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He hath made his wonderful works to be remembered: the LORD is gracious and full of compassion. - Psalm 111:4

## Here *LIES* American Journalism: 1776 - 2008 R. I. P.

By Judith Ryder

*"But you must remember, my fellow-citizens, that eternal vigilance by the people is the price of liberty, and that you must pay the price if you wish to secure the blessing. It behooves you, therefore, to be watchful in your States as well as in the Federal Government."* -- Andrew Jackson, Farewell Address, March 4, 1837

**F**ast forward from 1837 to 2009. Recently a resolution, purportedly to seek protection for "freedom of opinion and expression" and co-sponsored by the Obama administration and Egypt, was submitted to the United Nations where it has already received approval by the U. N. Human Rights Council, the initial step



in the process towards adoption by the full U. N. But not surprisingly, according to WorldNetDaily, this resolution is actually a call for a "worldwide crackdown on freedom of speech and a mandate for nations to ensure 'that relevant national legislation complies with...international human rights obligations.'"

This appears to constitute an unwelcome harbinger of things to come, when our First Amendment right to free speech may become even further endangered than it already is. In recent years, politically correct speech "police" have had the effect

of bedeviling many Americans into speaking with forked tongues lest they be called out

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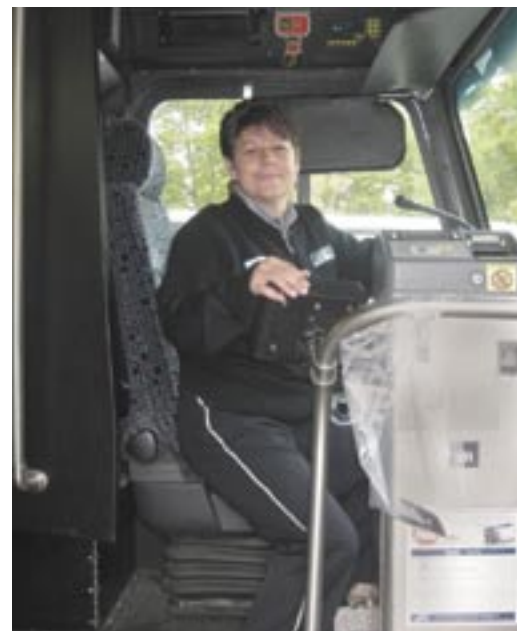
## Being the Church: a fare to remember

By Ralph Davis

**W**hat an impersonal world we live in. More and more people move through their lives in a robotic manner, avoiding eye contact, intent on their selves and apparently having no interest in others.

From a Biblical standpoint, this is what we should expect. As the years fly by and the end draws near, people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, unloving, irreconcilable, malicious gossips, without self-control, brutal, haters of good, treacherous, reckless, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God. 2 Timothy 3:2-4

Whew! Sound familiar? Is there "a light at the end of the tunnel?" Indeed there is, and it is most likely to be found in the people of God, His children, the *true* believers who are willing and able to reach out and share



Lisa Church, RIPTA bus driver

a bit of His love with others.

If you were to view downtown Providence

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## New World Disaster...

By Fred Comella

**I**t's funny how we often define ourselves by what we believe. Consciously or unconsciously we seem to want people to see us within the framework of our ideologies. So why is it so hard then for Christians to talk about, or debate the prophecies they read in the Bible. The hard truth tells us that in the past we were simply scared of being labeled Bible beaters or extremists. Well guess what folks, the Biblical standard is starting to look pretty darn accurate, now isn't it? We can no longer ignore it and therefore we must talk about it.

There is one particular area that has my attention more so than others these days, and it's because the ramifications of a so



called "New World Order" are extraordinarily frightening. This is evidenced on many levels, not the least of which is our own system of government, its emphasis on the God given "individual rights" of human beings, and how this system has done more for the human condition than any other in history, both here and abroad. You see, "collectivism" as I like to call it, is flawed on every level. It robs us of our individuality and natural competitive spirit. Without that spirit, we might never have known some of the greatest achievements of Western

Civilization that have transcended our national borders. As a precursor to the rest of this article, and for the sake of our children, let me say that American Individuality and Exceptionalism must never be marginalized or even worse, extinguished. How's that for

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## Sabbath: Saturday, Sunday, Someday?

By Pastor James Menzies

**T**hough perhaps an exaggeration, it seems the Christian church has seldom experienced a time it wasn't embroiled in some controversy. From its most notable clamor in 1517 when Martin Luther nailed his Ninety-Five Theses on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, to the debates over the charismatic movement and Lordship salvation, to the more recent controversy concerning Christian music and the present blog-battles over the Emergent church movement, there has hardly been a time when ink (or blood!) wasn't being spilled over some issue about which even reasonable men differed.



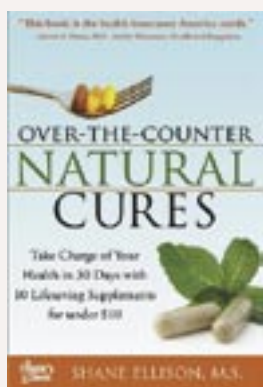
One of the oldest (but fortunately more peaceful) differences revolved around the question: Which is the proper day for worship? Should Christians gather to worship as the majority do on Sunday or should they come together on the Sabbath (or Saturday) as the fourth commandment teaches: "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy" (Exodus 20:8)?

While certainly not an authority on this question, I have some practical experience in this matter, having pastored a church for 20 years that has practiced Sunday worship since its inception in 1843. In fact; this is my home church and from my earliest years I attended and taught

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Sunday School, participating in Sunday morning and evening worship services.

But I have also served for half of those 20 years as interim pastor at a Seventh Day Baptist church that has gathered for worship on Saturday mornings since the church began in 1840. For the past 10 years I have attended and taught adult Sabbath School class and spoken at their morning services.

What can be learned from such an unusual schedule? Other than that weekends tend to be something of a blur can I, by participating in two different traditions, offer any insights into the question about the day of worship?

This article will proceed along the following lines. First, I share what this article does *not* attempt to do. Next, I discuss some of the issues that complicate such a study. Third, I engage some of the critical texts, commenting on how they're understood by both sides of the debate. And finally I close with some practical reflections and suggest some principles for fellowship between the two schools of thought.

**Reasonable Expectations: What this paper does not do.**

An article of this size cannot adequately discuss the many and complicated matters inherent in an issue of this magnitude. As research professor D. A. Carson admits, this issue "is one of the most difficult areas in the study of the relationship between the Testaments, and in the history of the development of doctrine."<sup>1</sup> For anyone wishing to study this subject in depth, there are plenty of articles and books by leading scholars that will satisfy.<sup>2</sup>

To undertake a thorough study of this topic would necessitate delving into matters as complex as the definition and context of "Sabbath" and "the Lord's Day," an understanding of creation in Genesis 1 and 2, the covenant of God with Israel and the "new covenant" accomplished in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, Christ's conflicts with the Pharisees over the Sabbath, the role of law and the Ten Commandments in Israel and the church, and the "Sabbath rest" theology of Hebrews 4. Much

too ambitious to accomplish all this here!

Nor will this article seek to settle the issue by deciding the "rightness" of one position over the other. If ever there was a place to practice "in essentials unity, in nonessentials liberty, in all things charity," certainly it is this debate. As long as a believer seeks to guide their life by the reading of Scripture and to live according to conscience (Romans 13:5), it behooves other believers of a different tradition to exercise humility, love, and patience.

**Reasons for confusion: Issues that complicate the discussion.**

This topic not only entangles one in matters far beyond the simple question of one day or another and the more complicated study of the biblical and theological issues mentioned above, but one must also contend with 2,000 years of church (and secular) history. For instance, no thorough study on the day of worship can ignore the Edict of Constantine (March 3, 321), considered by many as the watershed moment that forever changed the practice of the Christian church, in which he required a day of rest on the "honorable day of the Sun." And if this is not confusing enough, one must consider how the term "Sabbath" is used and understood.

Among Sabbatarians the word "Sabbath" is fairly straightforward, with its meaning coming from the Old Testament and Gospel accounts, the day commonly referred to as Saturday. Now if this was the only way anyone ever used the term these conversations would be much simpler. But one must realize that "Sabbath" has undergone a transference in meaning among some believers. For those who understand Sunday to be the "Christian Sabbath" (as Saturday was the "Jewish Sabbath") the term is repackaged and Sunday is referred to as the Sabbath. While Sabbatarians may find this approach inadequate, one has to realize the fluidity of language. In order to prevent believers from talking past each other, it's necessary to recognize that not all believers use the term Sabbath in the same way.<sup>4</sup>

An example of this transference can be seen in Kenneth Wuest's popular *Studies in the Vocabulary of the Greek New Testament*.

Wuest (1893-1962) was a noted scholar of New Testament Greek and for many years a professor of Greek at Moody Bible Institute and published over a dozen books on the New Testament that remain popular among Christians. In his comment on the "Lord's Day" of Rev. 1:11 Wuest notes, "There was an expression, 'Augustus' Day,' which was the first day of the month, Emperor's Day, on which money payments were made. It was natural for the Christians to take this term already in use and apply it to the first day of the week in honor of the Lord's resurrection on that day. Thus, the designation, 'The Lord's Day,' is the scriptural name for the day which is commonly called Sunday, or, by some, the Sabbath."<sup>5</sup>

**Relevant texts: Why the Lack of Clarity?**

Christians maintain what theologians call the *perspicuity of Scripture*, the idea that the meaning of Scripture is clear to the ordinary reader and God uses the Scriptures to communicate his will to humanity. Then why is there such a difference of opinion over a matter usually considered rather simple?

In addition to the previously mentioned difficulties, there is a remarkable paucity of verses that speak directly to the issue of the Christian meeting day. True, for those convinced, the Bible is clear, but one finds in the Bible what one is looking for. The facts are not so simple.

Doing a word study on "Sabbath" can be tricky. It is easy enough to look up the word in an English concordance such as Strong's or Young's, but a problem can arise when one realizes the Greek and Hebrew words for "Sabbath" can be translated by other English words depending on the context. We have "the first day of the week" in Mark 16:2, 9, and 1 Corinthians 16:2. Or consider Matthew 28:1, "Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb" (ESV). In these verses "Sabbath" is used in two senses, "Sabbath" and "the first day of the week." And in the Old Testament the Hebrew word for "Sabbath" can be translated by something as surprising as "cease" as in Jeremiah 31:36, "If this fixed order departs from before me, declares the LORD, then shall the offspring of Israel cease from being a nation before me forever" (see also Genesis 8:22).

Of the over 130 times "Sabbath" appears in the *English Standard Version* of the Bible, I can focus on only a few key texts for this article. These are not the only key texts, and not everyone will agree they are the most important, but in giving voice to both sides of the issue everyone can agree these are critical passages.

Two key texts beyond the scope of this article are the creation rest of Genesis 2:1-3 and the covenant with Israel in Exodus 34:21-27. And a key event in which all believers come together yet some leave in a different direction is the resurrection of Jesus Christ. All four gospels record Christ's resurrection as taking



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place on "the first day of the week" (or Sunday, Matthew 28:1; Mark 16:2; Luke 24:1; John 20:1). From this event Christians who meet on Sunday believe the early church parted company with the Jews and began to worship on Sunday. This is simply an assumption and not a command; but it is an assumption that is critical to understanding the differences in approach. While Sabbatarians argue the church is to maintain the Sabbath of Genesis and Exodus, worshippers on Sunday understand the Old Testament and gospel uses of Sabbath as intrinsically tied to God's covenant with Israel (and all the freight it carried in the OT, including its being a capital offense to violate it, Exodus 35:2), but not with the post-Pentecostal church of Acts 2. Sabbatarians may find this approach simplistic and lacking the necessary nuance, but this understanding is critical to the discussion.

Other texts where the two schools of thought differ are where the phrase "the first day of the week" appears: Acts 20:7 and 1 Corinthians 16:2. From these passages, as with Christ's resurrection, those who gather on Sunday believe they are following the example of the apostolic church while Sabbatarians point out it's not clear that either of these passages describe an actual church worship service. Instead these passages can be understood as an extraordinary event (Acts 20) and instructions on collecting contributions (1 Corinthians 16) with no command or instructions for congregational worship.

A third but very significant passage for Sunday worshippers is John's reference to "the Lord's day" in Revelation 1:10 (only here). To those who meet on Sunday there is

a natural progress from the Lord's resurrection, to Paul's meeting in Troas, to the counsel given to the Corinthians, to John's experience on the isle of Patmos. To Sabbatarians each of these passages need to be studied separately in context without any underlying connection.

**Resolutions toward Forward Progress**

If the day of worship is an issue, remember that it is an issue between brothers and sisters and not to the world at large. In discussing this issue it is important to keep in mind that Christ's admonition was *not* "By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you meet together on \_\_\_\_\_" but "if you have love for one another" (John 13:35).

I recently spoke to someone who has ministered in Bangladesh, where, according to his reckoning, about 100,000 Muslims have become Christians. In speaking about the churches being planted in a Muslim country he mentioned they keep Friday as their day of worship since it fits the pattern of the local culture and makes Christian celebration much easier.

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as racists, bigots, hate-mongers, and worse. This supra-national U. N. resolution threatens to up the ante and override our American Constitutional rights

After the mainstream media virtually ignored the story of one million+ patriots marching on Washington, D. C. this past September 12, it became apparent that



Colleen Conley, RI TEA Party President

the media were turning their collective backs on a significant segment of the citizenry who were exuberantly yet peacefully exercising their right to free speech to protest what they believe is the hijacking of their country. Having become alarmed by current Administration policies which in their opinion will destroy their country with bailouts, TARP, a \$787 billion "stimulus" bill, and the take-overs of the financial sector and the automobile industry, they marched en masse on Washington. United in their distaste for the goings-on in their country's capitol, this rapidly growing conservative movement in America seems to hold both Republicans and Democrats culpable, blaming both for the difficult straits -- economic, social, and moral -- in which America finds herself today. But the media, seemingly neglecting their responsibility to report the news, has systematically downplayed and/or ignored this emerging, fast developing story. The question many are asking is, why?

