



The Campground Witness

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Acts 1:8 (NKJV) "And you shall be witnesses to me...to the end of the earth"

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From The President: God Bless America

"God bless America, land that I love. Stand beside her and guide her through the night with a light from above." I love that song and I love my country, but I am not happy with what I've seen happening in it recently. Our rights as citizens and Christians are being trampled on in the name of tolerance or diversity. Something needs to be done about it.

I recently attended a Texas Renewal Project meeting in Austin, Texas. It was a two day event sponsored by the American Renewal Project and was attended by hundreds of Pastors and Christian leaders from all over Texas. Nationally known speakers encouraged us to help bring our country back under God's guiding light. It requires our involvement as Christians to speak out in the political process, not along political party lines – but along Biblical ideals and the moral standards that our nation was founded on. As I remember, only about 50% of Christians in the USA are registered to vote and, of that group, only about 50% or **half** of them actually cast their ballot! What a shame!

If we do not like the way our country is going, we need to stand up, take action, and vote our Christian beliefs. As a Christian camping ministry, we need to assure that our rights to share Christ's message in the campgrounds of the USA are not restricted or hindered in anyway. I encourage you to find out what the candidates in your area believe about moral and Biblical issues and our freedoms. Pray about them and for them. Then vote for the best Christian voice – not just along your political party line. Vote for what is best for the Kingdom of God.

To have God bless America again, we must pray for our leaders, make our voice heard, register to vote and cast our Christian vote. God bless you. God bless America.

Camping in the Shadow of the Cross, Dennis Key

Chaplain's Corner...

Greetings in the wonderful Name of our Lord Jesus Christ! The lack of spiritual power in the western church is apparent. What is the secret of the church in the book of Acts? They had a revelation of the power and authority in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ. What made the religious leaders of the Jews hate the Apostles and the followers of Jesus Christ? Acts 4:1 says; "...the priests, and the Sadducees and the captain of the temple, came upon them, being grieved that they taught the people, and preached through Jesus the resurrection from the dead. The healing of the lame man in Acts 3:6 made the religious leaders furious. Acts 4:5 & 6 says; "And it came to pass on the next day that their rulers, elders and scribes, as well as Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John and Alexander, and as many as were of the family of the high priest, were gathered together at Jerusalem.

Acts 4: 7 says; "And when they had set them in the midst, they asked, BY WHAT POWER OR BY WHAT NAME have you done this?" Peter replied in verse 10, BY THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST OF NAZARETH WHOM YOU CRUCIFIED, WHOM GOD RAISED FROM THE DEAD, BY HIM THIS MAN STANDS HERE BEFORE YOU WHOLE. The religious leaders could not deny the notable miracle done through them was evident to all who dwelt in Jerusalem and said we cannot deny it.

Acts 4:17 says; "BUT THAT IT SPREAD NO FURTHER AMONG THE PEOPLE LET US SEVERLY THREATEN THEM , THAT FROM NOW ON THEY SPEAK TO NO MAN IN THIS NAME. SO THEY CALLED THEM AND COMMANDED THEM NOT TO SPEAK AT ALL NOR TEACH IN THE NAME OF JESUS."

We are told in Col.2:17, that whatever we do in word or deed, do all in the Name of the Lord Jesus. Philippians 2:9 says God has highly exalted him (Jesus) and has given him the name which is above every Name.

I implore you seek God for a revelation of the power and authority that is only in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Your brother in Christ, Dr. Charles Shockley, Senior Chaplin

RALLY REPORTS

We held elections at our Emmanuel Chapter rally and here are the results of our officer elections.

President-Rev. Robb Judkins (returning)
Vice President-Pastor Ralph Hood (returning)

Treasurer-Lynn Sears (returning)
Secretary- Jeanette Hood (new)

Thanks, Robb Judkins

May 10, 2014

Our first Rally of the year was held at Round Top Campground in Gettysburg, Pa. Our group has gotten so small and those who were able to attend were John & Jackie Dial, Gene Jr. & Lynn Davis and Gene Sr. & Bessie Davis and a special visit from Su & Doug Sower and grandson Dakota.

Opening the meeting Lynn read to us from Hosea 6:3
"So let us know, let us press on to know the LORD, etc."

Treasurer's report was not available at this time.

Minutes were read;--one correction was made to that report. Gene Jr. reported that he was unable to display the "Camper's For Christ" banner at the RV Show in February, because of his new advertisement for his Engine Repair Business and the new Generators, which took 'up' what little space he was allotted.

