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Dear GIMI Team Members,

Blessed Thanksgiving and soon-coming Christmas greetings to you in the precious name of Jesus! Because our GIMI Newsletter only goes out every two months, I want to share some things with you about both our American Thanksgiving, and also, about Christmas Day, which is December 25th. To be honest with you, I must tell you that I am having a hard time even believing that it is already these special times of the year, when we get together with our families to hopefully offer a great big THANK YOU TO GOD for all of the many blessings, which He has poured out upon us during this difficult year, even with the Covid leftovers, and yes, because of the many sicknesses and deaths, which almost all of our families have endured. And, I might add in order to keep you praying for my health, my health is not good. But, God continues to give me some strength to keep on keeping on with this wonderful GIMI Ministry.

TRULY, IT IS A TIME FOR THANKSGIVING!

It is very hard for me to believe that another complete year has gone by, but it is now time for a great celebration on God's goodness and blessings to all of our GIMI Team Members, and to the multitude of recipients who have received the spiritual and physical blessings through the ministry of GIMI. In fact, just this year alone during the waning months of the Covid virus pandemic, God has given us a harvest of over 201,000 first-time decisions for Christ from the large number of 1,314,180 people who have received the message of the love of Jesus. Truly, God has His hand upon this ministry, and all that my wife and I desire is to get more people involved in the work by prayer, by financial gifts, and by many of you participating in our soon-to-come short-term mission trips, if it becomes safe to fly again.

Every year here in America our nation still has a day of Thanksgiving during the month of November. The only problem is that many people just only offer thanksgiving to their family and friends, while the purpose of this established day was to give thanksgiving and adoration only to God.

When you study the history of the first Thanksgiving in the new world, you will discover two events on two different dates. "Thanksgiving services were routine in what became the Commonwealth of Virginia as early as 1607, with the first permanent settlement of Jamestown, Virginia holding a Thanksgiving in 1610. In 1619, 38 English settlers arrived at Berkeley Hundred in Charles City County, Virginia. The group's London Company Charter specially required 'that the day of ships arrival at the place assigned, in the land of Virginia shall be yearly and perpetually kept holy

TRULY, IT IS A TIME FOR THANKSGIVING (CONT.)

as a day of thanksgiving to Almighty God.' Three years later, after the Indian massacre of 1622, the Berkeley Hundred site and other out-lying locations were abandoned and colonists moved their celebration on to Jamestown and other more secure spots."

The second date given for the first-time celebration of Thanksgiving Day is listed as October, 1621. Let me give you more information from Wikipedia.

"The event that Americans commonly call the 'First Thanksgiving' was celebrated by the Pilgrims after their first harvest in the New World in October, 1621. This feast lasted three days, and—as recounted by attendee Edward Winslow, was attended by 90 Native Americans and 53 Pilgrims. The New England colonists were accustomed to regularly celebrating 'thanksgivings,' days of prayer thanking God for blessings such as a military victory or the end of a drought. Thanksgiving has been celebrated nationally on and off since 1789, with a proclamation on and off by President George Washington after a request by Congress. President Thomas Jefferson chose not to observe the holiday, and its celebration was intermittent until President Abraham Lincoln, in 1863, proclaimed a national day of 'Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the heavens,' to be celebrated on the last Thursday in November. On June 28, 1870, President Ulysses S. Grant signed into law the 'Holidays Act' that made Thanksgiving a yearly appointed federal holiday in Washington, DC. On January 6, 1885, an act of Congress made Thanksgiving, and other federal holidays, a paid holiday for all federal workers throughout the United States. Under President Franklin D. Roosevelt, the date was changed between 1939 and 1941 amid significant controversy. From 1942 onwards, Thanksgiving, by an act of Congress, signed into law by FDR, received a permanent observation date, the fourth Thursday in November. On June 28, 1870, President Ulysses S. Grant signed into law the 'Holidays Act' that made Thanksgiving a yearly appointed federal holiday in Washington, D.C

Now, with this long history behind us in just a short description, let me tell you that "Thanksgiving Day," should be a very special time of the year for every grateful American. We truly do have a great country, even with all of the violence, open borders, crooked prosecutors in our big cities, high inflation, high gasoline prices, and of this, because of the terrible job by our President and his thugs, and because of the wicked behavior of millions of people during this year 2022. But truthfully, this nation would never have lasted as long as it has were it not founded upon the truth and principles of the Word of God by our forefathers. Thus, we are indebted to these fearless people who demonstrated their

courage in establishing this nation on Biblical principles. But yet, we are now living in one of the least thankful periods in our entire history. Therefore, it is my solemn prayer that as we celebrate Thanksgiving this year with our families, let's make sure that we inform and teach our children, our grandchildren, and our great grandchildren, about the true history of how God has blessed America with a genuine uniqueness, and we should never allow these truths to be hidden or taken for granted by this or any generation in the future.

