

"Go to the street corners and invite to the banquet anyone you find."

-Jesus

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Responding Recovery Television/Internet- Several years ago, God opened doors to allow this ministry to produce a Television program called "Responding Recovery", aired through Time Warner Cable Co. Since that time, the broadcast is now shown in 15 various cities in the greater Orange County area (a detailed list of times and channels are located on www.respondingrecoveryministries.org). As we are approaching a new year, we are reviewing options for an expansion to this television ministry. The thoughts of expansion include onsite recording of community outreaches held by Responding Recovery. The recording would then be edited and formatted for use within the allotted time of a normal 30 minute program. This would give the viewer insight into the community workings of God through Responding Recovery Ministries. We are also looking at recording and conducting a "recovery class" setting at the studio. The idea again is for the viewer to experience the discussion of the Biblical approach of true inward recovery from issues of life, which include depression, anger management, co-dependency, etc.. As additional national recovery classes are added, our hope is those who view these segments will consider entering into a nearby meeting. We are also increasing our panel discussions of men and women from other like minded organizations who hold to our view of Jesus being the ONLY link to progressive healing, freedom and deliverance. Our hope is to have a live audience as well in some of these recordings. In the past, we have had guests on our program from other States (via Skype) like Dr Stephen Manley from Tennessee based Cross Style International Ministries, to include local guests like Dr Robert Tucker from New Life Spirit Recovery in Huntington Beach. These panel discussions have proven to be beneficial for viewers who want to sit in and listen to insights from leading men and women from other organizations who are impacting their communities with true Biblical recovery.

Finally, our thought is to expand into Internet Television. As technology increases, this 21st century approach via the internet allows for various settings such as those mentioned above. This approach could be accomplished through our existing website, and would include conducting "Live" class settings which could be linked to other cities and states throughout the USA. Please be praying with us as God continues to open doors of opportunity to minister the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

The Principalities 'and Powers of 9-11 in the Church- From the **Pestilence** of the recent Ebola which spreads in West Africa.... to the **Persecution** of Christians who suffer worldwide for their faith, which includes the recent American beheadings...to the **Oppression** of religious liberties quickly disappearing in this country....**Hope** continues to dissipate at an exponential rate. The recent suicide of famed Robin Williams is yet another reminder to us our only hope is in Jesus alone. The words from the old Hymn ring true today.... "My Hope is built on nothing less than Jesus blood and righteousness. I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus Name. On Christ the solid rock I stand, all other ground is sinking sand. All other ground is sinking sand." This month marks a 13 year remembrance of the **September 11, 2001 attacks**, which were a series of four coordinated terrorist attacks launched by the Islamic terrorists upon the United States in New York City and the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area. The attacks killed almost 3,000 people and caused at least \$10 billion in property and infrastructure damage. This demonic attack on America continues today in so many other areas to include the undermining of Biblical values. Our founding fathers centered these Biblical values throughout our founding documents. An attack on Biblical truth is increasing in an ever increasing way inside the church of Jesus Christ as well as this country. This attack is centered at Truth. Not truths but Truth with a capital T. Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me" (John 14:6 NLT). In His statement of "through me" He is including the totality of who He is. He is a man filled with God who gave up His rights as God and became obedient even unto death. Many times in the Gospels Jesus stated that He could do nothing on His own accord. He simply refused to act out of His own existence. In Scripture, truth is a very important concept because God is the God of all truth (Psalm 31:5; Psalm 108:4; Psalm 146:6), who speaks and judges truly (Psalm 57:3; Psalm 96:13). He is the real source and cause of the whole universe. Scripture also focuses on God's divine revelation of truth in the gospel message of redeeming grace through Christ. This is the "Truth" which Jesus and the apostles lived.

Continue.... The Principalities 'and Powers of 9-11 in the Church- However, as in the day of Jesus, the counterfeit, the demonic, the legalism, and heretical beliefs' existed. Heresies plagued the early church. These false teachings have generally taken one element of truth and blown it out of proportion. Early heresies involved the identity of Christ. John's letters seem to be debunking a heresy called Docetism, which held that Jesus was divine, but only appeared to be human. Gnosticism was a continuing problem over the first few centuries of the church, with its "secret knowledge" and elaborate systems of angel-worship. Paul was apparently countering an early form of Gnosticism when he wrote Colossians. Later Marcion, a popular Gnostic teacher, insisted that the God of the Old Testament was completely different from the God of Jesus. He even produced an edition of New Testament writings he approved of, which prompted the church to put together the real list of gospels and epistles we have today.

Later heresies include Arianism, which emphasized Jesus' humanity at the expense of his deity; Pelagianism, which emphasized human freedom and denied the idea of original sin; and Donatism, a separatist movement that refused to fellowship with believers who had denied their faith under persecution. Each of these had large followings in the fourth and fifth centuries, but they were all judged heretical by the mainstream church.

Today, we live in a plethora of so called "truths" which are understood to be the road to the Kingdom of God. We are told to be tolerant of these view points and embrace "spiritual unity" even at the expense of compromising our core values which separates the church of Jesus Christ from all other so called religions. We are living in a day and age where these fundamental Biblical "Truth" (Jesus) of God's Word cannot be compromised. The terrorist attack which we experienced 13 years ago is also happening in the supernatural realm of deceit and heresy inside the church and must be stopped at all cost. As the Apostle Paul said in Ephesians 6:12, *"For we are not fighting against people made of flesh and blood, but against the evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against those mighty powers of darkness who rule this world, and against wicked spirits in the heavenly realms."*NKJV

How do we do this? We put on spiritual armor, **live and preach** the unadulterated Truth of Jesus Christ in an unshakable, unashamed bold fashion. We must decide on a personal basis if the churches we worship at compromises and diminishes bold truth, tolerates a spirit of apathy, or exists in a state of cold self-sustained religiosity; do we want to stay or leave? May God forgive us for a watered down, fearful of offending, seeker friendly timid approach of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The true Church of Jesus Christ has its vision outward on the mission of Jesus Christ and renounces the fact of becoming an inward church of self seeking existence. God is calling His army of militant warriors to boldly stand and take the Gospel message of Jesus to a lost world, trusting in the God of this Universe to fight our battles in the spirit realm. May the anointing of God and the power of the Holy Spirit fall afresh and anew on His church and may **revival** come to America.



SEPTEMBER MINISTRY ACTIVITIES- *On September 12, 2014, another evangelistic community outreach event was held at the Evergreen Royale Motel in Anaheim, CA. Along with a BBQ, nutrition info. & craft for kids by our daughter Reanna & dear friends from the Martinez family, we gave approx. 7000 pounds of food give-aways to the surrounding community. The Gospel of Jesus Christ was the hi-light of the day with the opportunity to respond. About 30+ people made a decision for Jesus. Weekly Bible studies are held at this facility as well.*

On Sunday September 14, 2014, we held another outreach at the Huntington Westminster Apartments to a group of seniors. As we distributed Panera Bakery items, a powerful message of Hope was delivered. We continue to see lives and hearts changed by the Power of God along with fruitfulness occurring at this complex.

On September 19, 2014, another outreach event will be held at Roberta Apartments in Fullerton, CA. Responding Recovery will distribute approx 1000 pounds of food and the Gospel of Jesus to this small 67 unit facility. For more speaking event dates; go to our website listed on pg.1.

