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## Mission Support Ministry Trips

by Danny Bullock, Barnabus Touch coordinator

Barnabus Touch trips for 2014 have been planned to go to four countries on five different occasions. We will go to the Philippines on April 18-26 to work with Bro. Don Newsom on the island of Panay to hold a pastor's conference during the day and then to preach in the evenings at nearby churches. We plan to go to the island of Negros at the invitation of Pastor Pete Etabag to hold a pastor's conference during Oc-

tober 2-11. We are returning to Ghana August 1-9 for a follow-up training after our 2013 trip there. This will be during the two week recess of the Bible School there.

Then September 5-13 we will go back to Nepal for the third consecutive year to work with the pastors there. We have a pending trip scheduled for December 4-13 to Tanzania to help teach pastors. This is due to a plea from a Baptist pastor in



Danny Bullock

western Tanzania who is asking for help because of the different doctrines being taught by untrained pastors. We will make an exploratory trip there February 10-19 to assess the situation and then return in December if we believe we can be of assistance.

Cost for the trips is \$2,750 which will include airfare, lodging, and meals while in the country. Anyone interested can contact me at 870-904-5032 or danbull0550@gmail.com for further information. Churches, consider sending your pastor to help encourage and bless these men who do not always have much access to formal teaching and training.

## Online Church Letter deadline

Deadline is February 15, 2014

DiscipleGuide Information Services supports all BMAA churches; departments; ministries; associations at the local, state, and national levels; and, all who serve God's Kingdom through the BMAA. The work of Information Services is compiled annually in the BMAA Directory and Handbook. The 54th edition of the directory is now in production. The 2013-2014 Annual Church Letter form is essential to produce the directory and it keeps your church's listings as current as possible. The statistics requested are used to evaluate the overall effectiveness and growth of the BMAA and its ministries.

Some state and local associations have chosen to use this form, enabling church clerks to

complete one form one time and submit copies for those annual meetings. (Note: There is a different single-page BMAA Letter of Representation distributed before the annual meeting in April.) However, in order to update listings in the BMAA Directory and Handbook, the Annual Church Letter form must be submitted directly to Information Services. If you have already submitted your church letter to us, we thank you. If not, you may complete it online at [www.BMALife.com/churchletter](http://www.BMALife.com/churchletter) until February 15, or mail your completed form to DiscipleGuide Information Services, 4613 Parkway Drive, Texarkana, AR 71854 by February 15. The form also can be

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## DiscipleGuide Editor Plans Retirement

In 1972, editor C. O. Strong invited Charles Reddin to join the editorial staff of Baptist Publishing House in Texarkana, Texas. In a forty-two year career Brother Reddin's hand has touched such far-ranging projects as Girls' Missionary Auxiliary publications to adult Sunday school curriculum. Since 2000 Brother Reddin has filled the position of adult editor, supervising the publication of all adult Sunday school curriculum projects.

Brother Reddin has made the decision to retire from the publishing role he has filled for the past four decades. The scheduled date for his retirement is July 15, 2014. The timing of his retirement is based partly on his own eligibility for retirement and partly on the changes that are occurring at DiscipleGuide.

Brother Reddin stated, "When the Board announced the decision to recommend closing the office here, I felt that the best time for me to retire would be when the move takes place."

DiscipleGuide Executive Director Scott Attebery expressed his appreciation for Brother Reddin stating, "Brother Charles is leaving a legacy behind. His work has shaped the faith of countless members of the BMA. Without a doubt, his ministry has reached the corners of the globe as pastors and missionaries—influenced by his work—have influenced others for Christ."

DiscipleGuide has prayerfully begun the process of choosing a successor to Brother Reddin. Attebery explains, "Although it will be impossible to find another Charles Reddin, we believe God will provide another man to carry on his legacy of faithfulness."



Charles Reddin

## Southeastern College President Search

Southeastern Baptist College, Laurel, Mississippi, is currently seeking applications for president. For more information please contact: Matt Hudson, Trustee Chairman, 662-260-0244 – cell or 662-862-2510 – home. You may also send an e-mail to: [mlhudson85@yahoo.com](mailto:mlhudson85@yahoo.com).

Applications for this position will be received through March 30, 2014.



## An Opportunity To Help Reach Around The World!

You should see our missionaries and their families! Cute kids, smiling faces, dedicated warriors for Christ! For example, go to [bmamissions.org/missionaries](http://bmamissions.org/missionaries), then <Middle East> and <Jordan.> There you'll see the beautiful family of Sam Jordan and a list of prayer requests and praises from him. Start your day with a quick search of more families just like the Jordans serving all around the world.

On World Missions Sunday, we will make a special effort to emphasize the selfless work these missionaries and their families are doing. As you browse through the [bmamissions.org](http://bmamissions.org) website, please honor their requests for prayer and rejoice with them at the many decisions made to surrender and follow Christ. Help make Sunday February 23rd a special day of emphasis on BMA Missions in the following regions: Europe, Middle East, Central America, South America, North America, Africa, and Asia-Pacific.




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**It Has Been a Good Month**

“So being affectionately desirous of you, we were willing to have imparted unto you, not the gospel of God only, but also our own souls, because ye were dear unto us. For ye remember, brethren, our labour and travail: for labouring night and day, because we would not be chargeable unto any of you, we preached unto you the gospel of God.” 1 Thess 2:8-9 I love the transparency by which Paul communicated with the churches. It’s as if he is saying, “I love you, and desire to be with you, to share with you, to encourage you, to preach the gospel unto you.” What a heart! God grant me this heart!

**Visiting the Churches**

I have had the privilege, this past month, to preach at Lebanon, Soso; Salem, Stringer; Temple, Laurel, Campground, Gulfport; and the Pastor’s Conference at Lake Tiak O’Khata. I am so grateful for these opportunities and welcome the opportunity to visit your church.