A man calling himself "Thomas Paine", who says he has never before been an activist and prefers to remain anonymous, became infuriated with the media's selective and scant coverage of the 9/12 March on Washington, and determined to rectify the situation by organizing "Operation: Can you hear us now?" On September 15 he set up a website and began appealing to fellow citizens to spread the word on Face Book, Twitter, and through sympathetic organizations. With the help of willing recruits, he arranged rallies outside major media outlets such as NBC studios in Burbank,

CNN in Atlanta, and affiliate stations of NBC, ABC, and CBS, as well as more than 30 press offices across the nation. By the weekend of October 17th, one man's initial effort had snowballed into 118 rallies held from coast to coast.

Alerted by an e-mail from RI Tea Party's founder and State Director, Colleen Conley, my husband, our daughter, and I attended the rally in downtown Providence on Saturday, October 17 from 1:00 p. m. - 3:00 p. m. Along with about 100 other hardy souls willing to brave the wind and cold, we assembled at the closest intersection to the Providence Journal building. My daughter counted the crowd twice,

first around 2:00 when she reported there were just over 100, and again around 3:00 when she counted 90.

Serving as an appropriate, attractive backdrop for the rally was RI Tea Party's award-winning boat, first displayed on a float at Bristol's Fourth of July Parade. The boat recalls another era when, to protest unfair taxation, colonial soldiers dressed up as Indians and boarded ships in the Boston Harbor, dumping overboard their cargoes of tea. The Fourth of July float was designed and built with 100% donated materials, labor, and talent. (In a strange controversy surrounding the "propriety" of the distribution of complimentary pocket-sized U. S. Constitutions to onlookers at the parade by someone thought to have been connected with the group, the RI Tea Party and its float were summarily banned from future parade participation by Bristol's Fourth of July Parade Committee. Following a public outcry, the ban was soon rescinded.)

Playing over a public address system during the Providence rally was a speech given in 1961 by President John F. Kennedy. The speech, delivered to the American Newspaper Publishers Association in the familiar JFK cadence, concerned the appropriate role of the press in a free society. Towards the end of the address President Kennedy said: "Without debate, without criticism, no Administration and no country can succeed -- and no republic can survive. That is why the Athenian lawmaker Solon decreed it a crime for any citizen to shrink from controversy. And that is why our press was protected by the First Amendment -- the only business in America specifically protected by the Constitution -- not

primarily to amuse and entertain, not to emphasize the trivial and the sentimental, not to simply 'give the public what it wants' -- but to inform, to arouse, to reflect, to state our dangers and our opportunities, to indicate our crises and our choices, to lead, mold, educate, and sometimes even anger public opinion." To discover just how far the press has fallen since 1961, download or listen to the rest of the text online by Googling "The President and the Press".

This foreign-sounding concept as expressed above by President Kennedy has enormous relevance for today, when the "mainstream media" appears to be abandoning its traditional role as a watchdog and is instead rapidly coming under the control of the State. FOX News Channel's Glenn Beck recently spearheaded a shocking expose of the mainstream media during a series on his TV show which revealed the extent to which the majority of the mainstream media marches in lockstep without critically examining the policies of the current Administration. In sharp contrast to the purpose of the media as described in President Kennedy's speech, most of today's media has, unfortunately, lost its objectivity, and has taken on the role of an accomplice to the purposes of the present Administration: to pursue a radical redesign of our American society. One might hope, then, that the Internet would be the last bastion of freedom of expression, but a "Net Neutrality"



RI TEA Party 4th of July parade float

proposal is presently on a fast track toward government control of that medium as well. Marxists holding critical positions at the White House have been duly exposed and stripped of their anonymity by the intrepid Glenn Beck, whose TV audience has skyrocketed on any given day to 3 million since he moved from CNN to FOX News. The effect is that an increasingly well informed electorate is acquiring an appetite for *real* change as soon as possible.

The day of the Providence rally was cold, raw, and windy, which made it extremely difficult for protestors to hold their signs upright as they faced the street with the wind at their backs. About halfway through the rally, most of the crowd crossed the street to circle three times around the Providence Journal Building, holding aloft signs protesting the Pro-Jo's news coverage or lack thereof. Some held their signs up to the windows, while one man with a bullhorn repeatedly called through closed windows, "Is anyone there? Can you hear us now? Hal-looooo?" but there was no discernible response. However, at one point someone did enter the building, and shortly thereafter a Providence Journal Reporter

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appeared at the rally to speak with Marina Peterson, Treasurer of the RI Tea Party.

Two days later, your reporter asked Mrs. Peterson about the accuracy of the story concerning the rally that appeared under the byline of "Tracy Breton" in the Providence News Digest of the October 18th Providence Sunday Journal. Mrs. Peterson stated that Ms. Breton had asked her to estimate the size of the crowd, but despite the fact that she said "100", the news story erroneously reported "50" were there.

Although Mrs. Peterson had sent out 234 news releases about the rally, Ms. Breton seemed unaware of it, and asked why people were protesting against the Providence Journal. Mrs. Peterson replied that people were demonstrating outside many media outlets throughout the country that day because they were upset by the media's poor or non-existent coverage of the 9/12 March on Washington. Mrs. Peterson and several others standing nearby during the interview were visibly stunned when Ms. Breton subsequently inquired, "What march?" It seemed incredible that a Providence Journal reporter would not have

known about the March on Washington which had attracted, by most informed estimates, upwards of a million Americans from every state in the nation including Alaska and Hawaii. Mrs. Peterson patiently proceeded to tell Ms. Breton about the March, noting that both the Associated Press and the Providence Journal had covered it, albeit incorrectly.

Perhaps one reason Ms. Breton did not notice the story about the March on Washington was that it was so underreported in the Providence Journal, just as her own story about the rally would be. After the March on Washington, the Providence Journal reported only that "tens of thousands"

had attended, and accompanied the article with just one insignificant picture showing four people making a sign. In stark contrast, elsewhere on the page was a story about President Obama's trip to Minnesota the same day as the March, with a photo showing him superimposed upon "masses" of people who had supposedly turned out for his speech. In the great sweep of things, the former story was probably far more important than the latter but, typically, it was downplayed. After observing many such instances of similar types of coverage throughout the mainstream media, increasing numbers of Americans are beginning to believe there is a deliberate and concerted effort on the part of the media to ignore We The People, and they are becoming angry and disillusioned.

During the rally, lots of people passed by the busy intersection. Some gave a thumbs up, honked, and smiled broadly, while others frowned and gave a thumbs down. Still others seemed totally clueless about what was happening. As the rally concluded, an elderly man led the crowd in singing "God Bless America", including the less familiar introduction not usually heard. It seemed a fitting close to ask for God's blessing on a nation so desperately in need of it.

While several rally-goers waved American and Don't Tread on Me flags, others carried homemade signs expressing their sentiments: "Mainstream Media, why are you in fear of printing the truth?" "You report, we'll decide truth in journalism" "Boycott the state-run media" "Can you hear us now?" "The news media has become politicians' lapdogs, not citizens' watchdogs" "We won't be ignored" "Tell the truth, be fair and balanced" "It's Pro-Jo not Pro-Obama" "Report the facts, just the facts" "We want non-biased honest news - not just liberals read and buy your newspaper" "Who, What, When, Where, and How" "Truth, not lies" "Pro Jo, a liberal rag" "Preserve, Protect, and Defend" "Pro Jo, News soooo Slow" "Be a watchdog, not a lapdog" "We the People have had enough!" "No bailout for newspapers" "Here LIES American Journalism: 1776 - 2008 R. I. P."

As long as opportunities are still available to demand truth from the media and to exercise our freedom of speech, wise Americans will be vigilant to take full advantage of them while teaching their children to do likewise. For without eternal vigilance, we can only expect that our liberties will continue to be diminished. "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth will make you free." John 8:32

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from the sky, you couldn't help but notice the numerous RIPTA busses traveling city streets in all directions. All make their way back to the "hub" before setting out again. The hub is named Kennedy Plaza.

Each day, an estimated 69,000 people pass through Kennedy Plaza. Most share common features; they are alone and preoccupied and their minds are fixed on their destination, not others. In the midst of the hustle and bustle of connecting with busses, friendly attention is hard to come by if you are elderly, handicapped, homeless, or simply poorly groomed or dressed; in short, the downtrodden.

Sometimes, a glimmer of light emerges from the mass of humanity. It might be a cheerful passenger or, frequently, someone making room for a person to sit. Occasionally it is the driver who illuminates the route.

Lisa Church, RIPTA bus driver number 5159, is such a driver. A driver for nine years, she is conscious of the role that she believes that God has given her; the honor of serving all passengers with a friendly, upbeat smile and attitude. I had an opportunity to ride with her on a

recent Friday morning. The run was from Kennedy Plaza to RI College which afforded me ample time to see her in action.

She greeted one of the passengers asking him where he had been and told him that he was missed when he was not there. She smiled and said hello to each person entering the bus with an occasional, "How are you feeling today?" One man was complaining about another bus driver, and went on to say, "He's not like Lisa, she caters to the people." The warmth that she radiates was consistent and was sometimes reflected back by the riders as they entered.

Lisa said that "It is not all about me, it is about them," referring to her passengers. She is in love with our Heavenly father and believes that He loves her so much that he sends the people to her that need

a dose of loving attention that she readily doles out to all.

Lisa remembers her early days driving the bus and how nervous she was, for instance, when maneuvering the bus on Route 95 North trying to stay within the lines on the infamous Thurber's Avenue curve. Aside from this tension, there were many personal issues upsetting her life. Abruptly she cried out. "Jesus, take the wheel!" She believes that although she was not consciously "Looking for God," that was the very moment that she began to relinquish control.

Lisa was born in Pawtucket, RI and has two brothers and two sisters. Her father, deceased, was a toolmaker. Her mother was a housewife and is still living. Though her parents were Roman Catholic, they seldom attended church. Lisa has a wonderful daughter, Jasmine, who is already making an impact for God in this

Lisa said that she did not attend based on her knowledge of God or Jesus Christ; she went there as a "refuge" from her surroundings. Then, ready to embark on an arduous ride to Iraq in a vehicle armed with a 50 caliber machine gun (a tantalizing target to the enemy), the only thing she had to cling to was a song that was sung that morning in church: *Leaning on His Everlasting Arms*. This became her "battle song."

Following her stint in the army, she tried a few jobs before deciding to learn how to drive a cement truck. Someone suggested that she might want to become a bus driver instead so she did.

One day, in 2001, a woman got on the bus and Lisa recognized her immediately. It was Janice, her friend from so long ago. Lisa met Janice when she was twelve and Janice was twenty-one. Janice lived in an apartment upstairs from hers. They became great pals and

Lisa spent a lot of time visiting her. One thing that is etched in her mind is the fact that Janice always had a Bible on her oval coffee table. Janice never talked about God but Lisa said that the Bible was always there.

You can imagine how surprised Janice was to be recognized and remembered after all that time. They chatted all the

way to her stop and later got together for coffee. It was then that Janice invited Lisa to attend church with her. Lisa agreed to go, mainly to spend more time with her. Tears quickly filled her eyes due to the overwhelming beauty of the songs sung that day. Lisa said that she felt "overwhelming joy during the songs." She said that she "never knew what she was looking for; never knew that she was missing it."

From her first day there, back in 2001, the Woodlawn Baptist Church in Pawtucket, RI has been her church home! It was at Woodlawn that Lisa came to understand the story of God's amazing and incomprehensible love that He provided in His Son Jesus. She also responded to His invitation to repent and accept Jesus as her Lord and Savior. As a result, she is assured of eternal life with God

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**Lisa and a passenger named Daniel often study the Bible together**

world through her interest in helping the homeless.

Lisa entered Johnson and Wales University soon after high school with an interest in computers but quit after one year; it was not for her. She then took on a secretary job which lasted only three years because she did not want to spend her life sitting behind a desk. Her next occupational choice was dramatic. She enlisted in the US Army where she served for eight years as a "Heavy Construction equipment Repair Person!"

While stationed in Saudi Arabia, one empty building was converted into a mess hall. It was also used for church services which occurred three times a week. There were only a few who attended, with Lisa being one of them. The services were lead by Chaplain Sneath.

in heaven no matter what.

forgot about.

All has not been picture-perfect since she began at Woodlawn; is it for anyone? During this time she divorced her husband, her attendance at church became sporadic, her attention was obviously on other things. I hear the bugle of the Calvary blowing as the Woodlawn church members flocked around her praying for and encouraging her throughout it all.

Church elder Bob Colker was especially persistent with her. It is hard to keep pushing away once you are a Child of God and so many of your brothers and sisters are rooting for you and will not give up. Lisa succumbed to their love and finally returned. Lisa is now enmeshed in the church life, is in the choir, and has been a Sunday school teacher for five years. She said, as is so typical in church families, "At Woodlawn, we sure like to eat!"

Lisa is quick to ward off any suggestion that it is *her* who is so loving to the riders; it is God. It is "Not about me," she says, and "Everything to do with Him!" Some of the people that Lisa encounters daily have no friends, relatives or any other caring person in their lives. There are no smiles, no positive regard. Lisa tries to see things through the eyes of each and every person and her interest, smile and warmth are evident to everyone.

Lisa kept making the point that she did not want this article to be about *her*. Well she got her wish because it is *not*. Instead, it reflects the work of our Heavenly Father and how He can mold and shape and coax one of His children to come to Him. Reflecting back, Lisa sees all of the little signs and prompts that God was there all the while; planting His seeds and using seemingly minor points, like the Bible on Janice's oval coffee table that Lisa never

I had the opportunity to visit Lisa and her bus on another occasion and met passenger named Daniel, a secondary education major at RI College. Early in the semester, he and Lisa discovered their mutual love for our Lord Jesus Christ and began studying books of the Bible together. Lisa has a fifteen-minute layover at RIC, and this affords them some time in study and prayer.

