

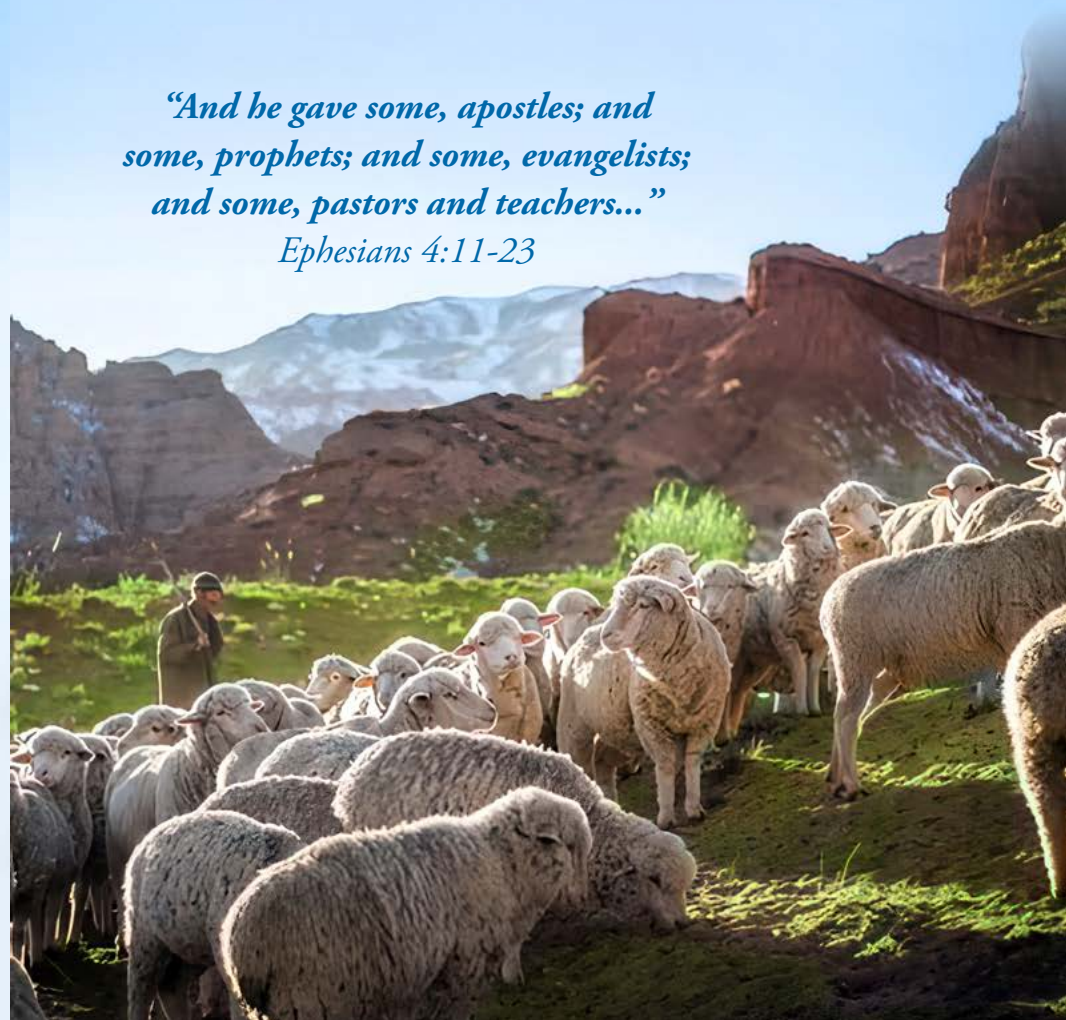
11 And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and
some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers;
12 For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry,
for the edifying of the body of Christ:
13 Till we all come in the unity of the faith,
and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man,
unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ:
14 That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro,
and carried about with every wind of doctrine,
by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness,
whereby they lie in wait to deceive;
15 But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him
in all things, which is the head, even Christ:
16 From whom the whole body fitly joined together and
compacted by that which every joint supplieth,
according to the effectual working in the measure of every part,
maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.
17 This I say therefore, and testify in the Lord,
that ye henceforth walk not as other Gentiles walk,
in the vanity of their mind,
18 Having the understanding darkened, being alienated
from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them,
because of the blindness of their heart:
19 Who being past feeling have given themselves over
unto lasciviousness, to work all uncleanness with greediness.
20 But ye have not so learned Christ;
21 If so be that ye have heard him, and have been
taught by him, as the truth is in Jesus:
22 That ye put off concerning the former conversation
the old man, which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts;
23 And be renewed in the spirit of your mind;
Ephesians 4:11-23