**Visiting the Local Associations**

I traveled to a number of our local association meetings this past month. Some meet on the same day and this precludes me from being able to attend all of them in a given month

but I do my best. This month I was able to visit the Ten Mile; Hobolochitto; Harmony; Judson; Oak Grove; and Capitol Association meetings. The fellowship is tremendous and I always come away uplifted and encouraged.

When we arrived at Skyway Hills for the Capitol Association meeting, we realized that we were going to get to witness a special program by the Girl’s Missionary Auxiliary. Mrs. Chris Smith did a great job as Master of Ceremonies, a title she has well earned by her many years of labor with the WMA and GMA programs. As expected, it was top notch. It was really a blessing to watch those girls demonstrate their devotion to God’s Word and work. Brother Mark Jones would have been thrilled to see the Galileans, in full dress, present the flags and Bible to open the program.

Our local association meetings represent one of the greatest opportunities for our churches to work together and encourage each other. I pray that all of our churches will make a strong effort to participate in their local association.

**Participation in Local Missions Rally**

Temple Baptist Church in Laurel held their annual missions rally this past month and a number of our State missionaries and I were invited to speak. In addition to me, Bro. Ray Boone, Bro. Bob Burch, Bro. Estuardo Marroquin and Bro. Kelby Johnson shared at the meeting. Bro. Cliff Jenkins and the fine folks at



Visiting with Bro. Estuardo Marroquin and Bro. Inocencio Rivera at Temple Mission Rally

Temple blessed our hearts.

A number of the churches in the Big Creek Association joined in for the Sunday evening portion of the rally and we just had a great time.

I would encourage others to do this. It is a great way to get to know the missionaries in a deeper and more personal way.

**Pastor’s Conference at Lake Tiak O’Khata**

Twenty seven pastors gathered for the annual Pastor’s Retreat at Lake Tiak O’Khata. While the number of attendees was down, due to inclement weather, the music, preaching and spirit of the meeting were outstanding. I personally want to thank Bro. Justin Cameron for a great program.

The meeting was interrupted on a couple of occasions by personal testimonies of how the meeting has come to be such a blessing. It was shared by a number of folks, to me, that once they made the first one, they knew they would never miss again. Praise God for this time.

**First Meeting of Day Star Baptist Mission**

One of the greatest joys I had this month was gathering with others at the first meeting for Day Star Baptist Mission. Day Star is our newest mission project, located in Sumrall, MS. This meeting was for the purpose of assessing who was available to help in canvassing efforts and to plan for a canvassing event on February 8th, followed by the first Bible study

to be held on February 11th.

Bro. Phillip Burns did a great job leading in the meeting and the excitement was high as we

to receive her Bachelor’s degree in Business Administration.

Mrs. Parker has been attend-



First gathering of Daystar Mission

gathered in the new location and began to visualize a new mission congregation meeting there.

**God Continues to Call Men into the Ministry**

Bradley Starling and Stuart Priest were both presented by Grace Mission in New Albany, Missionary Kelby Johnson, as candidates to be licensed into the gospel ministry by their mother church, Bethel Baptist Church at Fulton. These are exciting times and we praise God for what He is doing.

**Mrs. Parker Receives her Degree**

Mrs. Kim Parker, our Missions Department bookkeeper and administrator, recently completed her course requirements, at Southeastern Baptist College, necessary



Kim Parker

**Praying for New Mission Projects**

I continue to pray for the ongoing development of new mission projects. Our goal is to start 5 new projects this year. Please continue to pray, very specifically, that God will raise up the men to go. We have a number of opportunities that include both the location and a church interested in being a mother church but we are still praying that God will give us the men.

Our web site is [www.bmams.org](http://www.bmams.org). Like our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/bmamsmissions>.



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Pastor’s Conference Attendees

# Southeastern Baptist College

Danny Pitts - Interim President

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Danny Pitts

*Serving Christ With a Biblical World View In A Christian Atmosphere*

The students and teachers at Southeastern Baptist College are excited about the prospects of a new term. After three weeks of classes, learning and tests are already in full swing. We have even had dismissal for a snow day.

Since registration for the 2014 Spring Semester is complete, the statistical information is available. The initial total is forty enrolled with one extra auditing a class. This shows a slight increase of three students over the Fall Semester. Almost all institutions have a decrease in the Spring from the Fall figures. Fourteen of our students are new and did not attend during the fall. The number of hours being taken are 404 without the audit. This is about fifty less than the total hours for the Fall. Eighteen ministers are taking classes at Southeastern. Six of these are in the BMA. Ten of our students are members of BMA

churches. Even though we hope the number from the BMA grows, we are thrilled about the opportunity to minister to others as well.

## Physical Plant Work

In the last paper an article shared about the renovation efforts in the dorm. Trustee Dennis Rankin is spearheading that work. In fact, he and his wife have already spent several days and a lot of their own money in work on the project. Anyone who has been to the dorms recently knows these improvements are much needed. Bro. Rankin always does excellent work in anything he attempts. If you or your church would like to contribute to this project, send your donation designed "Dorms and Renovations." Some confusion may have occurred, but any contribution is welcomed and needed. A special thank you is expressed for your generosity.

## Expert Volunteers Needed

The maintenance and repair needs at the school are overwhelming. Because of the shortage of funds, many problem areas have been neglected. Some of these cannot be ignored any longer. The tightness of the budget, however, requires that the contributions to these needs must be above the regular giving for the operation of the college. Redirecting regular support for SBC to maintenance, repair, and renovations would be devastating to our yearly financial reports.

As Interim President at Southeastern, I am trying to develop a database with the names and numbers of our people who would be willing to volunteer their expertise in some areas to the school. Hopefully we can raise the money to pay for supplies. The needs included are for plumbers, electricians, carpenters, tile layers, and roofers. We do want folks who can do a quality job in each field. Having a resource to contact during times of emergency would be very beneficial to us. We have some very gifted people in the BMA. Your gifts can be used for the Lord. If you are willing to use your expertise, call the school and give your information or send an email to [interimpres@gmail.com](mailto:interimpres@gmail.com).

