

In Memory of
Cline Paden

Lifeline

Keeping the Sunset family connected

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Let's Go . . . Fulfill the Mission!

In April 2005, we launched the most visionary challenge in the history of Sunset International Bible Institute. We challenged our brotherhood to help us raise \$12 Million over a three year period so that we could do more than we have ever done before to "make disciples" worldwide. We are excited to announce that we are on the home stretch of this campaign. Over \$10.4 million has been pledged or given to this new vision.

To help us reach the finish line we are asking congregations to host a special emphasis day called "*Let's Go . . . Fulfill the Mission*" by taking a one-time special contribution on September 30th (the fifth Sunday in September). If this is not a convenient date for your congregation, you may select another time more acceptable to your schedule. All the remaining gifts from the Campaign will be used to help fund Sunset's mission ministries. These include training mission teams in our Residential Mission Department, equipping youth missionaries in the Adventures in Missions program, increasing our efforts to train foreign nationals in our branch and associate schools, translating and distributing quality Bible teaching materials in the languages of the world, providing scholarships to hundreds of church leaders overseas to study our on-line courses, and reaching into U.S. and foreign mission fields through the marvelous technology of interactive video conferencing.

Our founder, Cline Paden, had God's dream deeply embedded in his heart to "*Go . . . Make Disciples*". Cline

Let's Go...



Fulfill the Mission

lived and breathed world evangelism. He personally taught the good news of Jesus Christ to scores of people in Italy, Denmark, the USA, and other places around the world. This same challenging commission should burn in our hearts as well. We must multiply our efforts to get the job done in our generation. There is no better way to do this than to train spokesmen for God to

strengthen existing churches, to plant new congregations, and to teach the multitudes who have never heard the good news of our Savior.

As we move toward the finish line of our campaign, won't you join us in helping fulfill the Lord's mission? Help us prepare more spokesmen for God through Sunset's multi-faceted mission ministries. Talk to your elders, mission committee, preacher and others about taking a special contribution on September 30th. Let's finish the job. "*Let's Go . . . Fulfill the Mission!*"

– Bob Jackson, Director of Development



Cline R. Paden
August 22, 1919
- May 26, 2007



The Dream Lives On

"Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly." – Langston Hughes

Cline Paden was a dreamer. He dreamed of an evangelized world. He founded Latin American Bible School (the forerunner of Sunset International Bible Institute) in 1962 as a part of the dream. Training preachers was never an end but a means to an end; the end being world evangelism. The School of Missions, AIM, the Extension School and the World Evangelism Forum were all part of that dream. It didn't originate with Cline. It began with our Lord and was clearly communicated in Matthew 28:19 in what Paden often referred to as "Jesus valedictory address." The purpose was and still is to "go make disciples of all nations."

Just as the dream of world evangelism did not originate with our dear brother Cline, neither did it die with his passing. It lives on in thousands of alumni scattered around the world, in 100 young adults who are currently serving on 20 AIM mission fields, in the leaders of 350 video satellite schools in 45 states, in 40 branch schools and associate schools training 1200 national missionaries and preachers and in the current faculty, staff and administration of Sunset.

Some of Cline's dream is only now seeing a measure of fulfillment. For years his vision was to train preachers in Cuba. Our branch school in Miami was begun, in part, to meet that need. In May of this year I had the privilege of speaking at the graduation of 33 Cuban gospel preachers we had been training for three years in Havana, Cuba. Cline wanted to reach China with the gospel. This year we are beginning a school in Singapore to equip Chinese evange-

lists to take the gospel to mainland China. He dreamed of teaching Christ to the Arabic / Muslim world. We recently published four Bible courses in Arabic and are preaching the gospel to Muslims and training Arabic speaking leaders in Paris, France; Athens, Greece; Cairo, Egypt and Batam, Indonesia.

The electronic advancement in our current training ministry is beyond that which our founder could have imagined. Cline jokingly referred to computers as a "fad," and insisted on keeping his electric typewriter. However, he was both delighted and amazed by our digital recording studio,

DVD courses, on-line distance learning and interactive-video conferencing schools. The message and end results are the same but the method of delivery is different.

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A dream that lives is never static. It expands and adapts to embrace the needs of a changing world. The central purpose is the same, the values are constant and the message is unchanging because we serve a Lord who is "the same yesterday and today and forever." (Hebrews 13:8) All this brings stability and balance to a dream that is alive and growing.

Yes, the dream lives on and it is now the awesome but joyful task of those who have fallen heir to it, to steward it faithfully and prepare the next generation to receive it.

Truitt Adair, Executive Director



Let's Go... Fulfill the Mission!

In 2005 we launched a great \$12 million vision to do more than we have ever done before to "make disciples" worldwide.

Now we need your help to fulfill the mission. We are asking congregations who share our vision for the lost to take a "special contribution" on the 5th Sunday in September, 9.30.07, to help us finish well. We invite Christian individuals to share generously in the last phase of the vision.

"Fulfilling The Mission" means providing adequate funding for several mission ministries:

1. Training more Mission Teams in our Residential Mission Department.
2. Equipping additional youth missionaries in the Adventures in Missions training program.
3. Increasing our efforts to train foreign nationals in our Branch and Associate Schools.
4. Translating and distributing quality Bible teaching materials in the languages of the world.
5. Providing scholarships to hundreds of church leaders overseas to study our online courses.
6. Reaching into the U.S. mission fields through interactive video conferencing.

The world is waiting. Please join us. "Let's Go... Fulfill the Mission!"



Let's Go... Fulfill the Mission!

SEPTEMBER 30th . . . 5th Sunday for Missions: Join in the vision to reach the world for Jesus Christ. Please complete this card and return by September 15 with the intentions of your congregation joining in this great victory for global missions. Call us if you have any questions! On one Sunday, all special contributions will be dedicated to domestic and global evangelism! Keep this in your prayers!

YES, we commit to join with other congregations to make a special contribution on September 30th (5th Sunday in September)!

We commit to join in this special contribution, but not on September 30th. We will do so by _____ (date).

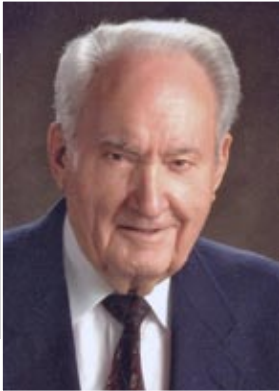
We are unable to participate in this financial quest for global missions.

Congregation: _____

Church address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact person: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____



Cline Rex Paden August 22, 1919 - May 26, 2007

The following was written by the Paden family, and appeared in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal on May 28, 2007.

Cline Rex Paden, 87, passed away Saturday, May 26, 2007, at his home in Lubbock. He was born in Wagner, Texas Aug. 22, 1919, to Oscar and Lona Paden. The family moved to Lubbock County in 1927. Cline graduated from Idalou High School. He then graduated from Abilene Christian University with a BA degree. His life work was recognized by honorary doctor's degrees from five universities: David Lipscomb, Abilene Christian, Harding, Lubbock Christian and Pepperdine. Plaques for outstanding achievements have been awarded by numerous church organizations.

