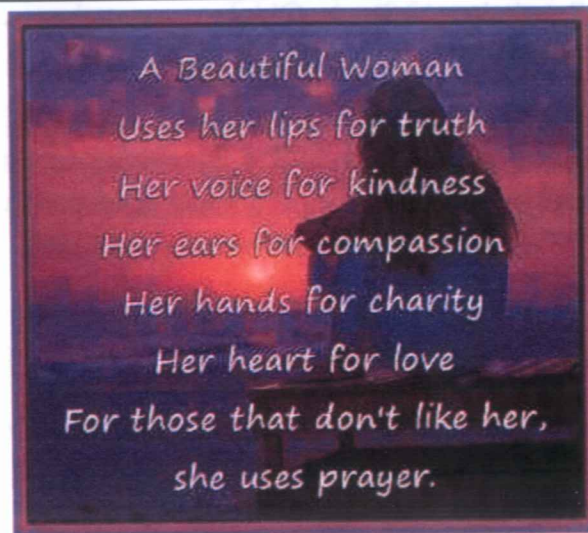
"By whose (Jesus') stripes ye were healed." I Peter 2:24

"I am the Lord that healeth thee." Exodus 15:26

"The prayer of faith shall save the sick and the Lord shall raise him up." James 5:15

God has already done His part, so we must do ours. We must take the Word He has spoken, put it inside of us, and let it change us from the inside out; everything, including healing, starts inside of you.

Blessed—I am blessed because I believe, whether I see it or not. (John 20:29)



Bible Trivia
-I Didn't Know That!
(From Page 4)

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| A) Burned by the King of Babylon
Jeremiah 29:21-22 | D) Benhadad
I Kings 20:34 | G) The Prostitutes Bathed
I Kings 22:38 |
| B) Baal
I Kings 16:31 | E) Vineyard
I Kings 21:1-2 | H) Arranged Her Hair
2 Kings 9:30 |
| C) Elijah
I Kings 18:16-17 | F) By an Arrow
I Kings 22:34-37 | I) Trampled by Horses
2 Kings 9:33 |

Kids' Corner
(We are ALL His kids!)
"Jesus Heals"



Kids' Corner

“The Lord that Heals”

1. (Exodus 15:26 NKJV) "If you diligently heed the voice of the LORD your God and do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians. For I am the LORD who heals you."
2. (Deuteronomy 32:39 NKJV) 'Now see that I, even I, am He, And there is no God besides Me; I kill and I make alive; I wound and I heal; Nor is there any who can deliver from My hand.
3. (2 Chronicles 7:14 NKJV) "If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.
4. (Psalms 30:2 NKJV) O LORD my God, I cried out to You, And You healed me.
5. (Psalms 6:2 NKJV) Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am weak; O LORD, heal me, for my bones are troubled.
6. (Psalms 103:1-4 NKJV) Bless the LORD, O my soul; And all that is within me, bless His holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies,
7. (Psalms 107:20 NKJV) He sent His word and healed them, And delivered them from their destructions.
8. (Psalms 147:3 NKJV) He heals the brokenhearted And binds up their wounds.
9. (Proverbs 3:7-8 NKJV) Do not be wise in your own eyes; Fear the LORD and depart from evil. It will be health to your flesh, And strength to your bones.
10. (Proverbs 4:20-22 NKJV) My son, give attention to my words; Incline your ear to my sayings. Do not let them depart from your eyes; Keep them in the midst of your heart; For they are life to those who find them, And health to all their flesh.
11. (Matthew 9:35 NKJV) Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people.
12. (Matthew 10:1 NKJV) And when He had called His twelve disciples to Him, He gave them power over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease.
13. (James 5:14-16 NKJV) Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much.

Kids' Corner
"Jesus Heals"



Kids Corner
“Jesus”

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Andrew

Apostles

Arrest

Baptism

Carpenter

Christian

Church

Cross

Crucifixion

Disciples

Eternal Life

Galilee

Gethsemane

God's Son

God's Word

Gospels

Holy Spirit

James

Jerusalem

Judea

King

Lamb

Manger

Mary

Matthew

Ministry

Nativity

Nazareth

Passover

Paul

Salvation

Simon Peter

Teacher

Temptation

Commander—In—Chief

A long time ago in a distant land, two soldiers were in a foxhole together. They were unaware that they were fighting a war that they could not win on their own. Suddenly, they heard a noise in the distance. To their surprise, they spotted a bullet proof limousine approaching them. After the limousine pulled up, out stepped the commander-in-chief, surrounded by an entourage of secret service personnel. Amazingly, as the commander-in-chief joined them in the foxhole, he instructed the secret service men and the limousine to leave. The secret service men were caught off guard and didn't understand why such a command would be given, but they obeyed.

