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Proverbs 7:2

Matthew 5:6

John 8:32

II Timothy
3:16-17

Hebrews 4:12

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GREETINGS

Dear Brothers and Sisters
in Christ,

Welcome to the
September 2010 issue
of Hunger for Truth.
This month's
issue includes two
articles and devotionals
and the 2nd month of
the column which
temporarily replaces
“Church Planting” called
“Favorite Quotes From
Our Forefathers”.

The HFT editor just re-
turned from a recent trip to

MA and NH. I had a great
time
camping
in the
White
Moun-
tains of
NH and
fellowship
with
members
of Her-



“Keep my
commandments, and
live; and my law as the
apple of thine eye.
Proverbs 7:2

itage Baptist Church of Nor-
wood, MA. It was a
blessed time. Praise God!

MEDITATE ON THE WORD

(Psalm 1:2; Psalm 119:148)

“God’s Miraculous Work”

Titus 2:11 - *“For the grace
of God that bringeth salva-
tion hath appeared to all
men.”*

Mark 16:15 - *“And he said
unto them, Go ye into all the
world, and preach the
gospel to every creature.”*

This is more of a great
testimony than a sermon,
but it is such a powerful
story and so divine it needs
to be told. I’ll try my best to
make a long story short.
Please note that the HFT
editor is a Jewish believer
as it relates to this story.

Back in March 2000 at a
Bible conference I met a
man who was saved in late
1999 and soon became a
very good friend of mine.
His name is Tim. Tim has
been a blessing to me in so
many ways. He has helped
me by posting many of my
tracts, childrens materials,
and articles on his website.
He also currently is posting
back issues of HFT on his
website at
www.studytoanswer.net. I
recommend visiting it today
if you have not yet visited.

So you’re saying, get to

There will also be another
devotional in the Children For
Christ column.

Also, please note that
BACK ISSUES of the
newsletter are available to
view or print at:
www.studytoanswer.net.

The goal of this ministry and
newsletter is to edify and en-
courage believers using the
truth of God’s precious Holy
Word.

Thank you all for taking the
time to read this and for your
prayers for me. I praise God
for each and every one of you.

the meat of the story Bro.
Craig. Well, here it goes.
Back in 1999 prior to Tim
getting saved, he and a
Jewish man named Scott
met on a gaming site. They
became friends.
Not long thereafter, Tim
came to know Jesus Christ
as his personal Lord and
Savior (*You can see his full
testimony on his website*).
Tim began to witness to
Scott and it was not long
thereafter that Scott came to
know Christ the Messiah as
his personal Lord and Sav-
ior as well!! Praise God!

Triumphant Faith (By: Pastor David Smith - 10/1/06)

I am reprinting sermon notes from a very powerful message I heard preached in 2006 by Pastor David Smith of Community Baptist Church:

Hebrews 10:38 says "Now the just shall live by faith; but if any man draw back, my soul shall have no pleasure in him."

We must remember that without faith it is impossible to please God (Heb. 11:6). We as believers can have TRIUMPHANT FAITH. It takes three simple steps to have it:

1) Gazing Upon Jesus

- A. Heb. 2:9 - Do you see Jesus? How is your focus?
- B. Have the right focus and vision! Don't ever focus on the circumstances, the world and its pleasures, others, job, etc. ALWAYS keep your focus on Christ. He is the answer and the focus. Fix your eyes on Him by

- faith.
- C. When we don't keep our eyes on Him we open ourselves up to temptation to backslide! (Heb. 2:17-18)
- D. Don't leave your first love! (Heb. 3:6)
- E. Gazing on Him produces confidence and hope (Heb. 2:8-9, 14; 1 Pet. 1:8; Heb. 4:14-15). Don't let Satan give you a false agenda for God's will for your life! Put your complete faith, trust, and dependence on Christ alone!
- F. We have a merciful and faithful High Priest...JESUS! (Heb. 4:15-16). He knows our every care, weakness and need and wants us to live by faith...expecting Him to answer...not by sight.

2) Guarding Your Heart

- A. 1st - Hard (Ungrateful) (Heb. 3:7-10, 3:12-13, 4:7)
- B. 2nd - Errant (Heb. 3:10)
- C. 3rd - Unbelieving (Heb. 3:12-13, 3:18-19, 4:6-11)

3) Giving Heed to the Scriptures

- A. Fleshly (Carnal)
- B. Heb. 4:12 - The word of God is indeed and without doubt quick, powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword! Let us as believers arm our hearts and minds with it daily!
- C. We must take the precepts and principles of God's Holy Word literally and seriously!
- D. Let His word speak to and live in you!
- E. Believe it! Practice it! Love it! Live it!
- F. Learn how to apply its accounts and teachings to YOUR life.
- G. Let your faith be real! Don't have a fake, simulated "professing" faith but a "possessing" faith!
- H. Live a pure and real life for Christ!