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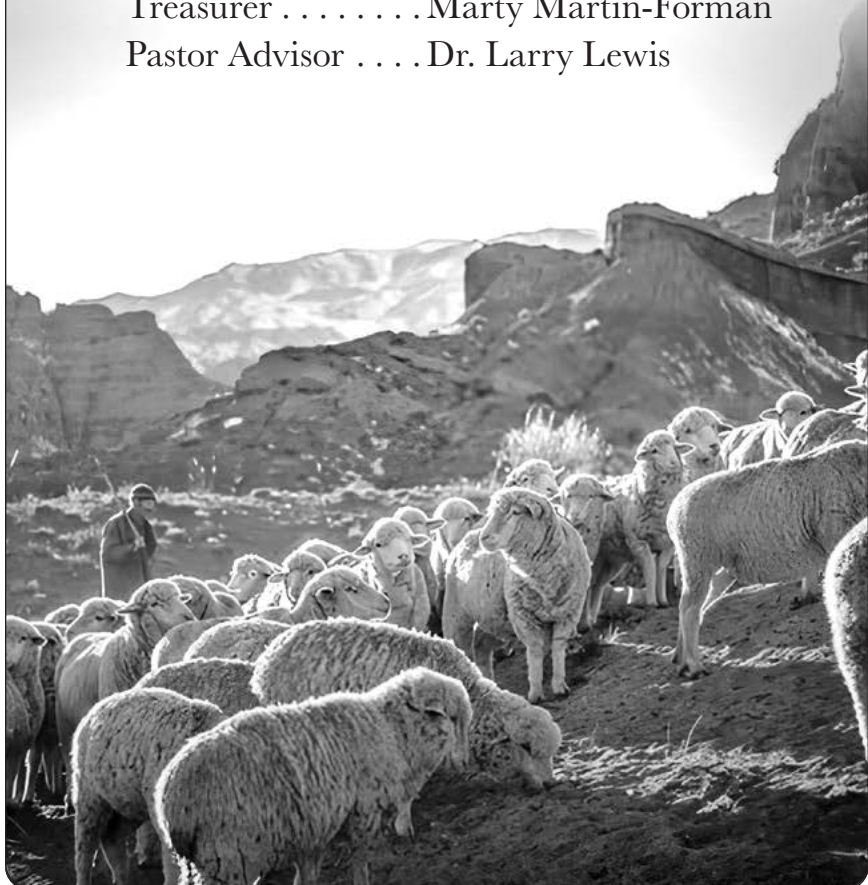
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Ephesians 4:11-23



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*"...and He called some
to be evangelists..."
(Ephesians 4:11)*

God's gifts to the church were apostles and prophets, evangelists and pastor-teachers. It just may be that the missing link for our churches is not using evangelists for the work of teaching and training in the equipping and edifying (building up) the saints for the work of the ministry (read Ephesians 4:11-12). It is to be a team effort with these four gifts. V. 13 reads, "Till we all come to the unity of the faith and the knowledge of the Son of God, to the perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ." Evangelists are important to the church just as the other gifts from God are essential; the word of God which we received from the Apostles and Prophets as well as Pastor-teachers.

Communicate with one of our evangelists. We believe they will be a good asset to your church and that evangelism and the great commission will be advanced greatly with them. Use this directory to find God's evangelist to help equip and edify your saints, to become the very bride of Christ.

Larry Atkins

President, Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists

The Prayer and Evangelism Team Leader is always happy to recommend our vocational evangelists and musicians. These ministers are committed to Christ and believe in church-centered evangelism. You are encouraged to contact them to serve with you.

They are available for : Winter Bible Study and other conferences, Sou Winning Commitment Sunday, revivals (week, weekend, one day), witness training, Associational Evangelism Conferences, retreats, concerts, area-wide crusades and other related projects in evangelism.