We have not heard from Donna Yeagle about the June Rally so that is canceled. Gene asked that anyone wanting to attend the Rally for Sept 12-14 to Cherry Hill Park, in College Park, Md. to please notify him because he can arrange a tour to the National Cathedral from a *friend*. Please note= October Rally has been changed to 24th-25th for Elk Neck State Park in NE Maryland. You must make your reservations early. Lynn Davis hasn't heard from anyone for this Rally.

There was much discussion of how to persuade others to camp with us . We planned to visit a local Church on Sunday but Gene Sr. became very sick during the night and Gene Jr. drove our camper home. Gene Sr. had a 3 day hospital stay and today is doing much better, the results of Prayer. Friday night the 9th, we visited the HICKORY BRIDGE FARM in Orrtanna, Pa. It was also a Bed'n Breakfast, a country store, and a museum combined. It was country dining, served family style and cooked country style. We enjoyed the evening.

Submitted by BESSIE (MIDGE) DAVIS

Special Prayer Requests

- **Campers For Christ Ministries and its members**
- **For the peace of Jerusalem and its leaders for salvation & wisdom, (Psm 122:6)**
- **United States of America and its leaders (1 TIM 2:2) for salvation & wisdom**
"Nothing lies beyond the reach of prayer
except that which lies outside the will of God"

Campers for Christ Ministries extends condolences to the families of the following CFC members who have departed earth and entered their Heavenly Home, to spend Eternity with Jesus. Our hearts and prayers are with the families as they adjust to the loss of their loved one. May the love and peace of God comfort and strengthen you at this time.

IN MEMORY OF...

CHAPLAIN GERRI TOMLINSON- RICHMOND HILLS, TX- APRIL 13, 2014-
MEMBER SINCE 1987

Note to Regional Vice Presidents and Chapter Presidents:

Please notify International Editor and Membership Chairman with notifications of any deaths of members from your areas. This information is falling between the cracks so we need to close the holes. Thanks for your assistance in this important activity.

2014 SCHEDULE OF RALLIES- Listed by date

July 1-7 (Tues-Mon) GPS: 37.036222 -112.506207 Agape (NV)/Eagles Rest (UT)	Prevailing Word/Rivers of Life 1002 Chinle Drive Kanab, UT 84741 435-644-8675	Wagonmasters: shared
Sept 12-14 (Fri-Sun) GPS: 39.025313 -76.941379 Four States Freedom Chapter (DE/MD/PA/NJ)	Cherry Hill Park 9800 Cherry Hill Rd College Park, Md. 20740 (301) 937-7116 Wagonmasters:	Gene and Lynn Davis If attending please notify Gene as a tour to The National Cathedral is being arranged.
Oct 24-25 (Fri-Sat) GPS: 39.459745 -76.006031 Four States Freedom Chapter	(DE/MD/PA/NJ) Elk Neck State Park 4395 Turkey Point Rd North East, MD 21901 (410) 287-5333	Make reservations early Wagonmasters: Lynn Davis

INTERNATIONAL RALLY 2014

Nov 1-10 (Sat-Mon)
First Assembly of God Church
665 W. Tyson St
Quartzsite, AZ

For Information see separate ad
or call Ken & Ronnie Pixley,
928-726-5441 or 928-580-9088

CAMPERS FOR CHRIST – 34th INTERNATIONAL RALLY

COME AND SHARE IN THE BLESSING, LOVE AND JOY

IN QUARTZSITE, ARIZONA

November 1-10, 2014 (Saturday - Monday)

All States-All Provinces Welcome

First Assembly of God Church
665 W. Tyson St
Quartzsite, AZ

Daily Rates: \$18-\$20
Sites include 20 AMP and water
There are also some 30 AMP with FHU

HOME: 928-726-5441

CELL: 928-580-9088

Directions: Go north on Highway 95 from 4 Corners. Go west (left) on Tyson St. Across from the fire station the church is on the left side about ½ mile down Tyson.

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Note to Secretaries of chapters:

- Send rally reports, announcements, and prayer requests no later than the 16th of the month before publication is due, i.e. Aug 16th for the Sep newsletter. Send it directly to the editor at cgweditor@hotmail.com not the website manager
- Send rally reports ASAP via email (preferably) or postal mail to the editor. Please check your punctuation and grammar before submitting. Corrections will be made before publication.
- To be able to keep the reports at a reasonable length mention attendees, topics of different speakers and a detailed teaching by one of the speakers.
(We would like to see more teaching being sent so everyone can benefit from them)
- If a rally is cancelled or has changes of any kind, notify the editor and the website manager.
- Send to the editor and the web master all rally schedules as soon as you get them so they can be published in the next newsletter.