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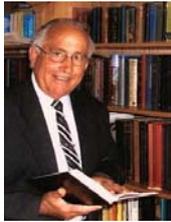
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From The Editor's Desk:

Special greetings to you Brethren, in our Lord Jesus. As we approach the end of the year 2008, we look back over the sequence of events beginning with our introductory letter sent out in February, outlining our vision to provide a newsletter to all the Ministers, listing some facilities that could be made available. Now, THAT was a step in faith!

Having accomplished most of what we set out to do, I can truthfully say that the blessings that have come back to us exceeded our expectation. What tops the list is the brotherly love I have felt from you, the ministering Brothers, and from brethren you have shared the publication with. The many words of encouragement to: *'Just keep on doing what you're doing'* and *'You'll make it!'* That meant so much to Joan and I. And Bro. Ross has stayed beside us and supported us, and given his time to helping us put out the BNL each month. Also Bro. Adrian has always been there to encourage us. Brother Paul Moffitt said in his editorial once, *'There's no people like The Bride.'* How true.

Yes, we have had our trials – no one knows better than a Pastor, what trials are all about! Funny thing though, I haven't heard any of you complain!! So I'll end this brief subject on a humorous note: After one particular 'refining' day, I said in exasperation, 'That devil had better watch how hard he treats us – we could multiply!' [*like the children of Israel. The more they were persecuted, the more they multiplied.*]

A few weeks ago while talking to Bro. Morris Tafatu from Niue Island, I reminded him of the first time we met after one Gisborne Convention meeting. [*Remember those days when you got to the meeting an hour early to get a good seat?*] I hadn't caught the truth of the Prophet's Message at that time and in the middle of our conversation, Bro. Morris Tafatu said to me, "You are going to have to get out of that denominational system. Come out of her my brother!" I never did forget his words and although Bro. Morris had forgotten, he enjoyed being reminded. And in his own words, he later wrote, "...I am even more blessed to know that God had used this humble watchman to say a simple statement like 'Come out of her, my Brother.'"

Praise The Lord for those older Saints who were willing to speak up. And I got to thinking, 'What a lesson to us to encourage one another, especially when some of us are getting a little older and our memory isn't as sharp as it used to be. [not getting at Bro. Morris!] Just to go up to your brother and tap him on the shoulder and say, "I've never forgotten that time when you were a blessing to me..." Appreciating one another, huh?! 1st Corinthians 13 truly states, 'And though I understand all mysteries and have not love, I'm nothing.'

I've enjoyed keeping in touch with you all and we sure have had some good fellowship, haven't we. I get so fed by your revelation. You fellows have fed me with the finest of the wheat!!

We have had some special ministry throughout the year, Brethren. Just to briefly recount:

1st March: **Bro. Albert** quotes Bro. Branham: *You might have fellowship with the church, but you'll never have fellowship with God till you come on His terms – through the Blood.* ~ **Bro. Derrick:** Go and make disciples Matt 28:19. I have learned, the one who would follow the Heavenly Bridegroom totally, must always be a learner, and one who is open and teachable.

2nd April: Message Youth Camp was held in Rotorua where Brother Gary ministered from a wheelchair ~ Rapturing Faith believers Fellowship Easter Convention: ~ **Bro. Ferdie:** Your lives cannot exist without the power of the Holy Ghost ~ **Bro. Adrian** thanks folk for generously supplying Message Books & Tapes for Vanuatu.

1st May: **Bro. Derrick** said, The real question should not be, ‘what caused the suffering?’ but rather ‘how can I cooperate in doing the works of God in this situation. ~ **Bro. Barry Boyes:** The spirit of Wisdom is now in the Bride. ~ **Bro. Howard:** The importance of getting people in to Christ.

1st June: **Brother Branham** quoted: *‘Mountain, move: maybe one little insignificant grain of sand turned loose out of the hundreds of billions of tons. Hold that faith and watch that mountain disappear. Certainly.* ~ **Bro. Dean:** A life lived by The Word is The Word expressed.

