

FOLLOWING THE HARVEST

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Sharing Jesus Without Fear

Last month I told you that I used to find it difficult to share the gospel with people that I see on an everyday basis, but on the other hand my wife Linda has no problem sharing her faith with anyone who comes across her path. I have come up with a great solution to my dilemma, it's called "Sharing Jesus Without Fear," and can be found in a book by the same name, written by author William Fay. It's a method of sharing the gospel message clearly and in a non-offensive way. You cannot fail by using this simple but powerful method. Jesus said, "No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws him," John 6:44. It is God who draws people to Himself, not you nor me. Even still, you do not want to miss God-ordained opportunities to share your faith with others. Success has nothing whatsoever to do with bringing anyone to the Lord, but has everything to do with obedience. Real success is sharing your faith and living your life for Jesus Christ. The book deals with overcoming any fears you might have about what to say and feeling embarrassed. I recommend that you get a copy of this book. It will inspire you to look for opportunities to share the greatest news ever. Send for a copy of "Share Jesus Without Fear" today on Amazon or go to your local Christian Book store. You'll be glad you did!



Praying the sinner's prayer

"You Are A Fool!"

I was preaching my first salvation message at the Redondo Pier after spending 2 months recovering from total hip surgery. The crowd seemed interested, so I decided to do an altar call, inviting people to trust Christ as their personal Savior and Lord. Just before I gave the call to trust Christ, a man on a bicycle road up between the audience and myself and yelled at me, "YOU ARE A FOOL," and road off down the boardwalk. I know who it was that sent that man across my path. It was the evil one, Satan, to either distract me or even stop me from doing an altar call. Getting the Word of God out to the lost means warfare! You and I cannot see into the unseen realm, but the Bible says that it's more real than what we can see. "While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal" - 2 Corinthians 4:18.

The truth however is that I really am a fool for Christ. The question is: Who's fool are you? We so often get so caught up in the affairs of this life that we as believers forget who we're serving. Think about it. Who are you serving today? Yourself, devil or the Lord? As Bob Dylan sang, "Ya got to serve somebody!"



People trusting Christ at the Redondo Pier

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New Open Door of Opportunity

We have been given the ok to do "Free Hot Dog and a Prayer" near Torrance High School. We will be setting up across the street from the school's back gate and inviting students after school gets out, to enjoy a free hot dog and a prayer. We will be preparing 100 hot dogs and water for the students. Please be praying for this outreach to reach the hearts of many students for Christ. Our starting date will be on Thursday March 1st and continue every other week till the semester is over.

Closet Christians By Linda Felis



"Neither do men light a candle and put it under a basket, but on a candlestick. And it gives light to all who are in the house. Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father who is in heaven" Matthew 5:15-16.

God doesn't want any of us walking and living in darkness, but why are so many Christians hiding their light and not sharing the best news ever? I think I can answer some of the reasons myself. I'm a recovering people pleaser. I hate to make anyone uncomfortable, but the older I get and the darker the world gets, quite frankly I can care less and less what unbelievers think about me. Truth wins, love wins and God wants more kids in His family.



Jean sharing the gospel

I like to start my day with asking God what he might be up to in my life today, and how He might want to use me. I don't like rejection anymore than the next person, but telling a person how to be forgiven and get to heaven takes preference over how I might be feeling. There are even many mature Christians who are stumped as to what to say if asked about their faith. Your personal testimony is the place to start. You see, no one can argue with your personal testimony. Also, I always keep gospel tracts in my purse when I don't have time to talk to someone.

Friends, one of the greats Billy Graham just graduated to heaven. Can you imagine how many people he will see in heaven because he laid down his life to share the good news. God is calling us to be bold and courageous Christians, who are willing to step out of our comfort zones and bring more people into God's eternal kingdom.

MARCH OUTREACH SCHEDULE

- March 3rd Santa Monica Pier - 7pm
- March 9th Newport Pier - 6pm
- March 10th Hermos Pier - 6pm
- March 16th Seal Beach Pier - 6pm
- March 17th Redondo Pier - 6pm
- March 23rd 'Pray together at Russ Hodder's Home' - 6pm
- March 24th Manhattan Pier - 6pm
- March 30th 'Fellowship Night at Russ's' - 6pm
- March 31st Redondo Pier - 6pm

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