He married Jo Iris Cathey on July 4, 1947. Survivors include his wife, Jo and three children, Tim and Metta of Lubbock, Terry and Becky of Abernathy, and Tanja and Randy Couchman of Boerne. Also surviving is a brother, Gerald of Lubbock; two sisters, Jeri Fox of Oceanside, Calif. and Patsy Whitson of Lakewood, Calif.; and nine grandchildren.

Cline began a life of preaching when his first sermon was delivered in Hawley. His preaching/missionary career spanned the next sixty-five years.

Beginning in 1949, he was part of missionary teams to Italy and later to Denmark in 1957. Back in the States, in 1962 he was the founder of the Sunset School of Preaching, now called the

Sunset International Bible Institute. He served as the Director of the school until 1993, when he chose Truitt Adair to succeed him. He then served as Chancellor of the school until 2006. He served as an Elder at Sunset Church of Christ for over 30 years.

The family requests memorial gifts to the Sunset International Bible Institute.

Celebration of Life services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, 2007, at Sunset Church of Christ. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park. Visitation will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 29, 2007, at Resthaven Funeral Home.

Tributes & Condolences

The following are representative of the hundreds of verbal and written comments received by the Paden family and Sunset.

"We all have been touched by this great Christian leader and friend. Many of us would not be serving our Lord as ministers without his influence. We praise God for his life and how it touched ours and so many others."

– Phil & Lena Smith

"Thank you for letting us know of Cline's passing. He has long been a loving example to men and women of evangelism around the world. For me personally, he has been a mentor and example for 60 years. Donna and I send our love and heartfelt sadness for you and for his loving

family. For him, of course, it is a time of celebration and rejoicing as we know of his passing as a promotion and a life-long achievement. Here in Trinidad, Wednesday will be a Cline Paden Memorial Day as we join with you brethren and others around the world, in remembering this our faithful brother and friend."

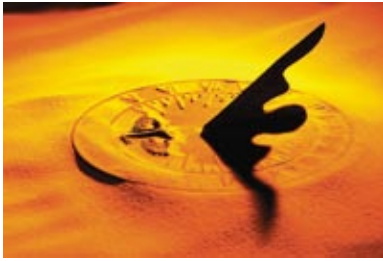
– Parker & Donna Henderson

"I have just heard of the passing of Cline. He was a treasure to my life, from times when as a student at ACC his reports from Italy made such deep and lasting impressions. No doubt the way he allowed God to use him so courageously and faithfully moved me and many others to deep convictions that guided our lives in striving to carry the gospel to every person. . . There is no way to measure the impact he has had on my spiritual life, and on the lives of thousands more."

– Alvin Jennings

"To the Paden family: Please know of our deep love for your family and how much you each have influenced our lives and an entire world for Christ! . . . From the beginning and throughout the years, he was such an encouragement to us and this outreach to South America! In the very hour that he completed his journey on Saturday evening, we were graduating eleven more spokesmen of the gospel for Latin America."

– Kent & Sharla Marcum



“A Life Well Lived” Some Highlights of Cline Paden’s Life



1919 Born August 22 in Wagner, Hunt County, Texas.

1947 Marries Jo Iris Cathey on July 4th.

1949 Travels to begin mission work in Italy and starts Frascati Orphans Home outside of Rome.

1962 Latin American Bible School classes begin for the first class of Hispanic students on Lubbock Christian College campus.

1964 Sunset Church of Christ assumes full financial responsibility, and the School is renamed Sunset School of Preaching (SSOP). Anglo students are admitted.

1967 First World Evangelism Forum is held with an appeal to adopt 120 un-evangelized nations.

1993 August 16 Cline retires as Director of SSOP and becomes Chancellor.

2006 Retires as Chancellor of Sunset International Bible Institute at the May graduation exercises.



2007 May 26 Cline Paden slips quietly into eternity at his home, surrounded by his family. Age 86.

SOME HONORS and RECOGNITION

1974 Abilene Christian College honorary Doctorate of Christian Service.

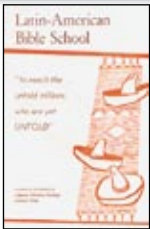
1982 Lubbock Christian College honorary Doctor of Law degree.

1985 Harding University Distinguished Christian Service Award.

1993 Sunset Church of Christ establishes Cline Paden student scholarship fund.

2000 *Gospel Advocate* 20th Century “Trail Blazer.”

2005 Missions Resource Network Crystal Globe award for Distinguished Service in World Missions.



Cline Paden Memorial Fund



Cline & Jo Paden

A Memorial Fund has been established in honor of Cline’s long commitment to preacher training and world evangelism.

I/We wish to make a one-time donation in the amount of \$_____.

I/We wish to make a monthly donation in the amount of \$_____.

I/We wish to make a 3-year commitment of \$_____ annually monthly.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State & Zip _____

Send to: **Sunset International Bible Institute • Attention: Truitt Adair • 3723 34th Street • Lubbock, Texas 79410**

First Graduation in Cuba

Historic occasion as 33 receive their certificates

In June a very special ceremony was held in Havana, Cuba. 33 graduates crossed the stage to receive diplomas in recognition of their Bible training. Truitt Adair, Kirk McAfee, Jorge Pineda and Rudy Wray participated in this historic event. A Cuban official from the Religious Office was present and spoke of the benefits graduates will provide their nation. Below is a report from Rudy Wray, Sunset's Dean of Ministry Training for Pan-America.

The story of ministry training in Cuba began in June of 1998 when **Cline Paden** and **Truman Scott** contacted **Rudy** and **Glenda Wray** and asked them to move from Portland, Oregon to Miami, Florida to establish a Hispanic ministry training school. Ever the visionary, Cline's specific instructions were to establish a school in Miami with an emphasis on training a hundred preachers and having them ready to march into Cuba when the "Sugar Cane Curtain" fell. "But," he warned, "we must not do anything in Cuba that is not legal and ethical."

Who could have known that over 100 native preachers were already preaching in Cuba and praying for someone to come to Cuba to help them? Who could have known that God would miraculously open two doors to the fledgling ministry training school, **Atlantic International Bible Institute** so that formal ministry training could begin **IN CUBA**?

The first door was special permission from the Cuban government for instructors to come to Cuba to teach seminars. The second was permission from the United States Treasury Department for instructors to travel freely to Cuba to conduct the seminars. Who could have known that nine years later



in June, 2007, over seventy preachers would graduate from the seminar program and three would graduate from the entire Sunset curriculum as offered by **Atlantic International Bible Institute**. Who could have known that within nine years three Cuban brethren would become certified Sunset instructors and ready to form the faculty of the **Havana Ministry Training School**?

As if that were not enough, during the June 2007 graduation exercises in Havana it was learned that the Cuban government had granted permission for the church in Cuba to begin its own ministry training program, using the three men who had just graduated as its faculty. This was significant because it signaled the approval and acceptance of the Cuban government of our program.

The future of the church in Cuba is bright indeed! There are over 100 preachers and the majority have completed a three-year course of study. Three have graduated from the entire Sunset/AIBI curriculum and will soon begin Cuba's first full-time ministry training program. There are some **126 known congregations** in Cuba with a total estimated **membership over 5,000!** And, the Cuban brethren are very evangelistic. People are being baptized into Jesus every day and congregations are being established all over the island.