We must remember what Paul told the church at Philippi. Here is what he said to these believers: "Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God." (Phil. 4:6) What Paul was saying to the church at Philippi and to every Christian today was, "Don't become worried, just pray and be assured that God will answer your prayers if you pray fervently with a believing faith and with a spirit of thanksgiving." So, dear GIMI Team Members, let us not fear what Satan is doing all around us, but instead, let's go to God in prayer and trust Him to give us peace in the midst of a turbulent society and to meet every need we have, if we offer our thanksgiving and gratitude to God for all that He does for us! I must tell you something that I am a little embarrassed to say, and that is that sometimes my faith is weak when the weakness of my physical body is not adequate to do what I really want to do for Jesus like I have done for so many years of ministry. For all of you preachers, teachers, and singers who receive this newsletter, please be grateful for the ability to speak, preach, teach, and sing with a clear voice. I say this because we often never see the blessings of God until we lose some ability. I tell you this, because I have had so much sickness for the past three years that I often don't feel like getting out of bed. Then too, because of the vocal cord surgery I had to undergo last year, my speaking ability is up and down; especially affecting my radio broadcasting. But, with the help of Jesus and my wonderful wife, I just try to keep on going in order to oversee this tremendous ministry in order to keep winning souls for Jesus like my wife and I have done for 57 years of ministry.

Therefore, as I look back to the past when I could speak without difficulty, I must give God thanks for the privilege to be a voice for the Gospel. God has truly blessed my family and me in the past, and we are trusting Him to give me the privilege to do what I would rather do more than any thing on earth, and that is to preach and teach the word of God without difficulty once again. And, to constantly be sowing new seed and reaping a great harvest of souls.

¹Thanksgiving, Wikipedia.org, page 2

MORE WORDS ABOUT THANKSGIVING

My dear wife, JoAnne, and I are so appreciative of the wonderful ways that God has truly blessed us down through these difficult months of this year. And, I know that most all of you dear friends of GIMI, are also so thankful for the many ways God has blessed you and your families. Without a doubt, God continues to pour out His rich blessings upon everyone of His children daily; even with the many struggles we have to face. When I think of this special time of the year here in America, I always think of probably the two most thankful men in the entire Bible. Their names are King David and the Apostle Paul. Let me give you just you a little information about these great men who went from being murderers to becoming two of the greatest servants of God, which He ever saved and called. Both of these faithful servants started off as wicked men. But, because of God's saving grace, they both became faithful servants. And, because of their dedicated devotion to God, He used both of these men mightily; even though they had former lives of sin. So, let's look at a few passages of Scripture from these two men of God.

In Psalm 26, David starts this beautiful work with an appeal to God to please look closely at him because he felt that he had been living righteously with integrity. David pleaded with God to examine his integrity and also, his righteousness. David simply opened up his life to God and asked Him to make a judgment upon his life. But, you may say, "Why would David do this such a bold thing?" Well, the truth was and still is that when we get serious with God, then, our lifestyles will not display shame and regrets, because all of our sins and failures will be under the blood of Jesus Christ. And, even David, way back there before Jesus ever came to be born in Bethlehem, knew that he had truly repented of his sins and God would not bring them up again. So, in Psalm 26, David asked God to examine his life so that he would be in a clean position to offer genuine thanksgiving to God for the way He had gloriously blessed David.

Surely, we should live a life of Thanksgiving everyday. But, when a time has been set aside for a day of Thanksgiving, we, like David, should set an example to the rest of the world just how grateful we are for every blessing from God. I have included a sermon outline that hopefully, some of you preachers might use in your church this year.

