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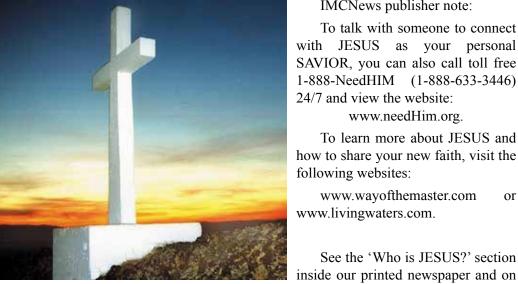
# Celebrate the Resurrection of JESUS CHRIST!

Have you accepted and do you trust in JESUS CHRIST as your Savior?

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HERE IS THE MILLION-DOLLAR QUESTION: Will you go to Heaven when you die? Here's a quick test: Have you ever lied, stolen, or used God's name in vain? Jesus said, "Whoever looks at a woman to lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart." If you have done these things, God sees you as a lying, thieving, blasphemous, adulterer at heart, and the Bible warns that one day God will punish you in a terrible place called Hell. But God is not willing that any should perish.

Sinners broke God's Law and Jesus paid their fine. This means that God can legally dismiss their case: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life (John 3:16)." Then Jesus rose from the dead, defeating death. Today, repent and trust Jesus, and God will give you eternal life as a free gift. Then read the Bible daily and obey it. God will never fail you.



Pictured above: Lizard Butte Cross - Marsing, Idaho, 81st Annual Sunrise Service, Sunday-April 1 2018, 7:15 am (Daylight Savings Time)

Sunday April 1, 2018

7:15 AM. (Daylight Savings Time)

In observance of the 81st Annual Sunrise Service, it is fitting to review some of its tradition and history. This service

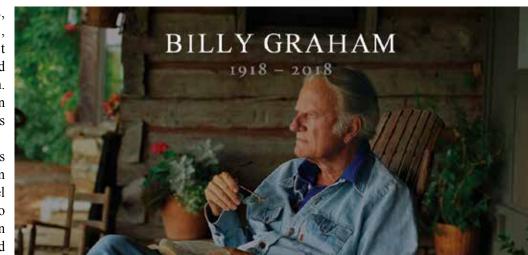
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# Billy Graham, Evangelist to the World, Dead at Age 99

By BGEA • February 21, 2018

CHARLOTTE, N.C., Feb. 21, 2018-Evangelist Billy Graham died today at 7:46 a.m. at his home in Montreat. He was 99

Throughout his life, Billy Graham preached the gospel of Jesus Christ to some 215 million people who attended one of his more than 400 Crusades, simulcasts and evangelistic rallies



he rose again, and he asked us to repent of our sins and receive him by faith as Lord and Savior, and if we do, we have forgiveness of all of our sins," said Graham at his final Crusade June 2005 in Flushing at Meadows Corona Park in New York. While

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in more than 185 countries and territories. He reached millions more through TV, video, film, the internet and 34 books.

Born Nov. 7, 1918, four days before the armistice ended World War I, William Franklin "Billy" Graham Jr. grew up during the Depression and developed a work ethic that would carry him through decades of ministry on six continents.

"I have one message: that Jesus Christ came, he died on a cross,

Graham's primary focus was to take this message to the world, he also provided spiritual counsel to presidents, championed desegregation, and was a voice of hope and guidance in times of trial. In 2001, he comforted his country and the world when he spoke at the National Cathedral in Washington, following the Sept.

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# **U.S. Vice President Pence To Israel** -- Reflections On My Trip To Israel

by IMCNews Editor Dr. Anthony Harper, Boise, Idaho

February 23, 2018



Pictured above right to left with U.S. Ambassador Mr. David Friedma at Vice President Pence Ben Gurion Airport Arrival in Tel Aviv, Israel Sunday January 21, 2018. Photo by Jake Turx

In December 2017 it was planned for U.S. Vice President Pence to travel to Israel on the heels of President Trump's announcement to the world that Jerusalem is the Capitol of Israel and of his intention to move the U.S. Embassy to Jerusalem. After arriving in Israel, not only was Vice President Pence's trip to Israel cancelled, but also Israel Prime Minister Netanyahu's annual meeting with foreign journalists. President Trump's announcements sparked protests (https:// www.timesofisrael.com/fatah-calls-for-angry-protestsagainst-us-during-pences-jerusalem-visit/).

My travel back to Israel occurred much to my surprise in January. There was an announcement in early January of 2018 that Vice President Pence would indeed, travel to Israel and meet with the Israel Prime Minister.

This trip was marked by several miraculous events, in light of not being included on the White House press pool list as expected. Despite not being on this list, I was allowed entry into several official events with the help of GOD, officials and reporters on the ground. My current experience as a White House reporter and past experience as a member of the White House press pool was helpful as well.

It is important to note that since 2017, I've been serving as the principal White House reporter regarding matters of Israel, UNRWA and other Christian concerns.

Here are some highlights of my news reporter experiences for Vice President Pence's Israel trip below:

Vice President Pence Ben Gurion Airport Arrival in Tel Aviv, Israel Sunday January 21, 2018.

I report on this historic experience in light of President Trump's announcement to the world of Jerusalem as the capitol of Israel and the move of the U.S. Embassy to Jerusalem.

To watch this video, click on the following YouTube link:

https://youtu.be/z5Z9pn6s16A



Pictured above in event of Vice President Pence meeting with Israel Prime Minister Netanyahu at a greeting ceremony in Jerusalem. I report from this event and other Vice President events regarding his historic trip in support of Israel. To watch this video, click on the following YouTube link: https://youtu.be/Mh0od6gat-E

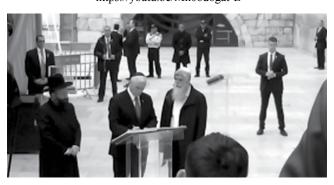


Photo above by Dr. Anthony Harper of Vice President Michael Pence (center at podium) signing documents for Jewish leaders at the Western Wall (Kotel) of the Temple Mount January 23, 2018 in Jerusalem

I report on this historic event in light of Vice President Pence's historic speech at the Knesset at which Arab Knesset members protested and were shuffled out of the room. To watch this video, click on the following YouTube link:

https://youtu.be/mnJygqxTjhg



Pictured above at the Western Wall of Prayer (Kotel) of Temple Mount January 22, 2018

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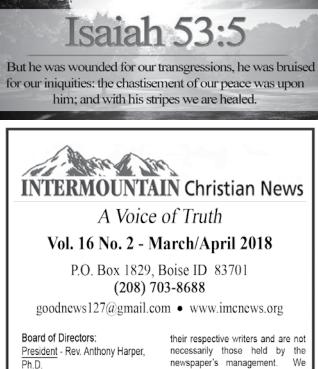
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#### February 23, 2018

Times. The New York amongst various news outlets, are selling the idea of North Korean "softening" at the Olympics. Perhaps they have changed? Perhaps they just want to compete hand-in-hand with their southern neighbors? The media has convinced countless across the globe North Korea is striving to move forward with it's best foot -but U.S. officials aren't buying it. A meeting between Vice

President Mike Pence and North

Korean officials, including Kim



However, Pence's meeting with North Korean defectors

# and his decision to host the father of Otto Warmbier, an American who died after being detained by

the North Koreans, led the North Korean officials attending the games to reconsider the planned meeting. Pence's Chief of Staff stated, "This administration will stand in the way of Kim's desire to whitewash their murderous regime with nice photo ops at the Olympics."

People from all over the world are "hopeful" for a bright future with North Korea. But they have forgotten the glaring issue of not only

Jong Un's sister, was set to occur this past week. the severe human rights violations taking place across

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# Israel at 70: A Light to the Nations

02-19-2018 Chris Mitchell Source: CBN News https://www1.cbn.com/cbnnews/israel/2018/february/israel-at-seventy-a-light-to-the-nations

JERUSALEM, Israel — In just a few weeks, Israel will celebrate its seventieth anniversary, remembering the momentous events of May 14, 1948, when David Ben Gurion announced the establishment of the Jewish state and Israel took its place among the nations.



Israel's Deputy Minister of Public Diplomacy and historian Michael Oren explained to CBN News the precarious nature of the state at that time.

"Then there were 600,000 people here, about the size, half the size of a mid-sized American city and with basically handguns fighting six Arab armies that came within 25 miles of Tel Aviv. It's hard to imagine, [they] surrounded Jerusalem, not far from where we are sitting. [Israel had] no economy, no allies [and] a population that was still languishing in displaced persons camps in Europe after the Holocaust. I mean, think about that."

Seventy years later, he says, Israel not only has survived but thrived.

"Our economy has one of the most highest growth rates in the world. We have one of the most powerful armies in the world; we're a world leader in technology and Israel is regularly listed as one of the seventh or eighth most powerful countries in the world."

Oren calls it a miracle.



"In historical perspective I think that Israel's situation is nothing short of miraculous."

But the story goes on. Israel's continuing miracle is not only that it's thrived but now it helps nations in need.

During a press conference at the 2017 Christian Media Summit, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu answered a question by this reporter. The question was, why does Israel reach out to help so many other nations when it's surrounded by enemies on all sides?

Netanyahu told the audience, "Because we're a light to the nations. It's a fulfillment of that great

prophecy. In fact that is what Israel is doing. It's doing it in places like Haiti and the Philippines or Mexico."

He gave an example. When Israel sent aid to Mexico after its recent devastating earthquake, Mexicans applauded them on the streets.



"They just love Israel and you see that elsewhere and in many places around the world. People say, what do you do? What is it that you get out of it? And the answer is, we're not getting out of it anything, we're fulfilling our deepest values. Israel is a light unto the nations.

But there's another prophecy Israel is fulfilling: Israel is not just going to the nations, but now the nations are coming to Israel.

That happened at a recent convention. It was called Our Crowd and it brought 10,000 people from 90 countries from around the world here to Jerusalem for a high-tech summit of innovation and investment.

Jonathan Medved, founder of Our Crowd,

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# New US Embassy in Jerusalem Will Open in May 2018 to Celebrate Israel's 70th Anniversary

02-23-2018 Benjamin Gill Source: CBN News https://www1.cbn.com/cbnnews/israel/2018/february/new-us-embassy-in-jerusalemwill-open-in-may-2018-in-celebration-of-israels-70th-anniversary

The new US Embassy in Jerusalem will open much earlier than some had predicted.

The Trump administration is working to make the move by May 2018 in celebration of Israel's 70th anniversary.

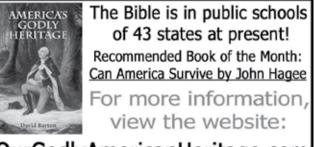
Speaking at the Conservative Political Action Conference (CPAC) Friday, President Trump said, "We officially recognized Jerusalem as the capital of Israel."



the Arnona neighborhood of Jerusalem. That facility will be expanded somewhat from its current state.