– Rudy Wray

Top Photo: Rudy Wray (left) and Jorge Pineda (right) with the three AIBI graduates.

Second Photo: Armando Alaniz and Truitt Adair (middle) with two of the seminar graduates.

Third Photo: The 33 graduates.

Fourth Photo: Kirk McAfee (left) and Truitt Adair (center) awarding certificates.

Taking the Gospel to Egypt

Persecution...
Resistance...
Danger...
Imprisonment...
Uncertainty...
Fear... These words



describe real life for Christians in Egypt where it is illegal to teach the gospel. Some of our graduates are working in Egypt (names withheld because of possible repercussions) ministering to the people of this predominantly Muslim country. It is a very difficult ministry because everything has to be done undercover. Egypt was originally a "Christian" nation; however, in the 7th century, Egypt was invaded by the Muslims. After the invasion, the Muslims gained control of the government, and the people of Egypt were given three options: 1) Become a Muslim, 2) Pay taxes, 3) Be killed. In general, the wealthy people paid taxes. Those who were Christians paid taxes. Some refused to become Muslims or to pay taxes and were killed. Most of those who were poor became Muslims or were killed. Many who had roots in Christianity forgot their origin as generations passed and succumbed to the strong Muslim influence.

One of our graduates established the church in Cairo. It is illegal for the church to meet in homes, but they are able to meet in established "Christian" church buildings. So they rented a church building downtown. They are able to teach the gospel through correspondence courses and then they

do followup with those contacts. Because his activities are constantly monitored, our graduate sold his car and does all of his travel by public transportation. It is easier to get lost in the crowds using public transportation in this large city of 17 million people.

When asked about his attitude toward persecution, he replied, "Yes, we are persecuted, and I thank God for it. I am not worthy. This is for the glory of God, not ours." He relates an incident where he studied with a man for three months. The man asked to become a Christian and was baptized. About three weeks later, it was discovered that the man was an officer in the secret police sent to infiltrate the church. Anyone who professes to be a Christian, has difficulty finding a job. People who convert from Islam to Christianity are often killed by their Muslim friends or family. Persecution is a very real way of life in Egypt.

Our graduate is helping translate Sunset materials into the Arabic language. He believes that these courses placed in the hands of people in the Arabic world will have a dramatic impact on taking the gospel to countless numbers of Muslim people. There are already many opportunities to take the gospel to people in Jordan,



Doug & Marge Reeves (left) and Mary & Sammy Flanary during a recent visit to Egypt.

Syria, Lebanon and Greece. He also sees great opportunities in teaching the gospel over television and radio networks.

Let us remember to fervently pray for this man and his family who are serving in a very difficult part of the world. There are 23 countries in Northern Africa that are Muslim dominated countries with a combined population of 325 million people. Let us also fervently pray for these lost people, and then be willing to step through the open doors that God will provide to take the gospel message to these people.

– Bob Jackson

Attention White's Ferry Road Alumni!

We are anxious to hear from you! Lifeline would welcome news, reports and updates about your work to include in our Alumni News section. Please use the e-mail and postal addresses listed on page 2.

Ukrainian Bible Institute

Jay Don and Mary Lee Rogers begin their 7th year with the Ukrainian Bible Institute (UBI) this fall. They are really enjoying their work and the wonderful staff at UBI. "God is wonderful in the way He has blessed us to be involved in this great work," they said.

It has been a great year at the Ukrainian Bible Institute. In May we had a wonderful graduation with 8 outstanding graduates. Our theme was "Bear Fruit For Jesus". These graduates are already doing just that. Bogdon Patsula, a former Orthodox Priest, and his family have started a new congregation in Ivano Frankivsk. They have already experienced 11 baptisms. Vladimir Simenko is helping start another new congregation and they have had 19 baptisms so far. Two of our graduates, Ira Poletski and Marina Pungin, were wives of men who had already graduated from UBI, and they are helping their husbands do a more effective work. Our prayers are that God will continue to help all of our alumni to grow and multiply in His kingdom.

Another big accomplishment has been the development and design of a visiting teacher's apartment in our building. With the help of some significant contributors in the US and Canada, we have been able to transform our storage room into a beautiful apartment. A year ago when we first

started, it was hard to imagine that it could ever look nice. Today we have a bedroom, bathroom, small kitchen and living area. Tim Burow said that all they now have to do is walk 8 feet

to their class. The teachers are loving it. On the first floor of the building, we now have 2 excellent classrooms and a nice dining area for the students that also doubles as a classroom for our ladies classes.

Plans are now being made for a third year program at UBI. The plan is to have a third year internship. Students in this program will be involved in 4 special courses on church planting and church growth. They will be required to write 3 or 4 term papers to develop their writing and research skills. They will also be placed with an existing congregation to live and work under the supervision of the leaders of that congregation and in cooperation with one of the teachers at UBI. They will keep weekly records of their visits, outreach, etc., and will be overseen by the congregation's leaders.

This summer UBI is involved in a Student Recruitment program. Dima Greshuk has produced a DVD about the school and has distributed it to congregations and prospective students. The DVD shows how UBI can help them put on the

whole armor of God to fight against Satan's army. Also, many of our staff and students are involved this summer in camps, campaigns, and other things which help the church grow in Ukraine.



Spring, 2007 photo of students at the Ukrainian Bible Institute.



Jay Don & Mary Lee Rogers were honored by Pepperdine University with their 2007 Christian Service Award.



Instructors at UBI (from left): Rick Walker, Dima Grishuk, Sasha Maluga, Jay Don Rogers, and Tim Burow.

At UBI we are also working on ideas of how we can further provide outreach to the lost. In the fall we will be offering a special set of courses to non-believers on Christian Evidences, the Church, the Book of Acts, etc. We will not offer graduation to them, but we will offer a certificate of completion when they finish the courses. We will also offer several night courses for unbelievers. People who are wanting to reach out to their neighbors can also learn the basic principles of teaching the lost.

– Jay Don Rogers & Doug Reeves

Graduates Around the World

Presenting a few of Sunset's 400+ International Graduates

With more than 400 graduates in our 43 ministry training schools around the world, it would be impossible to list every name. Instead we have chosen to display a few of the graduating classes and list the names from a few of the schools.



L. V. Pheiffer (left), Larry Winston, the Secretary of the Nigeria Institute for the Arts and Theological Studies (NIATS), Dr. Glenn Boyd, and Chris Swinford



NIATS Graduates in Onicha Ngwa, Nigeria



Dean Chris Swinford speaks at the Mapepe, Zambia Spring graduation.

A FEW OF THE NAMES

Philippine International Bible Institute

(campuses in Angeles City, Naga City, and Olangapo)

Terence Corpus	Efren Estaban
Julius Jones	Rodrigo Moral
Sherwin Ravelo	June Rico
Darwin Supremedo	

School of Evangelism Weala, Liberia

Edward T. Boafo	Harris Kolley
William Kolley	Moses Kolley
Jeremiah Laban	Henry Sackie
Edith Siafa	Lenin Siafa
Randolph Tengbeh	Thomas Tengbeh
Jackson Venn	George Yah
Diamo Zayzay	Marshall Zeazian
Sam Zebedee	

Atlantic International Bible Institute – Cuba

Three men graduated with an advanced certificate from Sunset.