1st July: Recalling the stirring amongst Israel’s supporters in the 1980’s, when the Soviet Leadership was called upon to let the Jews go! ~ **Bro Wiebe’s** testimony of walking out of the crashed Cessna plane (with no casualties).

2nd August: **Brother Branham** : *The only way that God can be expressed to the people is through Love.* ~ **Bro. Albert’s** Prison Ministry ~ **Bro. Dean:** This same message that came to unveil Christ to you has also unveiled you to yourself. Don’t let the devil push you around with his lies. Have faith in the knowledge/revelation of who you are.

2nd September: **Bro. Freddy Esau:** The hammer blows of life will always bend us God-ward if our response is right. **Bro. Tazwell** testifies that the devil is out to defile the pure and break us down. Resist the devil and he will flee from you! ~ **Bro. Paul:** The Bride is just a good Lady! She shines!

4th October: **Brother Branham:** God came to His resting place ...not in a building but in the heart of His people, **Bro. Richard:** Truth is infinite, it is real, it is eternal. It is Jesus Christ.

10th November: **Bro. Greg.** Dedication of New building. ~ **Bro. Adrian:** A person not fully yielded will operate through impulses. **TV:** The insidious “House Guest” and his influence.

Also, in 2008, a number of you have gone overseas with The Word of the hour to refresh and build up the saints over there. God sees the hours of toil, physical weariness and also the sacrifices being made. Let us back our brethren up in prayer – the prayer that prevails.

A big thank you to both our readers and contributors for the part you have all played in the newsletter this year. May you have a blessed time of refreshing during your holidays and we look forward to hearing from you in 2009. God bless you all.

On behalf of the Editorial team:
Bro. Charles
Editor

The Thrust Of The Message.

The Message that God delivered to this generation came for a specific purpose to a specific people. It has an emphasis. It has a thrust.

Luther’s message came to bring his people into relationship with God by restoring the principle of justification by faith. Wesley followed that with the message of sanctification. Laodicea (the Pentecostal age) highlighted the need for the baptism of the Holy Ghost, majoring on the restoration of the gifts of the Spirit.

This Message however, didn’t come to just take us back to the Day of Pentecost. It came to take us back to Eden!

The thrust of this Message is *Adoption.*

“**Adoption**” is a word used commonly in the English language, although its principle meaning to *us* is very different.

To the world, adoption is the taking into a family of a child. It is making a family member of someone who originally wasn’t.

Biblical adoption involves the taking of one who is *already* a son and *placing them* in their position *as* a son of God.

In the message *Christ Is The Mystery Of God Revealed* Brother Branham said, *“Oh, if the Church only knew its position. It will one day. Then, the rapture will go when it knows what it is.”*

With this in mind then, the prerequisite to make the Rapture must be to *come to this position of adoption.*

We need to be forgiven and to have had our sin – and sin – dealt with. We need to be cleansed and to be set apart for service. We need to be born again by the Spirit and Word of God. ***These things are non-negotiable.*** But having experienced those works of grace in our lives – having crossed those bridges – we must (as Paul says in **Hebrews Ch.6:1**) “Go on unto perfection.”

A woman can walk up to the altar with a man and say, “I do.” She can take his ring. She can take his name. She can head off on the honeymoon with him. She can bear his children. She can live with him for fifty years and still not come to the realisation of who she is in him.

So it can be with the Church.

But this is the ***purpose*** of the Message.

This is the purpose of a prophetic ministry, that could tell the people who they were and where they came from – so that ***you*** could be told who you are and where you came from!

This is the purpose of thirty-something years of ministry. This is the purpose of 1179 sermons. This is the purpose of seven times around the world. This is the purpose of the taking of the Book and the opening of the Seven Seals. All so that you can know who and what you are!

And not just so that you can say you’re part of the Bride – by His Grace – but that you might know also what it ***means to be*** a part of That!

And that’s what all this is about – that we call “church.” That’s why the services today, and the sermons, and the ministry, and the teaching and preaching. That’s why the hours spent on hard seats, the heat and the cold, the late nights, the miles on your car, the fuel bill, the trying to keep the kids quiet...

All for the purpose of your position in Christ being identified to you!!! So that we can go Home!!!