The project to build a full embassy in Jerusalem will take several years and could potentially cost \$500 million dollars.

The Trump administration is considering the legality of an offer from Republican mega-donor Sheldon Adelson to pay for at least part of the new US Embassy. Under one scenario, the administration could also solicit contributions from individual donors in the evangelical and American Jewish communities. But it's unclear if government lawyers will allow that. President Trump announced in December he would be moving the US embassy in Israel from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem in recognition that Jerusalem is the true capital of Israel.



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"Every president campaigned on, 'We're gonna move the embassy,' then they never pulled it off," he continued. "It's the right thing to do."

The State Department notified Congress on Friday that the Jerusalem embassy will open in May. It will open in a temporary location while the US government works on a long-term facility.

Congress was informed of the move after Secretary of State Rex Tillerson signed off on a security plan for the new embassy.

A ribbon-cutting is being planned for mid-May to mark Israel's reestablishment as a country 70 years ago on May 14, 1948.

Initially, the new US embassy will consist of just a few offices inside an existing US consular facility in

He has stuck by his promise despite facing a backlash from the Palestinian Authority and its supporters.

"I promised to look at the world's challenges with fresh eyes," Trump said last year.

"We cannot solve our problems by making the same failed assumptions and repeating the same failed strategies of the past," he explained.

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# **Casper Youth for Christ News Update**

February 23, 2018



We started the new year at one of our Campus Life Outreaches by praying with five youth to accept Jesus Christ into their hearts as their Lord and Savior. Many of these youth admitted dealing with severe depression. We shared our testimonies with them. KC, one of our Campus Life volunteers ,shared about his hardships growing up in a single parent home. I also shared my testimony about dealing with depression as a youth to the point of suicide but how Christ gave me joy and peace to replace my anxiety and depression when I accepted Him into my life. Please remember these youth in your prayers as they continue in their newfound faith in the Lord. What better way to start the new year than by accepting Jesus as their Lord and Savior. Many of the youth at our Campus Life Outreach are considered outcasts. They have been bullied, called bad names and some have very unstable home lives. We are so thankful that we can not only share the Gospel with these youth but also disciple them by teaching them Biblical principles for life, they will go from a place of defeat to living a victorious life.

Sharon Lockwood, E. D.

#### **Five Youth Accepted Christ**

This month we attended one of the local churches and shared about our Programming. After the service, one of the students from Centennial 7th/8th which attended a few years ago approached me with his mom. She shared with me how Campus Life changed how her son saw God and how our meeting there made his walk with God much stronger. She began to weep and tell me that her son shared with her that I was a gentle leader who spoke to them with authority about God and His love and how it helped him approachGod in a way he had never thought possible. He said I made serving God and loving Himeasy. This is what Campus Life is all about reaching our youth with His passion



and compassion. This student is now at our Campus Life at Kelly Walsh with Pastor Chris Sims, so He is growing even more through CYFC.

#### Carl House

Volunteer of The Month

As many of you know with out our Volunteers we would be very limited in what we do! Meet Sherri McCormick for many years she volunteered with CYFC. Sherri would pass out Fliers and share with local businesses about us and is one of our faithful supporters. She is now in an assisted living and we went to visit her and she still promotes Casper Youth for Christ (CYFC). It is humbling to see how God uses people at CYFC even when they are in difficult situations themselves. Each month we have over 30

# **Chaplain Klingenschmitt News Update**

by Chaplain Gordon James Klingenschmitt, Ph.D

Colorado Springs, Colorado



Trump willing to Pay Teachers who carry Guns

"President Trump on Thursday floated the possibility of paying teachers a 'bonus' to carry concealed firearms, stressing the importance of school security even as he calls for strengthening gun laws in the wake of the Parkland mass shooting," reports Fox News.

"The president, earlier in the day, had tweeted that arming '20% of teachers' would help stop a 'savage sicko' trying to open fire at a school. He elaborated on the idea Thursday afternoon during a White House listening session focused on school safety with local officials.

"He said only those with 'aptitude' should be carrying weapons, and pitched an incentive program.

"What I'd recommend doing is the people that do carry, we give them a bonus, we give them a little bit of a bonus," Trump said.

"He again said that if 20 percent of teachers had guns, 'you won't have these shootings, because these people are cowards.""

[Dr. Chaps' comment: Until Jesus returns and throws Satan into perdition, only two things that will stop demonized people from killing their neighbors: The Gospel of Jesus Christ, and good people with equal firepower. Let's put both back in schools, to keep kids safe.]

Let's petition Congress to make all school children safe from leftist bullying.

Teacher suspended after promoting Transgenderism to 11-year olds

"Concerned Christian parent Sirell Fiel of New York shared on Facebook last week a video describing — and condemning — a controversial homework project assigned to his seventh-grade child. The project, Fiel said, graphically detailed transgenderism and gender identity," reports The Blaze.

"At the time of this report, Fiel's post had received more 790,000 views.

"According to Fiel, the work was wholly inappropriate for schoolchildren.

"Genital reconstruction surgery," Fiel said in the video. "Is that really something an 11-year-old kid should be learning and knowing about? No. I don't think so."

"The homework contained a handout detailing a 'genderbread person' and explained what gender identity and attraction meant.

"The assignment also listed more than 50 sexual terms and slang words and encouraged the children to study the list for testing purposes....

"The teacher who assigned the homework, a health teacher at Cambridge Central School north of Albany, New York, was put on administrative leave with pay last week after Fiel's video went viral."

[Dr. Chaps' comment: There is NO excuse for subjecting children to this, and teachers who promote immoral transgenderism to children, or recruit them into homose xuality should be fired and charged with se xual abuse of a minor. Prosecute the abusers! Thank God one dad defended his child by blowing the whistle.]

Let's petition Congress to make all school children safe from leftist bullying.

Friends, let's take a stand today for public safety of innocent children.

For more information:

The Pray In Jesus Name Project, PO Box 77077, Colorado Springs, CO 80970.

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volunteers at various Outreaches. Last year over 430 faithful people helped us fulfill our goal of reaching at-risk youth in our community. We are so grateful to our faithful volunteers.

Hope M House

What do we mean by at -risk youth? The latest reports from the Wyoming Survey &

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# What Happens When Therapy Is Banned?

by National Task Force for Therapy Equality

Representing tens of thousands of licensed psychotherapists, psychiatrists, and physicians and over 1,000 clients and patients Source: http://www.therapyequality.org/

25 states[i] have rejected therapy bans because they cause these harms and injustices:

Effects of childhood sexual abuse can be treated if the effects are heterosexual, but not if they are homosexual.

The American Psychological Association acknowledges in its APA Handbook of Sexuality and Psychology which it has declared "authoritative" [1a] that there are psychological causes [1b] for sexual variations, such as childhood sexual abuse [1c]. This means one effect of childhood sexual abuse may be that the victim begins to experience same-sex attractions or behaviors. These may be confusing, and victims may feel they do not represent the true self. Is it more compassionate to help relieve these feelings or behaviors or to tell victims they have to live with them? A therapy ban requires the therapist to deny treatment for the trauma and its link to the sexual variation distress, or the therapist will be criminalized.

More sexual attractions, romantic fantasies, or behaviors caused by sexual abuse:

• unwanted emotional and sexual ties to the abuser, desire to have sex with minors

• desire to exhibit genitals, desire to rub genitals



against non-consenting individuals

• compulsive sexual thoughts, pornography addiction

The way this law is written, a therapist can help if these attractions or behaviors are heterosexual, but not homosexual, or the therapist is criminalized.

Rapid onset gender dysphoria fueled by internet social contagion cannot be treated.

There is a recent epidemic of troubled adolescents, especially girls, many of whom have autism spectrum disorder, who are flooding to sex change clinics [2] thinking this will solve all their problems. Many liberal professionals and parents are urgently agreeing with us that these adolescents need therapy to resolve their rapid onset gender dysphoria. This bill denies parents' rights to choose that therapy.

Instead, this bill legislates gender dysphoric children onto a path of:

experimental puberty blockers, toxic hormones that often sterilize them for life, having their breasts surgically removed, potential castration, and a higher rate of completed suicides even if they live in a liberal and affirming community, [3] all with the assumption minors are competent to choose these treatments, and all before they are old enough to drive—but forbids them talk therapy to help them embrace their body.

Bans hide from minors and parents the reality that same-sex attraction and gender dysphoria, unlike skin color, often diminish or change.

As many as 98% of boys and 88% of girls [4] and no less than 75% of boys and girls come to identify with their innate body sex if supported through natural puberty and not socially transitioned to live as the opposite sex. [1d]

– American Psychiatric Association, Diagnostic and Statistical Manual, Fifth Edition

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Foundations in Genesis Idaho (FIGI) Presents Stan Lutz



Stan is the curator of the Northwest Science Museum. Stan Lutz has been to Peru with Dennis Swift and Dr. Carl Baugh on a research trip. He spent time at Sacred Valley, Cusco, Machu Picchu, Nazca, and Ica. He went into the back rooms of museums and saw the ancient surgical instruments and other things that show very advance technology.

TOPIC: Peru, the land that defies evolutionary theories.

Peru, a land that defies evolution. The ancient buildings there we can no longer build today; we don't have the technology to build them. The cloth used to wrap the mummies is incredibly finely woven. The pottery and vases have pictures on them that defy what we are being taught today. The rock carvings are incredible. The Nazca Lines and Palpa Lines, How did these ancients know what dinosaurs looked like? What about the ancient aqueducts? How did they build these huge monuments? What sort of technology did they have?

SCHEDULE: Admission is free to all events (an offering will be taken)

March 21, Wed. at 7:00 pm Emmett	Gem Community Church, 708 North Washington Ave, Emmett
March 22, Thur. at 7:00 pm	Heritage Bible Church
Boise	7071 West Emerald, Boise
March 23, Fri. at 1:00 pm Meridian	Meridian Library 1326 West Cherry Lane, Meridian (Homeschool Group)
March 23, Fri. at 7:00 pm	New Hope Baptist Church
Nampa	1829 West Iowa, Nampa

April 2018 Event

DENNIS PETERSEN

Dennis Peterson is the author of the book "Unlocking the Mysteries of Creation"

April 25, Wed. at 7:00 pm Emmett	Church TBA, Emmett	
April 26, Thur. at 7:00 pm Boise	Heritage Bible Church 7071 West Emerald, Boise	
April 27, Fri. at 1:00 pm Meridian	Nampa Library, 215 12 <sup>th</sup> Avenue South, Nampa (Homeschool Group)	
April 27, Fri. at 7:00 pm Nampa	New Hope Baptist Church 1829 West Iowa, Nampa	

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# History of the **Creation Museum and Ark Encounter**

Submitted by Allen Marsh

Nampa, Idaho



Pictured above: Ken Ham, photo by Answers in Genesis

The Lord has opened the way for me to visit the Creation Museum and Ark Encounter in Kentucky. What a thrill! Without knowing the numbers, I guess it would at least equal Disneyland's visitors.