# Revenge

They say revenge is a dish best served in secret. Or maybe it is best served cold? Or...well, I can't exactly remember how the saying goes, or even if there is a saying. One day I will invest a little time in research and maybe a dictionary (I'm wondering what "venge" means and why you would want to "re-venge" it). Anyway, as I age, I find that it is just too much trouble to exact revenge on someone or something for indiscretions inflicted

toward me or my family. Actually, it has been many years since the thought has even entered the vast tundra that is my mind. After I found Jesus (He wasn't hard to find, I had just been looking in the wrong places) my ideology changed.

There was a time, however, that devious thoughts clouded my brain and caused evil storms to brew upon the hapless souls who had the audacity to infringe upon my world of happiness. Take, for instance, my eighth grade year of school. Being incredibly intelligent, I had to work overtime to get bad grades. I wanted to fit in with everyone else, so I had to go the extra mile. I buckled down, and with some late nights of cramming and library time, I was able to get my grades down to a peer acceptable level of average. It was hard work and very labor intensive, but it was a sacrifice that had to be

made to keep me from getting beat up for being a nerd. I figured that I could fake being average and not standing out with the intellectually elite until I finished high school, and then I would go back to being brilliant. This plan worked to perfection, except the part about going back to being brilliant.

Anyway, back to revenge. I had a sweet, innocent, cute, adorable little female dog of mixed origin named Bear.

All of six inches tall, she was a lean, mean, squirrel treeing machine. She was my companion everyday after school when I would hit the woods with my .22 rifle looking for bushy tails. Sometimes we found one. One day, returning from the asylum called Junior High, I noticed an ugly male beagle hanging around. For some reason, I had bought a box of rat shot for the gun, so I stealthily stalked steadily still...um, well, I walked outside and shot the ill-intentioned hound in the hind quarters. I must say, I felt extremely satisfied that I had protected my little girl's integrity.

Someone must have ratted me out (no pun intended), because later on that evening, my parents expressed their displeasure for my valiant deed. The owner of the dog said I shot its eyes out. Sheesh! It was just a little rat shot to the bohunkus and they turned it into international security violations. I can't even remember what my punishment was, but my brother and I made it our personal agenda to dump every bit of trash we could in their yard and mailbox for years to come. Even after I had moved out, when I would return to visit my parents, I would save up bottles and fast food bags so I could throw them in their yard as I passed. Yeah, I was a rebel.

Thankfully, God has given me a better reason for living than revenge. And it's a good thing too. Otherwise, there could possibly be a serial trash thrower lurking in your neighborhood.... And nobody would be safe. (Side note for all young gentlemen coming around to court my daughters...I still have some of that rat shot)

## From The Mind of



Chuck Lee

## DiscipleGuide Seeking Editor

Do you have special skills in writing and project development? Have you ever wondered how your editing skills could be used for God's kingdom? At DiscipleGuide, we believe that God does big things through small churches. Our mission is to provide effective resources to help churches make disciples.

Serving churches is serving Christ. That's why we are committed to the highest standards of quality in our curriculum. Has God given you a skillset "for such a time as this?"

DiscipleGuide Church Resources is seeking a full-time managing editor who will be responsible for producing the Compass curriculum products as well as other publications. The responsibilities call for a candidate who can fully support the doctrinal stance of the BMAA and assure that the curriculum products conform to the BMAA doctrinal statement. The position would report to the Direc-

tor of Publishing. In addition, the following skills are necessary for the task.

**Language skills.** The editorial responsibilities will require the candidate to have a mastery of grammar and usage.

**Bible knowledge.** This editorial position primarily deals with the Compass Bible-study curriculum, thus a strong biblical background is vital to the task. Knowledge of biblical languages is a plus.

**Strong organizational skills.**

The editor will supervise the production of multiple products each quarter. The editor will also be responsible to recruit, train, and coordinate a team of curriculum developers and writers in order to meet house production schedules. Experience in publishing is helpful, but not necessary.

**Business administration and marketing skills.** Skills that would aid in the production, sales, and marketing of

DiscipleGuide products would be valuable for this position.

Duties of DiscipleGuide's adult editor include:

Lead a committee of freelance writers in curriculum development.

Edit manuscripts for publication with attention to grammar, doctrine, biblical content, readability, effectiveness, and length.

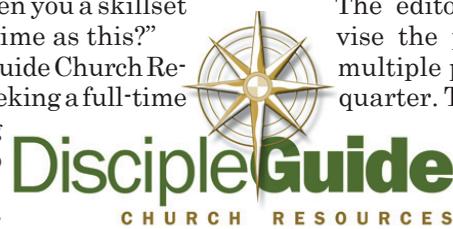
Provide materials and guidance for typesetting and design as publications are assembled.

Read proofs and verify corrections.

Communicate with DiscipleGuide staff, writers, customers, church leaders, teachers, and readers as needed.

Participate in evaluating and planning products.

Interested parties should send a resume to DiscipleGuide: Attn. Jerome Cooper, 4613 Parkway Drive, Texarkana, AR 71854. Applications will be received until job is filled.



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**Funds Coming In**

Funds from our January Special Emphasis Effort have already started coming in. We are pleased with your early response. We have had some new churches to give and several have given liberally.

Your Special offerings during January help us to maintain a fiscally sound operation throughout the year.

God bless you for your continued support of this ministry.



Don Brown  
Editor

**Instant Email Messages**

When news breaks that needs to be shared immediately this office sends out an Email News Alert. This allows

us to get information to our churches and readers in a timely manner. Deaths, emergency needs, and any type of breaking news that is important to our readers and churches is quickly shared.