"LIVING A LIFE OF THANKSGIVING" Scripture: Psalm 26:1-12

I. THIS LIFE IS A LIFE OPEN FOR INSPECTION.

vs. 1-2

- A. David asked for God to inspect his sincerity. v. 1a
- B. David asked for God to inspect his surety. v. 1b
- C. David asked for God to inspect his smell. v. 2a
- D. David asked for God to inspect his sensitivity. v. 2b
- E. David asked for God to inspect his soundness. v. 2c

II. THIS LIFE IS A LIFE OPERATED WITH INTEGRITY

vs. 3-6

- A. A person of integrity must have the proper vision. v. 3a
- B. A person of integrity must have the proper values vs. 3b-4
 - 1. His standard must be right. v. 3b
 - 2. His sitting must be right. v. 4a
 - 3. His steps must be right. v. 4b
 - 4. His separation must be right. v. 5a
 - 5. His sanitation must be right. v. 5b
 - 6. His sacrifice must be right. v. 6

III. THIS LIFE IS A LIFE OCCUPIED WITH INSPIRATION. vs. 7-8

- A. Others are inspired by our voices of thanksgiving to God. v. 7a
- B. Others are inspired by our voices of testimony about God. v. 7b
- C. Others are inspired by our value of the tabernacle of God. v. 8a
- D. Others are inspired by our vitality about the tre sure of God. v. 8b

IV. THIS LIFE IS A LIFE OBJECTIFIED WITH INSULATION. vs. 9-12

- A. The object of our lives should be to be insulated from evil associations. v.9
- B. The object of our lives should be to be insulated from evil manipulation. v. 10
- C. The object of our lives should be to be insulated from evil imitation. v. 11
- D. The object of our lives should be to be insulated from evil habitation. v. 12

In addition to what I have already written about Thanksgiving, I would like to add some wonderful words from my friend, the Apostle Paul. I call him my friend because I sincerely love this great servant of God. I loved his writings so much that I wrote my Master's Thesis on Paul the Apostle. I surely hope that some of you preachers and teachers might be able to use the following outline coming from II Corinthians 9:1-15.

"A TANGIBLE EXPRESSION OF OUR THANKSGIVING" Scripture: II Cor. 9:1-15

- I. WE CAN GIVE WITH READINESS. vs. 1-5
 - A. We give with readiness to affect the saints. vs. 1-2
 - B. We give with readiness to avoid the shame. vs. 3-4
 - C. We give with readiness to alleviate the selfishness. v. 5
- II. WE CAN GIVE WITH CHEERFULNESS. v. 7
 - A. Cheerful giving is giving with purpose. v. 7a
 - B. Cheerful giving is giving with pleasure. v. 7b
 - C. Cheerful giving is giving with praise. v. 7c
- III. WE CAN GIVE WITH BOUNTIFULNESS. vs. 6;8-11

- A. Bountiful giving promises an equitable harvest.
 - v. 6
- B. Bountiful giving promises an extra helping. vs. 8-9
- C. Bountiful giving promises an extended hand. v. 10
- D. Bountiful giving promises an enriched heart. v. 11
- IV. WE CAN GIVE WITH THANKFULNESS. vs. 12-15
 - A. Thankful giving is profitable. v. 12
 - B. Thankful giving is persuasive. vs. 13-14
 - 1. It causes others to give praise. v. 13
 - 2. It causes others to give prayer. v. 14
 - C. Thankful giving is perceptive. v. 15

VOLUME II OF MY AUTOBIOGRAPHY: READY FOR YOUR READING!

A lot of you GIMI newsletter readers know that several years back, I wrote my personal autobiography to share with our readers my life story, and also, a lot of information concerning the long ministry that God has given to my dear wife, JoAnne and me. That first volume had 400 pages, and numbers of you have told us how you were blessed reading that first edition. The title of that book was, "Journey From The Devil's Track." Recently, I completed a second volume, which is entitled, "More Miles On The Journey From The Devil's Track." It took me a few years to write this second edition. This book has just over 300 pages with some very important updates since volume one was completed. If you folks would like to have a copy of this new Volume II edition, just contact me at my e-mail address, which is: gimi@charter.net. You may also call me at my home phone: 828-635-8866. Or, you might want to call Cathy, our Office Manager at: 828-632-2344. The cost of this new book is \$20.00, which is a very reasonable price for this 300-page book. I hope many of you will contact us and get the book. Then, once you have read my book, if you have any questions, please let me know! By the way, all of the funds from the sale of this book go back into our GIMI Ministry account. I have never taken any funds from the sale of any of my books!