As a science teacher in Australia, Ken Ham took his students to museums that always pushed evolution, and he wondered why we couldn't have a creation museum. A major event was reading The Genesis Flood which gave him many answers, and he began a creation ministry.

Invited to America to speak to churches with the Institute for Creation Research, he moved to California and continued publishing Answers In Genesis from his house. He and friend decided to work toward a creation museum. They settled on Cincinnati with an airport in Kentucky and rented a small shop.

Plans grew from a 5,000 square foot building for \$4 million to one 70,000 square feet for \$27 million. With God's guidance and miraculous provision of money and workers with needed skills the museum opened May 26, 2007, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years from first planning.

Even during construction of the museum, planning continued for the Ark. In a museum planning session in October of 2004 goal #7 was "Build the Ark."

The Creation Museum was designed to equip Christians to defend their faith. The Ark Encounter was designed more to evangelize those who came out of curiosity. Both include theme park attractions outside.

The museum property was too small to accommodate the approximately two million visitors anticipated. They bought 800 acres from two landowners. Construction (starting with land leveling) began in August of 2014. It was opened to the public in July of 2016.

Again God provided the skilled workers for the various projects as well as the money-all private donations totaling more than \$100 million. God also overcame all the objections and dire predictions of the atheist opponents.

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations...? Matthew 28:19

#### **Recent Gideon Testimonies**

Free Time for a Free Gift (1/2/18)

When I first saw John, he was sitting on a bucket on the sidewalk, leaning against the wall of a parking garage. Diabetes had left him with two steel prosthetics from the knees down, and he held a cardboard sign that read, "Please help." I've seen countless people like John on the streets of downtown Richmond, Virginia, where I work. I'm usually in a rush and don't stop to talk, but occasionally I will refer them to agencies providing

food, shelter, and clothing.

As I walked quickly by John that morning, I gave him the number of an agency and encouraged him to contact them. Just like that, I was on my way. Then, John said something that stopped me in my tracks. "Thank you for this free gift," he said. It reminded me of when Gideons in my camp share New Testaments with students on college campuses, offering the Testament as a "free gift." Providentially, I had some



**Gideon Testimonies: The Gideons** 

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Pictured above: Gideons at Western Idaho Fair, Boise, Idaho

free time that day to talk more with John.

I took a seat beside him on the sidewalk and shared a Personal Workers Testament with him. I showed him the Helps in the front and the plan of salvation in the back. When I asked if he was sure he was going to Heaven when he died, he said he hoped so. He had been a pretty good person recently and was counting on that to get him in. John continued sharing about his past sins and the situations he now faced in life.

I told him my story was not nearly as exciting, but my sins were just as bad as his in the eyes of our Holy God. I took him through the back of the Personal Workers

Testament, and he confessed his sins and received forgiveness and salvation. John thanked me and said, "You know, I almost didn't come down here today. I woke up tired and it's a struggle getting around on these artificial legs. Something told me I needed to be at this spot today, and now I know the reason."

As I rose from sitting on the sidewalk, my leg Continued on Page 16



From the end of the earth I will cry to you, when my heart is overwhelmed; lead me to the rock that is higher than I. Psalm 61:2

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# Establishment of the State of Israel

The Israeli Declaration of Independence, formally the Declaration of the Establishment of the State of Israel, was proclaimed on 14 May 1948 by David Ben-Gurion, the Executive Head of the World Zionist Organization and the chairman of the Jewish Agency for Palestine. It declared the establishment of a Jewish state in Eretz-Israel, to be known as the State of Israel, which would come into effect on termination of the British Mandate at midnight that day.

## From the Declaration of Independence

The Land of Israel was the birthplace of the Jewish people. Here their spiritual, religious and political identity was shaped. Here they first attained to statehood, created cultural values of national and universal significance and gave to the world the eternal Book of Books.

The catastrophe which recently befell the Jewish people - the massacre of millions of Jews in Europe - was another clear demonstration of the urgency of solving the problem of its homelessness by re-establishing in Eretz-Israel the Jewish State, which would open the gates of the homeland wide to every Jew and confer upon the Jewish people the status of a fully privileged member of the comity of nations.

Survivors of the Nazi holocaust in Europe, as well as Jews from other parts of the world, continued to migrate to Eretz-Israel, undaunted by difficulties, restrictions and dangers, and never ceased to assert their right to a life of dignity, freedom and honest toil in their national homeland.

On the 29th November, 1947, the United Nations General Assembly passed a resolution calling for the establishment of a Jewish State in Eretz-Israel; the General Assembly required the inhabitants of Eretz-Israel to take such steps as were necessary on their part for the implementation of that resolution.

This recognition by the United Nations of the right of the Jewish people to establish their State is irrevocable.

This right is the natural right of the Jewish people to be masters of their own fate, like all other nations, in their own sovereign State.

Accordingly we, members of the people's council, representatives of the Jewish community of Eretz-Israel and of the Zionist movement, are here assembled on the day of the termination of the British mandate over Eretz-Israel and, by virtue of our natural and historic right and on the basis of the resolution of the united nations general assembly, hereby declare the establishment of a Jewish state in Eretz-Israel, to be known as the state of Israel.

THE STATE OF ISRAEL will be open for Jewish immigration and for the Ingathering of the Exiles; it will foster the development of the country for the benefit of all its inhabitants; it will be based on freedom, justice and peace as envisaged by the prophets of Israel; it will ensure complete equality of social and political rights to all its inhabitants irrespective of religion, race or sex; it will guarantee freedom of religion, conscience, language, education and culture; it will safeguard the Holy Places of all religions; and it will be faithful to the principles of the Charter of the United Nations.

THE STATE OF ISRAEL is prepared to cooperate with the agencies and representatives of the United Nations in implementing the resolution of the General Assembly of the 29th November, 1947, and will take steps to bring about the economic union of the whole of Eretz-Israel.



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# Preston Sharp Comes to Idaho to Honor Veterans

Nampa, Idaho

By Tammy Nichols

It wasn't Veterans Day, but this 12 year old young man from California is on a mission to honor

veteran's gravesites in all 50 states. Recently honored by President Trump at the State of the Union Address, Preston has become an inspiration to many all over the country. It all started for him when he visited his grandfather's grave on Veteran's Day and was shocked by what he saw. "There weren't any flags out at the veterans grave sites," said Preston Sharp. "So I got really frustrated about that, and my mom

taught me if you see something wrong do something

about it." So he did! Since 2015, he has now placed more than 40,000 flags and flowers in several states at veteran's grave sites, and his mission continues to visit all 50 states by the end of the year with his "Flags and Flowers Challenge".



The Dry Creek Cemetery in Boise was picked as the location of choice for Preston to visit. The goal was to honor 3,031 veterans' graves with a flag and flower, this meant that Preston would need a lot of help to make this visit a success, this is where I come in.

Preston contacted me via social media, and I immediately asked him how I could help! I had just watched him at the State of the Union, and was very inspired by his good deeds and strong desire to make a positive difference, and so I wanted

to do what I could to make his visit to Boise, Idaho wonderful and to help him succeed in his challenge. My job then became to help recruit volunteers to show up and help honor the veterans. This I did through phone calls, social media, and our local radio state 580

tremble in the day

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## ACROSS

1 Worthy is the \_\_\_, who was slain (Rev 5:12)

5 up everything around us, as an ox \_\_\_ up the grass (Num 22:4)

- 9 Bring me a heifer, a goat and \_\_\_ (1,3) (Gen 15:9)
- 13 them that had gotten the victory \_\_\_\_ the beast (Rev 15:2)
- 14 Their calls will \_\_\_\_ through the windows (Zeph 2:14)
- 15 he asked for a writing table, and \_\_\_\_, saying (Luke 1:63) 16 away, absent (Rev 18:14)

17 dedicated by Samuel the \_\_\_\_ and by Saul son of Kish (1 Chr 26:28)

18 see that ye love one another with a pure \_\_\_\_\_ fervently (1 Pet 1:22)

19 the house of him who \_\_\_\_\_falsely by my name (Zech 5:4) 21 Christ Jesus came into the world to \_\_\_\_\_ sinners (1 Tim 1:15)

23 if someone wants to \_\_\_ you and take your tunic (Matt 5:40)

24 For I have not come to call \_\_\_ righteous, but sinners (Matt 9:13)

25 And the people  $\_\_$  there for water (Ex 17:3) KJV

27 Moses, Joshua, and David were \_\_\_\_ of some of the books of the Bible

31 opposite to windward side (naut.)

32 the vine is \_\_\_\_ up and the fig tree is withered (Joel 1:12) 33 twenty men in an area of about half an \_\_\_ (1 Sam 14:14) 36 Sallu, \_\_\_, Hilkiah and Jedaiah. These were the leaders

(Neh 12:7) 40 I am with you always, to the very end of the \_\_\_ (Matt 28:20)

41 The elders who direct the \_\_\_\_ of the church well are worthy (1 Tim 5:17) 72 Son of man, record this \_\_\_\_ (Ezek 24:2) 73 catch them in their net, and gather them in their \_\_\_\_ (Hab 1:15) 74 ye have \_\_\_\_ that one teach you again (Heb 5:12) 75 ten bulls, twenty she \_\_\_, and ten foals (Gen 32:15) (KJV 76 No one \_\_\_ a patch of unshrunk cloth

on an old garment (Matt 9:16)

71 Now shall the \_

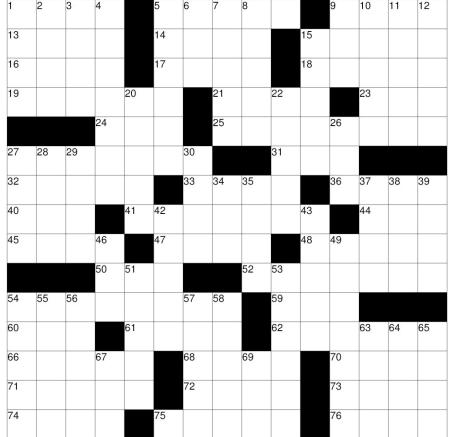
of thy fall (Ezek 26:18) KJV

# DOWN

- 1 supplied with all the cedar and pine \_\_\_\_he wanted (1 Kings 5:10)
- 2 And Israel vowed \_\_\_\_\_ unto the
- LORD (1,3) (Num 21:2)
- 3 the inscription that was written: \_
- MENE, TEKEL, PARSIN (Dan 5:25)
- 4 My strength is gone and I can hardly (Dan 10:17)
- 5 the \_\_\_\_ person is blessed by the
- greater (Heb 7:7)
- 6 blackish by reason of the \_\_\_\_, and wherein the snow is hid (Job 6:16)

7 Jehoiada the priest took a \_\_\_\_ and bored a hole in its lid (2 Kings 12:9)

- 8 strove against Moses and against Aaron in the company of \_\_\_\_ (Num 26:9)
- 9 Many, O LORD my God, \_\_\_\_ the wonders you have done (Ps 40:5)