We would like to increase the size of this mailing. ANY individual can sign up for this service at no cost. It is important for us to be aware of breaking news and these Email alerts give us this ability.

In order to get your name on this list, we ask that you simply email this editor at [editor@msbaptist.org](mailto:editor@msbaptist.org) and put "add to EMail Alert List" in the subject line.

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**Church Seeks Pastor**

Big Oak Baptist Church of Fulton, Mississippi, is searching for a pastor. Those interested in more information should call Aaron Loden at 662-213-6918 or Robert Loden at 662-397-5395.

**Church Seeks Youth Minister**

First Baptist Church, Springhill, Louisiana, is presently in the process of seeking a new staff member. This position would be a Minister of Youth. It would be our preference to hire someone who has finished their education and willing to relocate immediately.

This would be a full-time position. We do have a parsonage for this new staff member to live in. A complete package would be discussed at time applicant meets with church.

If you are aware of anyone who might be available to fill this position, please reply to this email ([jemmie@centurytel.net](mailto:jemmie@centurytel.net)) or call me at 318-422-0593.

Davey Thomas  
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Springhill, Louisiana

**Southeastern College President Search**

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**Vernon Phillips Passes Away**

Brother Vernon Lee Phillips died Wednesday, January 22, 2014, in his home on the Sunflower River near Anquilla, Mississippi. He was 88.

He was born on June 24, 1925 in Moorehead, Mississippi, to Melvin Lee and Ethel Lela Phillips.

Brother Phillips was self-employed as a farmer before surrendering to the Gospel ministry on July 19, 1952.

During his ministry he pastored churches in Mississippi, Georgia, and Alabama. He served as a recruiting officer for Southeastern Baptist College. He was a member of Zion Baptist Church, Anquilla.



Vernon Lee Phillips

He served his country in the U.S. Air Force during World War II. He received commendations for his efforts in the "Rooster Movement".

In addition to his mother and father, he was preceded in death by his wife, Lela Couch Phillips; a brother and a sister; and his daughter-in-law, Kay Bradley Phillips.

He is survived by two sons, David Lee Phillips and Donald Ray Phillips, both of Anquilla; five grandchildren; ten great grandchildren; one brother; two sisters; and many nieces and nephews.

Services were held Saturday, January 25, 2014 at Zion Baptist Church in Anquilla, with Brother Bobby Conrad officiating. Burial followed at Golden Link Cemetery. Pallbearers were Donovan Phillips, Dave Albert, Sam Freeman, Dwight Lindsay, J.J. Hearn, Gary Barnett, and Mike Couch.

**Editor's Note:** Bro. Vernon Phillips loved the Lord and the Lord's churches and served faithfully in a number of areas for the Baptist Missionary Association. He was on the Board of Trustees when I was elected editor in 1978. I suspect that the fact that I was married to one of his former church mem-

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**Church of the Covered Dish** BY THOMAS TAPP



# Commission on Senior Adults

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Kenneth Flynt  
Director

## Cookies For Abortion?

The Girl Scouts is set to launch its annual cookie sale, but a prominent pro-family/pro-life organization is suggesting the public not purchase them.

Over the past several years, Girl Scouts of the USA has lost a large slice of its membership largely due to its left-leaning policies and associations, including its honoring of strongly pro-abortion people and political office holders. Since the Girl Scouts makes millions of dollars in revenue from cookie sales, American Family Association is recommending people who disagree with those liberal practices not support the cookie campaign.

"If a Girl Scout asks you to buy Girl Scout Cookies, just simply say No, thank you," advises Randy Sharp, director of special projects for AFA. "There's no need to explain to this little girl what the social agenda of the organization is. There's no need for us as adults to embarrass the little girls."

Full explanations of objections to the Girl Scouts' pro-abortion views and activities are available online at [MyGirlScoutCouncil.com](http://MyGirlScoutCouncil.com) and [SpeakNowGirlScouts.com](http://SpeakNowGirlScouts.com). Christy Volanski, who created [SpeakNowGirlScouts.com](http://SpeakNowGirlScouts.com), last month penned a column titled "What every pro-lifer needs to know about the Girl Scouts' link to Planned Parenthood."

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bers was a plus in my favor. Bro. Vernon served as the pastor of Liberty Baptist Church on two different occasions. Liberty was my wife's home church and she grew up under his ministry and as dear friends with his family.

Bonnie and I were able to visit Bro. Phillips and his son David in their home this past August. What a great time we had. Bro. Phillips was an individual who loved conversation and we had our afternoon full of it. We talked about his health, church work and even his time serving America during WWII. He was loved and he will surely be missed.

may I flag a caution sign? For consequential information please consider the instructions of the Bible, and also view and evaluate the backside of the Billboard as well as that beautiful enticing front side. It is better to know Jesus as Savior, than to know him as Judge! And remember, Satan is not now, nor ever will be your friend!

back." I believe you'll say the same. So make plans to attend one of these conferences. These Jubilees will bless your heart. Philippians 3:1, "Finally, my brethren, rejoice in the Lord."

Please pray that these special days for our seniors will be a day of praise and worship for He is worthy. "Rejoice always . . . and again I say rejoice, Philippians 4:4

Mark your calendar. Save this day for the Senior Jubilee. You don't want to miss the 2014 Senior Adult Conferences!

### Senior Adult Conferences Set

The afternoon sessions in both conferences will consist of Gaither-style Homecoming Singing with choirs made up of talent from local churches.

If you have never been to one of these conferences or if you have not been recently, then by all means make 2014 the time you will do it.

We are so thrilled that the Senior Adult Conferences are so popular with BMA of Mississippi people. Those who come one time always say, "I'll be

## 2014 Senior Adult Conferences

### South Conference - Tuesday, March 26 Big Creek Baptist Church, Soso

Registration fee - \$15.00 per person - Registration 9:00 a.m.