Reynaldo Garcia	Jose' Luis Hernandez
Roberto Pino	

Thirty men graduated from the three year seminar program.

Amaury Aguilera	Daniel Blet
Ramon Carrasco	Roberto Luis Carrero
Jorge Luis Castillo	Laudino Cruz
Luis Diaz	Felix Diaz
Johan Diaz	Luis Echevarria
Miguel Angel Leon	Lazaro Leon
Enio Leyva	Jaun Carlos Leyva
Luis Manuel Leyva	Gilberto Matos
Omar Matos	Guillermo Mestre
Kadir Monguia	Yosvani Olivera
Roilan Pena	Amado Proenza
Gabriel Ramirez	Nelson Augustin Ramos
Rodolfo Rosell	Benigno Salazar
Noel Silveiro	Jose Rafael Sori
Gustavo Stay	Victor Vera



Athens Graduates, Spring 2007



Kent Marcum, Director of the Quito School of Biblical Studies in Ecuador takes pictures of the 2007 graduates.



Graduates at the Philippine International Bible Institute.



2007 graduates in Batam, Indonesia

76th Class of Sunset Graduates

43 Receive Certificates at Sunset in Lubbock



On May 19, 2007 the 76th Class of Sunset International Bible Institute graduated. Certificates were awarded to 43 men and women in the various disciplines of the school. 14 were given special honor for their high grade point averages. Don Myers ('75), minister in Wetumpka, Alabama delivered the commencement address (*photo at left*). In addition, 16 from the External Studies program were honored (*see page 20*).



BIBLICAL AND MINISTRY STUDIES



Michael H. Barnes
Muncie, Indiana



Matthew J. Blaines
Anchor Point, Alaska



Johnny Carl Bond
San Jose, California



Larry D. Bratcher
Joao Pessoa, Brazil



Ronald M. Burman
Advanced Missions



Joseph Paul Burton
San Diego, California



David R. Creek
Advanced Missions



Jorge Del Bosque
Joao Pessoa, Brazil



Edward John Dottle
Advanced Missions



Clinton T. Howard
Coffeyville, Kansas



Jason Lee Isenberg
Snyder, Texas



Jewel Faye Kosiorek
AIM



Ethan James Liles
Atwater, California



David McCourt
Havana, Arkansas



Stephen A. Melton
AIM



Nicholas Santos Perez
Wichita, Kansas



Brandon Price
Mariupol, Ukraine



Darrell Price
Lubbock, Texas



Katie Price
Mariupol, Ukraine



Michael B. Robinson
Mesa, Arizona



J. Bryan Shelley
California

BIBLICAL AND MINISTRY STUDIES, continued



Jeremy Dean Sigle
Lubbock, Texas



Dustin Sean Simmons



Sara Jean Sisemore
Russia



Anthony C. Tucker
Lubbock Christian U.



Justin L. White
Great Falls, Montana



Joseph M. Whitner



Anthony H. Wilson
Puyallup, Washington

DEAF STUDIES



Carl Moore
Dallas, Texas

FALL RIVER



Michael Swanson

SENIOR AIM



Greg Taylor
Lubbock, Texas

WOMEN'S BASIC BIBLICAL STUDIES



Dawn Lea Bond
Deaf Studies
San Jose, California



Crystal S. Burton
San Diego, California



Jacqueline L. Dottle
Deaf Studies
Advanced Missions



Carolyn Elaine Isenberg
Snyder, Texas

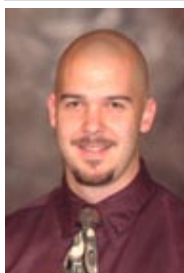


Gloria Lopez



Shelley S. Wilson
Puyallup, Washington

ADVANCED MISSIONS



Justin Carroll



Justin Cherry



Morgan Ely
New Zealand



Skylar Ely
New Zealand



Elijah Peters
New Zealand



Levi Sisemore
Russia



Alumni News

AFRICA

Ethiopia

Delays have been incurred with the water drilling project in Ethiopia due to a malfunctioning compressor. Curt King returned to the States to retrieve the needed parts, but was substantially delayed in the drilling project. A total of 174 wells have been drilled.



Healing Hands International in Nashville, Tennessee provided a replacement rig to be shipped to Ethiopia should another breakdown occur. Graduates of the Jajura School started a new work in the Wollieta area of southern Ethiopia and now

50 plus congregations have been planted in that region. A new kindergarten is being established in Jimma, which opened in June with 50 students. The kindergarten programs serve as a vital tool in reaching the parents of students. One student attending the Shinshicho kindergarten requested that his family pray before they ate their food and now the entire family are faithful members of the Lord's church. The orphanage in Addis currently provides a home for 19 young men. Some of these boys attend the deaf school and others have graduated and are attending local high schools. The orphanage provides a good bed, good food, and a good Bible teacher. In February, 10 men completed their studies at the Level 2 School in Addis Ababa.



South Africa

Jerry and Ann Hogg ('68) are adjunct teachers in the South African Bible School (SABS). Jerry reports 21 new members, in one day, were added to the Lord's church at Kayonge in Mumena Kingdom of northern Zambia. The Hoggs had visitors from Texas - Don and Rilda Perry, who taught a month in Botswana at the Sunset international school in Gaborone. Bill Elliott from the West End congregation came to work with the Keam Road

congregation for several months. Dan and Carolyn Spann from Knoxville came in March to work in the library. Carolyn is a retired school librarian. Dan accompanied Jerry to a seminar in Cape Town. Until October, Jerry and Ann may be reached at jvhogg@xsinet.co.za.

Sudan

The repatriation process started in summer of 2006 as our Sudanese brethren began returning to their homeland from refugee camps. They were first transferred to refugee camps along the Sudanese border. Continued unrest in the eastern region of South Sudan forced many to return to Addis. Two of our preaching school graduates have returned to Sudan and established congregations in the Nassir and Makalal areas.



Newly trained church leaders for the congregations in Sudan.

Isaya (Lina) Jackson ('97) is preaching and teaching in Sudan and Uganda. Isaya reports most areas in South Sudan are not secure.

Isaya has not been able to visit the Magwi, Oggo, and Pajok areas because of an incident where 30 people were killed by an unknown armed group. A new congregation has been established by men Isaya trained in the refugee camp in Logurony. Almost half the population of the refugee camps have left for Sudan without protection to return and live safely. Some only have the clothes on their backs. They not only face armed groups, but land mines on the roads they will be traveling. Kennedy Marco returned to the States in January for a medical checkup to address the lingering effects of malaria and jaundice. Before Kennedy left the Kiryandongo camp, he was able to teach and baptize 20 people in the three congregations located there. Three were recently baptized into Christ in the Madiokollo congregation. Kennedy observed that many of the brethren who have returned to South Sudan live under trees. Many have no shelter, and most have no food or clean water. Isaya and Kennedy are trying to insure that all brethren returning to South Sudan are connected with a congregation near their home. Frank Luri is still searching for a



congregation to take the oversight of his support, so that he will be able to join Isaya and Kennedy in the new work in Juba.