37 God made them \_\_\_\_\_ and female (Mark 10:6)

38 Take an \_\_\_\_ of manna and keep it for the generations to come (Ex 16:32)

39 young children

42 you have \_\_\_\_ me from my chains (Ps 116:16)

43 Abrahams wife (Gen.17:15)

46 like a shelter in a vineyard, like a  $\_\_$  in a field of melons (Isa 1:8)

49 cut the ram in pieces, and wash the \_\_\_\_ of him (Ex 29:17)

44 Moses said unto God, Who \_\_\_\_, that I should go unto (2,1) (Exod 3:11)

45 thrust him into a net and he wanders into its \_\_\_ (Job 18:8)

47 \_\_\_\_ your heart and not your garments. Return to the LORD (Joel 2:13)

48 What \_\_\_ thee, O thou sea, that thou fleddest? (Ps 114:5) KJV

50 do not \_\_\_ your freedom as a cover-up for evil (1 Peter 2:16)

52 all the wage \_\_\_ will be sick at heart (Isa 19:10) 54 love not the Lord Jesus Christ, let him be \_\_\_ Maranatha (1 Cor 16:22) KJV

59 Eat not of it \_\_\_\_, nor sodden at all with water (Exodus 12:9)

60 Take fragrant spices; \_\_\_ resin, onycha (Ex 30:34) 61 dead man, "by this time there is a bad \_\_\_ (John 11:39) 62 Potiphar put him in \_\_\_ of his household (Gen 39:4) 66 but lips that speak knowledge are \_\_\_ jewel (1,4) (Prov 20:15) 68 he loved also Rachel more than \_\_\_ (Gen 29:30)

70 At midnight the cry \_\_\_ out: 'Here's the bridegroom! (Matt 25:6)

10 The lazy man does not \_\_\_\_ his game (Prov 12:27) 11 May the LORD be \_\_\_\_ and faithful witness (1,4) (Jer 42:5)

12 the hollow of his hand, and \_\_\_ out heaven with the span (Isa 40:12) KJV

15 \_\_\_\_ your treasure is, there your heart will be (Matt 6:21) 20 a servant girl named \_\_\_\_ came to answer the door (Acts 12:13)

22 children of base men: they were  $\_\_$  than the earth (Job 30:8) KJV

26 a ship, and went over the \_\_\_\_ toward Capernaum (John 6:17)

27 But for \_\_\_\_ no suitable helper was found (Gen 2:20) 28 I particularly \_\_\_\_ you to pray so that I may be restored to you (Heb 13:19)

29 I led them with cords of human kindness with \_\_\_\_ of love (Hos 11:4)

30 Love and faithfulness keep a king \_\_\_ (Prov 20:28) 34 others asked, "How \_\_\_ a sinner do such miraculous signs?" (John 9:16)

35 They sound like the roaring sea as they \_\_\_\_ on their horses (Jer 6:23)

KJV

51 mightier than I, whose \_\_\_ I am not worthy to bear (Matt 3:11) KJV

53 the posts thereof and the \_\_\_ thereof (Ezek 40:21) KJV 54 You will increase my honor and comfort me once \_\_\_ (Ps 71:21)

55 Now Deborah, Rebekah's \_\_\_, died and was buried (Gen 35:8)

56 every kind of clean animal, \_\_\_\_ and its mate (1,4) (Gen 7:2)

57They were all cast in the same \_\_\_\_ and were identical (1 Kings 7:37)

58 Forts and towers in the wooded \_\_\_ (2 Chron 27:4) 63 its rooms are filled with \_\_\_ and beautiful treasures (Prov 24:4)

64 wolves; they \_\_\_\_ not the bones till the morrow (Zeph 3:3) 65 They hatch the \_\_\_\_ of vipers and spin a spider's web (Isa 59:5)

67 Moses led Israel from the \_\_\_\_ Sea and they went into the Desert (Ex 15:22)

69 They were all encouraged and \_\_\_\_ some food themselves (Acts 27:36)

# Worship Revealed

Book Review by Don Dutcher

# ACLU Wants To Open Abortion Floodgates In Montana



God created us in a physical body to live in a visible tangible world and to have a firm belief in the existence of soul and spirit; even though they are not visible here on earth we are to prioritize the Spiritual aspects of our life here on earth.

From the time we are born until we die of old age we live a life on this earth of constant changes. Because of our willingness to constantly adjust to the physical and material changes in life year after year, we have to be careful and not accept any changes that are made in Christianity that are not in the Bible. Allowing spiritual changes in our walk with the Lord that He never intended for us to experience can be the result of our rational and logical thinking that we constantly use to help us adjust and accept all the material aspects of the constant changes in life. God does not change or need to ever change and the Bible will never change. We are to accept the guidance of the Bible and never allow logic, rational thinking, fears, doubts, personal desires or the influences of a constant changing world to control our lives and our spiritual relationship and journey with God.

Worship to God during congregational singing, needs to be understood, and if needed changed to lead and guide properly. Leading worship is not entertaining. Jesus did not entertain anybody. He loved us all by instructing, leading, guiding, teaching, and setting the perfect example for all of us to deny our own desires so we can always be pleasing to Father God. Jesus; when doing the perfect will of Father God set a goal to allow Himself to be humiliated tortured and killed. Then rose up from death to save us all and inspire us to give up our rights and our own desires to also please God.

God, the Bible and the Holy Spirit have something to say to the Body of Christ today about how we are conducting our congregational worship services. Are we listening? Does our worship in our churches of faith express the love, purity, simplicity and true heart connection with our voices singing to God that He longs to hear? Or have we confused it slowly over the years with modern entertainment and big band performance which has an effect on our relationship with God.

Tony Rinella's worship book explains how and why congregational worship changed in our lifetime. Tony gets us back to the basics in his book, what is the real worship that God wants? And how do we get there? Please consider taking on this important challenge by

#### Wednesday, February 14, 2018

14, 2018 Charlie Butts

Charlie Butts (OneNewsNow.com)

Abortion proponents are pushing Montana to become a totally wideopen state for aborting preborn children.

As it had previously done in Maine, the American Civil Liberties Union filed suit asking the Montana court to rule that nurse practitioners and midwives – not just doctors and physician assistants – be allowed to perform abortions.

Gregg Trude, the state director for Right to Life of Montana, tells OneNewsNow that the ACLU is seeking totally unrestricted access to abortion.

"Montana has no restrictions, guidelines, or rules for clinic regulations on abortion as it is," says Trude. "So here they are talking about allowing nurse practitioners [to perform abortions] with no thought of possible primary or secondary trauma."

Trude lists examples of trauma documented



cap of abortion activists.

"I think people just need to understand that Planned Parenthood, ACLU, and NARAL have an agenda," Trude declares, "and the agenda is to make it so women have total, complete access to abortion through 40 weeks of gestation."

Montana already has an influx of underage girls from nearby states obtaining abortions and according to Trude, Montana doesn't need anything else to open the floodgates.

# How Long Were the Days of Creation?

By Mike Riddle, President of Creation Training Initiative www.CreationTraining.org

A point of controversy in the church today is the days of creation. In many churches it has become a sensitive and even contentious issue. Some pastors avoid the issue to escape conflict within their church. Some pastors, in an effort to please everyone, compromise or teach it does not matter. How should the church face this issue? There are two important questions to ask before diving into a solution.

1. Does the Bible give enough information to determine how long the days of creation were?

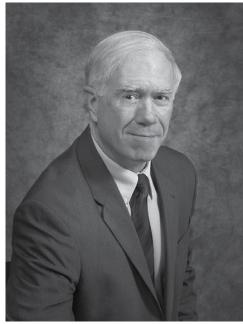
2. Does it matter how long the days of creation were?

The answer to both questions is YES! Let's look at six key biblical facts that will provide an answer about what should be taught in churches.

#### Fact 1

2 Timothy 3:16-17 teaches we are to teach all of Scripture. Therefore, purposely avoiding the teaching of any part of Scripture is unbiblical.

All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and



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#### Fact 2

The rules for interpreting language including the Bible (hermeneutics) demand a literal 6-day understanding.

• Every time the word "day" is used with a number (as in Genesis 1) in the Old Testament it always means a day and never long ages.

• Every time the phrase "evening and morning" is used (as in Genesis 1) in the Old Testament it always means a day and never long ages.

"In Genesis 1, yom comes with 'evening' and 'morning', and is modified by a number. So

it's obvious that the Hebrew text is describing a 24-hour day."

Ting Wang (Ph.D. Biblical Studies and Professor of Biblical Hebrew), Creation, Vol 27, No. 4, Sep-Nov, 2005.

"There was an evening, and there was a morning, one day essentially says evening + morning = one day. In this context day is clearly defined as being a regular

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# Intermountain Rescue Mission Testimonies

#### **COLORADO** From Denver Rescue Mission

<u>Kevin</u>



"All I wanted was to not wake up," says Kevin. "But I just kept waking up-complete and utter hopelessness-that was my existence for a long time."

Kevin's first memory is laying on the bed with his mom and dad-a happy, happy child. Then, his mom turned toward her husband and said, "We're going to have to do something about this...Kevin has a hernia."

"I remember dad's response," says Kevin. "Anger-because hernias aren't cheap."

That was the turning point for Kevin. Lying on the bed beside his parents-a child, helpless and innocent-as he watched his father respond to his mother's concern with outrage. "He was probably drunk," says Kevin. "My father was an alcoholic. And from that day on, as a child lying on the bed, I never felt loved by him. I became a burden."

In grade school, Kevin was diagnosed with a learning disability, and he became a "burden" once again, this time to his teachers. When he was eight years old, he asked his third-grade teacher if he could use the restroom. "No!" she replied. Unable to hold it any longer, Kevin soiled himself. A different teacher teased him, nearly every day, for having long hair, shaming him and calling him a sissy.

It wasn't long before eight-year-old Kevin perceived people, especially adults, as being bad, unloving and not trustworthy.

"I shut down," says Kevin. "I withdrew and detached. I couldn't make friends, and I could never be honest with anyone because of my deep dark secrets."

Kevin's secrets went beyond living with a learning disability and having an accident at school. His secrets extended to a family friend's house, where he was sexually abused from the age of nine to fourteen. The abuse stopped when his abuser committed suicide, and in doing so, left a note behind, blaming Kevin for his death-reaffirming to fourteen-year-old Kevin that people were not trustworthy.

Eventually, the trauma became too much. At age twelve, Kevin started using drugs, and at fourteen years old, he dropped out of school.

His drug abuse began with pot, progressed to alcohol, and then cocaine. By the time he was 18, Kevin was using drugs every day. By age 22, he was unemployable. By 25, he was alone and homeless.

do anything to me so I could get my drugs."

Kevin's lifestyle took its toll, and he eventually became sick. "I had sores all over my body. I couldn't breathe. I was getting sicker and sicker by the day, and I just knew this was it. I was about to die."