Program - 9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Personalities on Program: Cameron Trio

Travis Plumlee

Bryson Haden

Earl Smith

Plaques for Preachers - 50 years/2014

Mack's Fish will cater the noon meal

Big Creek Ladies will provide desserts

### North Conference - Tuesday, May 13 East Fulton Baptist Church, Fulton

Program - 9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Personalities on program - Roger Akers

Bryson Haden

Dr. Gary O'Neal

Plaques: Preachers 50 years/2014

## The Billboard

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never show the possibilities of the backside. God's word acknowledges there is pleasure in sin, but also that it is short lived. In Hebrew 11:25, "Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season". The Bible and statistics reveal that through the consumption of alcoholic drink highway fatalities have increased. It also destroys individual lives, homes, churches, and governments.

That which is destroyed due to the consumption of alcoholic drink is of more value than the short lived joy, or the lack of

revenue it generates. History reveals the revenue generated from the sale of alcoholic drink will not solve our school's financial needs, nor build a surplus in our governmental coffers as promised. The abuse of alcohol as a drink turns pleasure to sorrow, and sweet to bitter. Proverbs 23:32, "At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder". Christians have made a covenant to Christ through the New Testament Church that they will not abuse alcohol by using it as a beverage. Proverbs 20:1, "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise".

Passersby, before surrendering to any such form of enticement, billboard or otherwise



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## "Sharpen"

A night of training and encouragement for churches  
*Sponsored by the Youth Department of the BMA of Mississippi*

We ask every church to consider sending at least one person or small group to "Sharpen." If you have a youth pastor, send him. If you have someone who leads your youth or children, send them. We invite pastors and parents to "Sharpen." Any church member will benefit from this night of teaching. We don't have all the answers but we believe we can help strengthen the church by offering some encouragement and training. We are offering this conference in the South at Springhill Baptist Church on March 28, 2014 and in the North at South Green Baptist Church on April 4, 2014. This year we will meet on Friday night for just a few hours. There is no cost for this event.

### Theme: The Importance of Family

#### March 28, 2014 @Springhill Baptist Church (Laurel, MS)

5:30 pm Dinner

6:30 pm Session 1

"The Bible & Family"

by Bro. Larry Geraldson

Director of Missions & RLF, BMA of MS

7:30 pm Session 2

"The Church & Family"

by Bro. Cliff Jenkins

Pastor, Temple Baptist, Laurel

8:15 pm Discussion

Bro. Kelby Johnson

9:00 pm Dismiss

#### April 4, 2014 @South Green Baptist Church, Tupelo, MS

5:30 pm Dinner

6:30 pm Session 1

"The Bible & Family"

by Bro. Gary O'Neal

Pastor, Greenwood Baptist, Laurel

7:30 pm Session 2

"The Church & Family"

by Bro. Blake McCain

Pastor, South Green Baptist, Tupelo

8:15 pm Discussion

Bro. Kelby Johnson

9:00 pm Dismiss

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### National WMA News

## Right Here At Home

Often when the average person thinks of missionaries, he thinks of someone who travels across the world to witness to someone of a different culture.

Some missionaries do that. Sometimes the hardest thing is to witness to the people who are living right around us in a busy world that we know all too well. God calls all of us to witness to anyone we meet who may need to know more about Him. He does, however, call some to go specifically

to areas where, for whatever reason, the Word is not reaching the average United States citizen. That's exactly what happened when God called Matthew Prather to be a BMAA missionary.

Matthew grew up as a Baptist preacher's kid. While at Jacksonville College, he met Amy Taylor, a Baptist deacon's daughter. They married in

May, 1996. Matthew had surrendered to preach when he was 18, and he became a youth minister at Calvary, Fairfield, Texas, in 1998. The Prather's



Prather Family

now have two sons: Ethan, 9, and Jonas, 6. At the present time, Amy works as a substitute teacher in the Celina schools where her boys attend. In that manner, she is available to assist Matthew at times when she is needed.

When Matthew and Amy Prather knew that God was calling them to the mission field, they began to pray about

where He wanted them to serve. As they prayed, they realized that God was leading them to continue working in their own home state of Texas because it is the fastest growing state in the United States. After much prayer and checking out various areas around the state, God brought the Prathers to Celina, a relatively small but rapidly growing town north of the Dallas metroplex. Amy says that they have neighbors from many different states who have chosen to make this town their home.

After moving to Celina in September of 2012, Matthew and Amy started the first small group in their home in January, 2013. Throughout the year, they reached out to the community at every available opportunity. Some of their activities included diaper changing during city festivals, Easter egg hunts, movie nights, monthly worship services, Kids Camp, passing out water, cooking hot dogs, trick or treat, and Christmas on the Square. They also utilized about 100 students from SOAR in a SOAR Serves campaign. Through all of these activities, they have reached many people and started three new small groups,

which they call community groups.

At first, they had trouble finding somewhere to meet as a church. As in many areas,



The Bridge mission members involved in community events



they looked into using the school, but were told firmly that it would not be possible. However, after all of their service in the community, God opened the door to rent the school cafeteria. They now show up early on

Sunday to transform the usual lunch area into a worship center and the gym into a worship center for kids. When they finish, they again pack it all back into the trailer.

Prior to the Prather's arrival in Celina, the town had only one Baptist church, among other denominations. The town welcomed them with open arms. In January, 2014, The Bridge, as the mission is called, launched weekly worship services, averaging 40-50, and they are currently planning their first baptismal service. They would like to thank everyone for all their support and prayers.

God may not be calling you to be a missionary across the ocean or even somewhere else in the United States. However, He does command you to witness whenever you can. Then He also expects you to support others who are called to go elsewhere—sometimes with your time or money, but always with your prayers. Further prayer needs for the Prathers are:

Pray that they see more people come to know Christ as their Savior.

Pray for them to build new relationships with people in North Texas.

Pray for them as they continue the work of establishing a new church that will make a difference in the lives of people in North Texas.