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A Word from the Pastor Advisor of the Missouri Baptist Evangelists



It is a privilege and honor to serve as Pastor Advisor to Missouri evangelists. I do now, and have always believed in the special calling of God on men and women serving in this role. As a pastor I always, with very few exceptions, used professional God-called and God-anointed evangelist to lead our churches in at least two and sometimes three revivals every year. This is one reason, and an important one, why those churches nearly always led our association and often our state convention in baptisms and growth.

I believe every church, no matter how large or small, will profit from using full-time evangelists. I also believe God has gifted evangelists willing to go to any church that will invite them. I urge you to do so and I believe you will be greatly blessed!

Larry Lewis, Director of Missions,
Mid Missouri Baptist Association
Pastor Advisor for the Missouri
Baptist Evangelists Association
573-445-0307



Ron Adrian

*Touching People with
the Love of Christ*

Types of Ministry:
Missionary Evangelist

215 Sackett Brand Rd.
Clever, MO 65631

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Spouse: Barbara

Home Church: Chestnutridge Baptist Church, Spokane, MO



"Ron has been a faithful pastor with one of the greatest passions and gifts in evangelism that I have ever seen. He shares Christ anywhere and everywhere. He is tireless in his pursuit of ministering to people in all situations, desiring for them to know and grow in Christ. It has not been unusual for him to visit 30-40 homes on a given day to touch base with his flock.

He has recently moved to the Springfield area. Though "retiring" to this area, everyone here knows that retirement is not in his DNA. He is looking for fresh opportunities to serve the savior as a pastor, interim preacher & evangelist. He will faithfully and capably fill any of these opportunities. Any church will be blessed to have Bro. Ron and his wife Barbara, serve with them. He is also a great encourager to the DOM and Association. I heartily recommend him to you."

Mike Manning, Director of Missions
Linn-Livingston Baptist Association



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Roger Alford

New Faith Ministries

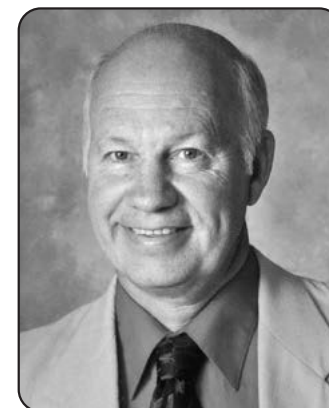
Types of Ministry:
Preaching, Revivals, Conferences,
Soul Winning Clinics,
Bi-lingual-English & Spanish

126 Lamplighter Way
O'Fallon, MO 63368-7323

Phone: 620-285-1102

E-mail: rgralford@yahoo.com

Website: www.newfaithministries.net



Spouse: Elaine

Home Church: Fellowship Baptist Church, Warrenton, MO

"I have known Roger and his family since 1972. We first met at the outset of my second year in graduate school (Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary). Along with living next door to them in a seminary-provided duplex, I was also in one or more classes with Roger.

At numerous times over the years, and in every church I have served, Roger was invited to be the main speaker. And whether it was Sunday worship, as a conference leader, revivalist, or as the evangelist on a mission trip to Mexico, he has always been one of the most Spirit-anointed speakers God has used in those settings. I heartily endorse him without any reservations!

I would also add that there have been times when God's Spirit has used Roger to give me "a word in due season" that had some bearing on my need to know God's will for my life. Indeed, he and his wife Elaine are, to me and my family, "friends for the journey." If you should have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me."

Dr. Dave Martin, Transitional Pastor-Ridgecrest Baptist Church
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Larry Atkins

Preaching & Music

Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Worship Leadership,
Evangelism Training, Bible Studies,
Youth Events

P.O. Box 98

Laquey, MO 65534

Phone: 573-433-6074

E-mail: atkins2000@gmail.com

Spouse: Jane Ann

Home Church: Buckhorn First Baptist Church, Fort Leonard
Wood, MO

"I recommend Bro. Atkins as very gifted and talented in preaching, teaching and is also very talented in music and singing. He has been a blessing to me and our church. He would be a blessing to any size church."