May God bless you richly over this Christmas period. May He keep you safe – and focussed. I trust that the New Year – if we’re here to see it – brings the desire of all of our hearts.

Brother Paul Moffitt
Rapturing Grace Tabernacle
Stratford.



The Esau Brothers ‘quartet’.

From Left:

Bros. Tazwell, Ferdy, Freddie & Glen.

Singing:

“If it wasn’t for the Lighthouse,
Where would I be?”

A question we all need to answer.



Compiled by Brother Ron Millevo of the Philippines.

- End time events
- Bible doctrine
- A useful introduction to the message

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To the Editor:

Adrian Grey's article on the Roots of False Doctrine (November Newsletter) got me thinking. The concept (Ezekiel 14 v3-5) was that members of the five fold ministry had set up idols in their hearts. They had come to the true prophet of God who answered those ministers according to their idols, their ambitions, their internal gods. This was typed with some ministers of today who have brought false doctrines into message ranks, gaining a following for themselves.



Adrian's message is a timely warning and, as it was delivered with true evangelistic emphasis, I had to ask myself, "Am I one of those condemned? Have I failed; do I carry an idol or two in my heart?"

And then I wondered about those of us who haven't come with idols already in our hearts but maybe had allowed new idols or false perceptions to grow. I have written about my missionary trips in previous newsletters and it would be easy for Satan to arrow a thought in my mind that I am better than those who only preach in New Zealand.

So I remind myself that I am not a missionary. A missionary is one who goes into unsaved areas and starts new churches, converting people who had never heard of Jesus or this Message. Missionaries, or apostles, are not those who go to preach in other message churches overseas, that is simply swapping pulpits on an international scale. And that got me thinking about New Zealand's ministers and about the dangers for us all, both from ministers and from the congregations.

We can lose sight of the very simple fact that ministers are no more than servants for the Bride of Christ. Imagine a restaurant. Who is greater, the cook, waiter or the diner? Surely the diner, for he, or she, is the reason the cook and waiter have their job, their calling. And isn't that what the five fold ministry does; prepare and serve spiritual food to Christ's Bride? What did Jesus come to do? According to Mark 10 v44 He came to serve!

But then there are the congregations who make idols of their Pastors. Their Pastor can do no wrong; and anyone who goes to a different fellowship is at best foolish virgin or, more likely, serpent seed! Such congregational devotion and adulation must be a real temptation to any minister, even the humblest.

And then there is the standing of the ministry. I have occasionally heard the Aaronic priesthood likened to the five fold ministry. That priesthood stood between the people and God, acting the part of intercessor.

But we are only to have only one intercessor, Jesus Christ. And it was the Aaronic priesthood that rejected Christ. It is that same antagonistic spirit that caused all the trouble in the seven church ages, although in those times it was renamed Nicolaitane.

In contrast the Message puts us in the Melchisedec Priesthood. That is Abraham's covenant, where God Himself served bread and wine. It is a priesthood which predates and therefore overrules the Law. It is a structure where all believers are part of a Holy Nation, each a member of the Royal Priesthood.

The Message itself is not a box within which all truths are held and given out by ministers. The Word, both that written in Bible and that spoken in Messages through the Prophet, is a filter. The Bride can accept truth when the two line up on a subject like the fore and back sight on a rifle on a target. And that is also a check on prophetic utterance, tongues and interpretation or the wise words of an elder. For truth can come through all the members of the body of Christ. It is not absolutely dependant on the five fold ministry.

Revelation is God dealing personally with an individual.

Remember, as Brother Branham told us, God deals with the Jews as a nation, but with the Gentiles as individuals. And that doesn't mean individual churches that means individual people.

Richard Oliver

Eltham Message Church

The task ahead of us is never as great as the Power behind us.

~Why I Haven't Cut my Hair~

This is a Testimony by Sister Christine Ruegg

It was early in 2007 when I became very tempted to cut my hair, although I knew it was wrong and that I'd been taught that long hair in the Bible means 'uncut' hair. At that time in my life I was struggling with a few worldly things, and several sisters I knew had begun to trim their hair and I heard every excuse as to why it was okay. So I eventually decided I would trim my hair, but when I went to do it, I felt so convicted that I decided I would first ask God to clearly show me if I shouldn't cut it at all, and if He didn't answer me I would cut my hair the following week.