"I thought of my mom. I thought, 'I can't die out here without her knowing.' I convinced myself that if I can make it to Denver Rescue Mission, then I'd be okay. I had taken meals at the Mission over the years," says Kevin, "and I knew the people there cared."

But on this day, Kevin was still six blocks from our building, six blocks from hope. Every step was painful. He stumbled along the sidewalk. Sores covered his body, from his neck to his feet-he was covered in blisters and scars. His skin-crummy and dirty, scaled by the sun. His shoes were untied, his clothes unkempt as his left pant leg dragged on the concrete behind him. "You smelled me before you saw me, and with every step I thought 'I just can't go any farther.'"

"But I made it. I made it the door, and I knocked on it."

We opened the door. We welcomed Kevin inside. We helped him clean up. We offered him a meal. And we did what we seek to do every day at Denver Rescue Mission—we provided Kevin with an opportunity to connect, to engage with our staff and to learn more about our life-changing programs. "It was probably the first time I heard a real, caring, human voice in four years," says Kevin. "I just knew that Denver Rescue Mission was where I needed to be."

He decided to enroll in the New Life Program, eventually graduating, and now works as an Emergency Services Coordinator at the Mission, doing the same thing that was done for him so long ago-welcoming our homeless friends and neighbors inside, engaging with people experiencing homelessness and providing opportunities to connect and build relationships. All with the end goal of life-long transformation.

"I always had the fear that if people really knew me, then they wouldn't like me," says Kevin. "But it's proven to be opposite. I've learned to trust people and to be transparent. Despite my past, the more people I open up to, the more they love me and encourage me. Today, I feel so loved, and it all started here, at this place, at Denver Rescue Mission."

When we opened the door for Kevin that day, we had no idea that he would graduate our New Life Program and end up working with us. For Kevin, it all started with knowing he needed to ask for help and making the six block walk to the doors of Denver Rescue Mission. But for us, it all starts with you, because without you we have no doors to open. No services to provide. And no programs to offer. Without your donations, we cannot change lives. Thank you!

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Kelli is the Intake Coordinator for the New Life Program at City Light Home for Women and Children. When a woman comes to the place where she says, "I am hopeless. I can't change on my own. I need help!", Kelli is there to meet with her, to help her go through the application process for the New Life Program, and to offer hope. But five years ago, Kelly was the one who was hopeless and desperate for help.

From the earliest age, Kelli began to develop a deeply rooted belief that God had made her broken and undeserving of love. She says, "When I was almost four years old, my mom died and my dad told us that God had taken her to heaven to help Him care for the children there. I know now that it was his way of trying to comfort me, but then I thought it meant that those other kids must be better than me, and that's why they deserved to be with her more than I did."

After her mom's death, she says her dad left her with family. "He was an alcoholic, and I know he was struggling to cope with my mom's death, but that just reinforced everything. I didn't belong to anyone and thought no one loved me.

"My dad did come back for us a couple years later, and then, when I was eight, he remarried. I remember thinking that we finally had a family. We had a mom, a dad, my older brother and me. Everything was going to be okay again."

Instead, the next five years were filled with new heartaches for Kelli. "My dad's new wife made it clear that she didn't want us. She would say to me that we were the 'baggage' she never wanted. When my brother was thirteen, they kicked him out of the house. He was on his own and I just remember thinking that I was next."

When she was thirteen, Kelli left home as well. "By that time, I was so depressed and withdrawn from the world that I could hardly function. I dropped out of eighth grade and started drinking and smoking pot. When I had that first drink, I had nothing left in my heart but hurt and brokenness, so I thought what I was feeling with that drink was warmth and goodness. I thought it was what love must feel like; what it must feel like to have a mom."

"The third time I drank, I blacked out. I got up the next day and drank again and again. After that, I just knew that each new thing I tried would be better. So, by fourteen years old, I was a daily meth and coke addict. Then it was heroin."

What followed for Kelli were arrests as a runaway, attempts at rehab, and prison. But also, she says, she had family members who were trying to be there for her through it all. "My belief that I was flawed, that I couldn't be loved, was so strong, I just couldn't receive the love they were trying to offer me. They wanted so much to help me but the shame I felt drowned out all the potential for something good. I can't describe the hopelessness in addiction. You just can't understand that there is something better, or that it would be this great."

When she had her oldest daughter, she says she was determined to raise her in sobriety. "For eight years Follow us at www.twitter.com/denverrescue or at I was sober. I got married, we had a beautiful active family doing normal family things. I went to BSU and got two Associates degrees. We were involved in the community and recovery, but I still didn't have God in my life. I was still trying do everything on my own.

But lonely was something Kevin was accustomed to feeling. Nine-year-old Kevin would have done anything to feel invisible that day he soiled himself. Fourteen-year-old Kevin dreamt of being secluded, far away from his abuser. At age 25, Kevin was finally alone-just him and his drugs-a self-proclaimed victim of his experiences. "For me, being invisible was more comfortable," says Kevin. "People quit paying attention to me. In fact, they wouldn't even look at me."

He lived in his car for a while, eventually selling it for \$300. Then, he moved in behind a dumpster. He stayed there for several months before he began wandering the streets, sleeping in alleyways and on sidewalks. For fifteen years, he wandered throughout the city, searching for nothing, searching for anything.

"Touch and human contact was painful," Kevin says. "I never spoke to my mother or my father because of the guilt and shame that I had experienced. I couldn't stop wandering. I couldn't stop using. I didn't think I would ever get out of it. And I was willing to let people Facebook.com/DenverRescue

# <u>IDAHO</u>

From Boise Rescue Mission, Boise, Idaho

# <u>Kelli</u>



"After eight years of sobriety, I started having really severe stomach pain and my doctor prescribed pain medication. It was something I had never had before

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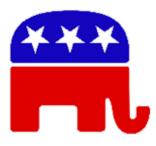
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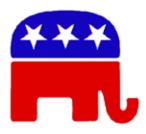
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North Korea, but the intense persecution of Christians. There are an estimated 300,000 underground Christians in North Korea. However, North Koreans are forced to worship the Kim family publicly and Christians aren't given any rights or religious freedoms.

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North Korean is #1 on Open Doors' list of persecuted countries for a reason. And while the Olympics present opportunities for hope and unity, they are a tool governments utilize to portray themselves in the way they desire-- not in the way they actually are. Please, pray for the Christians in North Korea during the Olympics. Do not forget our brothers and sisters in North Korea during this time, and all the citizens of North Korea who are being manipulated and oppressed. Pray the world would not be deceived by the "peaceful" face North Korea is putting on, but would call for justice and action!



Praise God for our Hope Development Center children's home sponsors! This year, a kitchen was attached to the main building. The original kitchen was not in the building, making things particularly difficult during the regular rainy seasons, and many would get sick! Our contact who runs the home says "thank you very much for your support and prayer!"

Pastor Carlos serves in a closed Latin American country. He has recently experienced several congregational baptisms and salvations in his church. His church has grown over the past several years to over 400 people including 32 cell groups! Praise God! Pastor Carlos is very thankful for the consistent support from his sponsor! Continued from Page 2

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April 23 - May 4 India/SE Asia trafficking & street ministry trip. Application Deadline: March 4

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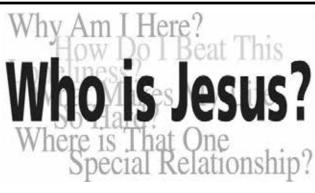
For more information please contact our Travel Coordinator, Wes, at wesley@visionbeyondborders. org.

VBB will be sending a team to work with refugees in the middle east in just a few weeks! The team will help with medical treatments for refugees and share the Gospel as opportunities arise. They will also distribute hundreds of copies of Arabic New Testaments along with thousands of Jesus Film DVD's in the local language. Please be praying for this team!

Our team in India recently prayed over the children that come to the VBB night care center from the redlight area. Please join us as we lift up these children to the Lord, as well as their mothers! May the Lord lay His hand of protection over them and reveal His immense Love for them!

This week, a team traveled to a closed Latin American nation to bring supplies and minister to the local pastors. Please pray for the persecuted church in Latin America as well as the safety of this team!

For more information: Vision Beyond Borders P.O. Box 2635 Casper, WY 82602 307-333-6545



# JESUS is GOD the SON (CREATOR of the Universe and all Life!)

#### Hebrews 1:2-3

2 ...in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom he made the universe.

3 The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word.

#### Hebrews 3:3-4

3. Jesus has been found worthy of greater honor than Moses, just as the builder of a house has greater honor than the house itself.

4. For every house is built by someone, but God is the builder of everything.

# THE SAVIOR (GOD in human form) born of the Virgin Mary

#### Matthew 1:23

"The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" – which means, "God with us."

#### Isaiah 9:6

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

#### John 8:23-24

23. But he continued, "You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world.

24. I told you that you would die in your sins; if you do not believe that I am [the one I claim to be], you will indeed die in your sins."

#### John 14:6

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

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# How to know JESUS as your personal Savior:

The *only* document on earth that is a reliable source for knowledge on who JESUS is, is the Holy Bible. If you would like to know JESUS as your personal Savior from sin, pray the following prayer followed by studying The Holy Bible and get involved with a local Christian church that believes in the entire Bible as literally true. Be a doer of the word and share The Gospel with others.

Praise the Lord the India night care center is up and running! Please continue to pray for our contact who oversees this project, as well as the precious children that come to the care center!

#### **Current Needs**

We are Hiring

Want to work in a faith-filled environment serving the persecuted church?

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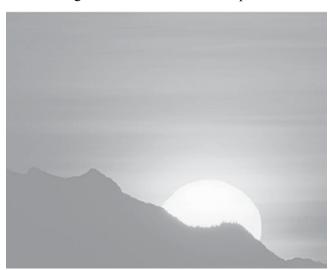
"Dear JESUS, I am a sinful person who needs You. I turn from my sins and surrender my heart and life to You, right now. Save me dear JESUS and make me Your child. Thank You for coming to Bethlehem, and for dying for me topay for my sins. Help me to live for You all the rest of my life. "Amen

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# Celebrate the Resurrection of JESUS CHRIST!

Sunrise Service in the Northwest. This year's service will begin at 7:15 AM (Daylight Savings Time) on Sunday April 1, 2018 with a special guest speaker. Those who attend will still need to dress warmly as well as bring a blanket to sit on and wrap around them.



The history of this service is also quite unique. Lizard Butte is located east of Marsing, Idaho on the banks of the Snake River and is one of Idaho's "natural wonders." Geologically, the butte is a half crater, and reminder of prehistoric days when the entire area was a seething mass of lava beds. Early pioneers named the formation Lizard Butte because of its resemblance to a huge lizard.

