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A NEW YEAR OF RESOLUTION

Another year has passed and a new year is upon us. Many will usher this new year in with resolutions, ranging from losing thirty pounds to making thirty more. While most New Years' resolutions are good, they are rarely realized. The reasons vary; lack of self-motivation, unrealistic goals, lack of time, etc. When it is all said and done, the results of annual resolve are much



less than satisfying. The word "resolution" describes the state or quality of being resolute or resolved. Some related words are: firmness, steadiness, constancy, and determination. Now, that may not sound like your treatment of New Years' resolutions, but those qualities are admirable; being resolute is a

Scriptural principle. The Bible speaks

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Life Planning in View of the Signs of the Times

Greetings to the Brothers and Sisters in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ! As this is the first of what will likely be a series of articles on this topic, I feel some sort of introduction is in order. My name is Ken Hamilton. I teach the young people's Sunday School class for our fellowship in Vienna, Virginia near Washington, DC. During the year 2001, I did a year-long Sunday School series under the above title. Its purpose was to emphasize to our youth that God is fulfilling prophesy right before our eyes. This resulted in our pastor, Brother Mike Walls, asking me to present a summary of the course to the congregation in late 2001. I guess the word got around and Brother Josiah Cornett heard of it and has asked me to share some of it with you through YQN.

In real life, I am a research and development engineer for the U.S. Navy. For about sixteen years I worked in the research and development program for the U.S. Navy SEALs and the Joint Special Operations Forces. Today, I support the Office of the Secretary of Defense in the area of military command and control and ballistic missile defense. I am also still active in the Naval Reserve, have commanded three units, and have been activated for operations such as Desert Storm, and the Kosovo Operation. Most recently, I supported Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom in the Middle East. From this perspective, I have had the opportunity to view the prophesies of

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WORLDLINESS

By Bro. Aaron McGeary



When it comes to young people around the message for the most part there is a lack of hunger for the things of God. The majority do not even express the slightest desire to serve Him. But despite that, there are young believers who have a true desire to serve God. Those young people need to be challenged to stay clean of worldliness. It is a modern plague that chokes the hunger for God and hinders the working of the Holy Spirit in your life, and it is something that you must learn to both conquer and keep out of your life.

What is worldliness?

Simply put, worldliness is sin. There is no need to spend time expressing the evilness and destructiveness of obvious things such as drugs, alcohol, sex, pornography, and worldly music. Without implying a true Christian will not have to resist those temptations, it should be perfectly clear to the believer the evil nature of those things. But there are unobvious things that are just as destructive, if not more, and just as worldly.

Worldliness can be in one of three categories: **1)** the lust of the flesh; **2)** the lust of the eyes; and **3)** the pride of life (**1 John 2:15-16**). Most of the time worldliness goes unnoticed because it appears innocent and harmless. Also, frequently people rationalize with worldliness and eventually justify their involve-

ment with it. But do not be deceived by the "lawfulness" of a particular vice. (**1 Corinthians 6:12, 10:23**). Unlawful things have ruined thousands, but lawful things, unlawfully used, have ruined ten thousands.

Worldliness is manifested in our thoughts, words, and deeds. Our imagination can be set towards fantasies or daydreams of things which are ungodly. In doing so we plant the seeds of worldliness which come to fruit (**James 1:14-15**). Therefore,



many times our deeds are worldly in the way we dress, places we go, and how we spend our time. For some, sports are the greatest strongholds of worldliness. They are prisoners to the newspaper, ESPN, internet, and other outlets for sports. Even recreational participation for some has become a snare. For others shopping addictions and fashion habits can become heavy weights that dictate their life's atmosphere and direction. There are activities that dominate our time that appear innocent, but are no less worldly than "obvious" sins.

Some may laugh or merely shrug this off as being overly stereotypical or a line up of the usual suspects that get preached on. But seriously consider the things that are taking

up "space" and "time" in your life. Things that are called "soft addictions", routines, or habits are numbing us to God's reality. Sports, internet, gossip, books, magazines, movies. Movies? Sure, many go to the theaters without thinking twice. But the cleverest way worldliness has snuck in is by way of the city library and the DVD player on the computer.

Worldliness can even be evident in our conversation. It is becoming increasingly common to accent our vocabularies with pop culture references, slang, innuendos, wit, and racy humor. So much so that even for sincere believers if conversations were transcribed there would be no way to discern that Christian lips uttered those words. (**James 3**). This should only increase the awareness of how worldliness is evident and all too common. Worldliness has no place in a believer's life, whether it is in thought, word, or deed.

What is the effect of worldliness?