Lisa would like you to know that if you would like to experience her loving family that will never give up on you, call Woodlawn Baptist Church at 401-724-6390 or visit them at 337 Lonsdale Ave, in Pawtucket, RI.




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# National News

## One Baptist Church To Celebrate Halloween By Burning Bibles

by Staff

**Canton, N.C.**—The Amazing Grace Baptist Church in Canton, N.C. will celebrate Halloween by burning Bibles that aren't the King James Version, as well as music and books and anything else Pastor Marc Grizzard says is a satanic influence. Among the authors whose books Grizzard plans to burn are well known ministers Rick Warren and Billy Graham because he says they have occasionally used Bibles other than the King James Version, which is the sole biblical source he considers infallible. According to the church's Web site, members will also burn "Satan's music such as country, rap, rock, pop, heavy metal, western, soft and easy, southern gospel, contemporary

Christian, jazz, soul (and) oldies.

"We will also be burning Satan's popular books written by heretics like Billy Graham, Rick Warren, Bill Hybels, John McArthur, James Dobson, Charles Swindoll, John Piper, Chuck Colson, Tony Evans, Oral Roberts, Jimmy Swagart, Mark Driskol, Franklin Graham, Bill Bright, Tim Lahaye, Paula White, T.D. Jakes, Benny Hinn, Joyce Myers, Brian McLaren, Robert Schuller, Mother Teresa, The Pope, Rob Bell, Erwin McManus, Donald Miller, Shane Claiborne, Brennan Manning (and) William Young. During the book burning, according to the Web site, barbecued chicken fried chicken and "all the sides" will be served. For more info visit: Amazongracebaptistchurchkjv.com

## State launches boycott of 'unconstitutional' federal laws

By Chelsea Schilling

**Tennessee - (WND)** Tennessee Gov. Phil Bredesen signed HJR 108, the State Sovereignty Resolution on June 23. According to the Tenth Amendment Center, the resolution created a committee to form a joint working group between the states to enumerate the abuses of authority by the federal government and seek repeal of imposed mandates.

State Rep. Susan Lynn recently wrote a letter to the other 49 state legislatures, inviting them to join the group and warning that the role of the federal government has been "blurred, bent and breached."

"The national government has become a complex system of programs whose purposes lie outside of the responsibilities of the enumerated powers and of securing our natural rights; programs that benefit some while others must pay," Lynn wrote. "Today, the federal government seeks to control the salaries of those employed by private business, to change the provisions of private of contracts,

to nationalize banks, insurers and auto manufacturers, and to dictate to every person in the land what his or her medical choices will be."

She continued, "Forcing property from employers to provide health-care, legislating what individuals are and are not entitled to, and using the labor of some so that others can receive money that they did not earn goes far beyond securing natural rights, and the enumerated powers in the Constitution."

Lynn said that the people created the federal government to be their agent only for certain enumerated purposes.

"The Tenth Amendment defines the total scope of federal power as being that which has been delegated by the people to the federal government, and also that which is absolutely necessary to advancing those powers specifically enumerated in the Constitution of the United States," she wrote. "The rest is to be handled by the state governments, or locally, by the

people themselves."

She noted that the Constitution does not include a congressional power to override state laws, nor does it give the judicial branch unlimited jurisdiction over all matters. Attempts to include such provisions in the Constitution were rejected by the Founding Fathers.

"With this in mind," she wrote, "any federal attempt to legislate beyond the Constitutional limits of Congress' authority is a usurpation of state sovereignty – and unconstitutional. Governments and political leaders are best held accountable to the will of the people when government is local. The people of a state know what is best for them; authorities, potentially thousands of miles away, governing their lives is opposed to the very notion of freedom."

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### Retired Teacher Seeks to Improve Sex Ed in Massachusetts Schools

(EP News)--Sex education in Massachusetts has devolved into a "how-to" course on hooking up, according to a retired teacher. R.T. Neary, who taught for 30 years in Massachusetts schools, is working to change the state law governing sex education, the Boston Herald reported. He wants parents to be able to opt in their children, rather than opting out. Republican state Rep. Elizabeth Poirier is working with Neary and has filed a bill to change the law. "I believe the parent is a better judge to determine if, and when, they want their student to learn the material," Poirier said.

### Education Czar Generating Controversy

(EP News)--Sen. Russ Feingold, D-Wis., held a hearing Oct. 6 to look into President Barack Obama's appointment of "czars." The move may be partly a response to the negative press surrounding his pick for safe-schools czar, Kevin Jennings. Jennings, founder of the Gay, Lesbian and

Straight Education Network, one of the most powerful gay-activist organizations in the country, is the subject of a letter to Obama from Rep. Steve King, R-Iowa, the first lawmaker to publicly call for the firing of the gay activist. In his letter, King said Jennings' career in gay activism disqualifies him for a position promoting school safety. "There is more to safe- and drug-free schools than can be accomplished from the narrow view of Mr. Jennings," he wrote, "who has, for more than 20 years, almost exclusively focused on promoting the homosexual agenda."

### Doctors Make Statement on Health-Care Reform

(EP News)--Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev., has offered to preserve Medicare reimbursements if physicians start supporting health-care reform. Medicare payments to physicians are scheduled to be cut over the next 10 years. Dr. David Stevens, executive director of the Christian Medical Association (CMA), said Senate leadership has hit a new low. "This is a threat to take away significant funding from doctors," he said. "It's just Chicago-style politics." CMA members oppose the health-care plan mainly because it forces

Americans to pay for abortions. "Faith-based physicians, in particular, are extremely up in arms about right-of-conscience," Stevens said, "which is not protected in the reform legislation."

### Thought Crimes" Bill Passes Senate Vote

WASHINGTON -- Gays who are physically assaulted because of their sexual orientation receive new federal hate crime protections under legislation heading for President Barack Obama's signature. The expansion has long been sought by civil rights and gay rights groups. Conservatives have opposed it, arguing that it creates a special class of victims. They also have been concerned that it could silence clergymen or others opposed to homosexuality on religious or philosophical grounds. With this Senate vote on Thursday, Congress has approved a measure that expands current law to include crimes based on gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or disability. The bill would provide financial aid to states prosecuting hate crimes and would allow the Justice Department to step in when a state is unwilling or unable to follow through on a purported hate crime.

## "Bishop: "Patrick Kennedy Continues to Be a Disappointment

**PROVIDENCE, R.I.** – A Roman Catholic bishop is calling for an apology from U.S. Rep. Patrick Kennedy for criticizing church leaders who will oppose universal health care plans unless there are tighter abortion restrictions.

Bishop Thomas Tobin, who leads the Catholic Church in Rhode Island, said Friday that recent comments from the Rhode Island Democrat, who is Catholic, were irresponsible. "Congressman Kennedy continues to be a disappointment to the Catholic Church and to the citizens of the state of Rhode Island," Tobin said in a written statement. "I believe the Congressman owes us an apology for his irresponsible comments."

Kennedy recently told the conservative Web site CNSnews.com that opposition from the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops over abortion was a "red herring" fanning "flames of dissent and discord." "I can't understand for the life of me how the Catholic Church could be against the biggest social justice issue of our time, where the very dignity of the human person is being respected by the fact that we're caring and giving health care to the human person."

The bishops have said they will oppose plans that lack existing restrictions on federally funded abortions.

According to Barth E. Bracy, Executive Director of the Rhode Island State Right to Life Com-

mittee, "Congressman Kennedy's attack on the Catholic Church is unconscionable. The fact is that President Obama and his allies in Congress are trying to use health care reform to impose a government subsidized death sentence on countless pre-born babies. The Catholic Bishops are simply standing in defense of these precious and innocent human lives."

Says Bracy, "There has been a sustained effort on the part of pro-abortion lawmakers to mislead their constituents into believing that the bill does not authorize federal funding for elective abortion. Apparently Kennedy is anxious that his constituents might learn the truth and has decided to attack those who are speaking the truth."

## Evangelicals Distance Themselves from NAE Immigration Stance

By Staff

**WASHINGTON – (CR)** After the National Association of Evangelicals (NAE) endorsed and lobbied on Capitol Hill for liberalized immigration policies, several NAE member denominations, such as the Salvation Army, have either distanced themselves from the resolution or clarified their intent.

On October 8, the umbrella organization of 40 evangelical denominations passed a resolution calling for a path to citizenship for illegal immigrants. Since then, several member denominations have reported receiving -- in

the words of one church official -- "hundreds of letters" protesting the NAE immigration resolution.

NAE's immigration resolution continues NAE on a path away from primarily advocating on behalf of moral issues such as the sanctity of life and defense of marriage, and into a more politicized role aligned with the Evangelical Left. In recent years the NAE has embraced policies on the environment and alleged U.S. torture, now immigration, and appears poised to address nuclear disarmament.

Analysis of the NAE resolution

and links to official statements by NAE member denominations can be viewed by visiting the IRD's website at [www.TheIRD.org](http://www.TheIRD.org).

IRD President Mark Tooley commented: "The NAE, which has been a prominent voice for Evangelicals to Washington, has shifted direction and is now primarily speaking to, not for, its members. It is interesting to watch some of these members talk back.

"Several NAE members have denied endorsing the immigration resolution. Did the stance actually emerge from NAE's constituency? Or was it simply 'handed down from on-high' by NAE elites?"

"This controversy is not only

about immigration policy, on which Christians can disagree. It is also about NAE's increasing politicization and elitism, a dangerous trajectory veering towards irrelevancy and pioneered by the National Council of Churches."

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## 'Temple in Waiting' Prepared in Jerusalem

By Chris Mitchell

The Temple Mount in Jerusalem is one of the most sacred places on earth, and one of the most contested. For Jews, it's the place where the Holy Temple once stood. Today Muslims control the Temple Mount and Jews are forbidden to worship there. But that hasn't stopped some people from making plans to build the next temple.

Everyday, three times a day, Jews recite this prayer: "May it be your will that the temple be speedily rebuilt in our own time." It's a prayer they've prayed for almost 2,000 years. But today, Jews in Jerusalem are doing more than just praying. Just a few steps away from the western wall, rabbis and craftsmen are building what they call a "temple in waiting."

Chaim Richman is a director at the Temple Institute in Jerusalem. "The Temple Institute is actively engaged in the research and preparation of the resumption of service in the holy temple to the extent of actually preparing operational blueprints for the construction of the temple according to the most modern standards," he said.

A menorah is just one of several vessels being created for the next temple. It's covered with 95 pounds of pure gold and has a price tag of \$2 million. Piece by piece, the third temple is taking shape, with priest's garments, vessels of copper, gold, and silver, and a new generation of Levite priests specially trained for temple service.

"We have enough in place now to resume divine service and to build the temple," Richman said. "But obviously, a lot of things have to happen in order for this to happen."

Richman isn't the only one who's

ready to rebuild. Some 3,000 years after King Solomon built the first Jewish temple, another Solomon is laying the foundations for the third one. Gershon Solomon leads a group called The Temple Mount Faithful. "From the womb of my



The Dome of the Rock stands atop the Temple Mount (left) while Jews pray daily at the Western Wall (center)

mother, I have a task and a mission in my life, which is connected with the rebirth of Israel," he said.

The group commissioned cornerstones for the third temple. The six-ton stones were consecrated with water from the biblical pool of Siloam and cut with diamonds. For several years, Solomon and his followers tried to place the stones on the Temple Mount, and every year they were stopped by Israeli police.

"Unfortunately, weakness of the Israeli leadership did not allow us to bring the cornerstones to the right place," Solomon said. "The end-time temple should be built on the same location as the first and the second temple." But that location is already occupied. The holiest site for Jews is also the third holiest site for Muslims.

"The issue of the Temple, it's so sensitive," Yousef Natsheh of the Palestinian Antiquities Authority explained. "It's not an undeniable fact; it's theories. The political situation, the misunderstanding, the mistrust distorted all the facts."

Muslim law forbids archaeologists from digging on the Temple

Mount, so instead, Gabriel Barkay is digging through its trash. "We have here the entire history of the Temple Mount," he said.

He and his team are sifting through truckloads of debris, unearthed by bulldozers and discarded by Muslim authorities. Among their finds: an arrowhead from the Babylonian invasion in 586 B.C. and a 2,400-year-old coin, the oldest ever minted in Jerusalem. "A beautiful piece, tiny silver piece with an owl and the Hebrew inscription 'Yehud' which is the Aramaic name of Judea," Barkay said.

Some of the most dramatic traces of temple life have been unearthed at the western wall. On the walls, you can still see the marks from the fires that destroyed the temple in 70 A.D. Overturned stones are still lying where they were thrown from the top of the Temple Mount by the armies of Rome. On one stone is a Hebrew inscription: "To the place of trumpeting."

Even more intriguing is the part of the western wall that's still underground. Dan Bahat spent 40 years excavating the tunnels around the Temple Mount, and he says the most compelling case for the temple is yet to be discovered. "I believe that behind this stone is a large arch which forms a storehouse, which stored all the treasures of the temple," he said. "In the future, when it will be possible to dig, maybe we'll get to there."

But Bahat's interest in the temple is strictly in its past, not in its future. "There is no chance whatsoever for the third temple. The third temple will be when the Messiah comes," he said. "Both Jews and Christians are waiting for him so when he comes, let us see what happens. It won't happen before."

fined, sacked and sued for expressing their faith (see www.ccfon.org), numerous anti-Christian lobby groups are free to advance theirs (e.g. see www.youtube.com/watch?v=MwjvVgvcIDQ). Immorality and Islamisation are advancing rapidly. If the Equality Bill now before the parliament passes (as expected) then repression and persecution will escalate further (see www.christian.org.uk). Please pray for the Church in the UK.