The photo at the right is a copy of my new book. I hope you will get a copy, and then, if you have any question, just get in contact with me. Because so many of you have been with us



down through the many years of our ministry, I know that you will be blessed by reading the book. And then, you may get some questions answered about some of the many trials that JoAnne and I have gone through down through the many years of our ministry. Truly, we have suffered many hardships and difficulties, but, the blessings from Jesus have been far greater than the trials. Seriously, we have been blessed to work for Jesus in a larger way than most every other servant of God. So, I do hope you will be blessed by getting a copy of this book on our long journey for our Lord Jesus. The most wonderful thing about a tremendously long journey for Jesus has been the millions of people that have given their hearts to Him. I will mention one more thing. During the past 22 years since JoAnne and I took over this great work from Mickey and Alice Parrish, our entire GIMI team has presented the Gospel message to over 16.3 million people. And, praise God, He has given us a huge harvest of 6.3 million people who have given their hearts and lives to ⁴ Jesus during these past 22 years of ministry!

WHAT EVERY RADIO STATION SHOULD DO IN ORDER TO SEE MANY PEOPLE COME TO CHRIST!

I think most of you GIMI Team Members know that after restarting our GIMI Radio Broadcast last January, 2022, I was able to do the broadcasts weekly through the month of May. Then, because of an infectious flair up of my throat problems, once more I had to stop broadcasting again. The problem was an infection in my larynx, which hindered me from speaking well again. Therefore, we had to stop broadcasting for the second time. So, with the prayers of so many of you prayer support team members, and with several visits to my ENT doctor, the infection cleared up again. Thus, on the first weekend in September, once more I started broadcasting our GIMI program, but this time with far less stations than previously. I did this, not only to save money, but, I also wanted to use the stations where many people have gotten saved through the radio ministry. And, the reason some stations see scores of people saved and others don't, is simply because of the way the program is introduced each week by the radio personnel. Then, these stations where scores of people are being saved, the radio personnel do a great follow up on those coming to Christ. Therefore, some are really fruitful, where others just don't see much response. So, I am inclosing in this newsletter an article I wrote back in the May/June edition of our GIMI newsletter. And, I am sincerely hoping that many of you radio people will follow the job performance of the stations where multitudes are getting saved, so that we can see hundreds more come to Christ! So, please read the next paragraph about how two stations in Uganda are bringing hundreds to Christ.

Let me tell you that what these dear ladies, Esther and Annie, at two stations are doing to bring so many people to Jesus! Each weekend just before our Gateway International Missions Radio Broadcast starts, both of these dear sisters in Christ introduce our program, and they tell the listening audience that if any of them pray to receive Christ with me at the close of the broadcast, they should call the station and tell Esther or Annie that they prayed with me to get saved. If they can't contact the local station they are listening to, then, they can e-mail me at: gimi@charter.net and tell me that they got saved. If the new convert is not in the areas where Esther and Annie are, then, I will respond to their e-mail. Then, we will find out where the new convert lives, or may be met in order to receive a copy of God's Word and a copy of my new convert booklet that I wrote sometime back. The booklet is entitled, "Getting Started Right," and it is designed to help the new believer start his or her new Christian life in the right way, and to know what he or she should do next. GIMI pays for having many copies ⁵

of the booklet reprinted, and, for the Bibles that these ladies and I give these new converts. We are very happy to help these newly saved believers get started off well, and to discover what they should do next in order to help them grow as new born-again believers. If every radio station would do what Esther and Annie do at their stations, I believe multitudes would get saved and then follow Christ! May God convict our Radio Station workers to follow the great example of Annie and Esther, and help us bring hundreds more to Christ! I would like to share with you that since we restarted our radio broadcasts back on the first weekend in September, God has given us a great harvest of over 500 people praying to receive Christ as their personal Savior. We are praising God for this huge harvest!