EUROPE

Albania

Steve (Deborah) Stamatis, serves as dean of Sunset's international school in Albania. Three men are continuing to study after completing their first year of courses. Tom Bonner in Lushnja and Steve Byrne in Fier are missionaries helping to mentor these students. The students participated in a campaign in the beach area of Durres led by Alfred Zike (AIBI 2002). As a result, a new congregation has been planted and one of our current students, Bledi Valca, plans to follow the same pattern for a campaign in Elbason. Steve and Deborah are actively recruiting new students by traveling to all the congregations in Albania.

Croatia

Ivan and Ruth Tesic ('79) report that Ivan's annual trip to the States resulted in much needed support for a new van, multi purpose storage building, radio broadcasting, more adequate facilities for the youth, and their regular operating expenses. Jim Frazier and his sister, Rudith Drennan, came to plan the 2007 Pan European Lectureship, which will be held in Berlin, Germany. John and Cynthia Fletcher, with their daughter, Laney, visited with a group of 32 Oklahoma Christian students. John is chair of the OC music department and sponsor for OC's Vienna, Austria fall study program. The group visited a nearby children's home, presented a short Vacation Bible School, cleaned the building, helped with congregational singing, and lead in worship services.

France

Duane Morgan ('70) is working in Marseille to prepare for missions to the Arabic speaking world. He is studying the Arabic language while traveling throughout the area making contacts with local people.



Duane Morgan

Roland and Rose Mohsen ('78, Missions '79) work with the Deodat church of Christ in Paris. The annual New Year's celebration was well attended by 150 members and visitors. Roland is now studying with some who were present. Simon Motaze and his family will not be able to return to

France due to visa problems. They will continue to work with the congregation in Yaounde, Cameroon.

Greece

Sammy and Mary Flanary ('74) report that classes were overflowing at the Sunset international school in Athens with 37 students each week, of which 22 were full-time. Students are from Bulgaria, Cameroon, Philippines, Ghana, Iran, Nigeria, Russia, South Africa, and Ukraine. Visiting teachers from the States, along with Ron Kretz, dean of AIBI, Diane Kretz, Bennie Leke, Bill Day, Doug Reeves, and Sammy supplied the much needed man

power to provide the instruction for the last term of studies.

Ireland

Kevin and Angelina Mullins ('04) are missionaries in Dublin. Kevin reports after careful study, prayer, and counsel with his elders in Oklahoma to return to America. Before the move to Ireland, the Portuguese government had promised Angelina, citizenship within 4-6 months entitling her to work and go to school. Four years have passed, along with missed job and educational opportunities and still no citizenship. The Mullins will return to Bakersfield, California, where Angelina will be able to finish her degree and graduate. Kevin has accepted a position as an Information Technology Technician working with a local High School district. They wish to thank all who supported and cared for them during these past 5 years during school and on the mission field. The Mullins may be reached at anniemullins1@yahoo.com and kevinmullins1@yahoo.com.

Romania

Lee and Stephanie Skelton work with the SIBIU in Romania. Lee reports the Penalosa church of Christ donated laptop computers for the Romanian work and a television has also been purchased to further teaching capabilities while Lee is in the States. The Sunset curriculum on DVD is needed to provide a resource for preacher training to the Romanian Christians. Lee is requesting funding assistance for this purchase. The South Plains church of Christ in Lubbock donated much needed American children's books for local distribution and to the library in SIBIU. The local High School administrator has agreed to allow a Vacation Bible School to be held in the school building. Please send any financial support to the Skelton's overseeing congregation: Ovilla church of Christ, 3220 Ovilla Rd.; Ovilla, Texas 75154-3302; Phone: 972/617-7447.



Skelton family

Ukraine

Eastern European Missions (EEM) arranged for the Lubbock Christian (LCU) choir to visit the church in Donetsk. Thirty-six LCU choir members and sponsors traveled to Donetsk, Salzburg, and Vienna, Austria on tour. The Drama Theater in Donetsk seats 750, and it was rented for two performances. All the local congregations were invited to Sunday worship service at the Drama Theater and over 700 attended. Three of the LCU chorus' selections were sung in the Russian language. Sunday evening's performance ended with EEM distributing 700 copies of Mike Armour's "Newcomer's Guide to the Bible" in Russian to the audience. Numerous requests for additional Bibles and Gospel literature have resulted from the event. In all, over 2,000 people in Donetsk heard the choral group sing. The outreach to the community is very positive and appreciated.

ASIA

South Korea



Hamm family

David and Mary Hamm returned to Seoul, South Korea in February to become the Operational Administrator for the school in Korea. The Hamms lack enough support to serve in a full-time capacity. If your congregation can support David and his family, please contact George Carman at 817/847-8877. Among the seven

preaching schools in Asia, there are currently 106 students, 113 graduates, 27 known church plants, and 1,000+ baptisms.

OCEANIA

Australia

Ron and Moya Bainbridge ('68) are serving at the South Coast church of Christ in Albany, Western Australia. Ron uses "A Better Life Ministries" media outreach, in nine newspapers, a local radio station and with their website: discoveringabetterlife.org.au.

They have received 361 requests for gospel booklets and Bible Correspondence Courses. They have mailed over 1,500 pieces of Gospel literature and 41 Bible Correspondence Courses to many parts of Australia. They study with many students on-line in Asia and Africa. Their Bible Correspondence courses have a 48% completion rate. The South Coast church of Christ has been supporting Roberto Quintanilla in his studies with the Macquarie School of Biblical Studies (MSOBS) in Sydney, where he graduated in January. Sunset assumed joint management of MSOBS in January.

Dwight and Brenda Whitsett ('67) are working with Sunset where Dwight is the Missions Coordinator for Oceania (New Zealand,



Dwight Whitsett, Ted Paull, and Peter Tickner symbolize the cooperative work at MSOBS.

Australia, and the South Pacific). Dwight instructs in the Advanced Missions program at Sunset and recently helped prepare a team for Leon, Mexico. After this new team arrived, the existing congregation grew from 20 to over 60 (mostly by conversions).

Dwight is honored to have participated in the training of such productive teams. The

first Oceania team will arrive in Auckland, New Zealand this year. Dwight traveled to Sydney in January to work with Ted and Pam Paull in preparing for the first day of the new Macquarie School of Biblical Studies. Opening day on February 11, 2007, was a great success. Marvin Ancell from Melbourne preached and over 90 brethren from 12 congregations congratulated students from 2006 and welcomed students training in the 2007 classes. Jeremy

Desjarlais and Craig Peters are seeking support to work with MSOBS.

Indonesia

Winston Bolt ('87) serves as dean of the international school in Batam. The new church building in Batam has been completed. Six men graduated from the Batam Bible College and planted a congregation in the city of Pontianak, Kalimantan. Students have also planted numerous new congregations in Nias. Winston recently traveled to Java, Sulawesi,



Winston and Lucy Bolt

Kalimantan, and Sumatra to visit mission teams sent out by the school. In the city of Solo, Central Java, brothers Yonathan and Radius have arranged a meeting with three different denominational groups who have expressed an interest in following the pattern of New Testament Christianity. This could lead to the conversion of entire congregations. Please pray for their receptivity and obedience. Nine students returned for the second term and six entering the first term for a total of fifteen students. Four computers were purchased for the teachers which will help tremendously. Brothers Wilanor and Bantu will be going to the city of Palopo in South Sulawesi located at the foot of the Tana Toraja mountain range to plant a new congregation. This city has a population of over 100,000 with many different ethnic groups from all over Indonesia.