### Israel, US launch missile defense exercise

Israeli and US forces on Wednesday

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## World News

### Chinese Military Police Ready to Crackdown 'Xinjiang'-Style

By Michael Ireland

**SHAANXI, CHINA (ANS)** - Nine Fushan Church leaders, including Pastor Yang Rongli, were kidnapped on Friday, September 25, by Chinese Shanxi Province Public Security Bureau (PSB) officers while traveling to Beijing to petition the central government for justice concerning the local authorities' brutal attack on September 13. ChinaAid (www.chinaaid.org) says they were illegally seized without warrant, and have not been heard from since.

In a news release ChinaAid stated: "After the arrests, local authorities forcibly confiscated all computers, TVs and other church-owned valuables, calling them 'illegal materials.' Remaining church leaders and active members were placed under house arrest and are now under constant surveillance."

China aid goes on to say that on September 26, the central government stationed state military police inside the main Fushan Church in Linfen city, where 5,000 of the 50,000-member Linfen House Church network worship together weekly, to prevent them from entering the building or holding services. Military police now guard the building and the surrounding areas around the clock.

ChinaAid has since learned that the central government was and is directly responsible for the escalating crackdown campaign against the Linfen Church. The group says: "Ironically twisting the facts, the Beijing PSB has categorized the Linfen Church incident as a 'violent uprising' and resolved to use military force to subdue the alleged 'unrest.'"

The news release states reliable government sources informed ChinaAid that a notice was sent

day launched their largest joint missile defense drill ever. The exercise was scheduled to include simulated ballistic missile attacks on Israel from Iran, Syria and Lebanon's Hizballah terrorist militia. Various anti-missile systems were to be tested during the drill, including Israel's Arrow 2, US-made Patriot batteries deployed in Israel and the US Navy's AEGIS Ballistic Missile Defense System. More than a dozen US warships sailed into Israeli territorial waters to take part in the exercise, and could be seen from Israeli beaches.

### Israel in desperate need of more rain

The head of Israel's Water Authority, chief Prof. Uri Shani, recently reported that if this winter and the next are not accompanied by above average rainfall, Israel will begin to have difficulty providing fresh water to its citizens. He warned that in addition to the dangerous drop in the level of the Sea of Galilee, Israel's largest fresh water reservoir, one of the nation's two main sources of groundwater has also dropped below its red lines.

to all relevant government agencies over the weekend, ordering them to be prepared to use military force to crackdown on the churches throughout China, in the same way the recent violent incident in Xinjiang was suppressed. They are calling the maneuver the "Xinjiang Model," a method that resulted in the deaths of several hundred people in Xinjiang in August.

"To have military police occupy a peaceful church is an unprecedented tragic development in 60 years of PRC history, which itself shows the reality of today's situation regarding religious freedom in China," ChinaAid President Bob Fu stated.

He added: "The Chinese government has no reason to be fearful of the peaceful Christian church. We call upon the international community to continue to urge the Chinese government to respect Chinese citizens' religious freedom and to avoid shedding innocent blood."

ChinaAid denounces the comparison of the attack on the peaceful Fushan Church to the Xinjiang incident and the excessive use of military force to suppress the Linfen House Churches.

The group says: "We call for the immediate release of the kidnapped church leaders, and the rightful restoration of all church property. We further call on the Chinese central government to cease enacting the "Xinjiang Model" of military involvement to unjustly subdue a peaceful church populace.

"We call on the international community to continue protesting the brutal treatment of Christians and the suppression of religious freedom in China." For more ways to take action and contact authorities, go to www.ChinaAid.org.

Along with the Sea of Galilee, most of Israel's fresh water is provided by underground, mountain and coastal aquifers. The mountain aquifer, which is also tapped by the Palestinian Arabs, often illegally, is in danger of permanent damage. While the coastal aquifer is also worryingly low, it has not yet reached its red line. Despite recent tensions with Turkey, Shani proposed purchasing fresh water from the Islamic nation as a temporary solution until Israel knows whether or not the coming winters will provide enough rain.

## 'Obama can thank himself for lack of peace progress'

Israel Today Staff

Far from promoting peace, as the Nobel Committee would like us all to believe, US President Barack Obama has actually made it increasingly more difficult to achieve a compromise peace deal between Israel and the Palestinians, explained Mark Zell, co-chairman of the Israel chapter of Republicans Abroad, in an interview with Arutz 7 radio.

Zell pointed out that Obama's overriding focus on stopping Jewish construction in Judea, Samaria and eastern Jerusalem, and even declaring the Jewish presence there illegitimate, has encouraged more hard-line demands and positions from the Palestinian Arabs. No Israeli leader can ever meet those demands, at least not if he or she wants to remain in office long enough to actually sign a peace deal.

For example, "moderate" Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas is

more intractable than ever in his demand that Israel surrender every inch of the areas claimed by the Palestinians, including the entire eastern half of Jerusalem. Abbas has also been emboldened to reject Israel's simple demand that it be recognized as the national home of the Jews, a demand that even Obama has backed.

With Abbas unwilling to budge, and even the most liberal of possible Israeli leaders unable to meet 100 percent of his demands, peace is today more unachievable than ever, despite the picture the White House is trying to paint.

### Religious Liberty Fading Fast in the UK

Amidst decline in the UK there is a great need for spiritual reformation. Yet religious liberty is fading fast, meaning the Church must be prepared to suffer if she is to speak into this situation at all. While Christians are being routinely

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### Vaccines assault the blood & violate Biblical law

By Greg Ciola – The Health Crusador

The Bible tells us in Leviticus 17:11-12 that: "For the life of the flesh is in the blood... No soul

of you shall eat blood, neither shall any stranger that sojourneth among you eat blood."

God has made it very clear throughout the scriptures that blood is sacred. When you understand the importance of health and nutrition and how critical your blood is in this process, it's easy to see why the flu shot, and all vaccines for that matter, violate Biblical law and all the laws of health.

Your bloodstream is either a river of life to all the cells in your body or their river of disease and death. You can't inject blood contaminants, DNA disrupters, neurotoxins, and preservatives directly into your bloodstream and somehow think you're getting health.

Vaccines violate the natural processes whereby substances enter the bloodstream. They bypass the defensive capabilities of the liver, kidneys, colon, lymphatic system, and immune system and deliver toxic waste directly into



the body/bloodstream. Your body doesn't know what to do with mercury, aluminum, formaldehyde and viruses cultured in chicken embryos when they are fired into it like a missile.

Some people can go into shock.

Others have died and many have been seriously injured shortly after receiving a flu shot. Guilain-Barré, temporary Multiple Sclerosis-like illness, breathing problems, hoarseness, wheezing, hives, paleness, dizziness, weakness and rapid heartbeat have all been reported as side effects from the flu shot.

Let's use common sense here. If God didn't want us to eat blood or mix unclean substances in our bodies, he certainly didn't want them injected directly into our bloodstream.

All vaccines contain substances that God deems unclean and unfit for our bodies. The question really boils down to this: Are you going to trust God for your immunity or are you going to trust man?

## ONE REASON NOT TO GIVE YOUR KIDS THE H1N1 FLU VACCINE

By Shane Ellison M. Sc. The People's Chemist

Vaccines are great. They save so many lives. Everyone should be jabbed. The end of disease justifies the means, even if this means a few people are mangled in the process. This is the common justification of vaccine proponents around the world. It's rife with emotion, void of logic.

Vaccination isn't immunization, and vice versa. In my book, *Over-The-Counter Natural Cures*, I outline the historic failure of some

system – no matter who is paid to run a study to show otherwise. Check out these quick numbers. You won't believe it.

The World Health Organization (WHO) insists that the upper limit for mercury exposure is 0.47ug/kg/day. At this exposure, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) reports that humans experience negative central nervous system effects such as tremors, mood changes, shyness and slowed sensory and nerve function. By the liberal WHO standards, this equates to a safe upper limit of 2.13ug for a 10lb baby, 10ug for a 50lb child. Here is the scary part.

Recently, The New York Times announced that the, "H1N1 vaccine distributed in multi-dose vials will contain about 25ug (micrograms) of ethyl mercury per dose." That equates to 11 times the safe upper limit for our vulnerable 10lb baby, 2.5 times the safe upper limit for a young child!

Pregnant Moms being targeted for the vaccine should pay close attention too. Consider the risk highlighted by the "Material Safety Data Sheet" for thimerosal:

Reproduction: Thimerosal - Decreased offspring survival. Mercury - Changes in sperm production, decreased offspring survival, and offspring nervous system effects including mild to severe mental retardation and motor coordination impairment. --Eli Lilly 1999 Material Safety Data Sheet

No matter how you look at it, those who vaccinate gamble the future lives of their children. Gambling isn't necessary. Their well-being rests in adhering to "nutrient logic."

Nutrient logic has been saving lives throughout history. For thousands of years, diseases like scurvy, pellagra, beriberi, and rickets ravaged millions of people. In the early 1900s, Nobel Prize-winning scientists—dudes

## Len Horowitz files pandemic charges against Rockefeller

By Staff

LOS ANGELES, CA -- Drug-industry investigators have uncovered documents exposing an international drug ring, operating from New York City, is behind the H1N1 swine flu fright and vaccination preparations.

Dr. Leonard G. Horowitz and Sherri Kane, an investigative journalist, have released evidence in legal affidavits that leaders of a private global biotechnology "trust" are behind the pandemic flu, including its origin and alleged prevention via vaccinations. Their documents, being sent by attorneys to the FBI this week, evidence industrialists are operating a crime ring within the "Partnership for New York City" (PNYC), and are behind the pandemic's creation, media persuasions, vaccination preparations, and health official promotions.

"David Rockefeller's trust, that engages several powerful partners on Wall Street, including media moguls Ruppert Murdoch, Morton Zuckerman, Thomas Glocer, and former Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Fed-

eral Reserve Bank of New York, Jerry Speyer, are implicated in advancing global genocide," Dr. Horowitz wrote to FBI directors.

"This 'partnership' controls biotechnology research and development globally. Health commerce internationally is also controlled virtually entirely by this trust that also exercises near complete control over mainstream media to promote/propagandize its products and services for the drug cartel's organized crime. This trust, in essence, makes or breaks medical and natural healing markets, primarily through the mass media companies and propaganda it wields for social engineering and market building," Dr. Horowitz wrote.

Among the revelations from the Horowitz-Kane research are those linking Larry Silverstein of Silverstein Properties, Inc., and the 9-11 terrorist attacks, to the drug cartel's geopolitical, economic, and population reduction activities. Mr. Silverstein, leaser of the World Trade Center who authorized to have Building-7 "pulled" [detonated] is a chief suspect in the "9-11 truth" investigation. Silverstein is

currently landlord and co-partner in the biotechnology trust founded by David Rockefeller and implicated by these new discoveries.

Given the unprecedented nature and urgency of these findings, Dr. Horowitz has posted his affidavit for public review on FLUscam.com, hoping wide spread dissemination will prompt governments worldwide to cease mass vaccination preparations to avoid becoming accessories.

"The last time I contacted the FBI I warned them about the impending anthrax attacks one week before the first mailings were announced in the press," Dr. Horowitz recalled. "It took them 6 months to respond. When they did, they made me a suspect in the mailings. This time I am warning the Justice Department a month before the deadliest genocide in history. I'm praying they'll take kindly to my appeal for a PNYC investigation, and Court-ordered injunction, to stop the vaccinations for public protection.

Read the affidavit here:

[www.fluscam.com](http://www.fluscam.com)

who believed in nutrient logic and had a flare for the scientific method—discovered that these pandemic killers were caused by rampant nutrient deficiencies, not infectious agents.

The simple act of filling the nutritional void with select nutrients (not drugs) cured millions of people—inexpensively! Not a single prescription was required. Scurvy was eradicated with vitamin C (from citrus fruits), pellagra with niacin (from nutritional

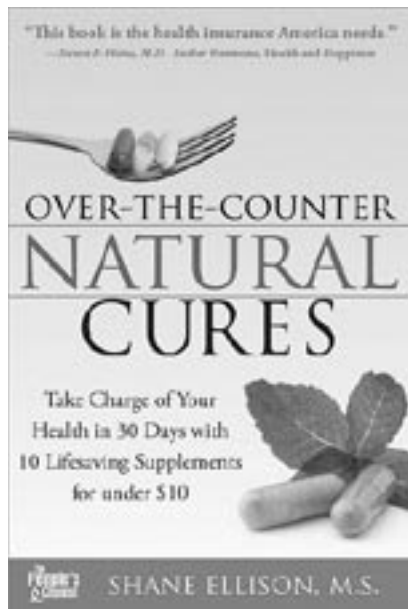
yeast), beriberi with thiamine (from rice bran), rickets with vitamin D (from sunshine), and more recently, cholera with salt, sugar, and water, and congestive heart failure caused by Keshan disease with selenium (from liver).

Today, you can use nutrient logic to stave off H1N1 or any other strain of influenza by supplementing with the historic medicine acerola. It has 20 times the vitamin C found in an orange and twice the magnesium and potassium. Com-

bined, these nutrients work synergistically to boost the immune system. Once done, adaptive and innate immunity work in unison to identify and eradicate "biological nasties," including H1N1.

Found at every health food store, acerola cost pennies on the H1N1 vaccine dollar. And that's why your doctor has never heard of it. It's also why you won't hear it being touted on television or by political figures. But that doesn't mean you can't use it to avoid vaccination, mercury and the flu!

Warning: Nutrient logic isn't alternative medicine. It's a fact that has emerged over generations and is the logical first step toward warding off disease. Another fact has emerged too; I'm not exposing my children to thimerosal. It's deadlier than H1N1. But remember, this article isn't medical advice. I'm not a doctor. Heck, I haven't even read Gray's Anatomy. You're free to choose whether or not your kids are jabbed.



of the most popular vaccinations. You don't hear about them in the pharmaceutically compliant news, but they are well documented in the medical journals.

