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David Bolduc

Jesus is the Sanctuary

Are your sins forgiven? Do you carry a heavy burden of past wrongs? Do you feel like God does not hear your prayers? God has given us a visual image of the plan of salvation in the Sanctuary. We see there that He longs not only to forgive us but to take away our burdens and welcome us into His Holy Presence.

Our last newsletter reviewed the three historical artifacts in the Ark of the Covenant (Three Angel's Messages in the Most Holy Place). Each item tells a story of God's unfathomable love and mercy. Moses demonstrated how Christ interceded on behalf of His people. When they repented, God forgave them. Each artifact has a redemptive message.

The Tabernacle

Ark of the Golden	Covenant Censer
Golden Lampstand	Table of Shewbread
The	Laver
Altar of	Burnt Offering

Hebrews 9:4 lists the three items from the Ark and adds a Golden Censer. The High Priest used it to burn incense while he was in the Most Holy Place. Hebrews explains that Jesus became the great High Priest when He returned to heaven after the Cross **Heb. 4:14**. Jesus now ministers in the Most Holy Place at the right hand of the Majesty of Heaven, God our Father **Dan. 8:14 & Heb. 8:1**.

God longs that we may be at peace with Him, daily coming into His presence. Sin prevents this; God constructed a way to remove sin from sinners and reinstate them as His sons and daughters through the sacrifice of His Son. He put this plan in place before there was sin.

Christ began His work for the salvation of man with a great sacrifice. He clothed His Divinity with humanity, which He retains forever. He lived on earth as a Man and lives still in heaven as a Man. He entered His ministry at His baptism. He was led into the wilderness by the Holy Spirit for 40 days and nights to be tempted by the devil.

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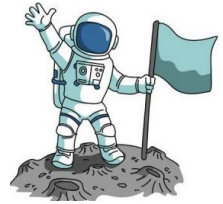
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President's Perspective "Can You Hear the Waves?"

The Lord has called us as believers to move forward in faith. To be a believer, we need to believe in something, even though we may not have seen it with our own eyes.

We cannot see the radio signal emanating from our radio antennas, but we see the effect as we tune in to the radio signal as it extends away from the radio tower. We trust that the signal will be there, even when we cannot see the radio tower. Like an unseen beacon, we can tune our radios to the proper frequency and hear the message we want to hear. Whether it is an AM or an FM station, or even WIFI or cellular, we are surprised when we cannot receive the radio signal because we assume it will be there.

I recently read a story from a newspaper published in 1969 about a ham radio operator who doubted whether NASA would actually carry the "real" conversations of the astronauts while they were on the moon. So after a lot of research, he modified some surplus radio



gear from World War II and built an antenna to tune in to the frequency of the backpack transmitters both of the astronauts would be using as they walked around on the moon.



To his delight, he was able to hear the entire conversation of both astronauts of Apollo 11 as they walked around on the moon. But his joy was short-lived when he realized he was hearing everything that the national TV networks were airing, except he had heard it 5 seconds earlier. His wife had turned up the TV in the living room as he and a newspaper reporter adjusted the radio and tracked the moon with his antenna. You can read more detail about that story at the following website -

<http://www2.arrl.org/eavesdropping-on-apollo-11>.

Even though we are daily sending out invisible radio energy, we see the effect in the lives of the people who tune in and support Strong Tower Radio (STR). The gospel message is very simple, God loves us and wants us to share eternity with Him if we will only listen.

Tune in to Him. He has a message for you!



Listeners are saying...



I love Strong Tower Radio & listen to it all the time.
Keep up the "Good" work and God Bless you all!

Manistee

God bless all the staff of STR to guide & protect them whenever they go to preach the gospel to the people, that they will turn their hearts to our loving Savior. We are always happy to receive the newsletter every month to read the testimonies. We pray always to our loving Savior for the message given and may God bless them all to guide and protect whenever they go! **Tustin**

God bless you all. Your radio station is a lifesaver. **Midland**

Thank you for the wonderful vespers service. David your message on the Sanctuary was very good! I learned some new things & was inspired to praise God more. Thank you ALL for the ministry.

Anonymous



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Father's
Day*



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for being my Dad!
I love you
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Current Events



Are you thinking about camp meeting?
Strong Tower Radio is!! We'll be airing at least two
camp meetings this year.

The 3ABN "Focus on God" Summer Camp Meeting, May 31st -
June 4th, 8 and 9 pm evening meetings and Sabbath, June 4th
Divine worship morning service at 10 am.