Philippines

Charles and Mary Ann Smith coordinate several Sunset preacher training schools in the Philippines. Graduation at all three schools and a "Church Planting Seminar" were conducted at the Clark church building in late February. The Summer Evangelism Program took place in April, in Albay Province, where the "Durion" typhoon killed over 1000 people and destroyed many homes and farms. The evangelistic outreach was coordinated with a medical mission. Brother Alner Orante and two church members, Aurelio delos Reyes and Jason Reyuso, traveled to the Bayandong, Bacacay, Albay and Bugtong areas to assist in this effort resulting in 19 conversions. These men will remain in these areas preaching, teaching, and building up the body.

MEXICO & CENTRAL AMERICA

Mexico

Chadd and Nancy Schroeder (AIM '86; Missions '97) are missionaries in Guadalajara. Almost 100 people representing five growing house churches met together at a waterfall outside of Guadalajara for a time of worship, fun and fellowship. Five people made a public confession of faith and were immersed into Christ at the waterfall. Two were Chadd and Nancy's daughters, Morgan and Natali. Luis Bernal, Alejandro Marquez and Angelina Gonzalez were also immersed into Christ. Each person had their own unique story of how they made their decision. The Schroeder's adopted daughter, Ceci, recovered

well from her surgery in December and is currently participating in physical therapy. The Mariano Otero congregation witnessed three baptized into Christ. The Mexican leaders of the various house churches are growing in fellowship with each other. Kent and Karen Smith from Abilene provided teaching on spiritual care for missionaries at the annual Mexico Missionary Retreat. Missionaries attended from Guadalajara, Mexico City, Leon, Morelia, Lazaro Cardenas, Toluca and Cuernavaca.

denominations as well as members of the Maracay congregation together for study every Thursday evening. Their Sunday morning class is using the video teleconferencing class to teach over 35 students and also to reach other congregations in the central part of Venezuela. Jorge is looking for financial partners for their new Radio program which has the potential of reaching 37 million Hispanic people from 16 delegations in Mexico City. Jorge may be reached via e-mail at: pineda591@yahoo.com.

SOUTH AMERICA



One of the small groups making up the church in Lima, Peru

Peru

Paul and Amy Dowell ('01) are missionaries in Lima, Peru. Paul reports a new video satellite school is being established in their building with several prospective students ready to take night classes. Cesar Gonzalez and his wife, Lili, have started a new small group in their home. Cesar and Gladys Onofre have two new people in their small group. Lucho and Kenny have four new members. Ezequiel's small group is growing by 2 to 3 new people each week.



A Video Teleconferencing Class in Maracay, Venezuela

Spanish Preacher Training

Jorge Pineda ('94) is the Extension School dean and instructor for the Atlantic International Bible Institute (AIBI) in Hialeah, Florida. Jorge reports that Sunset Bible videos are being used in Cuba, Nicaragua, Venezuela, Bolivia, and the U.S. Video teleconferencing is bringing students into their "classroom" from Ecuador, Venezuela; Arlington, Virginia; Miami, Florida; and Silver Springs, Maryland. In Maracay, Venezuela, video teleconferencing classes are bringing 23 people from

UNITED STATES

Tim (and Janet) Brumfield ('81) taught Mission Strategy Development and organized the Missionary Issues course. Tim, along with Bruce and Jean Chisholm, directed a Lubbock door-to-door campaign. Thirty Sunset students and several other Sunset church members knocked 1,138 doors. Fifty-three home Bible studies were set, with an additional 35 requesting Bible Correspondence courses. Level 1 student, Shawn Miller, baptized one couple as a result of one of the doors that he knocked. Several other baptisms have occurred as a result of the campaign. Tim taught an evangelism class on Wednesday evenings entitled, *"The Missing Peace"* available on DVD. Tim and family traveled with 30 Sunset members to New Orleans to help home owners remove all of their ruined furnishings, mud, ruined sheet rock, and to clean out their houses. Tim and his family have lost over \$1,000 per month of support in the last three years. If you can help provide financial help, Tim can be contacted at 806/788-3275 or by e-mail at timb@sibi.cc.

Charles and Tamara Cook ('81) Focus Northeast & Northwest coordinators, report the Bible study group that started in the home of David and Susan Peterson in North Philadelphia, PA are now worshipping together on Sundays. Kevin, Terri, and Jeffrey Fry ('05) have started a new inner-city ministry in Erie, PA with the new congregation meeting in their home. Additional support is needed for this new ministry. Kevin may be contacted at: tfry@hotmail.com. Blaine Coffey and Pete Peterson have established a new church plant in Prince Frederick, MD. The Distance Learning school in Fall River, MA currently has two students, Ron Saracino and Mike Swanson, who are in their 2nd year of training. Recent graduate, Andre King, has accepted the ministry in Farmington, CT, and Jonathan Charley ('06) has accepted the ministry in Lawrence, MA. A new Distance Learning School has begun operating at the Enumclaw church of Christ in Enumclaw, Seattle (near Seattle). Ken Wilson is the director and his son, Anthony Wilson, will serve as the assistant director. Six students are enrolled for the classes beginning this Fall.

Mike and Karen Hoots ('97) are working with the Homestead church of Christ in Homestead, FL. Mike reports that the Iglesia de Cristo in Miami-Dade and the Iglesia de Cristo in Homestead are doing well. The youth group meeting at the Miami Dade building on Wednesday nights has increase from 6-7 to an average of 50. 80% of these are not Christians. Two young men were baptized recently. The youth group recently attended a camping trip in the Everglades National Park and over 50 attended. As a result, another young man was baptized. Teachers

within the youth group are taking the responsibility of going to Homestead and teaching the youth on Sundays. Four of the youth are working full-time in Sunset's AIM program as missionary interns. These young people are in Brazil, Siberia, Peru and France.

Lloyd and Patricia Overby ('69) have been working with the Dill City, OK, congregation almost 19 years. In 1994, the Overbys were involved in a campaign with other Americans at Anratsit, Ukraine, and established a new congregation. They have returned each year staying from 3 weeks to 5 months. Due to Lloyd's health, their last trip was in 2005. They are seeking a sponsoring congregation for the Anratsit congregation. They ask all students, former and present, to consider helping fill this vital need. For more details the Overbys may be contacted at loverby@cottonboll.com or call 580/674-3977.

Ron and Susan Pottberg ('85) reflect back over last year's travels and see a very productive year. In August, they took a mission trip to the Philippines. Ruth Orr and Kay Howard accompanied Susan and worked with World Bible School (WBS) students in Baguio City where seven were baptized. Ron traveled south to check on WBS students and then went to Malawi and South Africa. While in South Africa, Ron traveled from Johannesburg to Cape Town with Quinton Funk preaching and checking on the work there. Ron spent November in The Gambia, Sierra Leone and Liberia. Ron and Susan relocated to Colorado in June. They will continue working with the WBS ministry.