WHERE TO LISTEN TO GIMI ON THE RADIO

FOREIGN STATIONS			
OPFM RADIO	FM	Jinja, Uganda	Sat 6:00 am
FAMILY RADIO	FM	Kampala, Uganda	Sat 7:00 am
GOSPEL E. AFRICA	105.5 FM	Moyo, Northern Uganda	Sat 7:00 am
New Life Radio-GEA	99.9		Sat 7.00 am
RADIO TOGETHERNESS	94.5 FM	Ganta City, Liberia	Sat 9:00 am
VOICE of the GOSPEL	92.2 FM	Goma, DRC	Sun 6:00 pm
KOKOLIKO RADIO	94.9 FM	Chingola, Zambia	Sat 11:00 am
BONNE NOUVELLE	102.5 FM	Region du Centre, Cameroon	Sat 9:00 am
RADIO IVYIZIGIRO	FM	Bujumbura, Burundi	Sat 8:00 am
TRUTH 4 LIFE	88.3 FM	Accra, Ghana	Sat 10:00 am
DUNAMIS RADIO	103 FM	Kampala, Uganda	Sat 7:30 am & Sun 7:30 am
UHAI	94.1	Tabora, Tanzania	Sat 8:00 am
GRACE RADIO	92.6 FM	Kampala, Uganda	Sat 6:00 am

OTHER DOMESTIC ST	TATIONS		
WTLK- AM	1570 AM	Taylorsville, NC	Sat 9:00 am
WCAB -AM	860 AM	Taylorsville, NC	Sat 11:30 am
WWWC AM	1240 AM	Wilkesboro, NC	Sun 7:00 am
WWWC FM	100.1 FM	Wilkesboro, NC	Sun 7:00 am
WWWC FM	103.5 FM	Elkin, NC	Sun 7:00 am
WYCV - AM	900 AM	Granite Falls, NC	Sat 7:30 am
WKJV - AM	1380 AM	Asheville, NC	Sat 11:00 am
WKJW - AM	1010 AM	Black Mountain, NC	Sat 11:00 am
WDEH- AM	800 AM	Sweetwater, TN	Sat 7:30 am
KCTA- AM	1030 AM	Corpus Christi, TX	Sat 9:30 am
WAEY- AM	1490 FM	Princeton, WV	Sun 10:00 am
WAEY- FM	103.3 FM	Princeton, WV	Sun 10:00 an
WLRD- FM	96.9FM	Willard, OH	Sat 8:00 am
WQKI - FM	95.7FM	Orangeburg, SC	Sun 6:00 am
WGFG - FM	105.3FM	Branchville, SC	Sun 8:30 am
WSPX-FM	94.5FM	Bowman, SC	Sun 8:00 am

TESTIMONIES FROM GIMI RADIO MINISTRY

Hello Pastor Stan

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, on behalf of western part of Uganda, and across the borders of Tanzania, Rwanda, and DRC Congo, we appreciate the Lord God for saving your life from the traps of the enemy and we continue to pray for your health so that God will continue to protect you and heal you because you are a GREAT vessel that the Lord is using to change many people from the pit of hell and from the lies of the enemy.

Many people have been deceived that joy is found in many things like alcohol, sex, taking drugs, accumulating wealth and other things. Many people are in confusion about what to do. But we thank God for putting you back on air. Hope has been restored back, repentance is back and God is doing great and mighty things in the lives of people through your teachings.

Thank you so much for preaching the true word of God that

touches hearts and hearts of people and this has brought a strong impacting on their lives, we glorify the living God for that. During the follow up meeting, when we give them a Bible and your booklet, we play the sermon again and have seen many people saved.

Annie, a DJ from Grace Radio Station in Uganda

Testimony from radio listeners:

Pastor Martin was going through a tough time, God told him to do some evangelism and street preaching, and win souls. His family was in serious trouble no joy or hope. But when he heard the Word of God preached on September 3 on the radio he repented, picked up his Bible, started reading and preaching seriously. God restored his ministry. His family is now at peace and the family is ministering together. Glory to God!

My name is Scovia, I was a powerful singer in church but along came pride and I asked for money from the church. They refused and I started singing for the world, became very depressed and stressed, and thought of taking my own life. Early in the morning, I turned on the radio and heard the preacher say Finding Joy in the Midst of Suffering. I realized I was not doing God's

will, I asked for repentance and God restored me. I now have peace, joy and hope. I was given a Bible and listen to Grace Radio.

Natukwatsa gave her life to Jesus as a result of listening to Grace Radio one morning. She was a persecutor of the gospel and a prostitute, she abused street preachers. But today because of the preaching of the Word of God on the radio she knows HE died for her and truly loves her and now she is free.



Just a few of the thousands of people that have gotten saved through the radio ministry in Uganda holding a gifted Bible from GIMI

LET ME GIVE YOU SOME EXCITING INFORMATION ONCE AGAIN!

