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The Baptist's Corner - Baptism

During the month of September 2009, we at Bible Believer's Baptist Fellowship were treated to the Baptism of Pastor Greg's daughter, Tori, and the Baptism of a couple in our fellowship, Lee and Annie Puckett.

As Baptist's we believe anything we profess, needs to be based on Scripture. It is God's Word and one of the uses of God's Word is for instruction. Of course, we mean the King James Bible.

Ephesians 4:5 tells us there is one Lord, one faith, and one baptism. After fulfilling the prom-

ise of the Gospel, Jesus told his disciples in Matthew 28:18b - 19, "...all power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost."

Jesus commanded his disciples to baptize those people who they have taught. He also told the Apostles to have those whom they taught to go and do the things Jesus had commanded the Apostles to do.

Paul, when speaking of baptism, relates it to us

being buried with Christ, and therefore dead to sin. He also assures us that just as Christ was buried, he also rose again by the glory of the Father.

Baptism is an outward statement that we are saved from the pouring out of God's wrath because we have believed on the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Because of this, Baptism does not provide us with salvation.

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- ◆ Starting October 11, 2009, we will be holding our Sunday service at Screen at the Continent! Visit the web page for more info
- ◆ Radio Program on WHKC 91.5 FM. Saturdays at 11:00am and Sundays at 9:30pm.



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Bibles Unbound

Recently, our fellowship found out about a wonderful ministry of The Voice Of The Martyrs. It was an answer to a group prayer we have had for quite some time!

Known as Bibles Unbound, this ministry is dedicated to the distribution of Bibles to those places in the world where those individuals are not permitted to have Bibles. Bibles Unbound is making it possible to get New Testaments, translated into the native language of that area

from the Received Text, or Textus Receptus. This is the text that was used to give us our King James Bible!

Through this ministry, New Testaments are now being delivered to China, North Korea, Colombia and Egypt. According to the Bibles Unbound website, there are still more than 58,000 people in China waiting for New Testaments. All together there are over 72,000 people in the countries listed

waiting on New Testaments. It is certain this number will only grow as more people in these countries find out they can have a New Testament, in their language, at no cost to them.

According to the information packet you too can receive, this is a cooperative effort between Voice Of The Martyrs, UPS and the international re-mail system. Here is how this effort is completed.

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The Pastor's Post



Some Things May Seem Right 'til You Think Them Through

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We live in an age of technology and the things that can be done by the average Joe on a PC or Mac sitting in his own home are astounding. We might begin to think too highly of ourselves if we only pay attention to advances in technology.

Then, sometimes you hear things that remind you of how DUMB people can be. For example, in a recent edition of Newsmax, Jim Meyers writes of things that have happened to U.S. Presidents that have never been told. He was interviewed this morning on the FOX and Friends morning show and told one story that is just amazing.

According to Meyers, President Bill Clinton was speaking during the '90's to an overflow crowd. A man wanted to see him, so he climbed a pole. That much is understandable, even if it is a bit strange. But even from up in the air on that pole the man could not see Clinton very well.

So, what does he do?

The man gets his RIFLE, climbs the pole and begins watching the Clinton speech through his SCOPE!

That seemed like a perfect idea at the time, until Secret Service forced him down at gunpoint, arrested him, and interrogated him for many hours before coming to the conclusion that his dumb HICK really did just want a better view of his beloved President!

These are just reminders that man is a fallen creature and we need God. And those who think they can make Heaven their own home by their own works are even more foolish than the man who climbed a pole with a rifle to see the President through the scope.

Proverbs 14:12, "There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."

Titus 3:5, "Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost."

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The Puzzle Corner is provided by the word search puzzle feature of the Logos3.0 Bible Study Program.

Bible Believer's Baptist Fellowship is a local home-based church showing their love of Jesus Christ by doing those things He commanded us to do. We invite you to visit us on Wednesdays at 7:00pm and/or Sundays at 11:00am, online at www.kjvbiblebelievers.com, on the radio at WHKC 91.5FM on Saturdays at 11:00am or Sundays at 9:30pm.

We thank you and appreciate your support!

Bibles

These New Testaments are mailed individually and anonymously using non-US postage. By doing this, issues between the citizens of these countries and the West are eliminated.