There are many things that are worldly that have secretly crept into the lives and homes of believers. Going unchecked and unhindered, they grow as living cancers slowly sucking the spirit and life from the family and the individual lives around it. (**Mark 4:19**).

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O B E D I E N C E



By Bro. Vince Barnhart

Around fifteen years ago, I purchased a dog from a reputable breeder. This lady spoke with me concerning my new purchase, making sure I understood the importance of proper care, feeding, and above all, obedience training. Since I lived within the city limits, I figured obedience school for my new German shepherd would be a good idea.



I called an obedience school and signed up "Tasha" for classes. I figured I would take her once a week and somehow, magically, she would transform into an obedient canine. Now I don't claim to be the brightest individual, but after a few weeks of classes it finally dawned on me. My dog isn't the one being trained; I am the one being trained! The trainer would show us how to get our dog to obey us, our every wish and command. What I noticed was a bond between the dog and myself. I had expected the trainer to do all the work, but come to find out, I was the one doing the greater part of the work.

I realize we aren't comparable to dogs, but there is something to be desired here about bonding and relationships. As a parent, I try to spend as much quality time with my kids as possible.

I preach and hear preachers teach on this, but I believe this also can be reversed and placed upon the youth. Why not find the time to do something with mom and dad, without their prompting? To me, time equals obedience. Time well spent in bonding develops a relationship to where obedience flows like an unobstructed stream. Obedience to our parents starts with a relationship. If there is a struggle to obey our parents, we need to ask ourselves where our relationship with them is. We can go further with obedience equaling relationship when we refer to God. Do we have trouble obeying God's Word? Look deeply into your life and ask yourself, "How is my relationship with God?" There lies your answer to obedience.

In a day and age of people rights, it is very easy for this spirit to creep into a young person's life. The guidelines set forth by God's Word are not to "box" us into a relationship, but rather set us free to where we absolutely love obeying His Word. God's Word has certain parameters to lead and guide us - not beat us into submission, this kind of relationship is not a relationship where love bonds obedience.

In talking about obedience, one cannot help but think of Abraham from the Bible. Here is a man that so loved God's

Word, that he was willing to sacrifice the life of his son. Why? Simply put...because God said so! When we have such a relationship with God and put all our trust in Him, obedience becomes first nature to us. Many times though, people want to question God, "Why this way? Where? What?" God's Word is just that, His Word. So if we have hard time following God's Word and what he requires, stop, and ask yourself, "Am I being obedient? Where is my relationship?" The same principle applies to our parents. Do we find ourselves constantly



asking mom or dad, "Why?" H m m m ...

Just something to think about.

Countless times in the Bible we can see where individuals and the people of Israel got themselves in trouble by not obeying the voice of God. They were churchgoers, did sacrifices, but obedience came hard many times.

EXODUS 23:20-22
20 Behold, I send an Angel before thee, to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared.

21 Beware of him, and obey his voice, provoke him not; for

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Plan B: Be It Unto Me



By Sis. Sharon VanWyk

The other day I was once again pondering the life of Mary and what she must have felt like right before giving birth to Jesus. We all think of Mary as some sort of extra spiritual person, and so she was. The Bible says she was "highly favored of the Lord." But inside that specially chosen vessel beat the heart of a little teenage girl, whom I am sure had dreams for her future just as you and I do.

And what about Joseph? Can you imagine all the planning he had done to prepare for this special occasion? Was having his wife give birth to Jesus in a stinky stable filled with animals a part of that plan? I don't think so.

Let's go back and make a note of some of the other surprises that may have occurred in Joseph and Mary's life.

We know that they were already engaged to each other when the angel first appeared to Mary. She may have been busy planning the wedding, and sewing linens, and Joseph, being a carpenter, could have been building cabinets for their new house. Imagine the look of shock on Mary's face when the angel of the Lord told her she was going to have a baby!!!

Then the emotions that came from knowing that Joseph was planning to "put her away"

instead of the nice wedding they had planned.

Next it was Joseph's turn to have an angel visit in his dream. So he changed his plans again and they bumped up the wedding.

Imagine the unsettled feeling when they looked at their calendars and realized that the due date for the baby was the same time they had to travel to Bethlehem.

Envision the long trip to Bethlehem, being nine months pregnant without the modern convenience of a car or a paved road! How she must have hurt and how he must have worried.

And then, as they came over the last hill and looked down on the town of Bethlehem, the horror that must have struck Joseph's heart when he saw the crowds of people, and realized the challenge of finding a room.

But there was no room, so after searching for what may have seemed like hours, they ended up unloading their things into a little stinking stable.

Was that a contraction or just a cramp from the trip? No, this is not false labor! So now

they had to prepare for the Son of God to be born in a barn!