All of you dear friends of GIMI know that for the past almost three years, we have had no mission teams going to our fields in Africa because of the Covid plague. We have contemplated going several times, but things have never worked out with so many restrictions for people going and coming home from Africa. But, due to the fact that things are changing some in a positive way, my son, Pastor Joel Frye, is seriously considering taking an evangelism and medical team to Uganda and Kenya next April. If any one of you might be interested in making this trip with Pastor Joel's team, please contact us very soon. I would tell you that due to the higher prices for travel, this trip might be a little more expensive next year than they have ever been in the past; probably because of Putin! Ha, Ha! But, if you are seriously interested, maybe your church can help you with the cost due to the fact that very little mission travel has been done in the past almost three years. And, just maybe you as a pastor or staff member might like to get a small team from your church to go on this soul-winning and humanitarian mission trip. Bear in mind, that if you decide God wants you to go, you need to know that you will be required to participate in an orientation and training seminar here in North Carolina in order to help prepare you for this journey for Jesus! Just give us a call if you are interest in making this journey for Jesus!

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THE WAR IN UKRAINE DRAGS ON WITH MILLIONS SUFFERING!

Also, I would just like to remind all of you once more that the war in the Ukraine is still going on after over nine months. And, because some of you have sent us designated gifts for Pastor Dima Bulakh, and the people of the Grace Evangelical Church right in the middle of Kyiv, the capitol of the country, we have circumvented the money wiring system and sent Pastor Dima thousands of dollars to help him and his church people as they have been hiding out in the basement of their church. In fact, just yesterday I talked to Brother Dima on the telephone, and he told me that the bombing has died down some. But, from the news media, I learned this morning that the wicked Putin made a horrible attack in Kyiv last night on civilians not far from where Dima and his church members are. Please help us to continue to pray fervently that God will intervene and stop this horrible ordeal.

Also, I am thrilled to tell you once more that because of the numbers of people coming to their church to get food and other essential items, Pastor Dima, has been preaching the Gospel and seeing numbers of people get saved. I know this information because I stay in touch with Pastor Dima by telephone. Please join us in praying for a great harvest of souls there in that formerly beautiful country of the Ukraine.

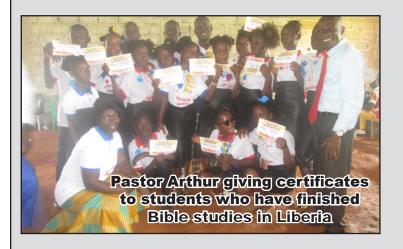
One more thing! If any of you pastors and churches would like to give some more designated funds for the Ukraine, just please send them to GIMI at P.O. Box 667, Taylorsville, NC 28681.

Also I would like to say once more that Putin is a couldblooded murderer. And, I am very sad to say that our president is a cold-blooded murderer too. If you don't agree with me, just stop and think about what he did in Afghanistan, and how he will not do any thing to close our southern border. Then, because of this, drug cartels are bringing thousands of illegal immigrants into our country with thousands and thousands of pounds of fentanyl. Last year, we had 108,000 Americans killed with this horrible drug. And then, because of Biden's inaction, hundreds of illegal immigrants on their way to our border die, while hundreds more die while trying to cross into America through Mexico. And yet, Joe Biden has done absolutely nothing to stop the killing of thousands of people. I sincerely believe that this president has been turned over to a reprobate mind by our Lord, as is evidenced by the fact that he never admits any wrong or sin. If this is true, then, he cannot be saved. Thus, I don't even pray for him to be saved. Why? Because he is not a sinner in his own eyes! And, based upon what I have read in the Scriptures, I believe our Lord has righteous anger toward these evil Pharisees. Remember when He ran the moneychangers out of the temple? (John 2:15) And, I believe we can follow the words of Paul the Apostle in this matter. (Ephesians 4:26) And, when we stop to take a look at the relationship's between the Biden family and China, and with the Mitch McConnell family's relationship with China, we surely can list these Washington hypocrites, along with many more, as modern moneychangers!