I think it was two days later, I had a dream where a man was chasing me with a knife and had me cornered and tried to stab me but was unable to touch me with it though he was stabbing wildly towards me. Then a voice said to me, "He can't touch you because you have uncut hair".

The next night I had another dream. I saw myself holding scissors about to cut my hair and all around, Angels were crying and pleading for me not to cut it, saying they only have authority to protect me if my hair is uncut. I suddenly realized, though I can't write it in words, what it would mean in the unseen spiritual world if I cut my hair, and I started screaming at myself, "Don't cut it, please don't cut it!" Needless to say, I didn't cut it!

About 3-4 weeks after this, it was a strangely quiet afternoon at work. I work in our family business 'The Knife Shop', selling knives. At about 4 p.m. there wasn't a person in sight when a drunk crazed man staggered in swearing and shouting that he was going to stab me and kill me. He was very worked up and angry and used extreme foul language. I looked at him and suddenly realized that this was the same man who had unsuccessfully tried to stab me in my dream! And I felt such a peace and just looked straight at him knowing he could do absolutely nothing to hurt me! He suddenly went all nervous and ran out. A few seconds later he walked back in and said, "Sorry about that Lady" and then left.

It's just the grace of God to have prevented me from cutting off my God-given protection when I was already determined to cut my hair. Praise The Lord!

1Corinthians 11:10 *For this cause ought the woman to have power on her head because of the angels.*



Sister Christine with her parents
Brother Albert and Sister Bronwyn Ruegg
Tauranga

Don't substitute: –
A walk with God, Your prayer life with God, Your communion with God - with Revelation.

Revelation –
should draw you to a prayer life, An intimate walk with God.

***The Greater the Revelation,
The Greater the Humility.***

**Bro. Jeff Jenkins
Lima Ohio.**

From **The Glory of Jacob “GRACE”**
to.... **THE GLORY OF JOSEPH “PERFECTION”**

We had been having some tremendous meetings in our local Fellowship, with the glorious Word being preached and the people being blessed and fed the Bread of Life.

Since 15th June there has been a turn in the ministry in our local assembly where the Message has become a New Message. The Message of Malachi 4 has been preached in its entirety, with the focus being on the preaching of the Promises that pertained for this Day and time.

There was a tremendous spark of a Revival in our midst as God started moving among the people, showing His Association with this Portion of the Bride by many infallible proofs.

On 19th October 2008 the Inspiration was:-

Changing from **the glory of Jacob- “Grace”** to **the glory of Joseph “Perfection”**.

In his message the Pastor referred to the Third Pull and really laying in The Word - building up the Church in the most Holy Faith.

The next Sunday 26th October Brother Ferdy ministered on:-

“Changing from Glory unto Glory as By the Spirit of the Lord”.

This was something else! In this message he spoke about the Baptism of the Holy Spirit for a Birth - and then comes the growing stage where you add those virtues. And when God sees those virtues operating He Seals your boxcar. Somehow, in the message there was a swing to the IMPORTANCE of The Holy Ghost and how much we need It .

At the end of Bro. Ferdy’s message, the Pastor began speaking to the believers about The Holy Spirit and I believe that he was inspired directly from Heaven to open up the Altar for those souls seeking the Baptism of The Holy Ghost. It was a life changing service! Almost at the end of the service there was a call to the families, and the families streamed to the Altar to be prayed for and to make a fresh dedication to God .

In the evening of the 26th October we had Communion and Bro Glen spoke on the Promise of the Father and how The Word that Sunday morning had placed the Believers under an atmosphere of expectation for the manifestation of the Promise of The Holy Ghost and the Believers were sealed by The Word of Promise of the Holy Ghost and the Bible says, that the disciples went to the upper room waiting with one accord for the Promise of the Father.

On the 16th November 2008 , the Promise of the Father was Manifested in our local Assembly, so much so that the minister could not minister.