God's Miraculous Work Cont.

Years would pass and both were actively serving the Lord. Tim was able to visit Scott back in 2006 while on a trip to Washington, DC where Scott was living. It was the first time they met. Scott would later attend Tim's wedding in 2007 and relocate to MA and began attending Heritage Baptist Church in Norwood. My friend Tim did not know of this until recently.

As you know Tim is one of my best and dearest friends and a brother in Christ. Recently, another dear friend of

mine named Andrew moved up to MA to help serve at H.B.C. in Norwood.

Andrew was there about three weeks and both he and I had met Scott back in 2009. Andrew met Tim in 2008. They got in a conversation about Chapel Hill and Calvary Baptist in Carrboro, NC and Andrew mentioned Bro. Tim and Scott told him how he knew Tim and that Tim was the one that led Scott to Christ back in 2000! Wow! What timing! What a great testimony of God's amazing, wonderful, and matchless grace that indeed brings salvation to ALL mankind!

Tim, Scott, Andrew and I were all amazed at this great and miraculous work of God! Tim knew Scott was in a church in MA but did not know it was this one until just a few weeks ago.

This is the church that the HFT editor will be relocating to in a few months Lord willing. I have been led of the Lord to make this move for a number of years. This blessed moment made His will perfectly clear to me.

This wasn't enough space to do this story justice! What a small world! and what a Savior He is! Isn't it amazing how God works?

Quotes of the Month

Sources Unknown

"Realize sin. Remember thy first love (Christ). Repent."

"People want religion and not repentance."

"With the saved, they are not in a cult or religion, but in a person ...JESUS CHRIST."

"Once it was what I did (works), now it is who I know (Jesus)!"

"Trust and obey God no matter what the situation. He will deliver you."

"Without the resurrection, the gospel is powerless!"

FAVORITE
QUOTES
FROM
OUR
FOREFATHERS

“They that would give up essential liberty for a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.”

Benjamin Franklin, 1706-1790 Founding Father

“The Bible is worth all other books which have ever been printed.

Patrick Henry, 1736-1799

Devotionals

“Creating Your Own Religion”

By: Craig Glickman
John 14:6

A number of years ago, the Lord led me to write this quote:

“People create their own idea of God (who He is) and their own religion and what they want out of religion. They don’t want the truth of God’s word alone!”

The above word’s are indeed very true. Many saved and lost know God, but change who He is, what He is (THRICE HOLY!) and many treat Him like some genie and only serve Him when they are blessed. My friend, these things ought not to be! God is Jehovah! He is a person and is the Great Creator who became our Savior! God is God alone and is above and over all and that settles it! Amen!

Many want to create our own religion by picking and choosing what we want to obey from the Bible and leav-

ing the rest out. We say “this/that is not for today.” That is not true for God made ALL his word to be rightly divided and it takes the Holy Spirit who is the one who guides a believer into all truth.

We also pick and choose what we want out of religion or what religion we want. The Bible teaches two religions faith in Christ and works! The choice is yours! Being a Catholic, Methodist, Episcopalian, Lutheran, Assemblies of God, Bible Fellowship, and even Baptist will not get you to heaven! What gets you to heaven and assures you of eternal life is repentance towards God and putting your complete faith and trust in Christ alone as your personal Lord and Savior. No works, church or religion will save you. That is the Bible and God’s word never, ever changes nor will it ever change!

My friend, if you do not yet know Christ as your Savior, the Bible makes it simple. Read John and Romans to start.

Jesus alone saves! (John 14:6) Be careful of creating a false god. The Bible says

their is only one true and living God! Trust God and the truth of God’s word alone!

“Have You Received Him?”

By: Craig Glickman

In this brief devotional. I ask you today, “Have you received Jesus Christ as your personal Savior?”

First, Have you recognized THE FAILURE (Romans 3:10, 23). None are righteous apart from Christ.

Second, have you recognized THE FALL (Romans 5:12). All have sinned!

Third, have you recognized THE FORGIVENESS (Romans 5:8, John 3:16). Christ in love is willing to forgive us all our sin.