There was another angel dream, with a commission from God to grab the baby and run. Leaving all their possessions and family, without having a chance to say goodbye. And this would not be the only time they had to relocate.

Finally, put yourself in Mary's position while kneeling before a rugged cross, with her son's blood dripping on the dry dirt as He died for the salvation of all mankind. I'm sure that was not how she thought He was going to save the world.



With so many unexpected twists and turns in this wonderful true story, is it not incredible how Mary and Joseph rose to each occasion and accepted the challenge of following God's path for their lives instead of their own? We may think it is unfortunate that God does not send us the memo for what this year will bring. But we need to learn to live each and every day praying "Be it unto me."

Sister Sharon was part of the original YQN troop. We are glad she has returned and look forward to hearing more from her.



WINTER YOUTH RETREAT REPORT

By Jennifer Garrett



With my, shall we say, numerous bags packed, I left for Grasslake, Michigan with great anticipation. In years past, I would say Howell, Michigan, but no more. Gone are the days of cramped space and questionable food (and I say that with as much respect possible). WYR is now located at the Fa-Ho-Lo campground - short for Faith, Hope, and Love. Though always wonderful, WYR was made even more enjoyable by these very accommodating grounds.

Upon arrival, I noticed some great changes. There wasn't just one building, as at the previous grounds, but four! Of course, there was some walking in-between buildings required, but it was definitely worth it! Another great change was the food. Please, restrain from thinking that I am foodaholic who only came to camp see how the menu had changed. No sir, not I. In comparison with the old camp, I would say that the food was four-star restaurant quality. I repeat: in comparison with the old camp. Draw your own conclusions. Actually, I would dare say that I'm 99.9% positive that if I were to ask ten campers what change was the best, at least 9 out of 10 would immediately respond food. But hey, this article is about Winter Youth Retreat, not food. Thus, I must move on.

What makes Winter

Youth Retreat so special? Why do so many young people take time off during their holiday vacations to attend this camp? I can guarantee you it's not the food! Or, maybe, it is... hmmm. I was fed constantly at the retreat. For those of you who are grinning, I'm not talking about chicken fingers and Caesar salads. I'm talking about some spiritual food that sticks to you, helps you grow, and keeps you thirsting for more. Not only were there morning and evening services, but also morning and evening devotions. Not to mention afternoon teaching sessions! That's a lot of meat! And that is something that has remained unchanging throughout the years Winter Youth Retreat has taken place. The services and atmosphere have always remained of the Lord, helping us to grow in His Word.

The theme this year was 'A Vessel unto Honour.' (2 Timothy 2:19-21).

Ministers Paul LaFontaine, Aaron McGeary, Danny Stemen, and Barry Coffey spoke over the course of the week. Each brought out the theme in their own unique way. Brother Danny Stemen used the question, 'May I use your vessel?' as one of his sermon titles. This sermon certainly brought several thoughts into our heads, challenging us to look at ourselves as vessels that God wants to use. It was a whole new perspective that

caused many of us to see our regrets. God wants to use us, but we must willingly give him all of us. Not just our outward appearance, but our thoughts too!

Brother Barry brought out the theme, 'A Vessel unto Honour' in such a way that many of us will have a hard time forgetting it (not that we would want to). Using a coffee cup, a garbage can, and a few meals' leftovers, he demonstrated a great lesson. It was simple - a coffee cup is meant to be filled with coffee, not garbage - but even if that coffee cup is filled with garbage, it's not too late. That cup can be cleaned and set aside for its purpose, once again. In this way, Brother Barry reminded us that no matter how dirty we become, God can wash us and use us again.



The services were quite powerful and the youth greatly benefited. Brother Aaron McGeary led a teaching session during one afternoon and showed with scripture just how one can become a true vessel of honour. Accompanied by a seven-page handout, this lesson was very descriptive and continues to be thought provoking.

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many times of serving and loving God, and keeping His commandments with a whole heart. God loves to see dedication. A person can achieve amazing things with enough determination and hard work, and a willingness to let God use them. I am determined this year to do everything with a whole heart; instead of making New Year's resolutions, let us make this a new year of resolution.

Resolution One:
I will live for God.

Resolution Two:
If no one else does,
I still will.

Jonathan Edwards

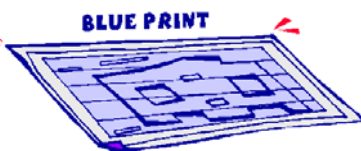
I said to a man who stood at the gate of the year: "Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown"; and he replied, "Go into the darkness and put your hand into the hand of God. That shall be to you better than a light and safer than a known way!"