The H1N1 flu vaccine is no different. And thanks to the Internet, you can find dozens of arguments against it. Most might put you to sleep, or worse, confuse you with science jargon. But one thing is for sure, the H1N1 flu shot is risky as hell. And its' use will probably be confined solely to those people who are so dizzy with pharmaceutical spin, they miss the most obvious reason not to vaccinate their child: ethyl mercury.

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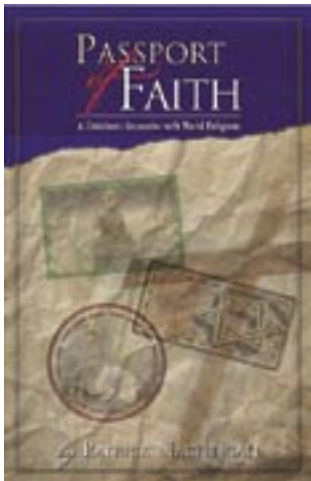


## Reading brightens the autumn and winter months

By Bill Ellis

**SCOTT DEPOT, WV (ANS)** -- Those of us who live in the Northern Hemisphere are beginning to see a change in the number of daylight hours. Some days in some areas we cannot do much outside, but it is a perfect time to sit with good books and read. Reading books, whatever your choice, could be a wise investment of your time. Here are a few possibilities.

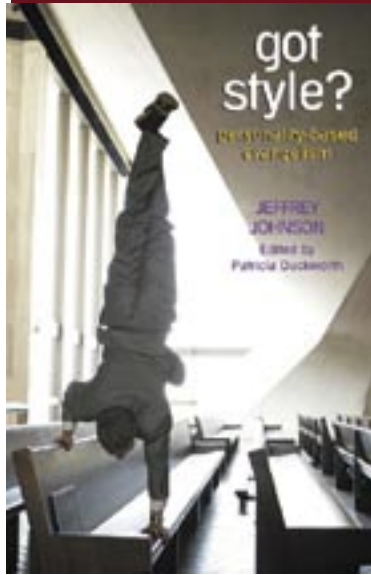
In June, I listened to a handsome young man, Patrick Nachtigall, speak and talked personally with him and his beautiful wife, Jamie. Nachtigall traveled to over 40 countries listening, asking questions, recording observations and making assessments as to what is going on in a world that, at times, seems to be terribly confused and on the brink of self-destruction. You will enjoy his book *Passport of Faith*, which describes a Christian's encounter with world religions. Look for it in your local bookstore or call Warner Press at 1-877-346-3974. It is an eye-opening book.



Jeffrey A. Johnson has written one of the most interesting and unusual books I have ever read. Even the front cover gets your attention. The title is *Got Style? Personality-based Evangelism*. If you are interested in what the church is doing or not doing, you will discover this book to be filled with practical information and you will wonder how you ever got along without it. A Judson Press publication available wherever books are sold.

Biographies always capture my attention. S. Truett Cathy and I met at the dedication of the Billy Graham Library in Charlotte, NC. His book, *Eat Mor Chikin: Inspire More People*, is the story of a significant part of his highly successful life as a businessman and founder of Chick-fil-A. Looking Glass Books, Decatur, GA., published this enjoyable and challenging read. I always keep it close by. It's as filling, satisfying and delicious as his popular chicken.

Jonathan Falwell is one of the outstanding young preachers of



our day. He is the son of Jerry and Macel Falwell, two of the best-known religious leaders of the past 50 years. Chuck Colson says, "You will meet in these pages one of the young Christian leaders who I think has a great future." A publication of Howard Books, a division of Simon & Schuster.

Frank Coppenbarger, Traveling Secretary of the Phillies, and J. Thomas McNamara, sports editor of The Decatur Tribune, Decatur, IL., together wrote *From Fans Field to Philadelphia . . . With a Few Stops Along the Way*. It is the story of Coppenbarger's 40-year trip from minor league bat boy to prominence with the National League Champions.

## Book Reviews

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## Star Athlete's Legs Crushed in Tiananmen Square Incident, Now He Stands Boldly for Human Rights Freedoms

By Michael Ireland

**Washington, DC (ANS)** -- One of China's star athletes lost his legs defending a fellow student in the Tiananmen Square Uprising twenty years ago. In October of this year he danced with his wife on a new pair of legs donated by well-wishers here in the United States.



**Fang was a star athlete who qualified for the Olympic Games.** (Photo: ChinaAid)

A star collegiate sprinter, who qualified to compete in the Olympic Games for China, Fang Zheng's dreams were cut short when he pushed a fellow Tiananmen student out of the way of an oncoming tank, only to have his legs crushed beneath its treads on that fateful day in the Tiananmen Square Uprising on June 4, 1989.

Undeterred by the loss of his legs, Chinese Christian advocacy group



ChinaAid ([www.chinaaid.org](http://www.chinaaid.org)) says Fang Zheng refused to stop competing, and the former sprinter shifted his focus to other track events.

The Chinese government feared Fang Zheng's status as a national athletic figure would raise awareness of his injuries at the hand of the People's Liberation Army.

They pressured him to publicly state he had suffered the loss of his legs in an accident; when Fang Zheng refused, they denied him his degree from the Beijing College of Physical Science, and forcefully warned him not to speak with foreign media.

In 1992, he medaled in both discus and javelin events,

breaking Asian records in the All-China Disabled Athletic Games.

When he qualified for the Far East and South Pacific Disabled Games, he was again pressured into silence. Fang Zheng agreed to keep the story of his legs quiet in order to compete, but was still banned from the competition.

Barred from all future competitions, Fang Zheng looked for alternative work, even working on the streets in Hainan, as he was repeatedly harassed by the China National Security Bureau. He began telling his story to the media, exposing the truth of Tiananmen and his treatment.



**Fang Zheng in the nation's capital to dance with his wife.** (Photo: ChinaAid).

Security forces frequently cut his communication and power sources, hoping to deter him from speaking out. He was detained for 10 days at a train station in 1999, while traveling to Beijing to look for work, and was denied job opportunities for his lack of credentials and degree.

Miraculously, in 2008, Fang Zheng was granted a visa to come to the United States. Upon arriving in early 2009, he met with ChinaAid employees, human rights activists Zhou Fengsuo, Chai Ling,

and Michael Horowitz, and US Congressmen Pitts and Wolf, as well as many others who were compelled by his story.

The Ossur Corporation offered to donate new legs to him, and in the



**Fang medalled in both discus and javelin events, breaking Asian records in the All-China Disabled Athletic Games.** (Photo: ChinaAid).

care of Dr. Terrence Sheehan and other specialists at the Adventist Rehabilitation Hospital in Maryland, the sprinter has once again been able to stand on his own two feet.

ChinaAid says: "Fang Zheng's powerful story has inspired many in China who have been repressed and denied their fundamental freedoms of speech and belief. He has used his story to expose the truth of human rights adversity in China, and is a living testimony that change can happen. Fang Zheng firmly believes that the time is coming when all in China will experience true freedom."

A special event was held in the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center, to celebrate his heroic dedication and perseverance, along with former Tiananmen Square student leaders in a celebration of his receiving new legs, and to witness this human rights hero's stand for freedom as he led his wife in their first dance. The event was also attended by US Members of Congress and other distinguished guests concerned with human rights and freedom in China.

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# TRUSTING IN HORSES

By Coach Dave Daubenmire

*Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God. Psalm 20:7*

Sometimes when I sit down to open a commentary I wish I didn't have to. I don't know why the Lord has laid this yoke upon me, but I try to be faithful to the gift and the calling that He has put upon my life. They are irrevocable you know, the gifts and callings of God, so I might as well embrace the work He has left on my desk.

I can't explain it but sometimes I feel like I have on a different set of glasses. Not rose-colored mind you, but more like binoculars that help me see things that are farther down the road. I can't explain it, but I know it to be true.

I have always been amazed by guys who can "fix things", mechanically that is. I can spend all morning

trying to figure out how to get my riding lawn-mower operational and then my brother-in-law pulls up, takes one look at the engine, and diagnosis the problem. It is his gift, and I sure wish I had it.

But my gift is a little different. Although I have never been to seminary, or spent time at the feet of great theologians, the Lord has gifted me with the ability to "connect the dots" in regards to the application of Biblical principles as they relate to cultural issues. I think it makes some folks mad, especially the "credentialed pulpiteers." I know how they feel. I have experienced the same thing with my brother-in-law. I'm the guy with all of the degrees yet I can't figure out that the spark plug needs cleaned before the engine will start.

Education without application is like tires without air. One without the other leaves one feeling a bit flat.

(I'm still not sure I am making myself clear.) Solomon put it this way. *"Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding."* Wisdom is the application of knowledge. "Understanding" is the offspring of the union of application and knowledge.

I remember praying a few years ago *"Lord, help me see and understand things that others don't see and understand."* I'll let you be the judge of whether or not He answered that prayer.

The solutions to the problems facing America are so clear to me. The cause/effect of our cultural collapse is so easy to diagnose. Like my brother-in-law has often said to me while working on a piece of my equipment, *"Everything is connected together. All you have to figure out is where the chain is broken. If it isn't working there has to be a reason. Just follow the trail."* Sorry to be simplistic, but that is how I feel about America. Everything is connected...but we refuse to follow the trail.

So follow along with me as we lift up the hood, check out the spark plugs, and see if we can figure out how to get this baby running. It is my opinion that we are trying to replace the wrong parts. Pardon the corny phraseology, but we are putting the chariot before the horse.

*"Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God."*

America's problems are spiritual, they are not mechanical. We can not get out of this problem merely by changing the horses (parts).

We have tried that cure before. Substituting Republicans for Democrats, or liberals for conservatives may change the direction the chariots are pulled but it gets us no closer to the finish line. Political parties and politicians are merely the horses that pull the chariot. Changing them has brought us nothing more than a false sense of hope. Every election we change a few of the horses, hope that things will straighten out, and then lament the fact that the stallions we put into office end up being nothing more than the same old nag.

Trusting in horses has not worked.

Although the word chariot conjures up thoughts of a carriage in which someone rides, a chariot was actually a weapon of war as demonstrated in this video of Charleton Heston in Ben Hur. In our American constitutional republic the constitution has become the chariot, the weapon of choice, for those who want to over-throw this nation. Many patriotic-Americans have labeled themselves "constitutionalists", and are trusting in that great founding-document to win

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the war against an ever-expanding, all-powerful government. *"If only they would follow the Constitution..."*

Although their intentions are good, the reality is that chariot (constitution) is prisoner to the horses and the direction that they choose to pull it. No matter how much we love to point out "original intent," "separation of powers," and "government of the people..." the chariot gets pulled in directions that it was never intended to go. The Constitution in which we trust is the very weapon that the horses uses to over-throw the will of the people. Extra-constitutional edicts such as "the separation between the church and state," the "penumbras" of the constitution, and "equal protection" clauses have

of men and women are moved as I paint the picture of the consequences of our national rejection of Jesus. But my impassioned plea for "remembering the Lord" has tugged on the bridle of the horses who are not "Christians."

Some of my recent "invitations" to speak have included a request to "tone down a bit" the "religious part" because some of the "coalition" does not hold my same "religious" views. You see, it is easy to change the horses, or fight with the chariot, than it is to harness the rebellious heart of individual men and women.

Needless to say, I told them what they can do with the horse they rode in on...

The god-haters have told us that our Constitution is a "living, breathing document" designed to change with the times. That attitude is the same one that gave us "living breathing" marriages and mortgage contracts. The US Constitution was a contract between a people



Charlton Heston in MGM's Ben Hur

run the chariot over those whom it was created to protect.

As long as horses are pulling the chariots there is no hope, and no sense of generational permanence in that document upon which our nation was founded. Allowing its clearly spelled-out principles to be changed at the whim of the latest I-know-better-than-you judge has caused this foundation stone to be crushed into sand. We all know what happens when one builds upon sinking sand...

Trusting in chariots has led us into a swamp. The Constitution is not a stand-alone document. James Madison, the "Father of the Constitution" said, *"Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other."*

George Washington said *"It is impossible to rightly govern a nation without God and the Bible."*

Some men trust in chariots.....

Recently I have been asked to speak at several "Tea-Parties" around these parts. Word has spread very quickly about the zeal, passion, and clarity with which I articulate The American View of our national dilemma. The hearts

and their Creator from whom the rights of the people had been endowed. A contract is only as good as the people who sign it.

Funny isn't it, our once solid American dollar is in a free fall because the gold that once undergirded it has been removed. Remove the firm foundation and a building is destined for collapse. For over two centuries the ordinances of God were the pillars upon which this nation stood. Remove those supports and the Constitution is not worth the paper it was written on.

*"To the kindly influence of Christianity we owe that degree of civil freedom, and political and social happiness which mankind now enjoys. . . . Whenever the pillars of Christianity shall be overthrown, our present republican forms of government, and all blessings which flow from them, must fall with them."* Jedidiah Morse

I know what my brother-in-law would say... *"Better firm up that foundation."* Nothing short of a spiritual transformation can save this nation.

Some men trust in horses, some men trust in chariots... We need to remember the name of the Lord. Does any national leader have the courage to say so?

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**New World from Page 1**

a lead in??

As we struggle to gain our footing after being bamboozled by our current President's promises of "hope and change", we must cast an equally sharp eye to the halls of Congress. Many who make their office there seek to fundamentally change the United States in the eyes of the rest of the world. Having said this, and while I like to think I understand the intentions of most of the political players, I find myself in need of guidance when addressing the written word as it pertains to this collective "New World Government". To that end, and to this article, I've sought the counsel of my Pastor, Dave Aucoin of Abundant Life Assembly of God in Swansea, MA, as well as my wife Janie, who has opened my eyes in so many ways when it comes to the Biblical word and how it relates to my political views. Here goes...