In the spring of 1937, Ray and Marion Stafford attended an Easter Sunrise Service while on vacation. After they returned to Marsing, Mrs. Stafford was looking out her window at Lizard Butte and thought it would be a great place for a Sunrise Service. She shared her thoughts with a friend, Mrs. Thomas Harris, and they in turn projected the idea to Mr. D. D. Ulrich. Together this small group sent messages to all the surrounding communities and asked each to send a representative to a planning meeting. On February 14, 1938, they met and made plans for a Sunrise Service. During the planning for a community Sunrise Service, Lizard Butte Sunrise Association was organized and Mr. Ulrich was elected as President. Mrs. Harris was elected as Secretary/Treasurer. The first service on Lizard Butte was held April 17, 1938 with approximately 1,000 people.

For the first service, a temporary platform was

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erected and the hill terraced for seating (the original terracing marks can still be seen today). Also, a wooden cross was designed and built by Mr. Ulrich and put on the highest peak. The cross was burned by vandals two years later and was replaced by one constructed of reinforced concrete. For its construction, work crews transported the materials for the new cross, with the aid of a horse drawn sled, to the platform where the cement was transferred to buckets and hand-carried to the top of the hill by bucket brigade. The large white concrete cross, looms strong and stately above the valley where it brings hope and promise to many busy lives below.

For the last several years the board has been working on raising funds to put a permanent roof on the shell. These improvements will element the need to put a tarp over the shell each year.

The program has followed a similar pattern from the beginning. As the sun rises, the service commences with a bugle call and the appearance of two angels at the foot of the cross. The Old Rugged Cross is sung and a scripture reading from Matthew 28:1-10 and 16-20 is read.

In order to insure that the Sunrise Service would continue to take place for a long time to come, the Association decided to buy the Lizard Butte property. Attempts to purchase the property directly from its owner Martha Dugdale failed to materialize, and she sold her entire farm holdings to Charles and Eula Taylor. The Taylors however, in 1942, split the original property and sold the 40 acre Lizard Butte portion to the Association for \$400.00.

As we look back over the years and think about the services, how wonderful it is that through a faith in a Risen Christ and with the cooperation of many people of different faiths from the community, the story of the Lord's resurrection has sounded forth from this lava outcropping to inspire and bless the thousands who have attended the services through the years.

The hope of the Lizard Butte Sunrise Association is that the One who gave His life for us, who arose from the tomb on Easter Sunday, who later ascended into Heaven, and who will one day return to this earth, continues to bless our future Easter Sunrise Services, and that His blessing and inspiration will touch many lives as the community comes together for the annual Lizard Butte Sunrise Service this Easter morning.

For more information, call (208) 454-9001.



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- Genesis 12:3 (KJV)

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We pledge to stand with our brothers and sisters in Israel and to speak out on their behalf whenever and wherever necessary until the attacks stop and they are finally living in peace and security with their neighbors.

The Scriptures promise blessings upon those who love the nation of Israel, and CUFI has prayerfully searched for a way to honor and bless those who have chosen to be part of this holy move of God.

About Christians United for Israel: Christians United for Israel (CUFI) is the largest pro-Israel organization in the United States and one of the leading Christian grassroots movements in the world. For more information, view the website: www.cufi.org.

# What Happens When Therapy Is Banned?

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 American Psychological Association, APA Handbook of Sexuality and Psychology

Same-sex attractions, behaviors, romantic partnerships, and orientation identities often change, mostly to or toward exclusive heterosexuality, for both

Over a hundred years of research, including studies published in the American Psychological Association's peer-reviewed journals by APA members, show that when the therapy is done right, it is effective. [8] A new five-year study of adult male clients who have unwanted same-sex attraction is currently underway and meets American Psychological Association standards. Results in the first year found distress decreased, sense of wellbeing increased, heterosexual thoughts and feelings decreased. [9]

have an unwanted sexual variation are, like most people, not willing to go to a therapist who is not open to their goal of change. At the same time, many therapists are afraid to see them at all as a result of the law. In addition, since same-sex sexuality and gender dysphoria in minors frequently change, there is a question as to whether, if a client changes during therapy, a therapist is in violation of the law. The California Board of Behavioral Science has repeatedly declined to clarify this question. Some therapists have decided to stop seeing all sexually variant minors to avoid risk. Minors with unwanted sexual variations are not being served. Some are sexual abuse victims and are suicidal. Therapy bans are harmful and unjust. All professional organizations and state licensing boards already address the concerns behind this bill without incurring its harms. We recommend continuing to rely on these current mechanisms while voting against this bill.

men and women, adolescents and adults.

American Psychological Association, APA
Handbook of Sexuality and Psychology [1e]

Many Studies That Meet Rigorous Scientific Standards [5]

Safe and effective therapy that is open to a client's goal of change is banned.

Even the Southern Poverty Law Center affirms "conversion therapy" uses only non-aversive methods. Stories of "therapy torture" and "aversion therapy" have been documented to be fraudulent in a report to the Federal Trade Commission. [6] Our licensed professional therapists follow a code of ethics and use only mainstream, contemporary, and ethical forms of therapy. [7] Any therapy can only be effective when clients want it and apply themselves. Where parents and their sexually variant children disagree on therapy goals, we try to help them have a mutually respectful and caring relationship. Government takes away freedoms and rights.

Our clients have the same freedom and the right as everyone else to resolve unwanted feelings, love who they want, and choose their gender identity. No one should take that away from them.

Some want to live and love according to their religious faith. No one should deny them that right. Several professional organizations support a client's right to therapy for unwanted sexual variations that is in accord with their religious faith.[ii]

Minors targeted by therapy bans often cannot get therapy at all.

In states that have banned therapy, minors who

Respectfully,

National Task Force for Therapy Equality

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Therapy Ban Harm Fact Sheet with references at:

http://TherapyEquality.org/FactSheet

# **Casper Youth for Christ News Update**

Analysis Center of the University of Wyoming entitled "The 2016 Prevention Needs Assessment;" "The 2016 KIDS COUNT;" and the "Character Education as Prevention" are used to assess the overall "health" of the youth of Wyoming as well as all counties including Natrona County. I've uploaded our detailed summary of these reports on our website[1]. Just a cursory review of these data causes great concern. Marijuana and alcohol use is very high and alcohol is obtained largely from home and even parents! When compared to national statistics, Wyoming youth are 3.5 times more likely to be arrested for drug related violations and the youth of Natrona County are almost 2 times above that (5.5 times the national average)! Thirtyfour percent (34%) of children in Natrona County live in single parent households. Yet even the secular researchers recognize that character matters and that teaching "Religiosity" and a "Belief in Moral Order" are preventative factors in keeping youth from deviant behavior.

Into such a troubling youth environment, God has called Casper Youth for Christ to minister the love, hope, reconciliation and counsel of our Lord Jesus Christ. We encounter such at-risk youth in our twice weekly Natrona County Juvenile Detention Center Gospel outreaches and it is among these incarcerated juveniles that we have some of our most fruitful ministry. The work is mountainous, the challenges are many, but with your help, we are able to be His hands of blessing to a needy and spiritually impoverished population; the youth of our community.

Carl Wolosin

Greetings in the Precious Name of Jesus! We want to thank you for investing in the lives of youth in our community. Your ongoing support touches the lives of broken youth. Below is a summary of our outreach stats:

Volunteers Hanna and Sterling Steensland asked the youth, "How many of you want to accept Jesus Christ into your heart"? Eleven youth raised their hands and gave their hearts to the Lord. Indeed some people till the ground, some plant, some water, some keep the weeds out. Finally, we get a bountiful harvest. Sterling and Hanna were used of God to reap a harvest. We all experience a little of the harvest joy each time we go in and I think this is what keeps each of us motivated in serving the Lord. I think God is smiling as He watches the laborer of Casper Youth for Christ. Thanks to all our faithful volunteers who reach lost and hurting youth at the Natrona County Juvenile Detention Center.



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Juvenile Jail Ministry-322 incarcerated youth received ministry and 32 youth received Christ as their Lord and Savior.

The Verge Youth Outreach-46 youth attended. The Verge is a place where youth can be equipped, encouraged and empowered as followers of Christ.

Love in Action Outreach-187 families; 265 adults; 92 teens; 21 homeless youth; and 324 children.



Gospel Literature Distributed-150 Bibles; 52 Life Books; 503 children's Bibles; and 140 Teen Bibles. All numbers represented are

unduplicated youth.

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# **Gideon Testimonies: The Gideons** International

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had gone to sleep and I was taking a minute to let the circulation return. "Are you okay? Do you want me to massage your leg?" asked the man who had no legs. "I'll be okay," I said "If I don't see you on the streets again, I'll see you in Heaven."

One Crash, One Testament, One Promise (12/26/17)

Gideon Mitchell and his wife, Linda, were recently traveling home from the Georgia State Association Convention this past March. "It was a great time of learning and fellowship," says Mitchell, "Little did I know what the Lord had in store for us."

Mitchell and Linda were involved in a car accident on the way home and had to call a tow truck. The driver of the tow truck agreed to give them a ride to meet one of their children. He had not been able to sleep much the night before, so he picked up an extra shift.

After arriving and paying the driver for his service, Mitchell reached in his pocket and handed the man a Personal Workers Testament. The driver thanked him and tossed it in the seat of his truck.

"The next day, I received a call from an unknown number. Thinking it might be my insurance agent, I answered it," said Mitchell. To his surprise, it was the tow truck driver. When he got home the night before, his daughters, who had been attending church with their grandmother, noticed the New Testament along with some of his paperwork. One of the daughters, a 5th grader, had received a New Testament at school, and she began asking questions.

The girls called their grandmother, and after several minutes of conversation and reading from the plan of salvation in the back of the Testament, they both prayed asking Jesus into their hearts. The 5th grader then looked at her father and asked, "Dad, don't you want to go to Heaven with us?" They read through the plan of salvation once more, and he prayed to receive Christ and signed his name along with his daughters in the back of the Testament.

The Gideons International is an Association of Christian business and professional men and their wives dedicated to telling people about Jesus through associating together for service, sharing personal testimony, and by providing Bibles and New Testaments. While we are often recognized for our work with hotels, we also place and distribute Scriptures in strategic locations so they are available to those who want them, as well as to those who may

Volunteers Hanna and Sterling Steensland pictured above

In Christ's Service, Dallas Chopping, NCJDC Volunteer Coordinator for CYFC.

2017 CYFC Stats!

We continue to be amazed at God's provision in providing quality volunteers to serve youth in our community. In 2017, we had 3,463 volunteer hours, which represented 439 volunteers from 27 different churches and organizations in Casper.

Lunch at the Link Outreach-CYFC served 11,600 meals to 154 youth.

Campus Life Outreach-230 youth were involved in Christ sharing relationships through our middle school and high school outreaches.

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and it unleashed my addiction. Within two years, I was homeless with my four kids, living in a minivan.

"I can't describe how it breaks my heart to know the hell I put my kids through. I finally sent them to family, and I kept thinking I would get my life together, and making promises that I would come back for them. But I couldn't. I had so much shame and guilt. I was dying inside. I wanted to cry out for help, but I thought there wasn't any hope for me. Then, at just that right time, God gave me a way out through the New Life Program at City Light.

