

For if the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle? 1 Cor. 14:8



Chapel Clarion

Nokesville Gospel Chapel



The Son of My Right Hand

The Bible Treasury: Volume 9

I have often thought that an interesting exposition remains to be written in which should be set forth and illustrated by the typical imagery of the book of Genesis the wonderful triumph of the Lord Jesus Christ that will be manifested when His people shall be willing (Ps. 110:3) in the day of His power. That triumph was virtually secured in the all-embracing triumphs of the cross. But Israel was not willing in that day of the Lord's weakness, though, stronger than men, it proved as is said of the gospel, to be the power of God unto salvation for Jew and Gentile that believe, and is so still.

Here in Genesis we have a vivid picture of what will be in the millennial day after the church has been translated to heaven. It is a wonderful prefigurement. Surely it is not for nothing that Joseph and Benjamin were full

brothers, being both of them Rachel's children as well as her only ones. Thus is the link between the ultimately coalescing constituents of the type made all the stronger. For Benjamin is no longer the "son of my sorrow," as he was pathetically named by his dying mother, sorrow abundantly realized in Joseph's story, but now at last he is linked with Joseph in the latter's typical character as God's chosen man, the man of His right hand. This "son of the right hand" is, as we know, the meaning of the name Benjamin. And it is interesting withal to notice the prophetic insight displayed by his father in thus naming him (see Gen. 35), a flash of that sustained God-given prescience which marked so wonderfully Jacob's dying charge to his sons. For none of the patriarchs had such a glorious exodus as he who had alas! been so crooked in his life, so crafty and so subtle.

Chapel Happenings

Meetings

Sunday - 9:15 a.m. Breaking of Bread 10:05 a.m. Refreshments
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 11:05 a.m. Family Bible Hour
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
Website – www.ngchapel.org

Speakers - “Precious holy Bible, treasure rich and rare, Word of God eternal, balm for every care;

God’s full revelation, of the sin of man, And of Christ’s redemption, and salvation’s plan.” (A. P. Gibbs)

September 7 - Roger September 14 - Nick September 21 - Micah September 28 - Clark

Manassas Rehab Ministry

“Why do I sing about Jesus? Why is He precious to me? He is my Lord and my Savior; Dying, He set me free!” (Ketchum) Please join us in presence and/or prayer on Saturday, September 13th at 2 p.m. as we sing and tell about God’s wonderful love.

Young Adult Meeting and Bible Study

In the will of the Lord, the young adults will be continuing their study of *The Indwelling Life of Christ* by W. Ian Thomas. When? September 5th and September 19th Questions? Please contact Micah.

We’re Back

Ladies’ Bible study resumes this month. We will meet September 15th at 1 pm. Note the new time and day for September. Our study is: “A woman who fears the Lord.” We will be exploring why we fear the Lord.

Ladies’ Retreat

Save the date! Our third annual Ladies’ retreat will be this October 18th at the chapel. Our speaker is Eleanor Wagner who several know from Greenwood Hills and Camp Iroquoia. We continue our tradition of craft time with Laura Wilbur.

Showers of Blessing

On Sunday, August 24, we had a wedding shower to honor Logan and Audra who will be married next month. The decorations were beautiful, the food was delicious, and the cake was lovely. Clark Groves read a blessing for them as they begin married life together. We all pray for a beautiful day for their wedding and for a great honeymoon trip to Mt. Ranier. The chapel family was able to give them our love and best wishes.

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Pray

Those with ongoing physical/medical problems:

George & Deepa, Jerry & Era, Bob and Cathy,
Beulah, Mr. Roy, Millie

Thomas family - Mrs. Mathai

Those seeking employment

Van der Hoek family

Wisdom for those caring for elderly parents

Recently engaged couples and weddings

Young married couples

Joe and family - traveling ministry

College students

Youth fellowship

Rehab (Manor) ministry

Missionaries

Our families

Unsaved friends and loved ones

Our elders

Our nation and its leaders

Christian camps (preparations,
finances, staff and attendees)

Bible Quiz

Name the person who said the following as their last recorded words:

1. Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. Lord, lay not this sin to their charge.
2. There they buried Abraham and Sarah; there they buried Isaac and Rebekah; there I buried Leah.
3. Draw thy sword, and thrust me through therewith; lest these uncircumcised come and thrust me through, and abuse me.
4. Mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before all people.
5. God will surely visit you, and ye shall carry up my bones from hence.
6. O Lord, remember me, I pray thee, and strengthen me, I pray thee, only this once, O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes.
7. Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom.
8. If thou see me when I am taken from thee, it shall me so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so.
9. Come to me, and I will give thy flesh unto the fowls of the air and to the beasts of the field.
10. Turn thine hand, and carry me out of the host, for I am wounded.

Answers: 1. Acts 7; 2. Gen. 49; 3. 1 Sam. 31; 4. Luke 2; 5. Gen. 50; 6. Judges 16;

7. Luke 23; 8. 2 Kings 2; 9. 1 Sam. 17; 10. 1 Kings 22

MISSIONARY PAGE

PRAY FOR GIL AND CAROLYN VARGAS IN SPAIN

Dear Saints,

Emmaus Work

Not only have we had multiple visits from family, but this spring required several trips as well. In the beginning of February, we took a trip to Barcelona to visit the Emmaus office that began there in early 2024. The brethren there are desirous of and working towards getting more students in the Barcelona area. One option is having an Emmaus section in a bookstore they are purchasing. They would appreciate prayer for this venture.

At the end of April, Gil traveled to Dubai for a conference for the language coordinators of Emmaus Worldwide. As of now he is the official Spanish language coordinator, which now also includes the United States. This requires that he prepare new courses as required (so far this year Matthew has been completed and two courses on Jonah and Joseph have been needed for conferences in Colombia); that he update old courses to prepare for new printing; and that he provide files for other countries which do their own printing.

Then in July, both of us traveled to Peru to visit with a Peruvian couple. Dennis met with us as a grad student getting a masters in labor law here at the University of Salamanca in 2021. Gil has continued to do biblical studies with him since then. After spending three days together, Gil took Dennis to Colombia to the Spanish Emmaus conference while Carolyn stayed in Lima with his wife, Santos. This couple ministers to the churches in the jungles in the north of Peru, regularly collecting clothing and medicine to take to those in need; as well as providing housing for those who need medical attention in Lima. They also assist the leadership in practical ways: counseling, teaching, providing materials, etc. Santos and Carolyn spent their five days running around picking up items and buying medicines to send with Dennis to the jungle the following week.

Prison Ministry

Going into the prison twice a week has been a blessing. The inmate responsible for helping procure the second day is now free and meeting with us. J was baptized on July 6th and his aunt and 9-year-old daughter were in attendance. Pray for the salvation of the whole family and for J's steadfastness in walking with the Lord.

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Praise the Lord for the continued advancement of the courses in the Argentinian school system. We have also found them useful for the men in prison whose reading and attention levels are below average. Having pictures and requiring immediate responses to questions is helpful.

Lovingly in Christ,
Gil and Carolyn Vargas