As the commander-in-chief spent time with the two soldiers in the foxhole they were astonished how much like them he really was. After a while one soldier began to respect what the commander-in-chief had to say, while the other soldier rejected every word and even laughed at him.

Seemingly without warning, the enemy launched a grenade into the foxhole. Before either of the two soldiers could react, the commander-in-chief threw his body on the grenade. The grenade went off and the commander-in-chief was killed. No man took his life, but he laid it down willingly. The two soldiers were terrified. The commander-in-chief laid down his life for the one who believed and the one who did not believe.

Some staff members came and got the body of the commander-in-chief and buried him. Three days later he rose from the dead and he now holds an even higher position of honor.

This allegory may seem like just a purely fictitious tale, but it symbolically represents actual events. Let's examine the characters in this story.

*The commander-in-chief is Jesus. In the beginning, before anything else existed, Jesus was with God the Father, and Jesus was God. All things were created by Him (*John 1:1-3*). Jesus is God in a human body (*Colossians 2:9*). He stripped Himself of His power as God and became like a man. He humbled Himself as a servant even to the point of dying on the cross (*Philippians 2:5-8*). No man took Jesus' life, He laid it down willingly (*John 10:17-18*). When God the Father raised Jesus from the dead, the Father seated Jesus at His right hand in heavenly places, and gave Him a name far above every name (*Ephesians 2:20-23*). God said at the name of Jesus every knee should bow in heaven, and on earth, and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus is Lord, to the glory of God the Father (*Philippians 2:9-11*).

Unlike the commander-in-chief in this story, Jesus did not roll up in a bullet proof limousine, or show up as a king (even though He is a king and will return as one); but instead He was born as a child in a stable to a young virgin who wrapped Him in pieces of cloth and laid Him in a feeding trough for animals, called a manger, because there was no room in the inn (*Luke 2:1-7*). Even though Jesus is actually a king, the first time He came, He came humbly on the colt of a donkey to provide salvation for all of mankind (*Zechariah 9:9*).

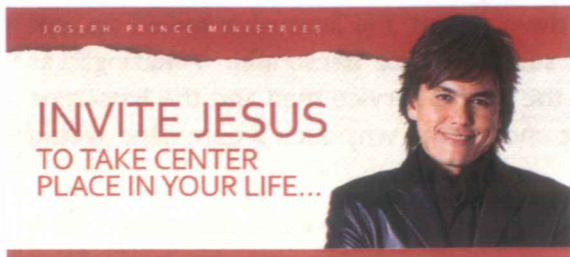
When Jesus returns for the second time He will be riding on a white horse. He will return as a judge and He will wage war. The armies in heaven will return with Him. On His robe and thigh is written KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS (*Revelation 19:11-16*).

* The secret service personnel are the angels. Concerning angels, the Bible says: "For He will give His angels charge concerning you, to guard you in all your ways. They will bear you up in their hands, lest you strike your foot against a stone," (*Psalms 91:11-12*). When Jesus was about to be arrested in the garden, one of His disciples drew a sword. Jesus told him to put it away. He told them, "Don't you know that I could ask the Father and He would send twelve legions of angels," (which is 72,000 angels) (*Matthew 26:51-53*).

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Joseph Prince

“Take From Jesus All You Need!”



*“...the Son of Man did not come to be served,
but to serve...”*

Mark 10:45

I want to share a little secret with you today. Jesus said of Himself, “...the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve...” Jesus Christ, the Son of God, did not come to be ministered to, but to minister. My friend, when God visits your home, He does not come for you to give to Him. He comes for you to **take** from Him. This is a little secret to intimacy with God.

Jesus in His inexhaustible supply and divine fullness is here for you to take from. Take from Him your miracle for your body. Take from Him wisdom for your confusion. Take from Him peace to guard your heart and mind from the stress of modern living. He comes before you in all His fullness, full of love and strength for you to draw from.

Why do you think that the Lord referred to Himself as the bread of life? What is bread for? Does anyone take a loaf of bread and say, “Do you not notice the different hues of brown on this bread?” You can talk all you like about the glories of the bread, but as long as you don’t feed on it, it cannot nourish and strengthen you!