John and Autumn Sproul ('04) serve as part-time missionaries to Phnom Penh, Cambodia. Their permanent residence is in Lynden, WA. John has taken a position in secular work but will be able to make periodic short-term mission trips to Cambodia. In August of 2006, John, Autumn, and Sophia returned to Cambodia to wrap up the work there and attended the Asian Mission Forum in Siem Reap where they renewed many friendships from past years. John traveled back to Cambodia in November

for an annual review with the village churches to assess the self sustaining church development ministries. They found the ministries thriving. Autumn's grandmother, Margaret Smith, passed away in November. Margaret leaves behind a legacy of mission work in Japan reaching across four generations. Autumn's sister Rochelle still resides in Japan.

NEW ADDRESSES

Robert and Teri Odle ('95, Missions '96) and family have moved to Richmond, VA where Bob serves as minister for the Three Chopt Road church of Christ. Home address is: 14 Chase Gayton Terrace, #1728; Richmond, VA 23238-6522. Home # is: 804/741-2480 and e-mail addresses are: RPOdle6@verizon.net and TeriOdle@verizon.net



Raymond and Sally Leonard ('76) will have served on the mission field in South Africa for thirty years on June 21st. Their address is: 27 Van Goen St.; Bothasig, Cape 7441; Republic of South Africa. You may reach them by e-mail at: rl14@mweb.co.za

INFORMATION SOUGHT

We were recently notified that Dena Henderson, wife of Roger Henderson ('89, Missions '90) passed away. We do not have any other information at this time. If you know of Roger's location, please contact Lifeline so that we can furnish more complete information to our readers.

The Gray Eagle

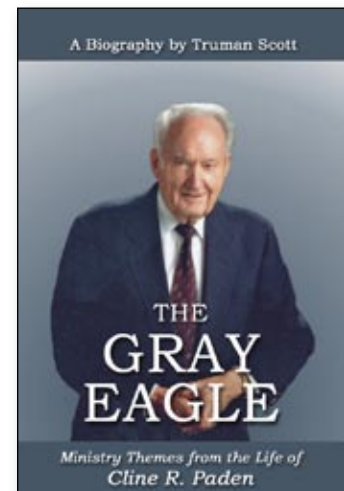
A Biography by Truman Scott, Ph.D

The Gray Eagle is a unique biography of Cline Rex Paden. It documents many of his pioneering accomplishments, recounts some of the more amusing anecdotes from his ministry, and shares the thoughts and accolades of many who knew him. See page 21 of Lifeline for a more detailed description and to order.

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Departures

Harold Norman Gipson

Harold Norman Gipson, 88, long-time gospel preacher and teacher at the Sunset International Bible Institute, was born in Estelline to West Texas pioneers, John Holbert Gipson and Mattie Pauline Hill Gipson, died in Lubbock May 14, 2007. He was preceded in death by his wife, Annice Aline (Teurman), and sons, Timothy Charles and Harold Don Gipson. Memorial service was Thursday, May 17, 2007, at the Sunset Church of Christ in Lubbock. Norman is survived by daughters Linda, Norma and Anita.



Norman was a teacher for Sunset International Bible Institute in 1969 (then SSOP) and returned in 1982 to 2000 when his health began to fail. Even in the days when he was in exhausting pain, Norman had a smile and a song for any who visited. The family requests contributions be made to the Norman Gipson Student Scholarship Fund, Sunset International Bible Institute, 3723 34th St, Lubbock, TX 79410.

Robert Charles Rains, Jr.

Memorial services for Robert Charles Rains Jr., were held May 9, 2007, at the Cactus Drive Church of Christ in Levelland, Texas.

Robert was born on June 19, 1950, in Hobbs, NM. He served in the United States Navy, then on the police departments in Hobbs, Pecos, and Big Spring, Texas.

Robert graduated from Sunset School of Preaching in 1986, but found his true calling serving families through his position as a funeral director in Levelland, Texas.

He attended Cactus Drive Church of Christ in Levelland, and served as an elder for the past 10 years. Robert was also a member of the Kiwanis Club.

Robert is survived by his wife of 34 years, LaVena; a daughter, Anne Flores;

son-in-law, John; granddaughter Marcie; and expected grandson Sebastian, all of Carlsbad. He is also survived by a son, David Rains of Levelland; brother, Stephen Rains; sister Rhonda Dunn; niece Jeanie Whatley and her husband Quintin, all of Hobbs; and a host of extended family and friends.



JoAn Mary Clary Dillinger

JoAn Mary Clary Dillinger, 65, of Noblesville, Indiana, died May 18, 2007. She was born in 1942 in Baraboo, Wisconsin. She had been a deputy tax assessor for Hamilton County for 16 years. She was also a Republican Precinct Committeeman and a member of Green Valley Church of Christ in Noblesville.

Survivors include her husband of 45 years, Jim Dillinger; sons, Jimmy (Helene) Dillinger, Rochester, IN, Jeffrey (Kerri) Dillinger, Pittsburg, PA; daughter, Jana (Tony) Birmingham, Birmingham, AL; brother, Bill (Marie) Clary, Springfield, IL; sisters, Pat (Steve) Sardeson, Baraboo, WI, Gail (David) Davenport, Russellville, AR; and eight grandchildren.



to Belfast where he helped establish a school of preaching and trained many young men to be evangelists and helped build up the church in Northern Ireland. In 1974 he returned to Lubbock and earned a Bachelor's degree in 1976. Once again, he returned to Northern Ireland where he along with Tommy and Joyce Hahn helped to build the church in Lisborn, Northern Ireland. John earned a doctorate degree in Bible in 2001, but never spent the \$800 to get his certificate.

John also worked with churches in Toronto, Canada, Pueblo, Colorado and Las Cruces, New Mexico. He and Ruby became US citizens in 1992. In 1993 he moved to Puyallup, Washington to work as evangelist. He also served as an elder from 1995 until 2006.

A scholarship fund in John's name has been set up. Contact Gene McCaul at mccauls1234@msn.com for more information.

Roseann Ekman

Roseann Ekman, devoted wife of Bob

Ekman was born on March 7, 1934 and passed from this life on July 10, 2007, at her home. Roseann was an avid Bible teacher for nearly 50 years. Teaching the Bible was her passion. Using the Bible as a textbook, she taught English on the Internet to scores of students around the world for the World English Institute and the World Bible Institute. She was also active in prison ministry and the Crow Wing County Meth Coalition. Survivors include Bob, her husband of fifty years; a son, David (Joan) Ekman, of Canyon County, Calif.; a daughter, Denise (Tim) Hulst, of Mound, Minn.; grandchildren, Bo and Tara Ekman, Nathan and Jennifer Largent and Adam Hulst.



John Justin

John was born in Belfast, Northern Ireland on March 12, 1937. John ceased from his labor on February 9, 2007, after battling asbestosis for over a year. His wife Ruby and daughter Gayle preceded him in death. He is survived by his daughters, Jeanine and Marilyn, his son Rick and grandsons Jason and Jonathan.

In 1965, John briefly attended Sunset School of Preaching and then transferred to Lubbock Christian University to obtain an associate degree in Bible. In 1967, he took his young family back

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Satellite School Program Growing

Satellite Schools are continuing to be added to our growing number on a regular basis. More than 360 schools have been started in the past 10 years with thousands of students digging deeper into the word of God and growing in their faith and maturity! Schools in Houston, Texas; Grenada, Mississippi; Idaho Falls, Idaho; and Jamaica, New York are among those started recently.