King George VI
Quoting from a poem by
M. L. Harkins.

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this hour in a rather unique light.

I have three sons and one daughter who are all in their late teens and early twenties. They are in the process of planning their futures just as all young people do. As I endeavored to counsel them in the Lord, it occurred to me that we are asking today's youth to make some very difficult decisions in a very unique environment. After all, if we expect to see the Rapture during our lifetime and indeed in the very near future, how should it affect the life long plans that young people



are to be making today? What about college? Marriage? Career? Job? These are very legitimate questions that should be bathed in much prayer. But, it also occurred to me that the only other young people who have had to plan their futures with the knowledge that the world as they knew it was going to come to an end were Ham, Shem and Japheth. Further, the only family shepherds (Moms and Dads) that have been called upon to advise their young people in this environment were Noah and Mrs. Noah.

I built a series of discussions around such topics as science, technology, political and military trends in recent years. When these trends are viewed in the light of the Scriptural prophesies and those brought to us by Brother Branham, the sto-

ries they tell are quite striking. I will endeavor to share some of those with you in the coming months. As it will be impossible to cover all of the material for any of these topics in any single article, I will also endeavor to lead you to my sources so you can study these issues further as the Lord leads.

In this first article, I'll just offer some questions that might stimulate your own thought and study. I hope they will also set the stage for this series. For example, what are the "signs of the times", really? Can we point to specific examples of the fulfillment of prophesy in the past fifty years? In our own life times? What about "signs in the heavens? Brother Branham told us a lot about God's timeline. Will the Bride be able to see where we are on that timeline? Brother Branham also told us to "watch Russia" and to "watch Israel". Why? Did you know that the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Vatican have made a covenant? Did you know that the occurrence of natural disasters and pestilences are on a marked upward trend? Who is "the dragon" of Revelation 13? Do the first and second Gulf Wars in Iraq have anything to do with prophesy?

By God's grace, the focus of our next several articles will be this quote: "And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh." (Source: Jesus Christ, Luke 21:28)

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A love for the world or the things of the world will only draw you into the world. (2 Timothy 4:10). Bro. William Branham even went so far as to say that a believer has to separate themselves from their worldly friends because they will only call you back into the world again. (Paragraph 42, Led by the Spirit of God, Shreveport, LA 56-0723).

The ultimate effect of worldliness is to cause the believer to become completely consumed with the world. (Galatians 5:9). Do not think this means addictions to drugs or adultery (although for some this happens), but rather it manifests as a coldness and a staleness. The fire and passion goes out, and there is no real burning desire for God or the things of God. Instead of going forward and conquering the enemy, you are overcome with evil and die



spiritually. (Joshua 6). There is no effect and no virtue anymore when worldliness comes in. (Matthew 5:13).

Worldliness drives out the power of God.

What can be done to keep out worldliness?

There are numerous scriptures and principals that can be enumerated that would give instruction on how to keep the world out of your life. Remember, worldliness is sin,

and whatsoever is not of faith is sin. (Romans 14:23). So if you cannot do it in faith or in the name of the Lord do not do it. If you have a question about it, leave it alone. Very simple principles, but they are very effective if you want to stay as far away from the edge of the cliff as possible.

The Bible instructs us to cleanse ourselves from worldliness (1 Corinthians 7:1) and to deny the lusts and the attractions of the world (Titus 2:12). How else can someone do this except by yielding to the spirit of God? (Romans 6:19)? Instead of giving your time to the things of the world, give your time to God. Listen to tapes and read the Bible, and the Word will wash you and sanctify you from any worldliness. (Ephesians 5:26-27). Set your affections on the things of God, and make conscious decisions to avoid excess of anything carnal. (Colossians 3:2).

Although in some respects what you have read may seem legalistic or cutting, it will serve as motivation to the true believer to examine their life to be sure they are not letting in the world. It is time to push out worldliness in every form and give God the preeminence in our lives. There is no doubt that we are getting more like the world, but there has to be a reversal of that downward spiral. God is, in this late hour, lifting up young people with a passion and a desire to pick up the Word and cut away the worldliness which has invaded their lives. Make the decision to be one of them.

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he will not pardon your transgressions: for my name [is] in him.

22 But if thou shalt indeed obey his voice, and do all that I speak; then I will be an enemy unto thine enemies, and an adversary unto thine adversaries.

Obedying the voice of God comes with a promise. Do ALL (verse 22) that He speaks, and Christ the Word will fight your battles for you! Obedience is so much better than sacrifice.

As young people, do you really believe God has sent His Word to fight our battles for us?

Or has His Word come to "box" us into what we think is dress codes, hair codes, and other types of codes?