Just as bread is to be partaken, Jesus wants you to partake of His love and His grace. So draw from Him. Draw on His power. Draw on His love. Draw on His glory. Consume Him. He loves it when His children take from Him, depend on Him and hence experience good success!

“Jesus—God’s Overpayment for Our Sins”

*“...come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy
and find grace to help in time of need”*

Hebrews 4:16

Can you imagine paying your creditor 10 times the amount you owe him? How about 100 times that amount? Who does things like that? God did on your behalf. Why? It’s so that when you know this, you’ll never have debt on your conscience again.

Beloved, Jesus is God’s overpayment for your sins. Let me explain what I mean. Let’s say that I owe somebody \$10,000. Along comes my best friend. He knows about my debt and out of his love for me, he pays my creditor not \$10,000 but \$100,000!

Now, when I look at my creditor, I am no longer embarrassed or afraid. In a sense, it’s because of me that he is now richer. He is more blessed than before because my best friend paid him an extra \$90,000. In the same sense, our Lord Jesus is an overpayment. If you know the value of Jesus, you will know that He is God’s overpayment for our sins.

So when you come into God’s presence today, you can come boldly, free of shame, fear and guilt. Jesus, who shed His blood at Calvary and died for your sins, has torn wide and opened the way to the holy presence of God. The same blood that tore the veil has perfectly cleansed us of our sins.

Beloved, because Christ is God’s overpayment for our sins, you can step boldly into God’s presence today. You can be confident that your sin debt has been more than paid, and you can enjoy blessed communion with God!

Commander-In-Chief—Continued from Page 11

In this story, the secret service men did not understand why the command to back off was given; likewise, the angels may have wondered why the Father didn't send them to rescue Jesus in the garden or from the cross. The gospel was a mystery that even the angels did not understand (*1 Corinthians 2:7 & 1 Peter 1:12*). The Bible says that sometimes angels can disguise themselves as men; so we should not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by this some have entertained angels without knowing it (*Hebrews 13:2*).

* The enemy is the devil and one third of the angles that were cast out of heaven with him (*Revelation 12:7-9*). If the devil had known God's plan for man's salvation, he would have never crucified the Lord (*1 Corinthians 2:8*).

* The staff members who came and got the body of the commander-in-chief and buried him were a couple of disciples of Jesus (*John 19:38-42*).

* The war that the two soldiers were fighting is the hopeless attempt for man to provide his own salvation by atoning for his own sins. The only way to be saved is by grace through faith; and that is not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, that no one should boast (*Ephesians 2: 8-9*).

* When Jesus was crucified on the cross there was a thief crucified on both sides of Him. Eventually one accepted Jesus as his savior and the other denied Jesus to the very end (*Luke 23:32-43*).

The two soldiers in the foxhole are you and me. One represents the thief on the cross who accepted Jesus as his savior and the other represents the thief who rejected Jesus to the end. Which soldier are you?

God loved the people of the world so much that He gave His one and only begotten Son as the only perfect sacrifice acceptable to Himself, so that whoever believes in and trusts in His Son should not perish, but have everlasting life. God didn't send Jesus to condemn us, but to save us (*John 3: 16-17*).

We have all sinned and we all fall short of the glory of God (*Romans 3:23*).

The wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord (*Romans 6:23*).

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us (*Romans 5:8*).

No one has greater love than to lay down his life for his friends (*John 15:13*).

Armed with the information that your Commander-In-Chief willingly laid down His life in your place, what decision will you make concerning His offer for you to live with Him forever?

If you have never done it simply bow your head, ask Jesus to forgive you of your sins, and invite Him to be your Commander-In-Chief.

The Scriptures in this article may have been paraphrased, quoted in part, or may be a combination of translations from the New American Standard Bible, the King James Version, the New International Version, or the Living Bible.

The references are given so that you can study the entire Scripture referred to for accuracy of content. The paraphrasing was done to insure continuity of thought throughout the story without sounding like a lot of Scriptures stuck together.

This article is dedicated to all veterans and all active duty and reserve military personnel everywhere. Thank you for your service.

-Frank Butler

Sunday School Events

Children's Sunday School

Ages 6-11

For the month of March, the children's Sunday school class will be tying up some "loose ends" from our 'Dare to be a Daniel' study. We have recently been watching the newly released "The Book of Daniel" movie. We have really enjoyed this study, and it is hard to see it end. However, the kids will always be reminded how important it is to be courageous young people in a pagan world. Also, they have heard many life examples and should be encouraged to know it is possible to be fearless soul winners and living testimonies in today's society.