Lanny Witt, Pastor, Oak Grove Baptist Church
– Lebanon, MO



Jarel Burnside

Types of Ministry:

Singing & Preaching

13121 County Lane 268

Webb City, MO 64870

Phone: 417-846-7683

E-mail: jburnside@joplin.com

Spouse: Margaret

Home Church: Swars Prairie Baptist, Seneca, MO

"I worked alongside Jarel Burnside for years before I realized he was a preacher. He's such a fine singer that's all he did in the meetings we did together. Then I got to hear him preach and discovered he was as good a gospel preacher as he was a gospel singer. I've never heard him deliver a bad message. Or sing a bad tune. He's a fine evangelist and a commendable minister of Jesus Christ."

Jimmy Harriss,
Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelists



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Clyde Chiles

*Turning Point Evangelistic
Association*

Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Crusades,
Conferences

5696 S. Waterfront Dr. South
Columbia, MO 65202

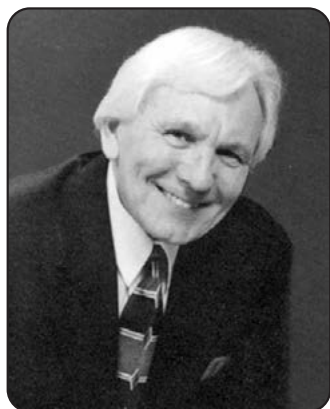
Cell: 573-825-6732

Home Church: Calvary Heritage Baptist Church, Columbia, MO

"I've had the privilege to observe Evangelist Clyde Chiles' joy for Jesus, and passion for getting the Gospel to lost souls first hand. He serves as our Associate Pastor at Calvary Heritage Baptist Church. When he's not doing a conference, crusade, or revival meeting, we put him to work sharing the Gospel within our church family. He also leads our church family in door-to-door ministry to share Jesus!"

"Not only can he preach without notes ... he's an excellent orator of Scripture! He shares Jesus better than any pastor or evangelist I know. Pastor Clyde lights up a room with his outgoing demeanor. He will be a blessing to your church, and to people of all age groups. I am happy to recommend him to your ministry, as well as to ask you to pray for him as he follows the Lord's leading."

Rev. Ted D Middleton
Senior Pastor, Calvary Heritage Baptist Church



Jim Collins

Types of Ministry:

Music and Preaching,
Available for revivals, Bible
conferences and pulpit supply

433 N. Kyle
Republic, MO 64738

Cell: 417-224-4041

E-mail: jnllcollins@att.net

Home Church: Chestnutridge Baptist Church, Spokane, MO

"Jim Collins has been a Baptist pastor and missionary evangelist for 50 years and has pastored several churches in Missouri. He is also the former mayor of the fast-growing city of Republic, MO. He was raised in a musical family and has a tremendous baritone voice and is very accomplished in both music and preaching."

Ron Adrian
Pastor and Evangelist



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Danny Decker

Room at the Cross Ministries

Types of Ministry:

Missionary Evangelist

218 West Warren Ave
Ozark, Mo. 65721

Cell: 417-920-9050

E-mail: midnightmagic1950@gmail.com

Spouse: Christine

Years In Ministry: 57 **Years in Evangelism:** 11

Home Church: Pomme de Terre SBC, Pittsburg, MO



"I have known Danny since 1971. He is an active member of our church. He and I have prayed about his call to be an evangelist. He is dedicated to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. He has shared the Word of God faithfully and has a passion for seeing the lost come to know Jesus as Savior. He has been a blessing to our church and will be an asset to the Evangelist Fellowship."

Eric Lawrence, Pastor, Pomme de Terre SBC
– Pittsburg, MO

"I have known Bro. Decker for several years as have many of you. I have seen his dedication to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and his passion for the lost. As both a Pastor and an evangelist – he has preached the Word of God faithfully and ably, and has demonstrated a heartfelt concern for the lost. Truly, Bro. Decker will be both an asset and a blessing for our organization."

James Ogan
Fellow pastor and friend



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Types of Ministry since 1976:

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Retired Pastor of 38 years, Retired Director of Missions 5 years. And proud of their 5 great-grandchildren! **NOT TIRED** and ready for **"GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES"**.