Climate change is always a good point of reference when we talk about the collective approach on an international level. There is so much evidence of late basically emphasizing the fact that Former VP Al Gore, is a wind bag who emits more fossil fuel into the atmosphere with one ride on his fancy jet, than you or I could if we drove our cars 24/7 for 100 years. Now I

could go on about "global warming" and those cuddly man eating polar bears and such, but suffice it to say, the argument against "An Inconvenient Truth" is overwhelming to say the least and bears out the need for increased scrutiny of these folks. I would add though, that I particularly like the fact that Lord Christopher Monckton, a noted climatologist, handed Gore his back side, eventually winning a case in Briton forcing 9 changes to Gore's movie of the book's title, as they were factually inaccurate and seen by the court as an attempt to mislead the public. Oh, and in these difficult times for us "humans", the polls clearly show that "Al" should "can it" because people don't want to "hear it".

Now I'm not advocating mass pollution, or glorifying the idiot who throws his trash on to the new I-Way. All I'm saying is that any adherence to, or national recognition of, any treaty that bears the signatures of a single socialist country, or compromises U.S. Sovereignty in any way, should be "kryptonite" to an American President.

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nations will meet in Copenhagen to discuss and sign such a treaty that has as its stated purpose, "an economic transition needed to adjust global economic growth patterns towards a sustainable low-emission economy based on development of innovative technologies, more sustainable production and consumption, promoting sustainable lifestyles and climate-resilient sustainable development while ensuring a just transition of the workforce. (Really?)

Bill Wilson of "Word of Life Ministry / www.daileyjot.com" tells us, "This treaty is expected to be signed by the man who occupies the Oval Office. **It commits the United States, its states and local governments, its private businesses, and its youth to unconstitutional worldwide socialist governance under the guise of saving the world from the climate.**"

This is just one example of what many believe is a push towards this "New World Order", a supposed "arrangement" between nations to ensure peace and tranquility for all, and a collective agreement that puts all on the same hash mark supposedly with the

**Only when human freedom is reigned in, and God is removed as the center of man's life and replaced with social utopia, does the Anti-Christ stand a chance.**

intent to ensure fairness. There are many other examples such as the "World Court", whereby our Soldiers would stand trial before an international tribunal instead of being tried by U.S. standards of justice. And don't forget the United Nations proposed "Global Gun Ban" which would rob U.S. Citizens of their Second Amendment right to keep and bear arms by way of "international law", trumping the U.S. Constitution. Yes Folks, there are those in our own houses of Government that so despise American idealism, that by these and other ways, they mean to fundamentally change the United States of America forever.

Now having said all this, you may be wondering how it ties to the Bible Prophecies, and admittedly most of you will probably know more of this association than I. But thanks again to Pastor Dave and My Wife, I think I see the correlation with a little more clarity. From my perspective, the Bible seems to speak to the idea that only through total domination of mankind's indelible spirit, can evil take its place. Only when human freedom is reigned in, and God is removed as the center of man's life and replaced with social utopia, does the Anti-Christ stand a chance. What is even more disheartening is that it is written he may first be perceived as a uniter and savior, maybe even someone espousing that nations come together as one for a "common good"...

If you had read me this script 20 years ago, I would have laughed and dismissed you as the "Bible Beater" I spoke of earlier. Now however, the proverbial writing is on the wall shall we say, and it is becoming more and more difficult

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to ignore the signs. I have never been an easy one to convince, but they are everywhere, they are global, and they are frighteningly real. From the place in which the bible describes these battles for men's souls would begin, to the striking resemblance of political figures, here and around the world to the Biblical descriptions of evil in disguise, the prophecies seem all too real. I fear for our future should we close our eyes to them.

Now I know this may seem a bit alarmist to some, and still others may choose to ignore it altogether. But current and recent events around the world have got my attention and they should have yours. The possibility, no the reality of a nuclear Iran with Israel in its gun sights, a North Korean government run by a genocidal madman, a nuclear Pakistan threatened by Muslim Extremists, a (shaky at best) Afghanistan government

price for the independence, safety and security of our Country. The greatest volunteer army in the world has marched in support of liberty and the "greatest arrangement for mankind under God" as I like to call it, all over the globe. Our sovereign individuality is the very thing that has sustained and



protected us from the collective failures of inaction, and subsequently saved millions of lives.

I must admit that writing this article was tedious, as I struggled to blurt out my frustration with what I see as mankind asleep at the wheel. The task of merging my political and religious belief systems has been tumultuous at the very least, and will ultimately continue along these lines for

the foreseeable future. However Pastor Dave put my restless soul at ease as he has done many times in the past, if only for a while. He assured me that in the end, (God's will) would be done, and that we are powerless to stop it. He spoke of Rapture and Judgment and of how my/our battles should be fought in our hearts as we make our way to God's side in anticipation of his Kingdom. He explained as only a Pastor can, that we must endeavor to "Gods World Order" and no other. I told him I was trying.

For this day however, and for the role of this great Nation, it is the humble opinion of this author, that should we ignore the warnings we've discussed here, and allow the relinquishing of our hard fought national identity to the "collective thought process", and any espoused or perceived "international tranquility" it supposedly would bring, then we will have truly taken a big step towards fulfilling those prophecies that I will now be studying intensely. Are you ready for the "New World Order?"

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Columbia, MO - Among gifted speakers like Tom Tancredo and Chuck Baldwin at this years 2009 Constitution Party National Committee Conference, attendees will also get their first peak at the popular new patriot film "Camp FEMA." Jim Clymer Constitution Party National Committee Chairman says "Camp FEMA shows just how far into tyranny our government has taken us. This highly compelling work is a must-see for all who wish to retain liberty and who refuse to become slaves of the state."

Mary Starrett, National Political Communications Director of the Constitution Party, said she plans to get the DVD into the hands of as many people as possible and is tasked with introducing Camp FEMA to the CP's individual state parties. Special announcements and informal screenings of the movie will take place throughout the convention starting on October 23rd thanks to Mary who enthusiastically proclaims "Camp FEMA is a must have."

Writer/Director William Lewis

### Sabbath from Page 3

Would anyone care to argue with this practice in favor of Saturday or Sunday? Should missionaries impose upon new converts to take a day off on what is to them the "Wednesday" of their week to attend church and then to work when everyone else is off? Would this be in keeping with James 3: 17, "But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere"?

The problem with worshipping isn't the day, it's usually the heart. As Sabbatarian Samuele Bacchiocchi (1938-2008) observed — surprisingly at the 19<sup>th</sup> anniversary address of the Lord's Day Observance Society! — "a proper observance of God's holy day reflects

said "The movie speaks candidly to the heart of every third party supporter in America and asks one simple question, Will you go quietly?" Producer Gary Franchi points to a sold out audience for the Camp FEMA Toronto premiere that puts everything into perspective. He stated, "If the United States falls, then so does the rest of the world. That includes our neighbors to the north." CP Chair Jim Clymer says, "Watch it, share it with others and spread the word that it is time to end the charade that the parties in power have our best interests in mind."

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a healthy relationship with God, while disregard for it bespeaks of spiritual decline or even death."<sup>7</sup> Though believers may differ on "God's holy day," it is sad that believers will "neglect to meet together" Hebrews 10:25) on any day or will look down on others who worship on a different day. No one should assume meeting on a Saturday makes one a legalist any more than meeting on a Sunday makes one a libertine. Those who erroneously think attending church is meritorious or irrelevant can be found in any church.

In Bible college a friend of mine was talking about changes he observed in the Christian culture during his lifetime. Though we weren't talking about the day of worship he quipped, "My grandfather would talk about

# Website Evangelism And The End Of The World In 2012

By Geoff Holding

**Invercargill, New Zealand (ANS)** -- The upcoming Hollywood movie called "2012" is due to be launched on November 13, 2009. This movie combines various beliefs, theories and predictions about end time events to create an end of the world scenario of unbelievably catastrophic and unprecedented proportions. Many people have become quite fearful about the date December 21, 2012. But are those fears reasonable? And is there something more fearful than 2012 predictions. One website answers those questions.

You can visit it at [www.endoftheworld2012.net](http://www.endoftheworld2012.net). This is an evangelistic Christian website created by an Internet mission called Website Evangelism [www.websiteevangelism.net](http://www.websiteevangelism.net). The mission of Website Evangelism is "Casting the Gospel Net over the Internet." For this purpose, it has built the End of the World 2012 site.

The End of the World 2012 site answers some of the main concerns about 2012. At the same time

it invites visitors to view a gospel presentation which addresses the question, "Are you a good person, good enough for heaven?" In the 30 days ending October 18 this year, there were just over 10,000 visits to this gospel presentation.

There are many other pages on this site with biblical content which people visit. The amazing thing is that none of the people who visit were searching for information on



how to be saved from the wrath of God against their sins. They were just curious about 2012.

Email and survey responses from those who visit the gospel presentation are showing that (1) people are coming to faith in Christ (2) those who have walked away from the Lord are coming back (3) Christians are repenting of sin and (4) others are saying they have

had their consciences stirred and need to go away and think about it. You can read some of their stories on [www.websiteevangelism.net](http://www.websiteevangelism.net). When you're there, read the story of how we were offered money by the makers of the movie on 2012. This was shortly after the End Of The World 2012 site reached number 1 on page 1 of a Google search on this topic. By the way, we turned the money down.

Matthew 24:14 says, "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come." We believe that God is using [www.endoftheworld2012.net](http://www.endoftheworld2012.net) as one of the ways he is reaching the nations with the gospel. It is taking the gospel to the highways and byways of the World Wide Web and compelling people to come into God's kingdom. Since it went live on the Internet in November 2008, [www.endoftheworld2012.net](http://www.endoftheworld2012.net) has been visited by 186 nations. Around 150 nations regularly visit every month.

Our prayer is that "many shall see [it], and fear, and shall trust in the LORD" (Psalm 40:3).

Please, support this Internet mission by visiting [www.endoftheworld2012.net](http://www.endoftheworld2012.net) and signing up as a member. Membership is free. You will then receive information on how you can reach the nations from in front of your computer by spending as little time as 15 minutes a week. It's that easy! Jesus said, "follow me and I will make you fishers of men" (Matthew 4: 19). Do you have a computer and an Internet connection? If you do, then come fishing with us through Website Evangelism.

With the 2012 movie being released shortly, this is a great opportunity to promote this evangelistic website.

Please, visit [www.endoftheworld2012.net](http://www.endoftheworld2012.net), sign up as a member and start casting the Gospel Net over the Internet. Not all members are Christians so when you sign up, be sure to indicate that you are a Christian. May God bless you as you do.

**About the author:** Geoff Holding says, "I am a parish minister who stepped out of ministry after 15 years to reconnect with the world with the full intention of going back into parish ministry in a couple of years - that plan has significantly changed! I now work as caretaker in a tertiary institute by day and do Website Evangelism by night. I build websites on topics that people are interested in (eg. [www.learntyping.org](http://www.learntyping.org)) and put gospel presentations on them. People visit the sites and encounter the Gospel - some encounter God! I am supported in this new adventure with God by my wife Jenny and pray that one day this will become a full time mission."

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the 'Sabbath,' while my father referred to 'Sunday,' but now my neighbor talks about his plans for the 'weekend.'" This observation speaks to the issue that it's not about a day, it's about a person, and conforming one's life to his Word. It's about trusting in Jesus Christ and gathering with his body to "consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (Hebrews 10: 24-25).

### (Endnotes)

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an exceptional study see Carson's *From Sabbath to Lord's Day: A Biblical, Historical, and Theological Investigation*. In this work of over 440 pages Carson, along with six other scholars, do a thorough job of canvassing and interacting with the major authors and issues of this debate in a fair and even-handed manner. For a brief (161 pages) but equally fair treatment, see Richard P. Belcher and Richard P. Belcher, Jr., *A Layman's Guide to the Sabbath Question* (Southbridge, Massachusetts, 1991). From a Sabbatarian perspective, see Samuele Bacchiocchi, *From Sabbath to Sunday: A Historical Investigation of the Rise of Sunday Observance in Early Christianity* (Rome: Pontifical Gregorian University, 1977).

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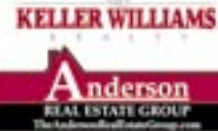
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## Editorials / Commentary / Letters to the Editor

## Do Something Worthy of Persecution

By Dave Welch

At the risk of offending all the sensitive pastors and young evangelicals who are so anxious not to be the "Religious Right," I would like to propose that it is time they do something worthy of persecution. I had the privilege of being in a meeting with Open Doors USA President Carl Moeller last week and heard about the incredible work they are doing to support our persecuted brethren in countries where it really means something.

With the passage – again – of hate-crimes legislation in Congress last week as Democrats deviously leached it onto the Defense Appropriations bill, the noose continues to tighten on biblical Christianity in America.

Also last week, U.S. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg, our ACLU activist-turned-judge, postulated that as a resolution to the "unconstitutional" situation of a cross as a veteran's memorial in the Mojave National Preserve, the federal government "remove the cross, then sell the land back to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, which originally built the memorial 75 years ago."

(A side note – Justice Ginsburg is late to the game ... the "Market-Driven Church" has already "sold the cross.")

To cap the week off, our president reaffirmed his commitment to destroy marriage and family by removing barriers to open gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, etc. practices in our military and overturning

the Defense of Marriage Act.

Not exactly a banner week for Americans who hold to traditional values and Judeo-Christian principles as espoused by 400 years of our forefathers. But then again, We, Those People, are really the problem anyway, are we not?

According to British theologian and author Os Guinness, the "Religious Right" is the cause of the militant gay-rights movement, and we repeatedly hear major neo-evangelicals apologizing for and distancing themselves from the religious conservatives who have fought for the sanctity of life, the protection of the family and God's design of marriage.

