

Bible Quiz

1. Who planned the execution of John the Baptist?
2. Who is the second most mentioned man in the Bible behind Jesus?
3. What woman recognized the baby Jesus as being the Messiah?
4. This apostle of Jesus recorded his visions of the worlds end times.
5. We are to be dead to sin, but _____ God (Rom. 6:10)
6. In the last days _____ times shall come? (2 Tim. 3:1)
7. How many times does Eve's name appear in Genesis?
8. What book in the Bible portrays Wisdom as a woman?
9. Who sent out spies to watch Jesus?
10. What priest saw an angel standing beside the incense altar?

Answers Inside

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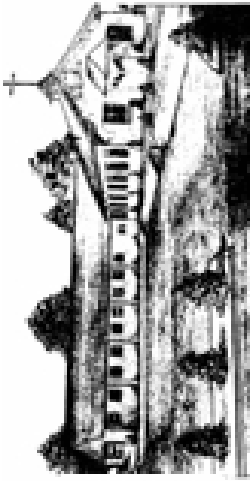
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A Far and Distant Shore

He called you there to serve Him
On a far and distant shore;
To shine as lights in the darkness,
To tell them of our Lord.

We praise Him for your faithfulness
To go where He asked you to;
To proclaim His Word to the lost,
We thank our God for you.

Our prayers are ever with you
On that far and distant shore;
May God supply your every need
As you faithfully serve the Lord.

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Coming Events

Church Picnic

August 17th

We will be having our last picnic this summer at Boardman Park. It will be an enjoyable evening as usual. Please make plans to be there with us.

Teen Activity

August 18th

The teenagers will be hiking at Nelson's Ledges. We will have lunch and a mini golf adventure. Make sure you do not miss this fun day. We will be leaving the church at 9:00 am. Cost will be approximately \$8.00.

Back to School

September 2nd

With the summer winding down, we will be having our Sunday School promotion day.

Answers

1. Herodias
2. David
3. Anna
4. John
5. live to
6. perilous
7. Twice
8. Proverbs
9. The chief priests and scribes
10. Zacharias

How did you do!!

The Zarephath Women

1Kings 17:1-16

1. She reaches the end of her human possibilities

A. She had nothing left – Verse 12

Sometime a miracle starts with whatever we have left

Water into Wine – God used what was left

2. She realized the priority of her needs (First to obey, then to eat)

A. God had commanded her to feed Elijah – Verse 9

3. She gave up the certain for the uncertain (faith) – Verse 15

How long did they eat? - "...did eat many days."

Luke 4:25 – "But I tell you of a truth, many widows were in Israel in the days of Elias, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when great famine was throughout all the land;"

James 5:17 – "Elias was a man subject to like passions as we are, and he prayed earnestly that it might not rain: and it rained not on the earth by the space of three years and six months."

Because she trusted and obeyed God - she was fed, her son was fed, and the Man of God was fed!

If we want God to use us we have to be willing to trust Him...

You never see all the blessings by looking at what you don't have...



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Preached
at
Bible Baptist Temple on
July 15th, 2007



Keeping the Lower Lights Burning!

Matthew 5:14-16

The light is not shining as brightly as it once was...

"Let the Lower Lights Be Burning" – Philip Bliss
While traveling with D.L. Moody, Philip Bliss was inspired to write this song because of an illustration Moody gave.

Story told by: D. L. Moody.

On a dark, stormy, night, when the waves rolled like mountains, and not a star was to be seen, a boat, rocking and plunging, neared the Cleveland harbor. "Are you sure this is Cleveland?" asked the captain, seeing only one light from the light-house. "Quite sure, sir," replied the pilot. "Where are the lower lights?" "Gone out, sir." "Can you make the harbor?" asked the captain, "We must, or perish, sir!" And with a strong hand and a brave heart, the old pilot turned the wheel. But alas, in the darkness he missed the channel, and with a crash upon the rocks the boat was shivered, and many a life lost in a watery grave. Brethren, the Master will take care of the great light-house: let us keep the lower lights burning!

The lower lights are the lights away from the lighthouse that illumine the water line. They're the various lights that enable vessels to come into the harbor at night, through a narrow channel of the harbor's mouth. A captain or pilot would line the lower light up with the upper light and know the safe course.

Four thoughts in regards to keeping the Lower lights burning...

1. There is an urgencylike never before!
Churches are failing, Homes are sailing toward destruction, Christians are on a path of ruin, Souls are in need of rescue and guidance, and The ROCKS are REAL, HELL IS A REAL PLACE! Real People are in great danger...

2. There is only ONE SAFE PATH to the Harbor (salvation), John 14:6, 1 Tim 2:5-6

3. There is only one plan to guide ships to the Harbor, Mark 16:15-16

4. There are few light keepers.....not many trying!, Romans 10:13-14

Lay aside your ideas, your agendas, your personal desires..... We are running out of time!