Phone: 417-926-5612 (hm.) **Cell:** Gene 417-926-2876 / Diana 417-547-3357

Gene E-mail: revgenee@gmail.com / **Diana E-mail:** dising4god@gmail.com

Facebook: Diana Rose Edwards

Home Church: First Baptist Church, Mountain Grove, MO

"Get ready to be blessed. Gene and Diana Edwards are now available full-time to help minister to you and your congregation. Gene and Diana are a dynamic ministry duo. I have worked with Diana in a revival, and have known of Gene's work among Missouri Baptists for many years. They are both the real deal. They are beginning a new phase in their ministry. They can now do preaching, teaching, and music as a team for revivals, plus lead marriage conferences, and Sportsmen's programs for hunters and fishers. Yes, they both love to hunt and fish; they know the sports, and know how to minister to people who have a passion for the outdoors. You would be hard pressed to find a ministry Gene and Diana could not help you with -- they can bless seniors, singles, and young adults. They are skilled in divorce care, and in talking about purity to teens. Patriotic services, motivational rallies, comedy nights -- you name it, they can do it. Best of all. Gene and Diana have a squeaky clean reputation. In these troubled times, that is a priceless commodity. Diana still does concerts, leads Women's Conferences and a variety of Women's Ministries. I urge you to use Gene and Diana. You won't regret doing so."

Dr. John 3:16 Marshall, Pastor (Retired), Second Baptist Church
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Norman & Marty Forman

Forman Ministries

Types of Ministry:

Southern Gospel Music Concerts, Preaching, Pulpit Supply, Revival Music and Programs for Special Occasions, Drama and Object Lessons for All Ages, Conferences/Retreats for Men, Women or Couples. Above all, Evangelism!

4202 County Road 109
Fulton, MO 65251

Cell: 573-826-7016

E-Mail: pastornorm1957@yahoo.com
marty44martin@gmail.com

Web Site: www.formanministries.com

Facebook: Forman Ministries

Home Church: Ebenezer Baptist Church, Fulton, MO

"It is my distinct honor to recommend Norman and Marty Forman as "the total package" of doctrinally sound preaching and singing evangelists. The singing talent and style of The Formans are exceptional; they are comfortable and light-hearted with groups large and small. They can sing alongside any southern gospel group in the country. Norman and Marty are passionate about the sharing of the gospel through music as Norman currently serves as president of the Midwest Southern Gospel Music Association.

Norman hails from a family of Southern Baptist pastors. He has a Pastor's heart and supply preaches at every opportunity. His preaching style is energetic and filled with visual illustrations to keep the congregation engaged. As our chairman of Deacons in 2020, he had the amazing foresight to lead our church through the turbulent year of social distancing and limited ability to gather, so that we not only survived but thrived. The Formans were instrumental in immediately securing our ability to transmit through FM radio and led worship during the three months of parking lot church which gave our church opportunity to thrive when other churches were struggling. Norman and Marty will definitely be a blessing wherever God sends them."

Rev. Mike Hibbard, Pastor, Ebenezer Baptist Church
– Fulton, MO



Ronald Gray

Types of Ministry:

Pulpit Supply, Revivals,
Evangelistic Service

241 Rivers Edge Lane
Anderson, MO 64831

Cell: 417-669-8915

Phone: 417-354-4174

E-Mail: rgray1@diamondwildcats.org

Spouse: Maxine

Home Church: Elk River Baptist Church

"It is with great joy that I recommend Brother Ron Gray. I was his pastor for over five years and you could feel his love and desire to serve God. I was his pastor when he answered God's call to preach and I highly recommend him for revivals, conferences, and/or supplies. Brother Ron is a true evangelist."

Jarel Burnside
Fellowship of Missouri Evangelists



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L. Scott Hamby

Evangelist

Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Revivals, Renewal
Weekends,
Training

935 S Paint Lane
Carthage, MO 64836

Phone: 417-880-0494

E-Mail: scotthambyevangelism@gmail.com

Home Church: Open Door Baptist

"It is my privilege to recommend Scott Hamby as an evangelist to preach in your church. Scott served as a vocational evangelist for several years. He also has been a pastor. The Lord is calling him back into full time evangelism. Scott recently became a member of the Fellowship of Missouri Baptist Evangelist.

I have heard him preach. He is well studied and preaches with conviction. He has a heart to reach the lost. Scott also has a burden to see the church revived. He loves pastors and will be a great encouragement to those who would have him come and lead in revival services.