Remember the Prathers and all of our missionaries, wherever they are serving.

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### GMA Promoter Urges Attendance at Camp

Girls and counselors it is time to pack our bags and head to GMA camp! Camp will be March 14-15 at Camp Garaway in Clinton. Our theme is "In God We Trust" with Dr. John Adams serving as our camp pastor.

Attention Counselors: If you have a GMA participating in Junior Miss GMA of Miss GMA the deadline to have their packets in to me in March 1st.

I do want all of the girls and ladies to realize that you do not

have to be a GMA to attend camp. If any church that has a group of girls and they want to go to camp, please send them to camp.

If anyone has any questions please call or email me.

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### State Sunbeam Report

The State Sunbeam officers met December 28th at Hopewell Baptist Church, Soso,

to discuss plans for the upcoming Sunbeam state camp. Attendees were Jesse Williams, President from Paramount; Saidee Walley, Vice-president, Temple; Lily Brewer, Second Vice-President, Paramount; Emily Carroll, Corresponding Secretary, Mt. Carmel; Saylor Jordan, Historian, Temple; and Luke Mitchell, Little Mr. Sunbeam, Mt. Carmel.

BMA missionary to Indonesia gave a presentation about the Lord's work there. Many thanks to her for the update and to Hopewell Baptist Church for their hospitality.

## CHURCH NEWS

### Harmony Meeting Report

Our January meeting was held at First Baptist Church in Mantachie. Pastor Dr. John Adams introduced the special music and the speaker, Bro. Grover Laird. Brother Laird's message was from Mathew 24: 1-13 en-

titled Living in the Last Days.

After the message the meeting was called to order with 10 churches represented and a total of 56 present, with 4 visitors. The February meeting will be at First Hispanic in Ripley with Dr. John David Smith as speaker, with Bro. Elvis Garcia the alternate.

Reports were given by Bro. Kelby Johnson, speaking on the state youth department also his work as missionary in the New Albany area. Other speakers included Bro. Bobby Elliott, Bro. Elvis Garcia, Bro. Kenneth Pollock and Bro. Larry Geraldson, State Missions Director.

Bro. Mark Johnson spoke on his work with the Galileans, and Dr. John Adams presented a short film of him opening with prayer the U.S. House of Representatives in November.

Bro. Danny Pitts, interim president of Southeastern Baptist College, presented the outlook of the college and future plans.

Bro. Mike Smith, Moderator  
Tony Marolt, Reporter

### Oak Grove Association

The Oak Grove Association met with Calvary Baptist Church, Purvis on January 16 with ten churches being represented. Several visitors were present.

Bro. Danny Pitts, Interim President at Southeastern Baptist College, spoke on behalf of the college. Bro. Sidney Davis presented the work of the Children's Home and Bro. Kenneth Flynt shared information of upcoming events sponsored by the Commission on Senior Adults. Bro. Larry Geraldson represented the State Missions Department and introduced three of our State Missionaries who also gave reports concerning their respective fields: Bro. Phillip Burns (Sumrall), Bro. Estuardo Marroquin (Hispanic Ministry) and Bro. Sidney Farmer (South Forrest). Bro. Paul Lee gave a report from Prisoner's Bible Crusade. Bro. Ted Quinby shared a report on missions as the Association's National Missions Ambassador.

State Missionary Bro. Sidney Farmer brought the message.

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the seed of Israel shall cease being a nation before God. But the same Lord God that made the ordinance – that the sun shall shine in the day and the moon shall shine in the night – that same Lord God hath said: “That Israel will be a nation before Me forever.”

### Historically, Satan desires to Destroy Israel

In about 1400 B.C., the Egyptian Pharaoh said “I shall destroy the Jews.” His plan was to destroy the seed and then the Jewish nation would collapse. Pharaoh passed a decree that all male children born in every Hebrew family should be slain.

In 722 BC, Sargon, with his merciless and bitter Assyrians destroyed Samaria and the northern ten tribes. But God said: “Israel shall abide before me a nation forever.” 586 BC, Nebuchadnezzar came with his Chaldeans and destroyed Jerusalem and Judah. But God said, “Israel shall abide before me a nation forever.” In 70 AD, Titus came with his Roman legions and they leveled the holy city to the ground and destroyed the temple of the Lord. And they tried to destroy the nation utterly. But God said: “Israel shall abide before Me a people forever.”

In the eighteenth chapter of the book of Acts and the second verse it says that Aquila and Priscilla, who later became friends to the apostle Paul were in Corinth because Claudius, the Roman Caesar who had expelled all Jews from Rome. That has been the story of the Jewish heritage for centuries. Nation after nation has sought to destroy and to bury them.

In the law that Christopher Columbus wrote, dating it the first of August, 1492, Columbus observes that the port in

which his ship is anchored and from which he leaves to find the New World, that the port is filled with Jews. Why? Because Queen Isabella and King Ferdinand had made a decree to destroy all the Jews in Spain and they were driven out and expelled.

For centuries there were no Jews in the British Isles. They were not allowed in England. In 1948, for the first time in nearly two thousand years, a nation of Israel was born. But Nasser and the Arab said: “it shall not exist.” But God said, “It will abide before Me forever.” And in 1956, Nasser the leader of Egypt declared war against the little Israel and he was ignominiously defeated. Then in June of 1967, Nasser stood up and said, “I have two billion dollars of Russian armament. I have one thousand Russian tanks. I have an armada of airplanes.” And he inflamed the fifty million Arabs. In June, led by Nasser, the Holy War of the Arab people attacked Israel from every side.

To the amazement and to the astonishment of the earth, in six days Israel cut the Arab legions to shred. Isaiah 31:3-5 says “now the Egyptians are men, and not God; and their horses are flesh, and not Spirit. When the Lord shall stretch out His hand, they shall fail all together.”

