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HOW TO HAVE A RIGHT CHRISTMAS



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Dr. Youngblood presents
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message every
Sunday Morning.

Sunday
December 15, 2013
(Sunday School begins at 9:30)

What a wonderful time of the year. It seems that expectation is looming in the air and everyone seems to be in such a hurry. Multitudes of people are looking forward to traveling long distances to get HOME for CHRISTMAS. Yet, others find themselves lonely this time of the year, not having someone to care or to share. Every believer should realize that the LORD JESUS, GOD with US, is always present and will give us comfort and encouragement; we need only look to HIM and go to Him with our every care and concern. Perhaps one of the great tragedies of CHRISTMAS is that too many will NOT even recognize CHRISTMAS for what it is all about. Often we hear the slogan, "JESUS is the REASON for the SEASON", yet we FAIL to fully fathom what this means. Do you find yourself in the hurry of the world, worried about getting gifts, making things ready, decorating, and a thousand other chores? WELL, perhaps this little thought for this Christmas will be a blessing. Just HOW can we have a RIGHT CHRISTMAS? May I suggest several things that we should attempt to do?

1. We MUST make ROOM for JESUS.

It is so easy to spend all of our time in SHOPPING, looking for just the right gift for a friend or family member and allow this to leave JESUS out completely...leaving NO ROOM for JESUS. Then there is the SIGHTSEEING; marveling at the wonder of it all; driving around looking at the wonderfully decorated homes with the glistening lights that are so amazing at Christmas time. BUT, more



often we find ourselves so involved in the SOCIALIZING, that is, going to the office parties, friends' gatherings, and church socials. It is so easy to get caught up in the socializing with friends that we leave NO ROOM for JESUS.

2. We MUST make TIME to WORSHIP JESUS.

Another thing that is needed to have a RIGHT CHRISTMAS is to make time to worship the LORD JESUS. It is always a shock to me to see just how many believers will find time for everything but worship during the CHRISTMAS season. When we look at the scripture we find that the WISE men spent much time in their SEARCH for JESUS until they found HIM, then they fell down and WORSHIPPED HIM, indicating full SUBMISSION in their worship. We simply cannot do better than carving out time, especially on Sundays to worship the Lord JESUS. Why

A.M.)

10:45 A.M.
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Sunday
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Micah 5: 2

2 But thou, Bethlehem

celebrate Christmas IF we are unwilling to WORSHIP HIM?

3. We MUST make TIME to WITNESS for JESUS.

What better time of the year than at CHRISTMAS to tell others about JESUS? Be sure to wish everyone a MERRY CHRISTMAS, especially in the shops and stores where they do not say MERRY CHRISTMAS; remind the cashiers, clerks, etc, that IT IS CHRISTMAS and not just a HOLIDAY. REMIND them that it is all about "God come in the flesh" to save man from his sins. Take some Christmas tracts with you, tracts with the plan of salvation in them. Invite them to worship with you in your church at Christmas. PLEASE do NOT be ashamed of JESUS, witness for Him. Christmas is a great time for sharing JESUS.

4. We MUST make our WEALTH available to JESUS.

Statistics will reveal that it is at CHRISTMAS time that most people STOP tithing or giving to the church. Somehow there is a feeling that we are not responsible for tithing or financially supporting our local churches at Christmas time. Most people spend more on junk food and partying at Christmas time than they give to their local church. Many smaller churches go without being able to pay their bills for December due to people robbing God and spending the money on Christmas gifts. We must be willing to surrender our wallets and purses to JESUS especially at Christmas time. It is so easy to think ONLY of the shopping list THAN think of giving to JESUS. The best way is to "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." - **Matthew 6:33**. Remember when the WISE men found JESUS they gave HIM their GOLD and treasured GIFTS, the most valuable commodities of their day. HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

-Dr. Gene A. Youngblood

A SPECIAL BIRTHDAY

There is an old, old story about a king who ruled over a very large kingdom. It was decided that his birthday should be celebrated so that he might be honored among his people. Many preparations were made months in advance, and great care was taken to be sure the event was a regal one.

Many people held parties and had great banquets. However, they did not invite the king. They sang songs, and had merry parades, but they did not invite the King, or even talk about Him. Everyone exchanged gifts and talked about love, peace, and good will, but no one gave the king a gift. No one spoke about the king. No one even sent him a card, or went to see him. In fact..... they forgot all about him.

There is a true story, written in the Bible, about an actual event that took place about 2,000 years ago. The King of

Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting.