Bibles Unbound sends to those individuals who participate in this ministry copies of the New Testament, in the language of the country they are destined for, along with the proper postage, packaging and address labels. They are sent in blocks of five to the person packaging the Bibles. This person will then pray over the Bibles and for the person receiving it, put it in the packag-

ing, affix the postage and labels, and seal the packaging. Once all is completed they are then mailed to the areas involved. A description of the operation is also included. In many instances, you can follow your Bible mailings on line. An online map will detail the nations you have sent New Testaments to which becomes a permanent reminder of your partnership with today's persecuted church.

The cost to help with this program is minimal with the outcome being priceless. For \$30 a month, you will be able to send 5 New Testaments to 5 people

who would not have been able to receive them otherwise. Many of these people, in turn, then share the Gospel with others so they can be saved. The Bible you sent is now being shared, so the minimal cost of \$6 on a per unit basis may turn out to only cost pennies on the dollar! What a wonderful way to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ where it was extremely difficult to do so before!

This is only an introduction, so please visit BiblesUnbound.com and sign up to help.

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Remember them that are in bonds, as bound with them; and them which suffer adversity, as being yourselves also in the body. (Heb. 13:3)

A common misconception among many people is that Christian persecution is a thing of the past. I can guarantee you that it is alive and thriving today.

Over seas we see much outward violence and animosity towards those Bible believing Christians who share their faith. Often times they are met with imprisonment, torture, starvation and even death. In the UK and Canada, many face the loss of their job or fines and imprisonment for simply sharing their faith in

the Lord Jesus Christ. Here, in the United States, Christianity is becoming criminalized. We face the loss of our freedoms daily. The Lord has mercifully forewarned us of what we can expect in numerous places in His word. One of my favorite passages sums it up very well: 2 Timothy 3 (King James Version) We must

raise awareness of our brothers and sisters situations overseas for them and for ourselves. We must know how to pray for them. We must also know how to pray for and prepare ourselves.

In Christ~Annie

Puzzle Corner

Romans 6:3 - 4

O O S O D T H B
O S T A E K U S
K Z B N Z R E S
B A P T I S M E
D Z K E T U A N
R A D L P A B W
M U D E A T H E
E K I L B W S N

³ † Know ye not, that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death?

⁴ Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life.

BAPTISM	DEATH	NEWNESS
BAPTIZED	INTO	WALK
BURIED	LIKE	

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TO TELL YOU THE
TRUTH!

An Invitation To Visit

If you are looking for a church of Bible believing Christians, look no further. We here at Bible Believer's Baptist Fellowship believe that we should be as the Bereans who Paul commended in Acts 17:11,

“These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.”

Contact us at the number listed on this page, and we would be happy to talk with you further and pray with you.

Unable to get around? Please visit us on the web at <http://www.kjvbiblebelievers.com> or listen on the radio in the central Ohio area on WHKC 91.5 FM on Saturdays at 11:00am and Sundays at 9:30pm.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Baptism

Because it involves a decision to have been made, those who are not able to make that decision, are not really able to be baptized. This means babies or infants should not be baptized. Baptism does not provide salvation.

Some may say, what about what Peter wrote in 1 Peter 3:21? Here is what this verse of Scripture says, “The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ: “ Some claim this verse means baptism does save us. Read in the context of what Peter is addressing, you will not get the same meaning as by pulling this verse out of context. The “like figure” spoken of by Peter here is a

reference to Noah and his family being saved in the ark by water. Those who had not listened to the preaching of Noah, were destroyed by water, not saved. Noah and his family were saved from the water as a result of being in the ark. Secondly, we need to see what is explained within the parentheses. Baptism is talked about here as having a clear conscience towards God. This cannot be accomplished by any thing we can do, but only by believing that the righteousness we have because of Jesus' death, burial and resurrection has saved us.

As Baptists we also believe an individual should be baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. After all, this is what Jesus commanded his Apostles to do, and what he com-

manded his disciples to teach others to do.

Baptism is a biblical doctrine and because of this, needs to be treated with respect. We are baptized after we have believed on Jesus Christ. Consider the eunuch, Philip witnessed to in Acts 8:27 - 39. Philip preached unto the eunuch Jesus. As a result of this, the eunuch, when they came upon a body of water, asked Philip what hindered him from being baptized. Philip responded that if he believed on Jesus with all his heart, he could be baptized. The eunuch said he believed and he was baptized at that time.

If you have believed on Jesus with all your heart and wish to be baptized, please contact us using the contact information at the top of this page.