What a time we had as the Glory of The Lord came down and filled the place and also filled the Believers. I believe that the Believers under expectation were Baptized with The Holy Ghost for a Birth and some a Refilling, Hallelujah!

Bro Hiku was really giving God the glory as he gave his testimony of how God had carried him through the midnight hour of his life. Then while he was testifying, the devil attacked Bro Hiku right there in Church. He could not stand and started to collapse while leaning on the pulpit. But Glory! God has His men who are anointed for the season. The elders in the church as well as the brothers rushed forward when they saw Bro Hiku was under attack and started to pray for him on the spot and rebuked the devil.

My! Hallelujah ! Right before our eyes we witnessed a miracle!! We saw Bro Hiku straighten up as we saw the Miracle of The Word manifested right before our eyes. Glory!

The Pastor went behind the pulpit and the people started worshipping God.

THE GLORY OF GOD FILLED THE PLACE so that the minister could not stand to minister (II Chronicles 5). For a solid 45 minutes, the people worshipped God. What a Presence of The Lord! It filled the place!

The devil tried to hijack the service, but God used the situation to get the Glory.

God Bless you all.

Bro Glenville Esau

Message Fellowship Auckland

A true Revelation magnifies Grace.

Often said by **Bro. Reg Searle**
[now with the Lord]

GLOBAL WARMING

& its effects



One of the most talked about subject today on a global level is global warming and its devastating effects worldwide. The political and church leaders alike have held so many meetings to discuss this vital matter in order to minimise the polarisation effects throughout the world. However, the more talks held and more protocols initiated and promoted, the worse the situation becomes. The most worried people of all are those that live in low lying atolls in the Pacific region: like Kiribati, Tuvalu, Tokelau and the Northern Cook's group etc.

Research by scientists has also revealed that sea levels on these low lying atolls are rising on a scale that sooner or later these islands will be covered by sea water.

Consequent to the rising of sea levels the Governments of these affected islands in the Pacific and elsewhere are crying out to the large developed countries of the world to cut down the carbon emissions to the atmosphere which is the main contributor to global warming effects.

While the political and denominational leaders of the world are gathering to discuss and initiate systems to stem global warming fear, let's cast our thoughts on what the Author, the Creator has to say about the matter.

1. God in *Matthew 24* has spoken to the world about the catastrophic events that would take place at this very time in which we live. In ***Daniel 2:12***, God has also spoken how the world is going to crumble at this end time.

2. It must be noted that God is not the destructor of the world, but man with his scientific knowledge based on satanic ideologies and greed. ***John 10:10*** – *Jesus said "The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly"*.

3. The Prophet in our Laodicean generation, Brother William Branham, repeatedly exhorts us in no uncertain terms regarding the impending desolate tragedies that will take place one day and there is no other solution to resolve it but for us to hurry and flee to the Lord Jesus Christ, The Word, and to do all what He has commanded us in spirit and in truth.

4. In his message 'Watchman, What of the night?' Bro. Branham quotes from paragraph

69 – 73 **also** 79 – 86:

[69] *"Oh, my friends, listen to THUS SAITH THE LORD. If you consider me to be His Servant, it's just before the break of day. That's why this horrible gloom is over the earth. It's just before the Coming of The Lord Jesus. There's no more hope left in nothing but His Coming.*

[70] *Nations are against Nations. And they have folled through God's Laboratory till they got the power to blow one another into atomic ashes. And they are wicked, and they are un-religious, and they're un-Christianlike. And the only motive they have, and object, is to destroy. And they're inspired by the destroying angel that was sent from heaven to inspire these men.*

[71] *Let me say in the Name of the Lord Jesus, the Holy Spirit has sent a Watchman on the Tower. And as the people cry, "What of the night?" Are you weary of this life? Are you weary of sin? Are you weary of funeral processions and sickness and ungodliness on every hand? Has the night been long and weary? "What of the night, watchman?" He said, "The morning cometh' See the comfort?*

[72] *'And the night also is coming'. What is the night? Look how in perfect harmony with the Scripture, Isaiah was. In the regular course of – of nature, always that the approaching of the sun congeals the darkness together and makes it dark. It's darker before day than any other time in the night. Why? It's the approaching light that's making it dark.*

[73] *And it's the approaching of The Lord Jesus now that's a bringing this gloom upon the earth. Did not He say, "When these things begin to come to pass, lift up your head, for your redemption is drawing nigh".*

God bless you.