GIMI WORKING IN LIBERIA

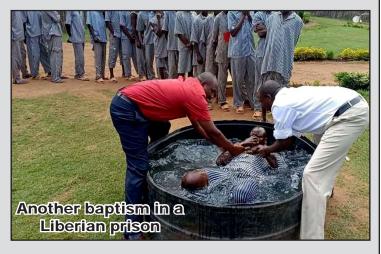












GIMI WORKING IN DR CONGO

















WITHOUT CHRISTMAS, THERE WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN A RESURRECTION!

I must tell you that down through the many years of fulltime ministry, I have preached and taught over and over that the greatest day of the year is when we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. But just recently, I was thinking about the resurrection and meditating on the fact that there would never have been the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus if there had not been the lowly birth of our Savior, when He came into this world after being conceived by the Holy Ghost in the womb of the young virgin, Mary. Just stop and think about how the King of kings came down to this earth and was born in a lowly manger where cows and sheep ate their meals. What kind of love was this that God demonstrated for all of us when He sent His only Son to come and be born of a human mother, live with poor parents in the city of Nazareth, work in a carpentry shop, and then, for three and one half years minister to thousands of people while traveling all over Judaea and Galilee? Then, by the Sovereign plan of God, He died on the cross with all of our sins placed upon Him. After

He died in the flesh and was buried, on the third day, He arose from the dead to give every person who would believe in Him eternal life. Therefore, I must shout it from the housetop that "THE GREATEST CHRISTMAS GIFT EVER GIVEN WAS THE GIFT OF JESUS CHRIST TO EVERY SINNER WHO WOULD EXERCISE HIS OR HER FAITH AND BELIEVE IN HIM!" Thus, my dear friends, in spite of the turbulent times in which we are living, we have much to celebrate this Christmas Season. I challenge every one of you family members to make Jesus the center of your Christmas activities. If there might be one of you who are reading our newsletter and you are not sure of your eternal salvation, please give your life to Christ and make this the greatest Christmas you have ever experienced. And, if any one of you get's saved and would like some information and literature to help you get started right as a new child of God, please contact us and we will help you in any way that we can.

INSTEAD OF COWS THIS CHRISTMAS, WE MUST PURCHASE HUMANITARIAN AID AND BIBLES FOR OUR PRISONERS!!!

Most of you who have been connected with GIMI for a long time know that for over 22 years Jo Anne and I have raised funds to buy cows for our Ugandan prisoners every Christmas so that they can have meat for a special meal on Christmas Day. God has really blessed this annual project, and we have seen scores of prisoners come to Christ when we have shared the Gospel with those whom we feed on Christmas afternoon. This special time of celebrating Christmas has been a tremendous event, which our prisoners look forward to every year. But this Christmas, we are having to purchase other gifts! The reason for this is that presently in Uganda the prison farms where we have purchased cows for years are having a terrible time with the "Mouth and Foot Disease." Because of this, we would have to pay for a veterinarian to inspect every cow, and then give us a permit to buy the cow. Because of this, the cost of each cow would be over \$500.00 each.

But friends, this year we really need your help to buy many Christmas gifts such as rice, beans, vegetables, fruits, juice, and many other food items. Also, this year we want to also purchase blankets, toilet tissue, soap, hygiene items for ladies, toothbrushes, cleaning chemicals, cooking oil, and much medicine to help treat so many sick prisoners in Uganda.. Therefore, I would like to ask every one of you GIMI Team Members to help us with this different project this year. If you can give to this special project, please just write a check to GIMI and designate it for Christmas gifts for Prisoners and Orphans. Then send it to GIMI at P.O. Box 667, Taylorsville, NC 28681.

Also, I would like to share with you that in addition to this Christmas project in Uganda, each year for over 22 years,

we have had to raise thousands of dollars more to help purchase Christmas humanitarian items for all of our prisons in all of our 14 countries. We also purchase thousands of items to give to our school students and orphan children. I am asking all of you to please prayerfully consider giving a large gift this year to help with our Christmas parties in all of our prisons orphanages, and schools. And folks, with the Covid 19 virus still showing up in many of our prisons and schools, Christmas items again this year will be the same items as I have already listed for Uganda. We really need your extra help with these Christmas party celebrations. I sincerely promise you that if you give and hundreds of people get saved, as they usually do, then you will share in the rewards for every person that comes to Christ. So, if you can help us again this year, just use the afore mentioned address and send your gifts very soon so that we can shop for the humanitarian items in order to prepare for the Christmas parties. Folks, this is the biggest special project we do every year. In order to make these Christmas celebrations a success, we really need your help! Thank you in advance for helping us to reach thousands of people for Christ! And, I want to tell you that we do not give any Christmas items without being ab<mark>le to present the Gospel to the recipients. This is</mark> a standard rule for all of our workers in the 14 countries in Africa where we are working!