Adolf Hitler and his Nazi thugs tried desperately in World War II to eliminate the Semite/Jews but God halted this dastardly deed with the assistance of British and American allegiance to Israel.

### The Future Anti-Christ Seeks to Destroy the Semite

Satan’s program through the ages, has been and will continue to be, the destruction of Israel. The ultimate and final

dictator, the anti-Christ, will also fail. Front page newspaper articles and television news coverage still focus on the Jewish nation of Israel. The tribulation period in itself will be about the Jews people.

### God’s Covenant with Israel

In Genesis 12:1-3, God states His covenant with Israel. This promise seals forever that Israel belongs to Him. But Israel’s existence in the Promised Land is always under the threat of annihilation from her Arab neighbors and surrounding foes. Five recent wars have evidenced Divine providence and preservation of the Jews.

Israel as a nation occupies a peculiar place in God’s economy. Ford Ottman (1859-1929) wrote in his book *The Coming Day*, “The ability of the whale to swallow Jonah is no more wonderful than its inability to assimilate him. If God be not reckoned with, neither the one nor the other can be explained. Neither can Israel nor her preservation be explained without reckoning with God and His covenant promises.”

Zechariah 2:7-8, “deliver thyself, O Zion that dwellest with the daughter of Babylon. For thus saith the Lord of hosts; after the glory hath he sent me unto the nations which spoiled you: for he that toucheth you toucheth the apple of His eye.”

So individuals, politicians, and nations should consider carefully their opinions of the Jewish people. All should take heed of the warnings of Zechariah 2:7-8.

All Christians, churches, and governmental representatives should demonstrate support for the nation of Israel. Pray for Israel. Psalms 122:6, “pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee.”

### Anti-Semitism

The word “Holocaust” seemingly jumps off the page as one reads about or discusses anti-semitism. This subject is described as a prejudice, a hatred, or a discrimination against Jewish people for reasons connected to their race or heritage. A person or a group who holds such positions is called an anti-semite.

### God Keeps Israel Forever

In a Psalm that most of us have memorized, perhaps as children, Psalms 121 states:

“I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: He that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, He that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.”

This is an unconditional promise that is verified in history. There are over 3500 years in history that verifies God’s promise that He will keep Israel and protect the Jewish people.

The prophets avow that Israel shall remain a nation before God forever. Jeremiah 31:35-36: “Thus saith the Lord which giveth the sun for a light by day, and the ordinances of the moon and by the stars for a light by night,...The Lord of hosts is His name: if those ordinances depart before Me, saith the Lord, then the seed of Israel shall cease from being a nation before Me for ever” If you can blot out the sun and blot out the moon and change the eternal ordinances of God that one will shine in the day and the other will shine in the night; if you can do that, then there will come a time when

## MAC Director Leads Prayer At U. S. House of Representatives



Left to Right - Mississippi Representative Alan Nunnelee, Dr. & Mrs. Adams and Chaplain Reverend Patrick J. Conroy

It was with great joy that Ms. Adams and I were allowed to represent our BMA of America and BMA of Mississippi family at the United States House of Representative on November 19, 2013.

My formal introduction was announced by United States Representative, Alan Nunnelee of Mississippi. It was my distinct honor to lead the United States House in the opening prayer.

Later in the day, I had the privilege of leading in prayer, at the capitol, for the re-staffing and re-commissioning of the USS John Stennis Naval Ship.

You may view the House Prayer on either of our websites:  
[www.macbma.net](http://www.macbma.net)  
[www.moralactionofms.net](http://www.moralactionofms.net)

## CHURCH NEWS

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Our next meeting will be with Corinth Baptist Church in Runnelstown on March 13.

Ed Steele, Reporter

### Tombigbee Meets

The Tombigbee Association met at Hopewell Baptist Church on January 9, 2014 for their monthly meeting. Freedom Baptist Mission's pastor, Bro. Bobby Elliott, brought the message with his text taken from Romans 12:1-2 "What God Expects From Us". A date for the "God and Country Rally" was set for June 29, 2014, to be held at South Green Baptist

Church in Tupelo.

Bro. Danny Pitts, interim president of Southeastern College in Laurel, thanked the association for their support. He emphasized that online classes are available through Southeastern College. Bro. Fulton Lindsey, pastor of Lone Oak Baptist Church, also gave an uplifting report on New Directions Prison Ministry.

The messengers voted to give to the two missions we are supporting to help with needed materials toward furthering the completion of their building projects. Freedom Baptist Mission located in Burnsville, needs chairs for their new building at a cost of \$35 each.

## Wisdom Has Two Parts

1. Having a lot to say.
2. Not saying it.

Our next meeting will be February 6, 2014, at Lone Oak Baptist Church. Area revival for the Dorsey area will be held February 16-19 at 7:00 pm. Total in attendance were 45 delegates and 6 visitors.

Cathy Johnson, reporter  
 Matt Hudson, moderator

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## DiscipleGuide Publishing Putting the Finishing Touches on Spring 2014 Curriculum

January completes the production cycle for all Spring curriculum products. The final editorial, design, and production work is taking place to finish all of the curriculum lines that churches will use during March, April, and May 2014.

### Adult

Compass curriculum will feature the theme, "A Life Worth Living." Based on texts from Ecclesiastes, author Allen

Tilley demonstrates that life without God loses its meaning; everything will be pointless. The author continues by saying, "There is no greater satisfaction than knowing God has a purpose in all things, and He takes care of His children." Devotion to God turns life into a fulfilling adventure.

### Students

SOAR:lit continues the emphasis on discipleship with a focus on the task of being a disciple-maker.

That task involves pointing

people to Christ, getting personally involved in other believers' lives, and seeking the eternal dividends of fulfilling Christ's command to "make disciples." Students will be challenged to identify a friend whose heart needs to be cultivated for Christ and opportunities to get involved in that friend's life.