This author prays your obedience to God's Word is out of love and desire to follow His voice. For Jesus said, "My sheep know my voice and a stranger they will not follow."

By the way, my oldest daughter received a present a month ago. Guess what it is? A puppy. She (the puppy) is now enlisted in obedience school. :-)



Not only were the services wonderful, but the fellowship with peers of like precious faith was priceless! With indoor volleyball, basketball, ping-pong, weightlifting, etc. - this was far from a starchy camp with no social activity. At the end, there was even a banquet (a.k.a. awards ceremony). Through the three sermons a day you were heartily fed and with the fellowship you were fully encouraged!



There is so much compacted into five short days at Winter Youth Retreat. It would take pages and pages to tell you it all. I wish I could tell everyone how much it has meant to me. The atmosphere is such that God can move amongst the people. It's a wonderful time to fellowship and to meet new friends, but above all, it's a wonderful place to meet God and come closer to Him.

I would especially like to thank all those special people who have worked so hard to put this retreat into action. May God bless you richly for your efforts.

Jennifer Garret,
Reporting From Indiana, USA

You can find pictures at the official WYR homepage (soon to be updated to this year's camp):
<http://www.literallife.org/youth/wyr>

TESTIMONIES From WYR



I had never been to Winter Youth Retreat before, so I really did not know quite what to expect. However, I knew that God would speak to my heart, and that was enough for me. I greatly appreciated the spirit of the young people that were there. It was quite clear to me that everyone present had a desire to draw closer to God and to become more like Him. It was wonderful to fellowship with young people who had the same faith, same passion, same goal, and same desire as I did. We were all called up to a higher level of faith and a deeper and closer walk with God. In addition to the fellowship, I was greatly blessed, challenged, and encouraged by the ministry. I realized that I was being called to rid myself of anything that might hinder my walk with God and my becoming a true vessel of honor. So often I get wrapped up in things that may not necessarily be wrong in and of themselves, but if they take the place of God, then they become sin. God must be first in my life. I greatly appreciated all the hard work that was put into the Retreat, and I hope and pray that God blesses all those involved. Thanks so much and may God Bless you richly!

Ashton Crook

I thoroughly enjoyed my first year at WYR! It was so nice to get away from the busyness of life and just "retreat" to the Word. I came to the retreat with high expectations, and the Lord surely met them. The sessions were a real blessing; hearing other young people ask questions and tell of situations they were going through encouraged me tremendously.

I really appreciated the financial and marital counsel, and I especially benefited from Bro. Aaron's sessions concerning the "season of singleness." With many of my close friends getting married, I needed to be reminded that there is a time and a season for everything. I am now challenged to be content in the present state I am in and serve the Lord to the best of my ability as a single person.

May the Lord richly bless each of you throughout the new year,

Amy Johnson

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This was my first year at the WYR and I went expecting to come home with a closer walk with the Lord. While I was at the WYR, it became more clear for me to see what we are living before others.... what kind of vessel we are. And how God wants us to be living Vessels of His Word. And to be a light in this dark generation. I drew so much strength while I was at the retreat.

I work a lot for people in their homes and there isn't a week that goes by that someone isn't asking a question or saying something about the way I live. People are really watching our lives more than what we realize. And at the retreat I seen how important it is to stay pure and to allow God to have full control over my life. So, I can be a Vessel of Honour for Christ!

Jennifer Fowler

UP NEXT IN YOUTH QUAKE!

March - April Issue
Run With A Vision..

Beginning with the March - April Issue, we will be running our publications along specific themes. The first, "Run With a Vision," promises to be an exciting one and we expect some great material to be brought forth. As young people, we must direct our energies with thought - with VISION!

PEN PALS!



Below is a list of young believers who would love to correspond. Go ahead and take this opportunity to learn of others' cultures, testimonies, etc. - making a good friend while at it!

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ARIZONA YOUTH BANQUET



Hosted by Randy Snow (the man who took a helicopter in stead of a limo to a youth banquet), this youth event promises a weekend of fun.

Friday: Fun night with games & fellowship.

Saturday: Banquet at 6:00 PM, with pictures from 5:00 - 6:00. Evening stretches to 10:00. Dress is formal.

Sunday: Youth service in the morning with Brother Paul LaFontaine speaking. Later in the evening there will be a concert with the LaFontaines.

Cost: \$30.00 for the banquet per individual.
Singles only.

Dates & Place: Feb. 6th, 7th & 8th in Tucson, AZ.

Registration & Additional Information:
Visit **YouthBanquet.com** to register or for more information. If planning to attend the banquet, register quickly!

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