Finally, as conclude my discussion about the wonderful meaning of Christmas, I would like to share with you preachers and teachers two more outlines that you might like to use at Christmas. I sincerely hope that you might be able to share these with your people.

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"THE GLORY OF GOD RETURNS TO EARTH"

SCRIPTURE: LUKE 2:8-20

I. NOTICE THE PLACE WHERE IT RETURNED. vs. 8-9

- A. It was an ordinary place. v. 8a
- B. It was an offensive place. v. 8b
- C. It was an obscure place. v. 8c
- D. It was an opportune place. v. 9

II. NOTICE THE PERSON IT REVEALED. vs. 10-12

- A. He was the Person Who would provide solace. v. 10
- B. He was the Person Who would provide salvation. v. 11a
- C. He was the Person Who would provide sovereignty. v. 11b
- D. He was the Person Who would provide a sign. v. 12

III. NOTICE THE PROCLAMATION IT RESOUNDED. vs. 13-14

- A. It was a proclamation permeated with praise. v. 13
- B. It was a proclamation promoting His power. v. 14a
- C. It was a proclamation promising His peace. v. 14b

IV. NOTICE THE DEEDS IT REQUIRED. vs. 15-20

- A. It required an immediate decision to seek the Savior. v. 15
- B. It required an important discovery to see the Savior. v. 16
- C. It required an immense declaration to share the Savior. vs. 17-18
- D. It required an immeasurable devotion to savor the Savior. v. 19
- E. It required an inspirational demonstration of support for the Savior. v. 20

"A CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR SOME SHEPHERDS" SCRIPTURE: LUKE 2:8-20

I. NOTICE THE SPECIAL RECIPIENTS OF THIS GIFT. v. 8

- A. Notice the designation of these recipients. 8a
- B. Notice the location of these recipients. v8b
- C. Notice the occupation of these recipients. v. 8c

II. NOTICE THE SUPERNATURAL REVELATION ABOUT THIS GIFT. vs. 9-14

- A. Notice the messenger of the revelation. v. 9a
- B. Notice the majesty of the revelation. v. 9b
- C. Notice the mystery of the revelation. v. 9c
- D. Notice the message of the revelation. vs. 10-11
 - 1. It was a message of peace. v. 10a
 - 2. It was a message of promise. v. 10b
 - 3. It was a message of pleasure. v. 10c
 - 4. It was a message about a Person. v. 11
- E. Notice the mark of the revelation. v. 12
- F. Notice the multitude with the revelation. v. 13
- G. Notice the magnification with the revelation. v. 14

III. NOTICE THE SURE ROUTE TO DISCOVER THIS GIFT. vs. 15-16

- A. The route includes taking immediate action. v. 15a
- B. The route includes keeping an important appointment. v. 15b
- C. The route includes giving an illuminated attention. vs. 15c-16

IV. NOTICE THE SPONTANEOUS RESPONSE TO THIS GIFT. vs. 17-20

- A. There was proclamation by the shepherds. v. 17
- B. There was admiration by the people. v. 18
- C. There was contemplation by Mary. v. 19
- D. There was glorification by the shepherds. v. 20

A FINAL NOTE

Before I close, let me tell you once more that JoAnne and I are praying for every contributor to this ministry by name. And, we also are praying especially for those prayer requests that you and all of our dear friends send to us. So, if you have some special requests, please send them to us, and we will begin praying for them on a regular basis. JoAnne and I truly believe that God does tremendous work through the prayers of His people. And, the very last thing I want to mention is that I continue to have many health problems. So, please remember to pray for this old preacher/missionary and his wonderful wife. We sincerely cherish you praying for us. Thank you again for your kind generosity in helping us to win souls for Jesus!

Still In The King's Service, Dr. Stan Frye President of GIMI Matthew 9:35-38

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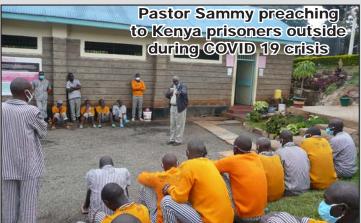
















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