Also this month, we will begin our focus on Jesus Our Healer. We will start with an overview of "Where Does Sickness Come From". This lesson helps children understand exactly where sickness originated from and that it is no more God's plan for us than living sinful lives. John 10:10 says, "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I have come, so that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly". We recently memorized this verse in our 'Dare to be a Daniel' study, but we are going to discuss it more thoroughly. We will talk about some examples of sin and what the consequences are. In addition, we are bringing back sword drills, review questions, visual demonstrations, and even a small skit.

Finally, we will have time set aside for worship and prayer. Healing through prayer and faith is an application that can be utilized throughout one's life, and these kids are certainly ready for it!

Next month, we will go into more detail of what Jesus, our Healer, did for us. We will go over scripture that points to the healing promises and the abolishment of sin and sickness at Calvary through Christ's blood.

-Rachel Ferguson



Faith in God
includes Faith
in His Timing

Men's Sunday School

Join us for Men's Sunday School and let us dive into the Word of God together!

Sunday School Events—Continued

Ladies Sunday School

We have just started a new book. **Unit 1: Jesus and a Davidic Covenant.** This unit will be placing emphasis on Obedience and explores the connections between the reign of David and the lordship of Christ, including God's promise of someone forever being on David's throne, the fulfillment of this promise in Christ, Peter's Pentecost message that Jesus is the Messiah, and John's vision of the Lamb of Judah on the eternal throne. God's promise to David established an eternal Kingdom.



Lesson 1: An Eternal Kingdom. The Lesson Scripture: 2 Samuel 7:4-16. In this lesson we will discuss the importance of a place to call home. We will also explore God's promise to David to establish an eternal Kingdom through David's descendants. The interaction will help us to consider the way to live for God's eternal Kingdom. The response will be for us to live for God's eternal Kingdom.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday at 9:45am!

God has promised us a home in His Kingdom and Daniel 4:3 reminds us of this promise by saying, "His kingdom is an eternal kingdom; his dominion endures from generation to generation." It is important to have a place to call home because home provides a shelter from storms, a safe place separate from the rest of the world, and a place to relax and be renewed when life gets crazy. It is also a place where you make memories, usually with the people who live there with you. God is building a kingdom in us and through us—when we let Him. We have to trust Him at all times and obey Him immediately and keep building the Kingdom. A big part of building for the kingdom is to encourage one another to be open and honest for this is the only way to help each other move from building for ourselves individually to building with God. Remember to keep memorizing the Scriptures; we will be working on Psalm 100 one verse at a time. Please feel free to join us on this journey. **"The permanence of God's character guarantees the fulfillment of His promises."** **Dennis King**

-Yolanda Wilson

December

Acts 10:35 (KJV)

But in every nation he that feareth Him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with Him.

February

Psalm 101:2 (KJV)

I will behave myself wisely in a perfect way. O when wilt thou come unto Me? I will walk within my house with a perfect heart.

January

Mark 11:24 (KJV)

Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.

March

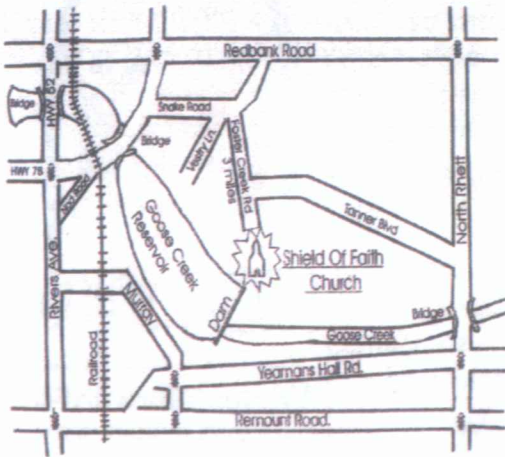
Psalm 100:1 (KJV)

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

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Next deadline to submit articles is:
Wednesday, March 12th

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 Water Baptism	3	4	5 Ash Wednesday	6	7	8
9 Daylight Savings Time	10	11 Praise Team Meeting 7-8pm	12 Article Deadline	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 First Day of Spring	21	22
23 Celebrate Pastor Bob and Susan's Birthdays	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2 Youth Birthday Bash	3	4	5