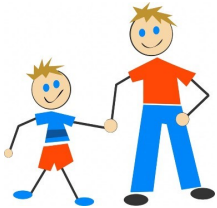
The Michigan Conference camp meeting, "Knowing the
Time" (June 10th-18th), will be time-delayed & aired nightly at
9 pm; plus both Sabbaths, June 11th and 18th, we will join
the Divine worship service already in progress at 11 am.



Our staff will be there all week to speak with you. The STR
booth will have an electronic banner display showing pictures
and information on the multiple aspects of our ministry. We will be
honoring fathers again and have multiple drawings this year too!!

An STR Variety-Hour program is scheduled on June 4th, 6:30
pm at the 13th Street Seventh-day Adventist Church in Cadillac,
MI, plus three more throughout Michigan this year!

Fathers are very important to Strong Tower Radio. Besides our
camp meeting acknowledgment, we will be airing the
complete podcast collection of the "Blueprint for Men."
It will be assigned a regular timeslot in July. We are
also working on our first-ever Father's Day Special for
June 19th.



Our Advisory Committee meets two times yearly to
give us recommendations and ideas. We appreciate our Advisory
Committee members' time & input!



Jesus is the Sanctuary (Continued from page 1)

However, his faithfulness to the Father demonstrated Christ's commitment to restoring humankind to His Father.

Through the Sanctuary, we follow Christ's footsteps. He draws us into the presence of our Heavenly Father, where He gives us the willingness to set aside Satan's tactics which separate us from Christ. Is there a sin in us that stands in the way of following Christ? We must willingly let our Master Healer cut it out. Whatever keeps us from following Jesus, even if it's not a sin, must be left at the Altar of Burnt Offering, just inside the Temple Courtyard. God will not take away anything that is for our good to keep, but we cannot cling to idols in His presence.

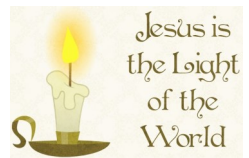


Sin leaves stains, so we must be cleansed. Just as Jesus was baptized, we must be washed in the bronze Laver. Imagine the relief of allowing Christ to drown all of the sin-burdens in our lives! He then walks by our side all the way.



When Jesus suffered intense pangs of hunger in the wilderness, the enemy tempted Him. Christ overcame him by submitting to the Word of God, and we may gain the victory only by submission, through the merits of Christ's blood, and by the power of His life. Christ knows that we may have to fast and pray, but He will provide us with all the help we need. Thus we may be fully consecrated, like the priests of old.

Now we may follow Jesus into the Holy Place. Here we see Christ as the Light of the world, symbolized in the Lampstand. "Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path" **Ps. 119:105**.

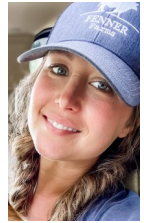


Christ is also symbolized as "The Bread of Life" **John 6:35**. The Lampstand and the Table of Shewbread work together like two arms. "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God" **Matt. 4:4**.

Christ's righteous intercession ascends daily like a sweet fragrance, just as the incense burnt on the Altar of Incense. Until the death of Christ, a veil closed the way into the Most Holy Place, but it was torn in two when Christ's death made a way into the presence of our heavenly Father **Matt. 27:51**.

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To The Mom Who Survived It All My Unsung Hero



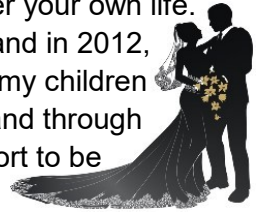
Devon Marie Fenner



December 30th, 1989, was when I started a journey with a mother who would someday defy all the odds! As a child, I came to respect and love you as a mother rooted in Christ. You were my protector, supporter, and guide, and you were never hesitant to redirect me when I needed it, even if the process was difficult for you. But, above all, you made sure I knew you believed in my potential and value.

As years passed, I watched you welcome more than 100 children into our home to live with our family. While raising five children of your own, you loved them with the same Christ-like love you showed us. You were a homeschool teacher, business owner, manager, and faithful wife. I watched as you became a prayer warrior through many of life's trials and little did you know, your example would one day have a powerful return over your own life.

In 2010, you stood by me on my wedding day, and in 2012, 2013, and 2016, you held my hand as I welcomed my children into the world. You have become my best friend, and through these milestones in my life, I made a concerted effort to be more like you!