Isaiah 9: 6-7

⁶ For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

⁷ Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.

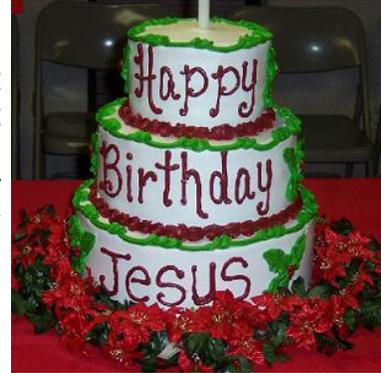
Jeremiah 23: 5-6

⁵ Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that I will raise unto David a righteous Branch, and a King shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth.

the universe sent His Son as a small baby for one purpose and one purpose only....so that He might grow up to die, and take upon Himself the sin of all mankind. The day of His birth is what we now call Christmas. We celebrate His birth because we know that without it, there would never have been His death. It is His death and shed blood on the cross that cleanses us from our sins. Our unconditional and humble surrender to Him as Lord and King enables us to live with Him forever.

Such an event is too important to spend celebrating with parties for ourselves, and fanfare about "peace and good will". How could we forget about Jesus?

We hope you will join us at First Conservative Baptist Church, Wednesday evening Dec. 18th, at 6:00 P.M. for our annual Jesus' Birthday Celebration. This will include food, fellowship, and song.



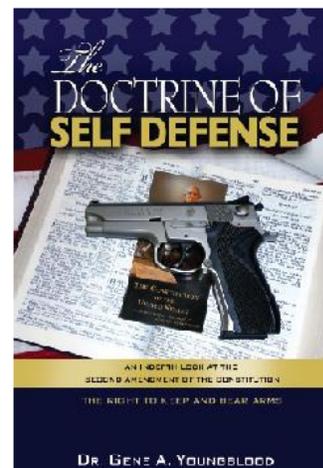
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6 In his days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely: and this is his name whereby he shall be called, The Lord Our Righteousness.

Ezekiel 34: 23
 23 And I will set up one shepherd over them, and he shall feed them, even my servant David; he shall feed them, and he shall be their shepherd..

Proverbs 20: 12
 12 The hearing ear, and the seeing eye, the LORD hath made even both of them.

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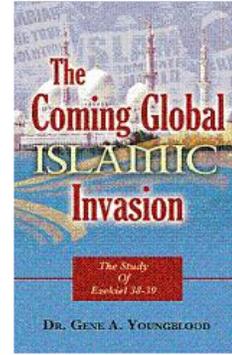
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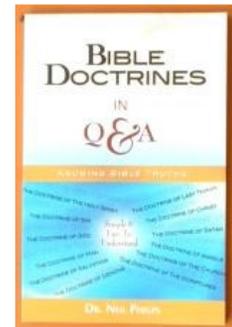
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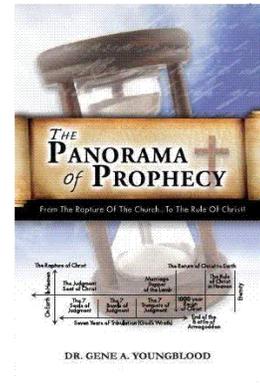
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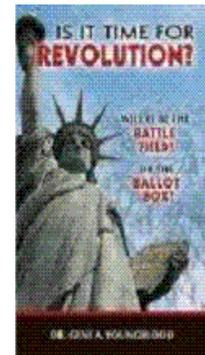
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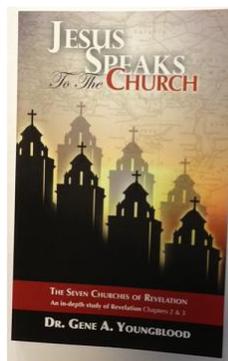
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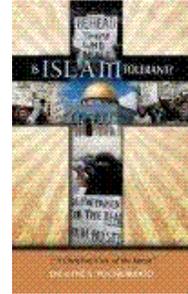
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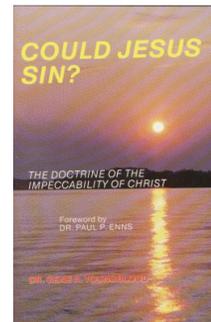
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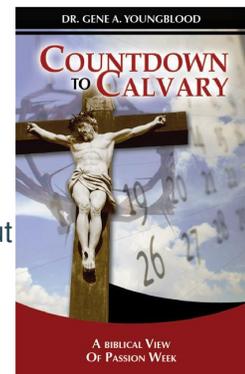
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