Fourth, have you recognized THE FAITH (Romans 4:5, 10:9-10, 13)

Fifth, have you recognized THE FOREVER (Romans 6:23-The Gift; 1 John 5:13-Assurance of eternal life).

My friend, please trust Him today before it is too late! Have you received Him?

Song of the Month

“Let us praise our precious Savior in song all the day long.”

This blessed song speaks to me as I prepare to sell most all that I have and leave jobs and comfort zones to move up to MA to serve at Heritage Baptist in Norwood. I am so excited and can’t wait for it to happen and believe it will be soon. Here am I Lord.

I hope it is a blessing to you as well. It is based on Psalm 100:2:

“Here Am I Lord”

Verse 1 - Lord I give my life to you. Take control each day. I will follow you anywhere near or far away.

Refrain - Here am I Lord, send me. Here am I Lord, send me. I will serve you faithfully. Here am I Lord send me.

Verse 2 - Lord, I want your perfect will; Be my faithful

guide. I will never be afraid: you are close beside.

(Refrain)

Verse 3 - Let me see my mission field all around each day. Fill my heart with Jesus love; use me, Lord, I pray.

(Refrain)

Children For Christ

Philippians 2:16 – “Holding forth the word of life; that I may rejoice in the day of Christ, that I have not run in vain neither laboured in vain.”

***** Battle With the Mind *****

TEXT: Philippians 2:1-16, 4:5-9

1. Who are you supposed to think like? (2:5) _____

2. This includes thinking what kind of thoughts? (4:8) _____

3. Would Jesus think about or watch or read the following? (Check the ones you believe He would do)

Listen to Rock & Roll	Read dirty magazines	Read the Bible
Be jealous of others	thinks good about others	Smoke and drink
Listens during preaching	Lets mad when loses	Prays a lot w
Watches good programs	Plays role playing card games	Loves others
Thinks bad about parents	Is thankful for food	Obedient

4. What kind of things do you do or watch or listen to that makes it hard to think like Jesus would think?

_____ (Why not pray and try to get rid of these things)

5. According to Philippians 2:14 you are not to _____. What are some things you complain about at home?

6. Is this right or wrong? _____

7. To think like Jesus you must put good things into your mind. How can you put good things into your mind so you think good thoughts? _____

8. According to Philippians 2:5, who should are mind be like? _____

9. Write down at least 7 prayer requests and pray for each one carefully. (People you know, needs you have, etc.) (if more space is needed use the

Praises

- I praise God for a great trip to MA and camping in the White Mountains of NH. The Lord blessed. I was encouraged and excited for my future move. God made His will clear.
- I praise God that my home is now listed for sale as of 8/18. Please pray for a quick sale so I can make my move to MA.
- I praise God for the continued growth of my friend Andrew and how God is mightily using him at Heritage Baptist in Norwood, MA.
- I praise God and want to say thank you to each and every one of you who take the time to read this every month and to those who have sent e-mails about how the Lord has blessed you. Please keep them coming. They are a blessing!
- Praise God for solid Local NT churches all across the land!
- Praise God for Victory in Jesus! Hallelujah! What a Savior!
- Praise God for health, safety, friends and fellowship
- I praise God For the privilege and blessing of preparing and sending out this newsletter to people all across the land.

Prayer Requests

- Students in Christian schools and Bible colleges across the globe.
- Pray for my home in PA to sell quickly for move to MA
- Pray for job transfer or new job in MA once house sells.
- Tract distribution and outreach to lost souls all over the world who were witnessed to last month for salvation
- Health and needs of Pastors, Misisionaries, Evangelists and their families.
- Parents across the land to raise their children for the Lord.
- Unspoken requests for HFT editor and several friends.
- Wisdom regarding FT Christian service for the Lord someday as the Lord leads.
- God's blessing upon and growth of Bible believing, Bible preaching, Biblicist Baptist local churches all across the world and for more to be planted.

Prayer

Requests

Continued

- Salvation of my sister Wendy & friend Ben
- Salvation of my nephew Jacob and Aunts' Sybil & Bernice
- Salvation of our family members, firends, and co-workers.
- Souls who were devastated in many recent earthquakes
- Widsom regard-ing Hunger for Truth Minisries and the newsletter

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In Next Months Issue

Studies in Psalms and Proverbs returns along with two devotionals, as well as another devotional in the "Children For Christ" column.

Thank you for reading this. I praise God for all my dear brothers and sisters in Christ and I greatly appreciate your prayers. May each and every one of you be richly blessed as we serve our precious Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

His Servant,
 Craig G. •• Prov. 3:5-6

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