One of the things I learned in the Program was that you have to break these deeply rooted beliefs and replace them with what is true. I had a rocky start but then I made the decision to do whatever I needed to change my life and be a mom to my kids. I started learning about Christ and about myself, and hope began to build in my heart. I remember the first time I read Matthew 9:11-13:

But when the Pharisees saw this, they asked His disciples, 'Why does your teacher eat with such scum?' When Jesus heard this, He said, 'Healthy people don't need a doctor—sick people do.' Then He added, 'Now go and learn the meaning of this Scripture: 'I want you to show mercy, not offer sacrifices.' For I have come to call not those who think they are righteous, but those who know they are sinners.'

That was me! I felt like I was just worthless and broken. I knew I was a sinner. I found that verse, and I started reading about how God sacrificed His Son for me, that His love for me has always been unconditional, and that my sins were covered by His mercy and grace. That was the truth I needed.

"I went through the program five years ago and it continues to amaze me to see what happens here. God turns ashes into beauty; this pain that I had carried for so long carried into joy. He has given me the gift of restored relationships with my children, and with my aunt and uncle who tried so hard to help me. And He has given me the chance to help my own children understand that, no matter what happens, they can lean on God; they can trust in Him.

"When I graduated from the Program, I went to work at an amazing company but the only things I really knew how to talk about were dope and Jesus. I really wanted to come back and be a part of the ministry of Rescue Mission and now I have the best job! It is the hardest, most beautiful, messy thing I have ever done. I get to go in at the ground level and meet these women in the streets, in jail, or in prison.

"I have come to understand that it is all the same lies, regardless of someone's circumstances. Regardless of your pain or struggle, the Devil tells us all the same lies. And the answers are always the same too, that the truth of who you are is found in Christ's love and mercy. Sometimes a person will say to me, 'I have never been an addict so I can't really relate.' But I bet if you ask them what they struggle with, the themes are close to the same: pain and brokenness and the belief that they are somehow unworthy of love and forgiveness. That is the biggest lie that Satan likes to tell us. I believed it myself for far too long. "If I had the chance to talk to someone who has given to the Mission in any way, whether its clothes, money, time, food, just anything, I would say thank you so much! You saved my life. I truly believe that the Mission is where God got a hold of my heart and changed me. He changed the course of my life and I see the ripple effect going out through my family and through my work. I can share the same hope that I was given and I am so thankful."

#### NEVADA

From Reno-Sparks Gospel Mission, Reno, Nevada

<u>Angi</u>



I was ready to end my life.

That's how I felt before coming to the Reno-Sparks Gospel Mission. I was in trouble with the law because of my meth addiction, and authorities had taken my 5-year-old daughter away. The idea of living without my daughter was the hardest thing ever.

The judge in drug court gave me a choice: Go to jail, or come to the Mission. I didn't know anything about the Mission, so I chose jail. I felt so worthless, like such a loser and a failure, I didn't think I deserved a second chance.

But at the last minute, I changed my mind. I'm not sure why, but sitting there in that courtroom with my shackles on, I made a decision that I wouldn't give up on myself.

When I first came here, I resisted. I didn't unpack for two weeks; I was ready to run. But then I thought, Okay, I'm here, I'm not going to deny it anymore. I'm going to make this work.

I never intended to become a drug addict. I was only 18 when I had my first child, and I didn't always make the best choices. After I started using meth, I got into selling.

I had another child and was mostly a "functioning addict." I was a good mom during the day, but at night, I turned to my drugs and dealing.

I'd have spans of sobriety, but then start using again. The guilt and shame of being a bad mom would keep me there, and then that guilt and shame would make me quit. It was a vicious cycle.

Years later, I met another man; we married and had a daughter. But she was taken away when I got arrested. I hope to get her back someday, but it's really hard for now. Continued from Page 11

#### UTAH

<u>From Rescue Mission of Salt Lake, Salt Lake City,</u> <u>Utah</u>

#### <u>Victoria</u>



This month I will be moving out of the Rescue Mission Women's facility into a townhouse with my 11-year-old son and my 8-year-old daughter. We have been looking at a townhouse over the past few weeks and my kids have been dreaming about how they are going to decorate their rooms and what kind of furniture we will have.

I can't wait to be a mom to them again.

I owe this new joy to how God changed my life at the Rescue Mission.

It was just over a year ago, when I dropped to my knees in open court before a judge. My life was a mess of drugs and crime. I was charged with various drugrelated crimes and fell to my knees to beg for help. I told the judge that if I was released and went back out on the streets, I would just do more drugs and commit more crimes. I couldn't stop on my own.

The judge looked down at me and said, "OK, we'll get you help."

After that, one of the court case workers gave me the contact number for Lisa Wolfe at the Rescue Mission's Women's Facility. I called Lisa and told her I needed help to get sober and change my life. I cried my eyes out when Lisa told me that I could enter the Mission's New Life Program.

It seemed like she was a guardian angel God had placed in my life at just the right moment to help me become the person God wanted me to be.

What I know now, that I didn't know then, is that God is on my side. God wants me to be successful. He wants me to be free to help others. Before I thought of God as only judging. Now I see He is a loving father who cares for me.

One of the things that helped me was having a community mentor, Marge Berry. She has a lot of life experience and can give me advice about things I go through. She has been a great friend and mentor to me. I am enjoying going to Capital Church and am encouraged by the messages and the people there. I am now in the employment phase of the New Life Program and have a great job working as a housekeeper at a senior living center. I love the residents there. They make me happy and I enjoy helping them. They have so much wisdom to share with us younger people, so it's a good place with a great environment. It feels good to support myself through honest work. I started selling meth several years ago and, although I made a lot of money doing it, eventually I became a drug addict myself. I was into the gang culture, so I would scheme ways to make money by shoplifting, opening fake bank accounts with forged checks and stealing from people. It was a horrible life and caused me to miss most of my kids' childhoods. When I started selling meth my son was two years old and my daughter was just an infant. I couldn't have them around all the people who were constantly in and out of my house buying and using drugs. So I called my mom, who lives here in Salt Lake, and had her take them. They have lived

For more information: Boise Rescue Mission, PO Box 1494, Boise ID, 83701 Phone: 208-343-2389 Website: http://www.boiserm.org But no matter what, I'm a better person now, thanks to the Mission. This place literally saved my life; there's no doubt in my mind that if I hadn't come here, I wouldn't be breathing today. I had that much guilt and shame.

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# Israel at 70: A Light to the Nations

explained that what's happening today is a reflection of what has happened in Israel for 4,000 years. CBN News talked with Medved overlooking the walls of the Old City of Jerusalem.

"Turns out that Israel is really the second most source of innovation and innovative companies in the world outside of the United States and Silicon Valley. We're called the startup nation. We're looking here across the walls of Jerusalem and our ancient history. We've always been dreamers here in Israel, whether it's in the time of Abraham and the prophets, there's always been incredible good news to come from this country. And today the good news is about innovation and technology."

Seventy years on, Israel is protecting the birthplace of the Good News and more.

We talked with Shahar Shilo, a consultant for the Tower of David Museum in Jerusalem. He spoke at the entrance of the Old City in the area many believe was the palace of King Herod 2,000 years ago and the site where the trial of Jesus may have taken place.



Shilo says Israel since its founding has preserved the historical and biblical sites, dug into its ancient past and opened its door to people of all faiths. He says it's Israel's special mission.

"Tourism is much more than just making money. Tourism is making friends. Tourism is making advocacy. Tourism is making your partnership around the world a lot safer. You know, our mutual basis grows stronger with every tourist being in Israel, living back home and talking about Israel wherever he lives. This is something we cannot achieve without tourism."



Shilo serves as an Israeli tour guide and says a visit to Israel for Christians should be a personal mission.

"We're always saying, before coming to Israel when you read the Bible, you see it in black and white. Once visiting Israel, every chapter, every story, every time you read about Paul, Peter or Jesus or St. Mary, it's all vivid and vibe. And everything comes in full color, full HD, full 4k. Something happens in your soul. And you'll never. Well, we say you'll never be the same again. This is my message to our brothers and sisters from the Christian world. Visiting Israel is a part of your soul and your heritage, not mine only, yours as well. And if you wish to understand yourself better and the Bible and your friends and the next time you go to church, you need to be here. It's a mission for life."



Whether helping the world through humanitarian outreach, bringing innovation to global investors, or being the responsible stewards of history, many believe these are simply a fulfillment of Israel's mission to the world – Tikun Olam – the Jewish principle of repairing the world. And as the Hebrew prophet Isaiah wrote nearly 2,700 years ago, to be a light to the nations.



# **Preston Sharp Comes** to Idaho to Honor **Veterans**

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KIDO with Kevin Miller.

The morning of February 17th arrived, and with it came approximately 200 volunteers. What a site to see so many coming to serve and help! Preston and his family were very impressed with how many were in attendance, he did his best to personally thank everyone and take some pictures. The Color Guard performed Taps and then a welcome from grounds manager David Fisher, and instructions from Preston were given. Each veteran's grave that was honored was to be given a flag and a flower and then "you say their name and thank them for their service".

Volunteers were given maps so that we would know which graves were veterans, we then picked up our flags and flowers and began placing them and honoring the veterans for their service. Soon flags and flowers were going up all over the cemetery, it was quite a sight to behold. Everyone was also asked to take a picture of ourselves by the gravestone showing the flag and flower, and then post the picture on social media with the hashtag #fandfchallenge.

Within approximately 3 hours, all veterans' gravestones were decorated. Several volunteers also went out to double check that no one had been forgotten. Doughnuts and water were generously donated by a couple of local businesses, and everyone took in the sea of flags and flowers that now covered the cemetery grounds. Everyone I spoke with felt an immense sense of gratitude and appreciation to come together, serve and honor the veterans who had given of themselves.



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Preston was thrilled with the results, and the accomplishment performed by so many. He stated that this is not about him, "it's about the veterans and what they do for us, and we wouldn't be here if it wasn't for them,". Preston's next stop will be in Arizona, and then he will continue on to the rest of the states, and at each state he will be looking for giving volunteers and donations for the flags and flowers challenge. You can learn more about Preston's challenge as well as follow Preston on his website at www.prestonsharp.net, or on Facebook at Preston Sharp/Vet flags and Flowers.

Tammy Nichols is the Idaho Leader for the Phyllis Schlafly Eagles. She is also the Executive Director of Idaho Education Watch, and 2018 candidate for District 11

# **InterMountain Rescue Mission Testimonies**

with her since then, because I have never been able to get my life in order enough to be a mom. I am so thankful that my mom was a mom to my kids when I could not be.

When I started injecting meth a few years ago, my life really spiraled out of control. I would walk the streets at night with nowhere to go. I would walk and walk all night. Sometimes I would break into an empty house and spend the night, just to have a place to lay down.