Let me give some good news to those of the "new" evangelical paradigm: Very few of you are in danger of immediate persecution through hate-crimes legislation, the pro-sexual diversity tyranny of the Obama administration, the global elites of the major media or even proponents of Islam and "inter-faith dialogue" on "social justice."

Why? These evangelicals are no threat to them because they don't preach from the pulpit or speak publicly anything that raises a standard of significant opposition but rather placates the American Christian church into a state of spiritual, moral, cultural and political neutrality.

The clear truth is that not even the most hardened secularist of the cultural or political left will attack a pastor for feeding the hungry, clothing the naked or

sheltering the homeless. It is also clear that our Lord directs we do those things IN HIS NAME.

The problem is that the social side of the Gospel is only of value if it is inseparably linked with the spiritual side of the Gospel and the "hard truth" of our sin nature with redemption only through Jesus Christ. His name is the offense, not the actions of religious conservatives.

The message of our day for Bible-believing citizens is to feed, clothe and shelter the needy, but don't do it in Jesus' name; shut up and let us continue to steal your children, kill the unborn, glorify sexual perversions and force you to declare that all religions are equally true.

Not on my watch.

Those of us who refuse to parse our faith in that blatantly unscriptural manner are indeed going to be targets of various types of "persecution," but it is time we just say, "Bring it on!" I must bow with shame before my brothers and sisters in nearly every Asian, Middle Eastern, African and South American country who truly suffer and often die for simply following Christ.

The American Christian church is largely an embarrassment to 2,000 years of our forebears not because we have stood too strongly but because we have not lived and practiced "holy living" as described by Dr. Moeller as the primary reason Chinese Christians explain the revival there under Communist tyranny.

We have reveled in our comfort and blessings, sought peace rather than righteousness and fallen down before the evil in our land. The God-given duty to govern righteously was thrown off of the biblical bandwagon decades ago by the evangelical church to focus on "spiritual matters."

There are two basic biblical reasons for persecution, both found in Matthew 5, and I will leave you to consider which we legitimately can claim in this country today:

Option 1: "Blessed are those who have been persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people insult you and persecute you, and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of Me" (Matthew 5:10, 11).

Option 2: "You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt has become tasteless, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled under foot by men" (Matthew 5:13).

Pastors in particular need to remember the warning by Mordecai to Esther as she was considering whether to risk her life to speak out: "For if you remain silent at this time, relief and deliverance will arise for the Jews from another place and you and your father's house will perish. And who knows whether you have not attained royalty for such a time as this?" (Esther 4:14)

Paul Middleton, one of my early mentors and a pro-life champion from Washington state, used to quip that it was his goal to either help bring about renewal and revival or "be first in line for the firing squad." How about you?

## Dear Friends,

Since the summer, we have been bringing to your attention the Hate Crimes issue, its possible effects on Christians and Christian pastors, and how, because of the opposition of Christians, the bill had been stealthily attached to a must-pass National Defense Authorization Act. Now both houses of Congress have passed the support-our-troops spending bill, along with the hate crime amendments, all of which will go shortly to President Obama for his signature.

We bring you this news so that you can see just how these things work, and how the will of the people can be thwarted by crafty

politicians. You can read all the details at WorldNetDaily.com.

We could take heart if just one or two of our own RI or MA politicians voted with the will of the people and against hate crime legislation. After all, 29 Senators did. But, alas, your Senators did not. Nor did your Representatives. In fact, no Senator or Representative in MA or RI took the Christian position.

We can let our Senators or Reps know we are not pleased with their votes. Here are their office numbers. You need not worry about talking to them directly; they have hundreds of polite and patient staffers paid

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## Washington's First National Thanksgiving Proclamation

American Minute with Bill Federer

In 1789, from the U.S. Capitol in New York City, President George Washington issued the first Proclamation of a National Day of Thanksgiving and Prayer to Almighty God, as just one week earlier the first session of the U.S. Congress successfully approved the First Ten Amendments limiting the power of the Federal Government.

The First Amendment begins: "Congress shall make no law respecting the establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

In his Proclamation, President Washington stated: "Whereas it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the Providence of Almighty God....

we may...unite in most humbly offering our prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler of Nations..."

Washington continued: "and beseech Him to pardon our national and other transgressions, to enable us all, whether in public or private stations, to perform our...duties properly...to render our national government a blessing to all the People, by constantly being a government of wise, just and constitutional laws..."

and to bless them with...peace and concord...and the increase of science...and...to grant unto all Mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as He alone knows to be best."

## Dear Good News Today:

By now you probably heard about Congressman Patrick Kennedy's idea of a Town Meeting. It was actually a Teleconference, one sided, no room for debate or freedom of speech, for that matter.

My husband and I were probably among countless other Rhode Islanders who participated in this charade of a meeting. We were told that if we had any questions for the Congressman to push \*3 and then wait our turn to ask our question (only one question) and a screener would take our question.

Now, usually the idea of a screener is so that the same question doesn't get asked more than once. This evening's meeting seemed to have the same question asked three or four times, all questions concerning the rising costs of health care among private insurance companies; questions that Patrick Kennedy didn't mind answering and sounded rehearsed so that he could come up smelling like a rose.

By 5:30, the screener got to our question which was concerning

freedom of conscience for Doctors concerning abortion "care" and whether Doctors will have the option to not refer someone to an abortion or to not provide abortion services if it goes against their moral stance or conscience.

The conference ended promptly at 6:00 pm (no surprise) and my question was never addressed. I thought Town meetings would have better room for debate and coverage of all concerns, more room for freedom of speech. This meeting sounded one sided or as

my husband put it, they stacked the deck.

I'm disgusted that I didn't get a chance to speak for the unborn this evening. Sure, I was allowed to leave my question in Kennedy's voice mailbox for him to respond. But like all my other questions, I probably will get another non-answer form letter.

A concerned Christian of Rhode Island,

Teresa and Mark Rudd

**Editor's note:** Unfortunately you're not alone Teresa and Mark, it seems there is growing concern about the lack of representation in our state and across the nation. I urge our readers to get involved with groups like the RI Tea Party so that we can keep our concerns in front of our elected officials. If they continue to sidestep our concerns then they must be voted out of office. Check the National News section for more info on this topic.

# Inspiration

## The Great Thanksgiving Hoax

By Richard J. Maybury

Each year at this time school children all over America are taught the official Thanksgiving story, and newspapers, radio, TV, and magazines devote vast amounts of time and space to it. It is all very colorful and fascinating.

It is also very deceiving. This official story is nothing like what really happened. It is a fairy tale, a whitewashed and sanitized collection of half-truths which divert attention away from Thanksgiving's real meaning.

The official story has the pilgrims boarding the Mayflower, coming to America and establishing the Plymouth colony in the winter of 1620-21. This first winter is hard, and half the colonists die. But the survivors are hard working and tenacious, and they learn new farming techniques from the Indians. The harvest of 1621 is bountiful. The Pilgrims hold a celebration, and give thanks to God. They are grateful for the wonderful new abundant land He has given them.

The official story then has the Pilgrims living more or less happily ever after, each year repeating the first Thanksgiving. Other early colonies also have hard times at first, but they soon prosper and adopt the annual tradition of giving thanks for this prosperous new land called America.

The problem with this official story is that the harvest of 1621 was not bountiful, nor were the colonists hardworking or tenacious. 1621 was a famine year and many of the colonists were lazy thieves.

In his 'History of Plymouth Plantation,' the governor of the colony, William Bradford, reported that the colonists went hungry for years,

because they refused to work in the fields. They preferred instead to steal food. He says the colony was riddled with "corruption," and with "confusion and discontent." The crops were small because "much was stolen both by night and day, before it became scarce eatable."

In the harvest feasts of 1621 and 1622, "all had their hungry bellies filled," but only briefly. The prevailing condition during those years was not the abundance the official story claims, it was famine and death. The first "Thanksgiving" was not so much a celebration as it was the last meal of condemned men.

But in subsequent years something changes. The harvest of 1623 was different. Suddenly, "instead of famine now God gave them plenty," Bradford wrote, "and the face of things was changed, to the rejoicing of the hearts of many, for which they blessed God." Thereafter, he wrote, "any general want or famine hath not been amongst them since to this day." In fact, in 1624, so much food was produced that the colonists were able to begin exporting corn.

What happened?

After the poor harvest of 1622, writes Bradford, "they began to think how they might raise as much corn as they could, and obtain a better crop." They began to question their form of economic organization.

This had required that "all profits & benefits that are got by trade, working, fishing, or any other means" were to be placed in the common stock of the colony, and that, "all such persons as are of this colony, are to have their meat, drink, apparel, and

## ALPHABET BIBLE GAMES - MINISTRY TIP

By Rev. Doug Forbes

The Bible has been called the world's greatest literary work and it is certainly the world's bestseller each year! It's important for our class members to explore the Bible for themselves and discover the great treasures that it contains. Alphabet Bible Games will help our children become more familiar with their Bibles, and help them learn where to find interesting facts, helpful information and lots of exciting stories!

For Alphabet Bible Games you need: Bibles, Bible concordances and some small prizes. (Small

provisions out of the common stock." A person was to put into the common stock all he could, and take out only what he needed.

This "from each according to his ability, to each according to his need" was an early form of socialism, and it is why the Pilgrims were starving. Bradford writes that "young men that are most able and fit for labor and service" complained about being forced to "spend their time and strength to work for other men's wives and children." Also, "the strong, or

pieces of wrapped candy or lollipops work great.)

Break your group into two teams, and flip a coin to determine which team goes first. The first team has one minute to discover a Bible story that begins with the letter A with its reference. The second team then has one minute to find a Bible story that begins with the letter B with its reference. Continue through the entire alphabet until one team fails to find a story, breaks the chain and loses the round. Each member of the winning team then receives a small prize. (The time

element words, he replaced socialism with a free market, and that was the end of famines.

Many early groups of colonists set up socialist states, all with the same terrible results. At Jamestown, established in 1607, out of every shipload of settlers that arrived, less than half would survive their first twelve months in America. Most of the work was being done by only one-fifth of the men, the other four-fifths choosing to be parasites. In the winter of 1609-10, called "The Starving Time," the population fell from five-hundred to sixty.

Then the Jamestown colony was converted to a free market, and the results were every bit as dramatic as those at Plymouth. In 1614, Colony Secretary Ralph Hamor wrote that after the switch there was "plenty of food, which every man by his own industry may easily and doth procure." He said that when the socialist system had prevailed, "we reaped not so much corn from the labors of thirty men

should be adjusted to match the age of the children, and you may wish to drop the need for a reference.)

Continue the game with a different subject each round. The young people could search for animals of the Bible, plants, people's names, cities, countries, etc.

At the end of the game, congratulate everyone for his or her efforts and give everyone a prize. Challenge the children to continue reading their Bibles and using their concordances to discover the great truths and treasures in the Word of God!

### Are you using your Bible the way God tells you to... or is it just sitting around.

1. It is a **map**...follow it. Proverbs 6:22
2. It is **food**...digest it. Matt. 4:4
3. It is a **lamp**...hold it high. Psalm 119:105
4. It is **sweet**...enjoy it. Psalm 119:103
5. It is a **key**...use it. Proverbs 4:20
6. It is a **promise**...trust it. II Corinthians 1:20
7. It is a **treasure**...share it. Acts 20:32
8. It is a **birth certificate**...join the family. 1 Peter 1:3

In His Service and Yours, J. Charles White

as three men have done for themselves now."

Before these free markets were established, the colonists had nothing for which to be thankful. They were in the same situation as Ethiopians are today, and for the same reasons. But after free markets were established, the resulting abundance was so dramatic that the annual Thanksgiving celebrations became common throughout the colonies, and in 1863, Thanksgiving became a national holiday.

Thus the real reason for Thanksgiving, deleted from the official story, is: Socialism does not work; the one and only source of abundance is free markets, and we thank God we live in a country where we can have them.

This article originally appeared in *The Free Market*, November 1985.



man of parts, had no more in division of victuals and clothes, than he that was weak." So the young and strong refused to work and the total amount of food produced was never adequate.

To rectify this situation, in 1623 Bradford abolished socialism. He gave each household a parcel of land and told them they could keep what they produced, or trade it away as they saw fit. In other

and began rolling up one leg of his trousers. In doing so he revealed a steel brace running down both sides of his leg attaching itself to a specially made shoe.

Looking back up at the farmer, he said, "You see sir, I don't run too well myself, and he will need someone

*"There's no charge for love."*

Slowly another little ball appeared, this one noticeably smaller. Down the ramp it slid.

Then in a somewhat awkward manner, the little pup began hobbling toward the others, doing its best to catch up...

"I want that one," the little boy said, pointing to the runt. The farmer knelt down at the boy's side and said, "Son, you don't want that puppy. He will never be able to run and play with you like these other dogs would."

With that the little boy stepped back from the fence, reached down,

who understands." With tears in his eyes, the farmer reached down and picked up the little pup. Holding it carefully he handed it to the little boy. "How much?" asked the little boy. "No charge," answered the farmer, "There's no charge for love."

Do you need someone who understands? There is someone who knows you better than a brother. Someone who has always been there for you through thick and thin and will never let you down, he was even willing to die for you.

The Bible says that God sent His only begotten Son, Jesus, to

die for our sins, that whosoever believes in Him would not perish but have everlasting life. (John 3:16) It also says that if you confess with your mouth, that Jesus is Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. (Romans 10:9)

Don't wait another minute, ask Him right now to show you His perfect will for your life.

*Jesus, please forgive me for my sin. I know that you died for me and that you have a plan for my life. Please teach me your ways*

*and help me to live my life for you. I'd like to know of your unconditional love. Amen*

Congratulations, if you have prayed this prayer, from your heart the Bible says, "Therefore if any man [be] in Christ, [he is] a **new** creature: **old things** are passed away; **behold**, all **things** are **become new**." (2 Cor. 5:17)

If you've prayed this prayer for the first time or are renewing your commitment to the Lord, please let us know so that we can pray for you as you start a new life with Jesus.