Fast-forward to Wednesday, January 26th, 2022, one of the worst days of my life. The phone rang, it was terrible news. A horrible accident had happened. My sister and little nephew were going to be okay. As for you and 6-year-old Nora, no one knew. I was told to head for the hospital if I wanted to see you again. Nora was stabilized, and after what seemed like an eternity of hours, Dad called. "Mom coded on the table, and they are doing everything they can. They're telling me she has a less than 1% chance of survival. Pray girls... pray." Later we learned you suffered a broken clavicle, scapula, humerus, and several transverse processes in your back. Both of your lungs had collapsed, and your ribs were shattered on both sides, along with a lacerated liver. But the most crucial was the tear in your aorta.



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To My Mom... (Continued from page 6)

Over the next several days, we prepared ourselves for any outcome. First, we prayed for miracles over your three major surgeries while asking for God's will. Then, one week later, with little change, we had you anointed. This signified a crucial turning point in your recovery. The morning after the anointing, you woke up! From the moment your eyes opened, it was clear you wanted to fight to live. Another week later, we were confident we would not only have a living mom but the same sound woman we all loved, respected, and had prayed for since that terrible day. Doctors estimated a five-week stay at the hospital, then a transfer to Mary Free Bed Rehab for six weeks of therapy and pain management. But you and God had other plans!



Only four weeks after the accident, you returned home to heal alongside the support of family and friends. Although you still fight a daily battle to overcome trials, your strength and bravery are an encouragement to everyone around you.

I will forever be grateful to have the honor of being called your daughter. I count it an incredible blessing to have my mom still present as an amazing example of perseverance and love in my life today. With the most sincere gratitude and awe, I continue to testify of God's fulfilled faithfulness through His presence in your life and mine. He who had started a good work in you was not quite finished writing your story yet. Your journey is nothing short of amazing.



With God, you beat the odds, mom. You are my unsung hero, the mom who survived. You refused to let anyone or anything stop you from living for Jesus today and every day. You are the definition of the word miracle. I love you and am so proud of you.



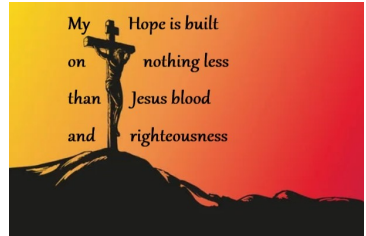
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I once saw a poster stating, "FAILURE – when your best isn't good enough." It troubled me until I realized that this is the reality for each of us. Even if we lived a perfect life from now on, we could not erase wrongs done in the past! Only Christ's blood can cover our sins of the past, and only His life (manna) can empower a new life in us going forward. That is the beauty of Jesus! First, He has paid for all of our sins. *ALL* of them! Then He imparts His life so we can walk forward in obedience!

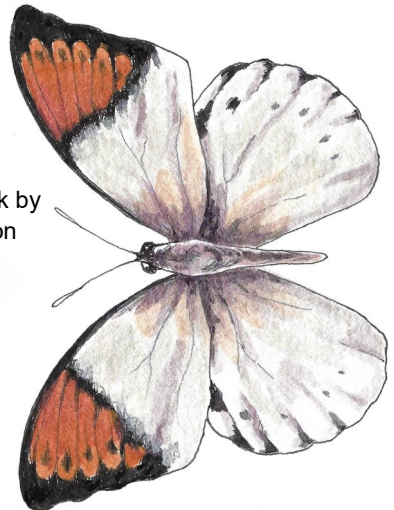
1 John 1:9.

God is merciful and compassionate. No matter what we have done, He longs to be reconciled with us. He has paid abundantly to forgive all our sins. But like the perfect gentleman that He is, He waits for our willingness to be changed.

Christ is the key to the Sanctuary. The Cross is clearly seen in the Sanctuary, from the Altar of Burnt Offering to the Altar of Incense, with arms extending from the Lampstand over to the Table of Shewbread. The Cross points us to the Most Holy Place, where our Heavenly Father waits for us to come to Him in prayer through the merits of Christ's life. God longs for us to come to Him daily, lifting our burdens and our praises to Him. He longs most of all, for us to listen willingly to His voice as we come to Him in prayer. The Sanctuary points to one focus; **GOD IS LOVE! Ps. 51:2, 1 John 1:9.**



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Kam Ferguson

Changed Lives Testimony

Sidney Peterson

Sidney attended church as a young girl with her family, but by the time she was a teen that had stopped.