**Bro. Morris Tafatu,
Nuie Island**

Sharing a few thoughts

~~ from the Book of James ~~

JAMES 1: 2 - 4

*V2 My brethren, count it ALL JOY when ye fall into divers temptations;
V3 Knowing this, that the trying (the testing) of your faith worketh patience.
V4 But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire,
Wanting nothing.*

The word “TEMPTATION” in the Greek is used of **Trials with a beneficial purpose and effect, of trials or temptations, Divinely permitted or sent.**

My brethren, count it ALL JOY or PURE JOY when ye fall into divers temptations, they will have a beneficial purpose and effect!!

I would like to quote from the Seven Church Age Book page 118 where Bro. Branham says,

“The cloudy skies and storms of life are no signs of God’s disapproval. Neither are bright skies and still waters signs of His love and approval. His approval of any of us is only IN THE BE-LOVED. His love is elective which he had for us before the foundation of the world. Does He love us? Ah yes. But how shall we know? We shall know because He SAID SO, and manifested that He did love us for He brought us to Himself and gave us of His Spirit, placing us as sons. And how shall I prove my love to Him? By believing what He said, and by conducting myself with JOY amidst the trials that He in His wisdom allows to come to pass.”

My brethren, count it ALL JOY, when ye fall into divers temptations (manifold trials). When we are going through trials we certainly cannot be swayed by emotions and must have the assurance that God allows testings to come our way for our benefit. As Bro. Branham has told us, **His love is elective** which He had for us before the foundation of the world.

In Rev. 3: 19 God tells us “As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent.”

Also in Romans 8: 28 we are told “For we know that all things work together for good to them that love God: to them who are **The called** according to His purpose.” **God’s purpose stands in election.** HALLELUJAH What wonderful redemption! What precious promises!

You can see that I firmly believe in the sovereignty of God, as I wrote before in a few words. (in May 2008)

“In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.” (1 Thessalonians 5: 18)

God Bless you all

Bro. Kees van Klink
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Bro. Matthan Gray is searching for a message by
Bro. **George Martin**
Teacher/Pastor from Africa who preached in N.Z.
around **1995**.
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***We’re not in the Communication
business serving people, we’re
in the People Business assisting
in communication. Anon.***

~Small Packages~

It's nearing Christmas when millions will un-wrap small packages and often the bigger ones get more attention.

I'm reminded of the "little fish" that had been torn open and thrown aside with little care being given to it because of its size. God taught his prophet a great lesson when He raised that gutted smelly little nothing back to life again. Watch the quote.

So often men miss God by the way He wraps himself. Jesus was God's wrapped gift to the He's God over all things. And **there's nothing too little or too insignificant** but what *He's interested in...*
NEW.MINISTRY JEFF.IN SUNDAY 59-1115

world. The birth of Christ was one of the most significant events of all time and yet.. (there was no room for HIM at the inn??)

At the coming of the "Mighty Angel" of Revelation 10: preceding the greatest event of our time, (the opening of the Seals), the Holy Spirit draws our attention to a peculiar thought. "God Revealing Himself in Simplicity". Let's sum the meaning of this message by saying "great things come in small packages"

66-1 {431} Remember, friend, **don't look for great big**... You say, "God." He speaks of great big things. There'll come a time there'll be this, that, or the other, great big things.... And oh, when this comes to pass, it'll be great, big like this, and **It'll be so humble!!** you'll miss the whole thing and just go right on.
GOD.IN.SIMPLICITY JEFF.IN SUNDAY 63-0317M

In **2 Kings 5:1**, the bible says that Captain Naaman was a Great Man yet he was a leper. The amazing lesson in this story is the means by which God healed him and made this "Mighty Man" whole. First step, he had to humble himself (We can't forget the *small man* that met him instead of Elisha. Naaman was enraged and on top of that he was told to bathe in *mud*. He must have had the feeling like... "What good thing could possibly come by such small undesirable packages?" Looked like a joke! He hadn't gotten low enough, so to finish him off, God sent Captain Naaman's *servants* to counsel him. How humbling was that. ?