## All we need is Love

A farmer had some puppies he needed to sell. He painted a sign advertising the 4 pups and set about nailing it to a post on the edge of his yard. As he was driving the last nail into the post, he felt a tug on his overalls. He looked down into the eyes of a little boy..

"Mister," he said, "I want to buy one of your puppies." "Well," said the farmer, as he rubbed the sweat off the back of his neck, "These puppies come from fine parents and cost a good deal of money.."



The boy dropped his head for a moment. Then reaching deep into his pocket, he pulled out a handful of change and held it up to the farmer. "I've got thirty-nine cents. Is that enough to take a look?" "Sure," said the farmer. And with that he let out a whistle. "Here, Dolly!" he called.

Out from the doghouse and down the ramp ran Dolly followed by four little balls of fur. The little boy pressed his face against the chain link fence. His eyes danced with delight. As the dogs made their way to the fence, the little boy noticed something else stirring inside the doghouse.

Slowly another little ball

appeared, this one noticeably smaller. Down the ramp it slid.

"I want that one," the little boy said, pointing to the runt. The farmer knelt down at the boy's side and said, "Son, you don't want that puppy. He will never be able to run and play with you like these other dogs would."

With that the little boy stepped back from the fence, reached down,

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### Little John the Baptist

Matt.18:4-5 "Therefore whoever humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. <sup>5</sup>Whoever receives one little child like this in My name receives Me."

Johnny's Mother looked out the window and noticed him "playing church" with their cat. He had the cat sitting quietly and he was preaching to it. She smiled and went about her work.

A while later she heard loud meowing and hissing and ran back to the open window to see Johnny baptizing the cat in a tub of water. She called out, "Johnny, stop that! The cat is afraid of water!" Johnny looked up at her and said, "He should have thought about that before he joined my church."

### New York Lawyer Vs Brooklyn Cop

A New York lawyer runs a stop sign and gets pulled over by a Brooklyn cop. He thinks that he is smarter than the cop because he is a lawyer from MANHATTEN and is certain that he has a better education than any cop. He decides to prove this to himself and have some fun at the Brooklyn cop's expense!

Brooklyn cop says, "License and registration, please." New York Lawyer says, "What for?" Brooklyn cop says, "You didn't come to a complete stop at the stop sign." New York Lawyer says, "I slowed down, and no one was coming." Brooklyn cop says, "Ye still didn't come to a complete stop. License and registration, please" New York Lawyer says, "What's the difference?" Brooklyn cop says, "The difference is, you have to come to complete stop, that's the law, License and registration, please!"

New York Lawyer says, "If you can show me the legal difference between slow down and stop, I'll give you my license and registration and you give me the ticket. If not, you let me go and don't give me the ticket." Brooklyn cop says, "Sounds fair. Exit your vehicle, sir."

The New York Lawyer exits his vehicle. The Brooklyn cop takes out his baton and starts beating the lawyer and says, "Do ye want me to stop, or just slow down?"

### Medicine for what ails you...

Handwritten sign, posted over one of those hot air hand dryers: "Please push button and listen for a short message from our CEO."

Have a great day...unless you have other plans. ~ He who laughs first also laughs last if nobody laughed in the middle. ~ He who slings mud generally loses ground. ~ Help a man when he's in trouble and he will remember you the next time he's in trouble.

Honest criticism is hard to take, particularly from a relative, a

friend, an acquaintance, or a stranger. ~ How come stars are "in" a movie, but they're "on" TV? ~ How come you never hear father-in-law jokes? ~ I am not stupid. Everyone else is just smarter than me. ~ I am ready to face any challenge that might be foolish enough to face me.

~ I can see how astronomers figure out the distance of the stars and their size and temperatures and all that. What really gets me is how they find out what their names are!

~ I find television very educating. Every time somebody turns on the set, I go into the other room and read a book. ~ I gave up jogging for my health. My thighs kept rubbing together and setting fire to my underwear. ~ I have an important message about growing old ... now I forgot what I was gonna tell you.

~ I read this article that said the typical symptoms of stress are eating too much, impulse buying, and driving too fast. Are they kidding? That's my idea of a perfect day!

### Ya gotta love kids...

The little boy came home from his first day at Sunday School. He told his mother that his Sunday school teacher was Jesus' granny. "How did you reach that conclusion?" his mother asked. "Well, she never stops talking about Jesus," he replied.

It was 6 p.m., and I was about to leave the coin laundry where I was employed. My boss called me over and asked if I would mind dropping off someone's laundry on my way home. "It's for my cousin," she apologized, "who's eight months pregnant and can't get out much anymore." I cheerfully agreed and, driving to the address, knocked at the door. A little girl, the sister-to-be, answered. "Hi, there," I said with a big smile. "Is your mommy home?" Holding up the white bundle of clothes, I explained, "I have a delivery for her." The child's mouth dropped, and her eyes went wide. "Mom!" She shrieked, "come quick! It's the stork!"

The minister's little six-year-old girl had been so naughty during the week that her mother decided to give her the worst kind of punishment. She told her she couldn't go to the Sunday School Picnic on Saturday. When the day came, her mother felt she had been too harsh and changed her mind. When she told the little girl she could go to the picnic, the child's reaction was one of gloom and unhappiness. "What's the matter? I thought you'd be glad to go to the picnic," her mother said. "It's too late!" the little girl said. "I've already prayed for rain."

Revelation by R W Corsi



Q: How does a quahog call you up?  
A: On his shell phone.

### Cup of Tea



One day my mother was out and my dad was in charge of me. I was maybe 2 1/2 years old.

Someone had given me a little 'tea set' as a gift and it was one of my favorite toys. Daddy was in the living room engrossed in the evening news when I brought him a little cup of 'tea', which was just water. After several cups of tea and lots of praise for such yummy tea, my Mom came home.

My Dad made her wait in the living room to watch me bring him a cup of tea, because it was 'just the cutest thing!' My Mom waited, and sure enough, here I come down the hall with a cup of tea for Daddy and she watches him drink it up. Then she says, (as only a mother would know... :) 'Did it ever occur to you that the only place she can reach to get water is the toilet?'



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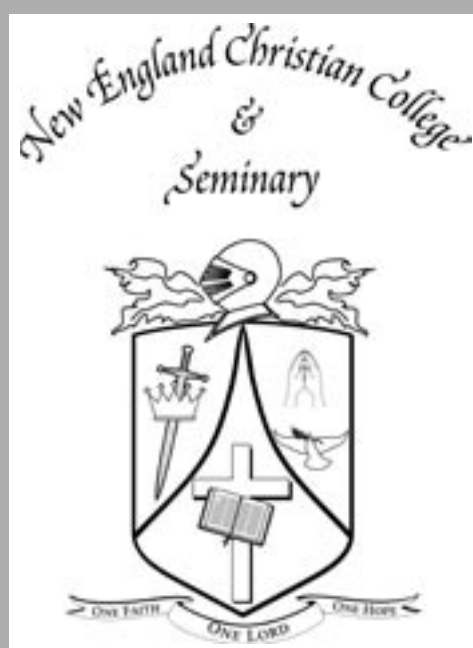
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"For the LORD thy God hath blessed thee in all the works of thy hand." Deut. 2:7

### Backward thinking?

An elderly fisherman wrote the following to a catalog company: "Please send me one of those gaso-line engines for my boat you show

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Friday 7:00 p.m. - Youth Service  
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# NOVEMBER

## November Highlights

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**Nov 6 ~ 7-10p.m. • Men's Night Out**  
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**Traditional Christian music.** Free will  
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visit [www.churchoftheapostlesri.org](http://www.churchoftheapostlesri.org)

**Nov 7 ~ 5-8p.m. • Pawtuxet Baptist**  
**Church Pasta Dinner** \$6 per person or  
\$20 for family of four. children under five  
eat free. Tickets at the door and for more  
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**Nov 14 ~ 9a.m. • Arise! Cry Out**  
**Mom's In Touch International.** A  
worldwide Day of Extraordinary Prayer  
for Children & Schools. Plan to attend.  
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**Banquet.** Crowne Plaza, Warwick  
RI. Africans reaching Africans for  
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## 1 Sunday

**7-8:30p.m.~ Evening Church Service,**  
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**7p.m. ~ Underground 101-** every Sun-  
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spoken word, art exhibits, drama, mov-  
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**7-10p.m. ~ Men of Covenant Men's**  
**Meeting** every Sunday. Cathedral of  
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## 3 Tuesday

**10a.m. ~ Women's Bible Study,** meets  
every Tuesday at New Hope Christian  
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MA. or [nhcc.ws](http://nhcc.ws) (508)-324-4500

**7p.m. ~ Healing Streams Prayer Ser-**  
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healing touch. New Life Worship Center  
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**7p.m. ~ Celebrate Recovery** every  
Tuesday. (Behind the Church) Inter-  
national Church of the Nazarene 278  
Pleasant St, New Bedford, MA.

## 4 Wednesday

**12-1 p.m. ~ Full Gospel Business**  
**Men's Fellowship International. Lun-**  
**cheon:** at The Courtyard Marriott Hotel  
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**7:30p.m. ~ Power Study Night** every  
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## 5 Thursday

**7p.m. "Consumed Youth" ~ Teens** are  
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Thursday The Orchard Church, 180  
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## 6 Friday

**7p.m. ~ Ground Zero** Youth Service  
with Teen-Led Worship and Rele-  
vant BibleTeaching. New Life Worship  
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**7:30p.m. ~ Damascus Road Coffee**  
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**7-9p.m. ~ Recovery Class** every Friday  
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G.A.R. Highway Swansea, MA.(508)-  
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**7-9p.m. ~ Core- Youth Night (Grades**  
**9 - 12)** Every Friday. Christian  
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## 7 Saturday

**10a.m. ~ Recovering Program: Free-**  
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**8p.m. ~ Adult Coffee House every**  
**Sat** Cathedral of Life Christian Assembly,  
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## 12 Thursday

**9:30a.m. ~ M.O.P.S** Group meets every  
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# Calendar

**7p.m. ~ Joshua's Men** 2nd and 4th Thursday, we meet for prayer, bible study and mutual accountability, at Church of the Apostles 170 Fairview Ave, Coventry, for more info: 401-821-7609

## 13 Friday

**7p.m. ~ Ground Zero** Youth Service with Teen-Led Worship and Relevant Bible Teaching. New Life Worship Center, 915 Douglas Pike, Smithfield, RI. 401-232-5200

**7-9p.m. ~ Recovery Class** every Friday at New Hope Christian Church, 1436 G.A.R. Highway Swansea, MA.(508)-324-4500

## 14 Saturday

**8a.m. ~ Good News Bible Chapel's Man College** - Teaching men to be men, husbands and fathers. Good News Bible Chapel 235 West St. Attleboro, MA 508-226-2916

**9a.m. ~ Arise ! Cry Out - Mom's In Touch International.** A worldwide Day of Extraordinary Prayer for Children & Schools. Plan to attend. Christian Hill Community Church 56 Tiogue Ave, Warwick RI, 401-269-4038

**7p.m. ~ "Divine Addiction". Christian Contemporary/Rock.** The Upper Room. 1221 Main St, West Warwick, RI. 401-823-5330 www.theupperroomri.org

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## 18 Wednesday

**12-1p.m. ~ Full Gospel Businessmen's Luncheon.** Full gospel/ fellowship. (2nd Wed of month at this Location) Radisson Hotel, Providence, RI (exit 3, Gano St... off 195) call Jim 401-821-8750

## 19 Thursday

**9:30a.m. ~ M.O.P.S** Group meets every 2nd & 3rd Thursday of every month; call holiday weeks for reschedule. New Hope Christian Center. 1436 GAR Highway, Swansea, MA (508) 324-4500 or nhcc.ws

**10a.m. ~ Senior Saint Bible Study** (65 & older) 3rd Thursday of the month at New Hope Christian Church, 1436 G.A.R. Highway Swansea, MA. (508)-324-4500

## 21 Saturday

**7p.m.~ "Rock Salt".** Christian Blues. The Upper Room. 1221 Main St, West Warwick, RI. 401-823-5330 www.theupperroomri.org

## 22 Sunday

**7-10p.m. ~ Men of Covenant Men's Meeting** every Sunday. Cathedral of Life, 433 Elmwood Ave, Providence, RI 02907 401-780-8900

## 26 Happy Thanksgiving

## 28 Saturday

**7p.m. "4 A Cross" Christian Contemporary/Rock.** The Upper Room. 1221 Main St, West Warwick, RI. 401-823-5330 www.theupperroomri.org

## 29 Sunday

**6-8p.m. ~ Cathedral of Life Strategic Prayer Gatherings** (corporate prayer), last Sunday of every month. 433 Elmwood Ave, Providence, RI 401-780-8900

### December Highlights

**Dec 4 ~ 7:30p.m. • Spirit & Truth in concert:** Praise & Worship music. Free will offering. Refreshments served. Church of The Apostles, A New Beginning Coffee House. 170 Fairview Ave, Coventry, RI. For more info contact Cathy at 499-3918, Church Office 821-7609 or visit www.churchofheapostlesri.org

**December 5 ~ 7p.m. • "Shawn Dennison & Raised In Glory"** Christian Contemporary/worship. The Upper Room. 1221 Main St, West Warwick, RI. 401-823-5330 www.theupperroomri.org

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### Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International

1st Wednesday of the month: **Courtyard Marriott Hotel** 32 Exchange Terrace (Kennedy Plaza)  
2nd Wednesday of the month: **Radisson Hotel** - 195E Exit 3, Gano Street **12:00-1:00pm**  
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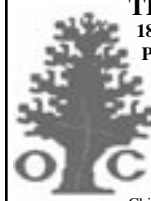
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