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From the Heart of Pastor Don Grosvenor

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As we come to the first of February our excitement is mounting as we look forward to our annual Bible Conference and Missionary Convention. This is always such a highlight in our annual schedule.

We really look forward to this conference because again we will have some great speakers blessing our hearts with the word of God. Since our last conference we have again increased our missions giving. In this years conference we will have several of them speaking and even introduce you to some new ones. Also each evening before our evening service we will be featuring some DVD presentations

telling about what we are doing. Then also in each morning schedule we will be hearing from a live missionary. In my mind it doesn't get any better than that.

Because your presence is so important I would like to encourage you to arrange your schedule to be here as much as you can. It is good to know our Missionaries and it is encouraging to them and to the other speakers to have good crowds. I thank God for the way you have supported our conferences in the past.

It is this pastor's conviction that these conferences have helped to strengthen our Missionary Vision and that our

Missionary Vision has helped strengthen our church.

Quote about Missions: The rich man wasn't in hell very long before he became an ardent believer in missions. Luke 16:27 – Then he said, I pray thee therefore Father, that thou wouldst send him to my father's house. V28 – For I have five brethren that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.

Prayerfully yours,
Pastor Don

Bible Facts

The Bible—banned, burned, beloved. More widely read, more frequently attacked than any other book in history. Generations of intellectuals have attempted to discredit it; dictators of every age have outlawed it and executed those who read it.

Yet fragments of the Bible smuggled into solitary prison cells have transformed ruthless killers into gentle giants. Pieced-together scraps of Scripture have converted whole villages of Indians.

Yearly, the bible outsells every best-seller. Portions have been translated into more than eighteen hundred languages and even carried to the moon.

The Bible's power rests upon the fact that it is the reliable, errorless, and infallible Word of God.

Charles Colson—Loving God

US Public School System Begins with the Bible

Five years after establishing the Massachusetts Bay Colony, the Puritans started in Boston the first elementary school

supported by tax money. In 1647, they passed an ordinance which marked the beginning of the U.S. Public School system.

Among other things, the ordinance required at least 1 qualified teacher for every 50 householders, and a grammar school in every town of more than 100 families. It also put the Bible in the center of its curriculum, asserting that it is "one chief project of that old deluder, Satan, to keep men from the knowledge of the Scriptures."

"All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name"

Rev. E. P. Scott was a missionary to India. One day he saw on the street a man of so strange an appearance that he inquired about him, and learned that he belonged to a wild mountain tribe among whom Christ had never been preached.

Mr. Scott prayed over the matter, and decided to visit that tribe. As soon as he reached their mountain home, he fell in with a savage band

who were on a war expedition. They seized him, and pointed their spears at his heart.

At once the missionary drew out the violin that he always carried with him, and began to play and sing in the native language, "All hail the power of Jesus' name!" He closed his eyes, expecting death at any minute.

When he reached the third stanza, as nothing had happened, he

opened his eyes, and was amazed to see that the spears had fallen from the hands of the savages, and big tears were in their eyes!

They invited Mr. Scott to their homes, and he spent two and a half year among them, winning many of them to Christ.

—Amos Wells

Annual Bible Conference & Missionary Convention Feb 15th-18th

SUNDAY

9:30am SUNDAY SCHOOL Conference Guest Speaker Teaching Combined Classes

10:30 MORNING GATHERING

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Keynote Speaker

Rev. Luis Mejia

President of Trans World Missions

5:45pm Missionary Video

6:00pm Worship & Guest Speaker
Pastor Stephen Simango

Refreshments after the service in the Fellowship Hall

PASTOR STEPHEN SIMANGO

United States Representative of

Forward In Faith Missions

A two million member fellowship

Primarily in Zimbabwe and other African countries now reaching out to U.K., U.S.

And Australia

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

8:00am Breakfast

9:15am Worship Time

9:30am Seminar Speaker

Monday-Harold Maxey

Tuesday—Chester Carney

Wednesday—Pearl Porter

10:30am Guest Missionary

Report

Monday- Winston Boze

Tuesday-Zeferino Marquez

Wednesday-James Moffett

11:00 Workshop

Monday- Victor Rodriguez

Tuesday- Dale Collins

Wednesday—Tom Gossett

MONDAY THRU WEDNESDAY

6:45- Missionary Video

7:00-Conference GATHERING

EVENING Conference Speaker

PASTOR STEPHEN SIMANGO

Other Guest Missionaries:

Emellio Corillo (Dean of the bible training center in Naco)

Arturo Mayo & Family from Navajoa Mexico

June Bush and others from the White Mountain Indian Reservation

Arturo Panama

Secretary to the President of

Indian Trails Missions

Other Christian leaders from the Community will be making guest appearances.

Please note that the speaker's schedule is subject to change.

From Where I Stand

From being an “army of liberators” to “warriors for democracy” to defending Iraqi people from terrorists, coalition forces have seen it all during the War on Terror.

With a newly elected President and cabinet supported by several new members of the House and Senate America’s political leadership indeed faces an insurmountable task.

The initial campaign promise was to end the U.S. commitment to the war A.S.A.P. and leave Iraq heads held high.

If we review Israel’s war in Lebanon 1982 to 2000 the parallels are both numerous and unavoidable at the same time. As the war of attrition continued to drag on, troop morale and national support continued to wane, and the war in lives and material exacted a toll on the national budget. More than one Prime Minister had the answer of Israel’s war on terror in Lebanon as have the U.S. politicians coupled with the liberal media.

Fundamental Islam hates both Israel and America and seeks their destruction and once a war is started with-

drawal without victory only strengthens terrorist resolve. Until the world realizes the depth of Genesis 16:12, “He will be a wild man, his hand will be against everyone and everyone’s hand against him;” NASB, the world leaders and nations are doomed to keep repeating the vicious cycle.

In short regardless of campaign promises there are no easy elegant answers.

Pastor Steve Grosvenor
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Missionary Spotlight

AMADO, OSCAR (Colombia)

Oscar and Marisela Amado work with the HANDS OF HOPE FOUNDATION in Colombia, South America. The Foundation is formed from a group of persons that realize the great need and have come together with the main purpose (along with other



areas of focus) of helping the most needy poor children with nutritional needs. They have constituted a program for a children’s cafeteria in “The At-Last” neighborhood lo-

cated in Barranquilla, Colombia.

According to UNICEF, Colombia is the third most inadequate country in Latin America where still, each year 21,000 children less than one year old die for the avoidable reason of chronic malnutrition. According to the Colombian Institute of Family Health, thirty percent of the children located on the Colombian border of the Atlantic Coast have a learning deficit caused by malnutrition.

Projects that we have presently include construction of the children’s cafeteria, kiosks, kitchen, restroom, and a play area for the children. We ask for your prayers in all of these things. If

you feel that God is moving your

heart to support us with financial gifts, we can be contacted at:

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Sunday School 9:30am Service 10:30am & 6:00pm Prayer Meeting 5:00pm	2 Prayer & Fasting 6:30pm	3 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am	4 Adult Education 5:55 pm Service 7:00pm	5	6	7 Men's Prayer Meeting 7:00am
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