



SPIRIT BREEZE

WIND OF THE SPIRIT MINISTRIES Newsletter

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WHEN ALL HEAVEN JUMPS TO ITS FEET!

Our nation is in the process of remembering the life and ministry of The Rev. Dr. Billy Graham. God has worked in and through this man's life to reach millions across the world with the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ. We join in giving thanks to God for the impact his life has had on many of our own personal lives and those of our families and friends.

Billy Graham was a righteous man. That is, he was in right relationship with God—not because of the many lives he had touched with the Gospel, not because of the years of commitment to the work of God's Kingdom, not because of the good life he lived and the sacrifices he made, which are all good, desirable and pleasing to God, but he was a righteous man because of what Jesus did for him at the cross.

God's grace and mercy, demonstrated in the life of Jesus Christ, is what brought Billy Graham into a right relationship with God. He was made righteous by the sacrifice of Jesus, who came to earth and laid down his life so that he, and all of us, might be forgiven of his sins and made ready for eternal life with him in Heaven; with him who is the Giver of Life.

Yes, we affirm the fact that Billy Graham was a righteous man. He was truly a Saint of God, a child of the King of Creation.

God's Word declares, "*Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints.*" Psalm 116:15

In light of all that God has accomplished in and through this man's life, God does look upon him as being his precious child that He welcomed into Heaven with open arms.

Nevertheless, there is something else in Billy Graham's life about which God is even more greatly pleased and that once caused all of Heaven to jump to its feet. That was the day on which Billy Graham received Jesus as his Lord and Savior.

When Billy Graham repented of his sins, received God's forgiveness in Jesus Christ and experienced that transfer out of the Kingdom of Darkness into the Kingdom of Light, **all heaven rejoiced!**

Jesus said, "*There is more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety nine right-*

eous persons who do not need to repent." Luke 15:7

It pleases God when God's people, who are called by his name, obediently live in ways that are righteous. We reflect the life of Jesus through our thoughts, our words and our actions. We become imitators of God, our Heavenly Father, just as children here on earth imitate the words and actions of their earthly parents. That brings joy to the heart of God.

However, when even one sinner is saved and the Holy Spirit moves them out of Satan's kingdom into the Kingdom of God, out of darkness into Light, then God, and all his heavenly hosts, celebrate with joy.

What does that say to those of us who have the privilege of living in God's Kingdom? God is pleased with our worship, our service to others, our endeavors to care for the needs of brothers and sisters in the Christian family and our passion to maintain a right relationship with him. He loves his children.

Nevertheless, if we really want to bring joy to the heart of God and be involved in giving all heaven an opportunity to jump to its feet and celebrate, then we will gladly and eagerly reach out to the unsaved and offer them new life in the Kingdom of God.

We will talk with that neighbor whose life is a shambles and offer them a Way that leads to Peace. We will share with that person who has bought into Satan's lie that their life is worthless and offer them the Truth. We will stand with the lost and lonely that sees no way out and show them the Way that leads to Life.

That is the legacy of men like Billy Graham. Yes, his Crusades were times of encouragement for those who Believe in Jesus. However, those Crusades were really designed for the Believers to bring Unbelievers so that they could hear the Word of God, know that their sins are forgiven in Jesus Christ, and come into a saving and right relationship with God through the power of God's Holy Spirit and receive Eternal Life.

Men and women like him, all over the world, are involved in the ministry of giving Heaven a continuing opportunity to jump to its feet. A sinner has come home! Let's join in that Holy Endeavor!

Let's help give Heaven opportunity to Rejoice! LLE

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INVITATION TO NAIROBI, KENYA

The Rev. Nicolas Onyango has invited Wind of the Spirit Ministry team to conduct a Healing Seminar in his local church in Nairobi, Kenya. We were contacted as a result of him seeing our Website and desiring to have happen in his church those things about which he read there.

This invitation was taken to the Board and Council for prayer at our Mid-Year Business meeting on January 6. There was a very positive consensus that all felt that God would have us answer that invitation, contact Nicolas and agree to come, believing that God will provide the resources for the trip to happen.

Therefore, the dates of May 22-29 have been set aside for this mission trip. We will be taking a team of five to teach, preach and provide prayer ministry for Nicolas and his church.

Team members are: Larry Eddings, Bob and Tracy Martello, Donna Kirkpatrick and Taylor Gallman. Related costs will include air travel and room and board while there. Members of the team are seeking financial help from all who would be interested in answering this opportunity for helping our brothers and sisters there. Wind of the Spirit Ministries and Team members will need to bear the costs related to the event.

We have endeavored to keep the team numbers small so as not to be a burden on the hosts, who have limited resources.

INVITATION TO THE PHILIPPINES

Bishop Rudy Juan, of the Davao, Mindanao Episcopal Area, has invited the Wind of the Spirit Ministry team to come to his area to speak at his Holy Spirit Conference and to be available to conduct a healing seminar in a local church.

The dates for the Conference are July 9 and 10. We are also, once again, combining a Medical Mission with our trip to the Philippines. Five local nurses and lab technicians will be making the journey to conduct the Medical Missions in Bohol, Visayas and also in the Manila area. These are: Connie Bartolome, Amivic Clark, Beatriz Chen, Ninita Arcega and Kathleen San Pedro

PRAYER NEEDS

1. **Fresh outpouring of God's Holy Spirit for the planned trips to Nairobi, Kenya and to Mendanao, Philippines.**
2. **Successful Medical Mission Fund Raising Lunch on April 21 to raise expenses related to conducting the clinics.**

Healing Academy 2018 Silverdale, Washington



Evening
Worship



The Group



Friday Evening Banquet

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Healing Academy Update

We recently finished the Healing Academy in Silverdale, Washington. The presence of the Holy Spirit was evident throughout our time together. As we spent those four days worshipping, praying, learning from scripture and listening to our Lord, we were all changed.

Some of us realized things in our lives that had been holding us back from becoming the people God wants us to be and receiving all the blessings He has for us. Some received healing of emotional pain which had been endured for many years. Others were physically healed.

- One person needed the assistance of a cane when they arrived. That same person left without any need for that cane!
- Another person declared that they had been freed from a bondage that had been plaguing her.
- Some felt called to go out and minister the love of God the Father to others.

During our last day together, we celebrated Holy Communion. It was a rich time of remembering all that Jesus did for us on the cross and how we are now His Body on the earth.

“...if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!”

All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people’s sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation.

We are therefore Christ’s ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ’s behalf: Be reconciled to God.

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.” 1Cor 5:17-21

Wind of the Spirit wants to thank all who prayed, encouraged others to come and those who shared your gifts and talents in order to bless those who participated. God sees your love and service. He is our Reward! Together we are the Body of Christ to the world. We have been blessed **so that** we may be a blessing to others. Let’s continue to faithfully seek the Lord and reach out with His love in service together.



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MINISTRY CALENDAR

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OTHER MINISTRY EVENTS ARE IN THE PLANNING STAGES
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- APRIL 1** Celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus from death.
- 21** Filipino Fund Raising Lunch for Medical Missions in the Philippines in July.
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- MAY 22-29** Healing Seminar and Preaching mission in Nairobi, Kenya with Pastor Nicolas Onyango.
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- JULY 6-7** Travel to Phillippines
9-10 Preaching and Teaching mission in Davao, Mindanao w/ Bishop Rudy Juan. Conference on the Holy Spirit.
10-11 Medical Mission in Bohol, Vasayas, Philippines
13-14 Medical mission in Manila area, Philippines
17 Return home

AUGUST 2-4 Aldersgate Conference, Tulsa, Oklahoma

“The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ.” Ephesians 4:11,12