May it be that we all would have the sense of the great prophet Elijah who knew how to position himself to hear from God.

214 ... The prophet didn't care about the big noises. But when he heard that **still small** Voice, he knew that was the Word; he veiled his face and come walking out.

EVENING.MESSENGER MESA.AZ V-8 N-5 WEDNESDAY 63-0116

When we are praying and searching for answers, let us expect God to move through anyone, anywhere, and at any time, without prejudice of gender, creed, colour or classification, no matter how big or small. If we have a heart felt love for our enemies and can honour the most unlikely persons, we then place ourselves in an advantageous position to hear from God. Now everyone, despite their condition, becomes a potential channel rather than a potential hazard. (*The elect cannot be deceived*)



I CORINTHIANS 12:

22 ... much more those members of the body, **which seem to be** more *feeble*, are necessary:

23 And those [members] of the body, **which we think** to be *less* honourable, upon these we bestow more abundant honour; and our *uncomely* [parts] have more abundant comeliness.

Your brother in Christ,
Mita Edwardson

"When God puts a burden upon you He puts His own arm underneath." - Charles Spurgeon

There's Power of Healing in the Communion"

Greetings to the Editorial Team and Readers at this time in the Name of The Lord Jesus Christ.

It is a privilege to be able to testify to the goodness of our Lord and to be able to share what God is doing in our lives today. The Lord has undertaken miraculously for me in many ways over many years but in the line of personal healing a more recent testimony relates to a sudden onset of paralysis in my right arm and hand.



Brother Andrew Wise

Initially I thought I had pulled a tendon or pinched a nerve as I was having very frequent spasms of numbness. In the first instance I personally committed the matter to The Lord asking for Him to relieve me of the discomfort and symptoms that were making it difficult for me to work, sleep or even drive a car. After about a month the matter seemed to be getting worse and I decided to seek some medical intervention with physiotherapy.

Weekly physiotherapy including a session of acupuncture, failed to make any impression and from time to time the condition seemed to be worsening. This went on for a period of nearly five months during which time I had considerable difficulty sleeping with resulting complications in my daily living. I was finally sent by the physiotherapist for x-rays, and the x-ray results indicated "multi-level degenerative disc space narrowing" and "calcification" within the spinal structure including "osteophytic encroachment" within a section of the spine. The general view was one of degenerative changes, simply caused by getting older.

We are all looking for our new body but in the meantime we live in naturally degenerating bodies with a promise of healing through the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ at Calvary. The physiotherapist made the prognosis that no further physiotherapy treatment would improve the condition given the degenerative nature of the ailment. He then provided a referral to my regular GP for anti-depressant treatment to help with the pain and anxiety caused through sleep deprivation.

The referral letter [dated the 10th October 2008] and x-ray result, remain in an envelope. Our communion service came within one or two weeks of the GP referral. I remembered what Brother Branham taught us regarding the benefits of Calvary and that not only was the price of salvation paid for, but also the price was paid for healing, and the power for healing was in the communion.

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"Do you know that communion has divine healing in it? When the Israelites, in the type took the communion and marched 40 years...and when they came out of the wilderness, there wasn't a feeble one among them two and a half million people. There's power of healing in the communion."

I claimed my healing there and then and have had complete freedom from the pain and paralysis, from that moment. From time to time I have felt various little twinges and have heard the devil's suggestions of doubt in the completed work of Calvary. Each time I have resisted the devil as we are instructed to do, and by God's unfailing promise I remain completely free of the condition.

I can recommend Doctor Jesus Christ for ultimate satisfaction.

