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Will you hear the Word of God preached this next Sunday?

This past summer I saw a sign in front of a church which said, "Services are Cancelled for the month of July, Enjoy your vacation with your family." Then I heard about another church that had a sign in the front yard which said, "We Have Gone Out Of Business Because We Did Not Know What Our Business Was." I am amazed at what is taking place and not taking place in so many churches

Almost every Sunday morning before I go to church, I will be in a hotel somewhere. Normally I will turn on the TV to listen to a sermon. Honestly, I am surprised at what I hear and don't hear. You don't hear much about putting faith in Christ. You don't hear much about you must be born again. You very seldom hear the Bible is the Word of God. You don't hear anything about if you don't know Jesus Christ that you will spend an eternity in hell.

But this is what you will hear: You will hear, How to Build Your Self-Esteem. You will hear How to Prosper. You will hear Ten Steps About How To Be A Better You. Can you imagine the dying thief on the cross looking to Jesus and saying, "Lord, remember me when You come in your Kingdom? What if Jesus had said to him, "Don't worry about that, you just enjoy your life the best you can now." That would not have been much help to him. But that is what many people are hearing week after week in many churches. I believe we are in the mess we are in, because in many churches the Word of God is not being preached.

I don't know about you, but when I go to church, I want to hear a God called preacher stand up and preach the Word of God!! There is a real need in the pulpits today for some old fashioned preaching of the Word of God. This is what Paul said in II Timothy 4:1-4

"I solemnly charge you before God and Christ Jesus, who is going to judge the living and the dead, and because of His appearing and His kingdom: Proclaim the message; persist in it whether convenient or not; rebuke, correct, and encourage with great patience and teaching. For the time will come when they will not tolerate sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, will multiply teachers for themselves because they have an itch to hear something new. They will turn away from hearing the truth and will turn aside to myths."

Just a few more days and we will be meeting in Nashville for "A Tribute To Evangelist Dr. Don Whitt. Dr. Steve Gaines, Pastor of Bellevue Baptist Church in Memphis, and his wife, Donna, will be the featured speakers. All the weekend will be at Judson Baptist Church in South Nashville, We will begin the weekend with a catered steak dinner at 6:15; followed by Dr. Gaines and Donna speaking to us all. After a good night's rest, we will be treated with a great hot breakfast at the hotel, followed by the morning session at Judson BC. This will be a time when Dr. Gaines speaks to the men and Donna speaks to the ladies and then we will all gather back together for the final session.

There will also be time to spend with Dr. Whitt and time for fellowship with friends and new acquaintances. Go to www.donwhitt.org and click on special events. You will notice that some times have changed to get more into the weekend. **REGISTER NOW-DON'T BE LEFT OUT!**

We will have all of Dr. Whitt's CD's at the event in Nashville and we will have a special bundle price. See me at the church for details.

March:

- 2-5 Harmony Baptist Church, Walnut, MS
- 9-12 Clear Springs Baptist Church, Corryton TN
- 16-19 Blue Springs Baptist Church. Rutledge TN
- 21-22 Tribute W/ Steve & Donna Gaines, Nashville TN
- 22 Wild Game Supper, Flatwoods Baptist, Flatwoods TN
- 23-26 Mt Pisgah Baptist Church, Bradford TN
- 30-2 French Broad Baptist Church, Jefferson City TN

April:

- 6-9 Woodland Hills Baptist Church Longview TX
- 13-16 North Lanier Baptist Church Cummings GA
- 27-30 Zion Baptist Church Brownsville TN

May:

- 3-4 Indian Trail BC East Campus Charlotte NC
- 11-14 Benton Station Baptist Church Benton TN
- 22 thru June 3 Mission trip to Ethiopia

I am Robert Cates. I will be helping you with the answers to any questions you have or any needs you may have while you are here for the weekend. I will have a name badge on that says, "Robert Cates, Your Servant", so I'll be easy to find. Please let me know if you have any needs.

Dr. Whitt will have his datebook with him at the Nashville event. He has a FEW dates open for this year and some dates open for next year. If you don't have him on your calendar for a Harvest Sunday, a Revival, a Special Sunday event or a Terrific Thursday, this would be a great time to speak to him and get on his calendar. See you in Nashville.