### Children

DiscipleKids will present two units of study during the spring. Unit 1 examines God's plan for His people through lessons on Adam and Eve, Noah, Moses, and building the tabernacle. Unit 2 will focus on God's power through lessons on Jesus' resurrection, the Holy Spirit, the early church, and the lives of Peter, Philip, and Paul. A final lesson will give teachers the opportunity to present the gospel message to their children.

## As I See It - by Rayburn Freeman - [rsfree39@gmail.com](mailto:rsfree39@gmail.com)

### The Billboard, The Beautiful Side of Evil

The beautiful side of evil is a portrait painted with the brush of deception promoted and encouraged by satanic forces. The devil reaches out into the world through deception to recruit followers for his work against Christ. Revelation 12:9, "And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him".

A Look at The Beautiful Side of Evil: For a clear example consider Satan's method in using the highway billboard to promote alcoholic drink. This is not that billboards and alcohol in their proper use are evil in and of themselves. They are not! Rather, it is the abuse of them. Many billboards display information that is very good, helpful and uplifting. Some billboards display scenes that are beautiful to the eye, but very deceptive.

One example of many could be while driving home on a hot summer day after hours of hard work. A large roadside billboard appears displaying a beautiful countryside scene with a cool, sparkling stream. The scene is so perfectly designed with an attractive couple seated nearby expressing themselves in laughter and excitement. Beside them, within reach, is a cooler filled with cans of cold alcoholic beverages. To in-

crease the intensity of thirst, from the cold cans, there are bursts of sparkling cool water bouncing off into space.

The scene is so appealing one could be mentally drawn into it. The unspoken message is, "This is the Life." Maybe the passerby is so enamored by the scene that he sees the couple pictured on the billboard as his spouse and himself. What a way to enjoy a hot summer afternoon! Maybe it cannot be beside a stream, but nevertheless the die is cast. The beautiful side of evil through a deceptive thought is working. No, it is not right, but just this one time won't really hurt. So for a quick stop by what once was only an auto service station with a few family needs, is now an alcoholic beverage stop as well.

The front view of the highway billboard is the beautiful side of evil that is reaching out to passersby. Remember, there is the backside, the evil and ugly side that is never revealed! The Lord warns us, be not deceived. Ephesians 4:27, "Neither give place to the devil". Many abusers of alcohol and other evils live defeated lives, while some have even lost their lives. They have become Satan's victims rather than the Lord victors. Think of what



Ray Freeman

God's word says about the abuse of alcohol. Proverbs 23:32, "At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder". Passersby should never underestimate the power of Satan and his enticing advertisements. Satan did not reveal to Eve the backside of the tree of Knowledge!

With a sincere look at the backside of the billboard it is easy to see the devastating result of Satan's deception. The welfare of the passerby or his family emotionally, socially, physically, financially or spiritually is never considered by the evil forces of sin. It is clear the ploy in pushing such advertisements is to gain financially from its victims regardless of their cost. Be aware, in 1 Peter 5:8, there is a warning, "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:"

A view of the billboard's backside could introduce numerous scenes. We will briefly consider only one of them. The accident came suddenly without warning and now lifeless bodies lay beside the busy expressway to be removed by the proper persons. A loving wife preparing dinner for her family hears a knock on the door. Her young son inquisitively opens the door. There stands a policeman and family friend. Her son calls out, "Mom it's our neighbor and a policeman!" Hurriedly reaching the door, she immediately realizes the news is not good.

She collapses in tears as she

# Youth Revival

Magnolia Baptist Church

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Donny Parrish, Evangelist

February 14-16, 2014

Friday, February 14 – Revival Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday, February 15 – Revival Service, 7:00 p.m.  
Sunday, February 16 – Revival Service, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday, February 16 – Revival Service, 6:00 p.m.  
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# Spring DiscipleKids

by Jerome Cooper

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Hard work and hope are the major themes kids will explore in the Spring 2014 edition of DiscipleGuide Church Resources' DiscipleKids Bible study curriculum.

The first unit of six lessons will focus on hard work. The examples of work preschoolers will examine include Adam and Eve as they took care of the Garden, Noah as he built the Ark, and Moses as he carried out God's instructions to build the Tabernacle. Supplementing the theme of work, are lessons on giving (in order for the work to be done) and rest (as God's solution to the need to recover from work). This unit will teach the divine blessing on the work ethic.

The second unit of six lessons examines the concept of hope. Lessons on David's care of Mephibosheth, the prodigal son, Jesus' miracles, Peter's denial and restoration, and the healing of the lame man at the temple show the benefit and source of true hope. These lessons also challenge children to prepare to share the message of hope with others.

A final lesson to be used on Easter Sunday teaches children the great truth that Jesus is alive!

DisciplePoints coordinator Cindy Williams offers insight into these lessons and suggests methods that parents can use to incorporate what their children have studied into their home life.

For more information about the DiscipleKids curriculum call 1-800-333-1442 or go online at [DiscipleGuide.org](http://DiscipleGuide.org). To check out the DisciplePoints resource, go to [disciplepoints.com](http://disciplepoints.com).

hears the words. "Ma'am, we're sorry, but there has been a serious accident and your husband and daughter have been fatally injured. We don't know any details except, the driver of the other automobile was drinking and failed to yield to the traffic signal. We're so sorry for your loss."

All the while words were falling on ears too numb to hear their condolence. Not only has a family lost a husband, father and daughter in these needless and untimely deaths, but the drunken driver now possibly guilty of manslaughter, could be incarcerated for years. Two families are now broken, never

to be the same. There is no recall, no undoing. No more husband to be greeted at the door, no daughter to come bouncing off the school bus calling out, "Hey mommy! Look what I did at school today." There will be no more paychecks from daddy for shelter, utilities, food, and clothing. Both the family of the drunken driver and of the fatalities are now all victims.

Satan has had his way and once again he has won. Evil has now rendered that which was not revealed from the beautiful side. Such advertisements

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