Brother Andrew Wise
Nelson Bible Believers

Oh struggle not to survive
Nor labour to "bring forth fruit"
But let Jesus unite thee to Himself
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That union with Him shall be,
His Life shall forever replace thine own,
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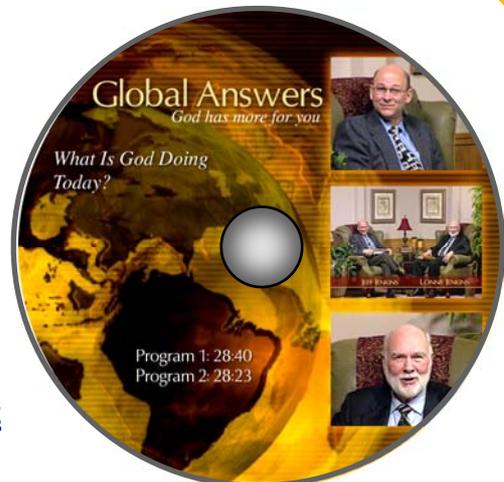
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YOUTH CAMP 2009

at

LAKES RANCH in ROTORUA

Thursday 5th March 2.00pm to Monday 9th March 11.30 am

As you are aware I was critically injured in a serious motor vehicle accident last year. This gives me an opportunity to challenge the young people concerning their salvation and highlights the necessity of being ready at any time. We appreciate and value your prayers in this endeavour to encourage our next generation who will carry this Message on to the coming of The Lord.

Our Motive for the Camp is to:-

- **Encourage the young people in the Message**
- **To have a personal experience with The Lord Jesus**
- **To be filled with The Holy Spirit**
- **To be equipped for service for Him**
- **To be ready when The Lord Jesus comes**

This is a great opportunity for the young ones to meet their peers and weave closely knit christian friendships.

FLASHING RED LIGHT 1963

How much more is it then, when we see a flashing signal that He's in the blocks, the old Gospel train is passing pretty soon.

The Camp is conveniently located on 120 acres near Rotorua in a picturesque valley and encompasses its own private lake.

It has a large 'all weather' facility and offers many exciting activities including church.

Age: 14 years and over

Bring: Pillow, sleeping bag, Bible, church and casual clothes etc.

No Nos: Do not bring any electronic gadgets, electric guitars, bad attitudes.

Cost: The total was \$140 but with donations so far this has been reduced to \$110 for accommodation and food.

Deposit: \$40 required.

Transport: Contact Brother Gary for airport pick-ups.

Ministers: Paul Moffitt from Taranaki
Tony Murray from Nelson
Gary Walker from Bay of Plenty

For Bookings, contact: Brother Gary Walker
Email: garydebwalker@hotmail.com
Phone 07 323 9337

Should you be in a position to assist financially, your help would be appreciated. Donations subsidise the fees for the youth and also go towards additional costs. God bless you all.

Brother Gary Walker

See You There !!

AUCKLAND ENDTIME BRIDE CONVENTION

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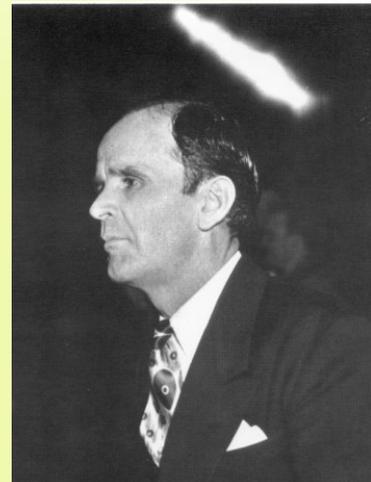
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A warm welcome is extended to all the brothers and sisters in Christ, to come and be with us during our Convention at Easter next year.

“Today what we have among us, this Holy Spirit is more than a prophet. It’s God’s manifestation among us with His Word to prove It.” (The Third Exodus)

“...That Word is again waved over the people, that the dead traditions of man is dead and the Son of Man is alive again with The Baptism of The Holy Spirit right among us and is giving us Life.” (The Rising of The Sun)

**So that arrangements can be made early, if you would like an Application Form, please contact the following by the 10th January.
*Please try and have your registration in by 31st JANUARY***

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Praying that the Lord will grant His Bride a special blessing at this convention.