It really was a blessing to get arrested and end up on my knees before the judge.

Now, I am excited to try and make up for lost time with my kids and it blesses me to see how excited they are to move in with me. I know I still have a lot of work to do. There will be new challenges to face and lots of forgiveness.

I do have another 5-year-old daughter who lives with my husband in Texas. I haven't seen her since my husband, who was fed up with my drug abuse, took her and left Utah about four years ago. He hasn't wanted to reopen communication lines with me, so I don't have any contact. I know that the situation is in God's hands and He will work it out in a way He knows is best. I hope that one day I can be involved with my youngest daughter's life as well.

As I settle in to my new life, I need to stay connected to my accountability team and my church family. I also need to keep away from old friends. I only need about eight credits to get my high school diploma and then I want to become a dental assistant. I have always wanted to be a dental assistant because I love to help people smile.

One part of my new life will be sharing my story with other people who are struggling with addiction. I believe God wants to use me to give hope and a spark of faith to others who just need some help, like I did, to get off the streets.

Thank you for supporting the Rescue Mission, and please pray for my kids and me. We need God's help to be a family, and I need His help to be a good mother. Pray that God would take care of us.

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#### **WYOMING**

From Wyoming Rescue Mission, Casper, Wyoming

<u>Jimbo</u>



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At age 23, Jim was the youngest man to ever enter WRM's long-term Discipleship Program. Known to friends and family as "Jimbo," he didn't battle substance abuse but instead battled habits and behaviors that prevented him from being responsible for his life and becoming the man God intended him to be.

Jimbo knew the Lord before coming to WRM. "I was baptized as a teenager and God performed fantastic miracles in my life," he says. A mild form of cerebral palsy had tightened up the muscle in his leg and he endured many years of painful medical treatment. "I've been blessed by God and the surgeons who worked on my leg and now I'm walking as normally as anyone."

But after a divorce destroyed his self-esteem, strained his relationship with his family and forced him to see the hopeless man he was becoming, he had nowhere to go. He describes his homelessness as "spiritual and emotional" as well as physical, and knew he needed to rekindle his relationship with the Lord to rebuild a foundation for his life. At his parents' suggestion, he came to WRM.

"The Discipleship Program taught me to be more humble and to live with integrity in everything I say and do. Even if no one is looking or paying attention, God sees and hears you," Jimbo says. He graduated a year ago, lives on his own, works as a driver for our Rescued Treasures Thrift Store and has healed his relationship with his loved ones. He is grateful for the tools he gained in our care, which help him maintain a solid footing through life's challenges. "Life can be a battlefield," he says. "There are things that can hurt you and I use what I learned at the Mission—the studies and reliance on God's Word—to help myself."

Jimbo also enjoys sharing what he learned with those he meets. "In my work at the thrift store, I'm working for God and the opportunity to show what He has done in my life," he says. And he encourages others who need a new foundation: "Put your life in the Lord's hands and give Him an opportunity to change it."

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# How Long Were the Days of Creation?

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Andrew Steinmann (Ph.D. Near Eastern Studies and Professor of Theology and Hebrew), Creation, Vol. 36, No. 1, 2014.

#### Fact 3

The genre (style of writing) in Genesis 1 is narrative and not poetic or figurative. This means Genesis 1 is meant to be taken as a true historical account of creation.

#### Fact 4

When Jesus was talking about marriage in Mark 10:6, He stated that man and woman were created from the beginning of the creation and not after millions of years of earth history. (But from the beginning of the creation, God made them male and female'). This eliminates any possibility of millions of years of geologic time.

#### Fact 5

In Genesis 1:31, God pronounced His entire creation "very good". If the earth was already millions of years old, then many creatures would have lived and died in this time. Did God really call death and disease "very good"?

#### Fact 6

The Gospel depends on an historical understanding of the first three chapters of Genesis. The Bible teaches that sin is the cause of death. However, if there was already millions of years of death, disease and destruction before sin, then sin was not the cause of death and the Bible is wrong. In addition, why did Jesus have to suffer and die on the Cross if man's sin was not responsible for death and the curse on all of creation? The concept of millions of years undermines the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

"If the story of the fall of man is 'mythology' then there is no need for a plan of salvation."

Brandon van der Ventel, Ph.D. Physics, "Nuclear Scientist Shares His Creation Faith", Creation, Vol. 34, No. 4, 2012.

"Genesis is absolutely foundational to the Gospel and much of our Christian doctrine."

David Hunt (Ph.D., Senior Pastor First Baptist Church, Woodstock, Georgia)

"It seemed obvious to me that if I accepted the New Testament message of Christ's life, death, and resurrection that I must also accept the biblical revelation regarding six-day creation".

Jeffry Tompkins, Ph.D. Genetics, "Geneticist Praises the Creator", Creation, Vol. 38 No. 4, 2016.

"Everything Scripture teaches about sin and redemption assumes the literal truth of the first three chapters of Genesis. If we wobble to any degree on the truth of this passage, we undermine the very foundations of our faith."

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# Billy Graham, Evangelist to the World, Dead at Age 99

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11 terrorist attacks. At three global conferences held in Amsterdam (1983, 1986, 2000), Graham gathered some 23,000 evangelists from 208 countries and territories to train them to carry the message of Jesus Christ around the world.

During the week of his 95th birthday in 2013, Graham delivered his final message via more than 480 television stations across the U.S. and Canada. More than 26,000 churches participated in this My Hope project, making it the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association's largest evangelistic outreach ever in North America.

#### **Preferred Baseball to Religion**

Graham, a country boy turned world evangelist, who prayed with every U.S. president from Harry S. Truman to Barack Obama, was raised on a dairy farm in Charlotte. Back then, "Billy Frank," as he was called, preferred baseball to religion. "I detested going to church," he said when recalling his youth.

But in 1934, that changed. At a revival led by traveling evangelist Mordecai Fowler Ham, 15-year-old Graham committed his life to serving Jesus Christ. No one was more surprised than Graham himself.



"I was opposed to evangelism," he said. "But finally, I was persuaded by a friend [to go to a meeting]...and the spirit of God began to speak to me as I went back night after night. One night, when the invitation was given to accept Jesus, I just said, 'Lord, I'm going.' I knew I was headed in a new direction."

Several years later, Graham's "new direction" led him to the Florida Bible Institute (now Trinity College of Florida), and later, Wheaton College in suburban Chicago, where he met fellow student Ruth McCue Bell, the daughter of medical missionaries in China. The couple graduated and married in the summer of 1943. Mr. and Mrs. Graham and their five children made their home in the mountains of North Carolina. They were married for 64 years before Ruth's death in 2007.

After two years of traveling as a speaker for the Youth for Christ organization, Billy Graham held his first official evangelistic Crusade in 1947; but it was his 1949 Los Angeles Crusade that captured the nation's attention. Originally scheduled to run for three weeks, the "tent meetings" were extended for a total of eight weeks as hundreds of thousands of men, women and children gathered to hear Graham's messages.

On the heels of this campaign, Graham started the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, which was incorporated in 1950. Since 2000, Graham's son, Franklin, has led the Charlotte-based organization, which employs some 500 people worldwide.

Billy Graham may be best known, however, for his evangelistic missions or "Crusades." He believed God knew no borders or nationalities. Throughout his career, Graham preached to millions in locations from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia to Zagorsk, Russia; and from Wellington, New Zealand to the National Cathedral in Washington. In 1973, Graham addressed more than one million people crowded into Yoido Plaza in Seoul, South Korea—the largest live audience of his Crusades.

#### **Breaking Down Barriers**

Preaching in Johannesburg in 1973, Graham said, "Christ belongs to all people. He belongs to the whole world....I reject any creed based on hate...Christianity is not a white man's religion, and don't let anybody ever tell you that it's white or black."

Graham spoke to people of all ethnicities, creeds and backgrounds. Early in his career, he denounced racism when desegregation was not popular. Before the U.S. Supreme Court banned discrimination on a racial basis, Graham held desegregated Crusades, even in the Deep South. He declined invitations to speak in South Africa for 20 years, choosing instead to wait until the meetings could be integrated. Integration occurred in 1973, and only then did Graham make the trip to South Africa.

A 1977 trip to communist-led Hungary opened doors for Graham to conduct preaching missions in virtually every country of the former Eastern Bloc (including the Soviet Union), as well as China and North Korea.

Graham authored 34 books, including his memoir, Just As I Am (Harper Collins, 1997), which remained on The New York Times best-seller list for 18 weeks.

In 1996, Graham and his wife, Ruth, received the Congressional Gold Medal, the highest award Congress can bestow on a private citizen. He was also listed by Gallup as one of the "Ten Most Admired Men" 61 times—including 55 consecutive years (except 1976, when the question was not asked). Graham was cited by the George Washington Carver Memorial Institute for his contributions to race relations and by the Anti-Defamation League of the B'nai B'rith.

Throughout his life, Graham was faithful to his calling, which will be captured in the inscription to be placed on his grave marker: Preacher of the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.

"There were a few times when I thought I was dying, and I saw my whole life come before me..." said Graham at his Cincinnati Crusade on June 24, 2002. "I didn't say to the Lord, 'I'm a preacher, and I've preached to many people.' I said, 'Oh Lord, I'm a sinner, and I still need Your forgiveness. I still need the cross.' And I asked the Lord to give me peace in my heart, and He did—a wonderful peace that hasn't left me."



Billy Graham is survived by his sister Jean Ford; daughters Gigi, Anne and Ruth; sons Franklin and Ned; 19 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren. His wife, Ruth, died June 14, 2007, at age 87, and is buried at the Billy Graham Library. A private funeral service is planned at the Billy Graham Library, on a date to be announced. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the ongoing ministry of evangelism at the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, online at BillyGraham.org or via mail, sent to the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, 1 Billy Graham Parkway, Charlotte, NC 28201. Notes of remembrance can be posted at BillyGraham.org

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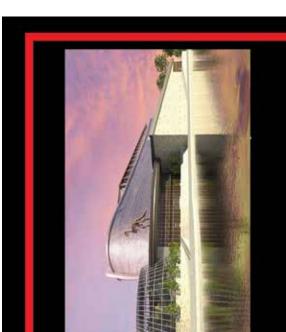
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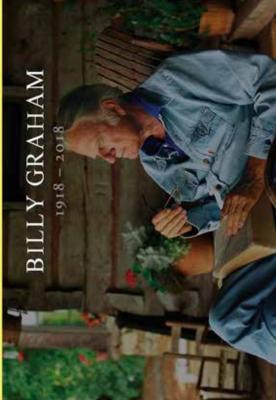
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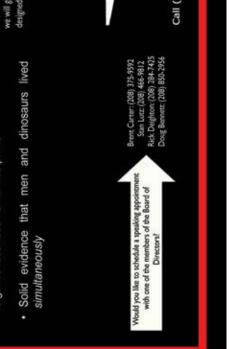
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