If you are planning on having a revival service, bible conference, men's conference, or witness training I recommend you invite Scott Hamby. He will be a blessing to you and your church."

**Michael Quinn, Director of Freeway Ministries
and Staff Evangelist
Concord Baptist Church, Jefferson City, MO**

"Scott Hamby is a passionate evangelist with a burden for souls and church revitalization. He possesses a strong understanding of God's Word and preaches with both depth and clarity. His ministry focuses on bold evangelism, intentional discipleship, and strengthening the local church. Scott's heart is to come alongside pastors and congregations to see lives transformed and churches renewed through revival, renewal weekends, or community evangelistic efforts. Scott comes ready to see God move in fresh ways."

**Scott Watson, Senior Pastor
River Bluff Fellowship, Ozark MO**



Jimmy Harriss

Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Teaching, Singing

808 E. Diane St.
Ozark, MO 65721

Cell: 417-839-5265

E-Mail: james.harriss@yahoo.com

Spouse: Velda

Home Church: Victory Baptist Church, Ozark, MO

"I am pleased to recommend Jimmy Harriss to your church as an evangelist. His life experience makes him uniquely qualified. Jimmy is an active member of the Victory Baptist Church of Ozark, MO He has a heartfelt burden for lost people. I have always found him to be sound in doctrine, and his love for the Lord is without question. He has a sincere desire to serve the Lord and the church through his ministry. You will find him a willing vessel of God's grace. I believe you will see God work in your church through his singing and preaching."

**Bob Long, Pastor, Victory Baptist Church
– Ozark, MO**



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Ron & Haven Howard

Ron & Haven



Types of Ministry:

Music, Preaching (Concerts, Revivals); available for weekend concerts, revivals & supply preaching

301 Willowbrooke
Branson, MO 65616

Ron's Cell: 417-263-0424

Haven's Cell: 417-263-0425

E-Mail: ronhoward640@gmail.com
havenhoward01@gmail.com

Web Site: www.ronandhaven.com

Home Church: First Baptist Church, Branson

"Ron & Haven's musical abilities are incredible. Their vocal blend is great, and their choice of music is always uplifting. Each time that they share in music, they help bring the congregation to the throne of God."

Jeff Wilcox, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church
– Branson, MO



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Bruce Kugler



Types of Ministry:

Preaching, Conferences on prayer,
Balanced training on spiritual warfare

P.O. Box 315
Cameron, MO 64429

Phone: 217-891-8145

E-Mail: bruce.kugler@bkuglerministries.org

Spouse: Marjorie

Home Church: River of Life Baptist Church, Cameron, MO

Bruce has found that holding one-day Sunday morning evangelistic events are fruitful and appreciated by churches that do not regularly hold revivals. He is widely known for his message, "God's Courtroom," which presents the Gospel from a legal perspective. Bruce also teaches on spiritual warfare in a biblically based balanced manner and leads half-day conferences. He has assisted Dr. Ron Herrod, former First Vice President of SBC, to train future pastors in India on spiritual warfare.

Bruce was formerly a Trial Lawyer with the United States Department of Justice and an Attorney with the Illinois State Police. He has written several books including: "2 x 4 Prayer Method – A Simple Way to Pray Five Minutes a Day," "Next Steps – After You Accept God's Offer of a Pardon," "Sinventory – A Sin Guide for the Believer," and "Warfare in the Spiritual Realms – Recognizing and resisting the work of the enemy in your life."

"Bruce's 'God's Courtroom' message is a unique, scripture-based presentation for the non-Christian and Christian alike. His major interest, first and foremost, is presenting Christ to the lost and strengthening the believer. Whether it is 'God's Courtroom,' spiritual warfare training or any other endeavor, Bruce's heart burns with the zeal of an evangelist sharing the Good News of Jesus!"

Paul Temple, Director of Missions
Heartland Baptist Association



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James H. Ogan

Ogan Ministries



Types of Ministry:

Preaching Evangelist,
Gospel Music Specials

20292 Osage Lane
Shell Knob, MO 65747

Phone: 417-858-6566

Cell: 417-399-5851

E-Mail: ogan-min@mo-net.com

Spouse: Suzy

Home Church: FBC, Shell Knob, MO

"I have had the honor of being Brother James Ogan's pastor for 16 years. I have known Brother James Ogan for over 17 years and he is a true Man of God. James has been a member of First Baptist Church of Shell Knob, Missouri for over 22 years, where he is actively involved in teaching and filling the pulpit when time allows him.