As a result, Sidney, as a teen, had little Bible understanding. Sidney's sister Emily, who is three years her elder, introduced a classmate named Ryan to Sidney, and their friendship steadily developed from that point. Sidney would go to church with Ryan and his family, and she enjoyed the experience through high school and even college.

Shortly after Ryan graduated college, Sidney noticed that he began tuning the car radio to Strong Tower Radio whenever they would drive somewhere, such as dinner or another commuter event. He would also use the STR broadcast to start conversations on a Bible topic, asking her questions connected to the broadcast.

Ryan started Bible studies with the Cedar Lake Seventh-day Adventist Church pastor in the fall of 2019, and Sidney began thinking, "where's this going, and where's our life going together?" She concluded that "if I want to grow spiritually and as a person, I also need to study the Bible!" Ryan had listened to STR for years by this time, and Sidney wanted to know more. So she began listening to STR programs, including Your Story Hour, Bible Answers Live, and various sermons, and found STR an excellent tool to learn the Scriptures.

Sidney noticed that the Bible study topic with Pastor Gibbs often coincided with messages that she heard on STR as God choreographed the messages to complement the weekly Bible study materials! Sidney notes that "this really helped me to learn the Bible topics more deeply and grow in my understanding."

Upon completing Bible studies with pastor Gibbs, both Sidney and Ryan were baptized and joined the Cedar Lake Church on December 19, 2020. That day of the month became even more special when on December 19, 2021, Ryan and Sidney united their lives in marriage!




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Now STR plays each morning on their kitchen radio, from the car radio during Sidney's commute to work, or all day in the tractor for Ryan as he works the family's 200-acre farm.



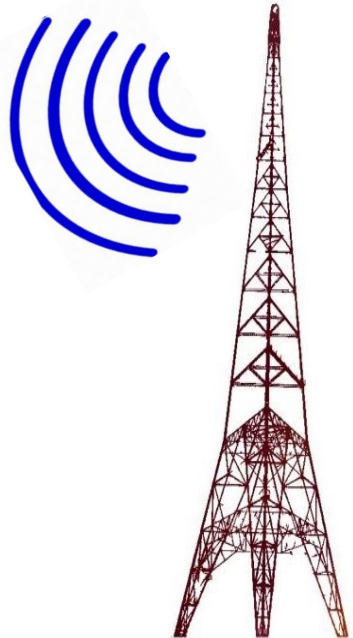
Sidney sums up her current STR experience this way; "Strong Tower Radio helps me grow in my daily walk with the Lord."

Here at , we praise God for another life changed and growing in Christ!

This recording is coming to you "live" from camp meeting 2022...



here on Strong Tower Radio. Where God's Character is Proclaimed!



My Father's House



Kam Ferguson

“In my Father’s house are many mansions [rooms]I go to prepare a place for you”, Jesus stated in **John 14:2**. Do we think He’s building rooms in heaven for us as we think of construction here on earth, where weather, labor & material supply issues can extend single home construction to more than a year!? This is Jesus, the One Who speaks things into existence from nothing! **Heb 11:3**

What’s taking all this time, then? Glad you asked! Jesus’ work in the heavenly sanctuary is to build, that is to recreate, all who will submit themselves to having Jesus’ character formed within them through the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. Wow! When this work is accomplished, in a relatively short burst of time, this people group will be filled with the Holy Spirit and enabled to give the world a clear picture of God. Their condition, especially given the global condition at that time, will polarize the world into two groups: those drawn to the Truth (Jesus) and those repelled by the Truth (Jesus). **Dan 12:1-4, Rev 6:14-17,7:1-4,13,14**

This is the very impact that Jesus had during His earthly ministry. To be living witnesses to God’s character of love is the final message to go to the world. This is Strong Tower Radio’s mission and the purpose for which God has raised up this ministry; to be a tool in your hand!

Thank you for supporting STR with your prayers and finances and encouraging those around you to listen! Because of you, lives are being changed! You have been called for such a time as this, and we look forward to your continued support as STR moves forward with expanding coverage and the related costs to reach more of Michigan and the world with the full gospel that will prepare the world for Jesus’ soon return!



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6/4	11:00 a.m.	Kam Ferguson	Holland Seventh-day Adventist Church
6/4	6:00 p.m.	Variety Hour	Cadillac 13th Street Seventh-day Adventist Church
6/10	to 6/18	Camp Meeting	Campus of Great Lakes Adventist Academy
6/19		All Day	Happy Father's Day

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