On June 8th, Virgil Yocham traveled to Corona, California to conduct an Administrator's Training Workshop for a prospective school. Four men and the church secretary attended the three hour training session. He also preached on Sunday morning and explained the Satellite School concept to the entire congregation. The prospect of a school was eagerly received, and their school

is scheduled to begin in September. Several students have already signed up and many more are interested in becoming students. Brandon Holt, the minister for the congregation, is excited about what this school can mean, not only for the church in Corona, but for all of Southern California. In our last training seminar held in Lubbock in January 2007, 34 people received their administrator's certificates.

Bill Powers, Satellite School coordinator, and his wife and secretary, Lil, have recently gone to Needville, Texas to finish the Certification process for the satellite school there. Terry Webb is the administrator and has done an excellent job of directing that school. If you are considering a Satellite School in your city, I would encourage you to call Terry



Participants in the Administrator's Training Workshop in Corona, California

and talk to him about the organizational structure of their school. I also encourage you to call Bill Powers who will guide you through the process of starting a school. Bill's telephone number is 800-687-2121.

Largest Extension School Graduation Ever!

In May the External Studies division granted certificates to eighteen graduates. All had done their work either through a satellite school program or through direct correspondence. Roman Halamicek, Edward Jackson & Dennis Ramsey received Certificates of Advanced Biblical Studies for completing 32 courses. All other graduates received a Certificate of Basic Biblical Studies for completion of the first 20 courses. Not pictured are John Lamp (Neosho, MO) and Igor Popok (Lithuania).



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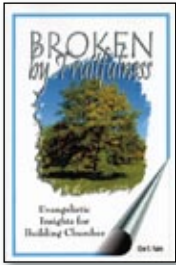
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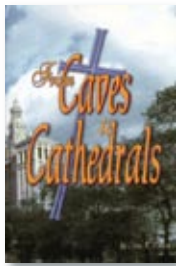


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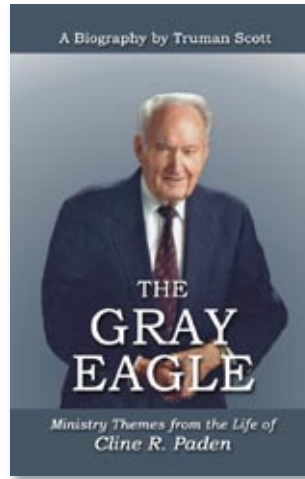
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and technology of video and audio taped studies, lessons and sermons on into this century.

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and lessons now on CDs as well as on cassette tapes. We call this collection of lessons, the "Richard Rogers Classic Library."

This collection includes all the sermons preached at Sunset church of Christ and many lectures given in workshops at Sunset and around the country. In addition to the sermon collection, there are many studies, both short and long, on various topics and books of the Bible.

In 1977 Richard delivered a sermon entitled "The Value of the Valley" which stands out as one of the most significant lessons he ever preached. We included this sermon in our then, "Tape of the Month" club and hundreds of people all over the world ordered this taped sermon – some ordered several copies to give to friends and acquaintances. Richard's powerful and highly motivational preaching is still benefitting brothers and sisters, even though he has gone to be with the Lord. I highly recommend these lessons for your encouragement and growth in the Kingdom of God.

You may receive a listing of all works done by Richard by calling: 1-800-687-2121 or by email at extschool@sibi.cc.

– Virgil Yocham

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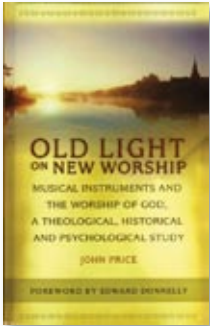
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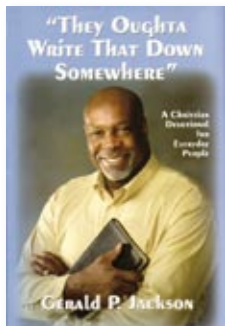


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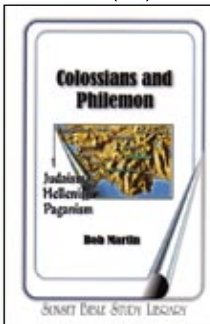


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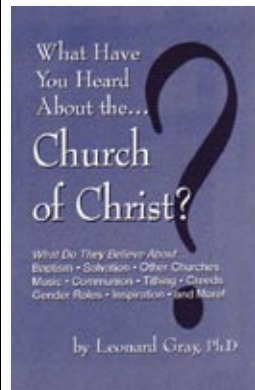
Bob Martin ('67) has contributed this new book to the Sunset Bible Study Library series. It serves as the textbook for the video course on Colossians and Philemon from Sunset External Studies. The first 8 chapters cover Colossians, "a very sharp, terse, impassioned, apologetic witness to a church facing heresy." Philemon occupies the final 4 chapters. Philemon "is a small but dynamic epistle that sets forth some of the Bible's greatest teaching about the providential working of God."

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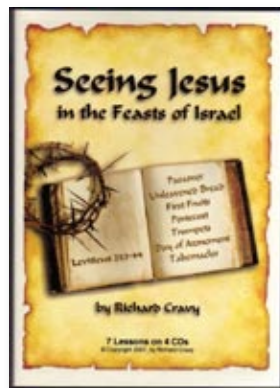
an instructor at both White's Ferry Road School of Preaching and the Bear Valley School of Biblical Studies. Proceeds from the book go to a special trust helping fund preacher training at Sunset International Bible Institute.

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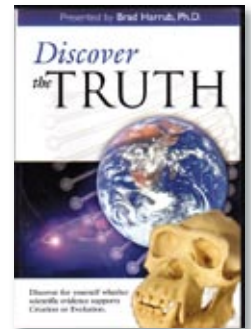
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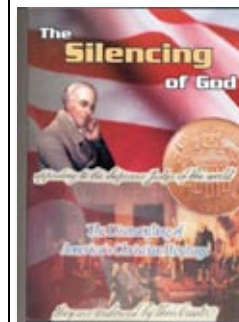
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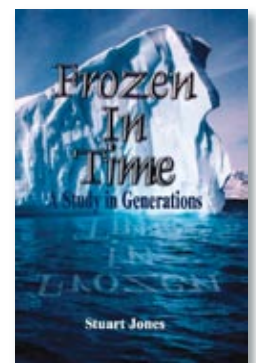
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2007-08 Sunset Faculty & Student Body



School Begins at Sunset!

Summer is over and school is back in full swing here in Lubbock on our Resident campus. We have 39 new student families in the school of preaching coming from 13 states and 4 foreign countries. These people came from Texas, California, New Jersey, Tennessee, Virginia, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Massachusetts, Illinois, Washington, New York, Nebraska, and North Carolina. The foreign students came from Estonia, France, Mexico and China. 59 new AIM students joined us from Louisiana, Texas, Ohio, Kansas, Florida, Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Oregon, California, Indiana, Virginia, Washington, Tennessee, Illinois, Arizona, Wisconsin, and Pennsylvania. We also have two AIM students from Brazil. Some interesting statistics about this AIM class - 4 are second generation AIM students, 3 are from families whose parents attended the school of preaching, and 13 are siblings of former AIM students. The entire resident student body this year numbers well over 200. We are thankful for this increase.



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