Brother James Ogan has a burden for evangelism for lost souls. Not only does he preach the Word, he also has a singing voice that will calm the soul. It is an honor to recommend Brother James Ogan to your church."

Bob Gaddis, Pastor, 1st Baptist Church
– Shell Knob, MO



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Michael Quinn

Revivals



Types of Ministry:

Revivals, Conferences

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Jefferson City, MO 65109

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E-Mail: mquinn@concordjc.org

Spouse: Becky

Home Church: Concord Baptist Church, Jefferson City, MO

"It is with joy that I recommend Michael Quinn for membership in your Association. Mike has pastored in Missouri and Kansas across the years. And has led the churches he pastored to be warm-hearted, soul-winning churches. He is well known in our state. Mike is presently serving as Staff Evangelist at Concord Baptist Church. We commend his ministry and recommend him to churches for revivals and evangelistic activities. He and his wife, Becky, are doing a wonderful job in their positions of leadership. God bless you for your faithfulness in seeing souls come to Christ."

Dr. Monte Shinkle, Senior Pastor, Concord Baptist Church
– Jefferson City, MO



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Guy Thomas

Have Sermon Will Travel

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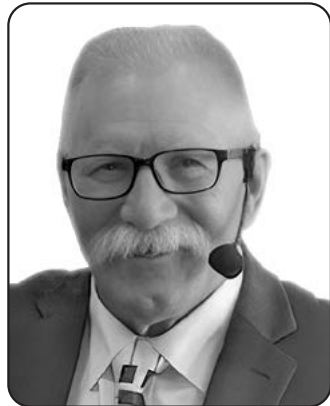
E-Mail: guy.thomas5@icloud.com

Website: havesermonwilltravel.com

Home Church: Southside Baptist, Fulton, MO 65251

“When I think of a Soul-Winning Evangelist, Guy Thomas is the first name that comes to mind. I had the privilege to serve under Pastor Guy for 8 years, and during that time, I learned more from him than the Seminary can ever teach. Guy has the heart of an Evangelist and truly wants to see lost people come to know Jesus. He is faithful in his preaching of the Word and is equally faithful in sharing his faith with others. It is a privilege to have known and served with Brother Guy, and it is a great privilege to recommend Him to your church. I have no doubts that if you have him at your church, you will be greatly blessed.”

Tyler Murphy, Senior Pastor, Southside Baptist Church
– Fulton, MO



Some things to consider...

Why have an itinerant evangelist?

The New Testament gives us the first century church's endorsement and precedent for the ministry of itinerant evangelism (Ephesians 4:11-16). The evangelist himself testifies to God's call on his life to do the work of an evangelist. An evangelist's experience and expertise gained through many revivals in different situations can be of great help and value to a church.

What benefit can an evangelist offer?

Most evangelists have materials available to help your church prepare for a revival. Ask them if they have promotional media and preparation packets.

How do I schedule an evangelist?

Every aspect of the revival should be discussed during the initial contact in an open and up front manner. Discuss the dates you wish to book, travel arrangements, meals, housing, and financial policies. The best way to avoid a misunderstanding is to have a clear understanding from the beginning.





Can our church afford an evangelist?

Most evangelists will come on a love offering basis. This should consist of offering people an opportunity to give in each service throughout the week.

It is very helpful to the evangelist if the Pastor will include the following facts before the offering is collected:

- Most evangelists do not receive allowances and benefits that are normally part of a church staff member's salary package. They do not receive housing, utilities, health or hospital insurance, a retirement program, or travel expenses.
- Most evangelists support their families through love offerings.
- Most evangelists are only in 20-30 meetings a year.

The love offering is an expression of love given from the people to the evangelist. It should not be used to pay for revival expenses, publicity and preparation, fellowship meals, lodging, or meals for the evangelist. If the church has more than one evangelist for the week, make sure both parties have a clear understanding at the time of the initial contact, how the love offering is to be divided.

If your church has a specific financial policy other than a love offering basis, be sure to explain all details during the initial contact with the evangelist.



Notes



