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Let every day, be Independence Day

Contained within the second paragraph of the

Declaration of Independence of the United States, we find

these foundational statements: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, and that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. That to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed....."

We see clearly through United States history that despite these truths being self-evident, our nation's citizens have ever struggled to be independent of various prejudicial thinking patterns. In the past 100 years, certain groups have, with increasing effort, sought to remove God as the giver of any rights and instead attribute these rights to earthly governments.

The world's supposed wisest people will never solve these problems, for they seek to address the symptoms, not the underlying cause. That cause, and the solution to it, are found in the Holy Bible alone. We find our origin, purpose, and future in the Bible, along with a record of the sin problem and the solution. How did this problem begin?

The underlying cause of all problems is self-centered living. believed Satan's lie that God was withholding something good from her, while Adam distrusted that God could provide for his needs without Eve. Men and women have struggled to become independent of such thinking since that paradigm-shifting day in Eden! Consent of the governed switched from God to Satan. Humanity would have been hopeless if God had not placed enmity between humans and Satan, enabling a person to desire



Dependence Day

Every day at Strong Tower Radio is a Dependence Day. We depend entirely on the Lord to provide for all of our needs through the moving of the Holy Spirit on our faithful supporters. In the very beginning, our first

supporters donated funds to build WGCP in Cadillac, hoping to hear the Three Angel's Message proclaimed daily on this station.

The Lord has been faithful! What started as one station has now become 15 stations, but the Lord is not done vet. We sometimes hear of other stations for sale, and as the Lord leads, we step out in faith. We prayerfully seek His guidance. I often ask Him to close the opportunity rather than plead with Him for a new opportunity. Our sole aim is to stay in the center of His will.

Of the ten applications we submitted to the FCC last fall, we

have received permission to build seven new stations. Many are excited to see those stations built to reach new areas. As support comes in for those stations, we move forward. As of this writing, I am still negotiating with a nationwide tower



company to lower their monthly rate before we build the station near Greenville. After that, things should move forward quickly. I am also in touch with the tower owners for new stations near Port Sanilac, Bridgman, and South Haven. Although we don't have all the funds needed to build all the stations we have permits for, we trust that the Holy Spirit will move on the hearts of our supporters in all seven areas.

With the Lord's blessings, our small staff of six and a few faithful volunteers keep the programming and production work flowing. We

basement to record larger groups

would love to have more people volunteer and add new staff to take our programming and on-air presence to a new level. In faith, we are building a new studio in our

and act as a backup when our main studio is being used. Our goal remains the same, to broadcast the Three Angel's Message and invite listeners into a deeper walk with our Lord and Savior.

Changed Life Testimony; Robert "Bob" Mulally

Bob had been struggling with an undiagnosed illness, enduring numerous medical tests, and had to retire early with these health concerns. This experience deepened his desire to know the truth, and he searched for answers. He listened to different Christian radio stations, yet the initial Bible study course that he found didn't align with the Bible. Bob kept searching, then discovered Strong Tower Radio (STR) on 89.7 FM, WNHG. He listened to the broadcasts, tested what the speakers said, and found that they aligned with the Bible! He was convinced he'd found the truth and wanted to learn more about the Seventh-day Adventist Church!

Diagnosed with jaw cancer, Bob endured a 16-hour surgery which removed part of his jaw. His recovery time required him to stay upright, enabling him to listen even more to STR while captive in bed and a recliner. This time deepened his confidence in STR's truth-filled content and alignment with Scripture! While listening, he heard of the Hope Channel on STR and began watching. Bob particularly likes "Go Healthy for Good," with excellent health tips, recipes, and different speakers.

"For me, STR is perfect for the inspiration and encouragement I needed right then. Your radio station changed my heart. The striking truth of the gospel, the testimonies of all the people, and the various speakers' different ways of presenting brought me closer to God, broadened my understanding, and encouraged me to think more deeply about God. The music is also a blessing. The Holy Spirit opened my mind more and more as I opened my Bible and set out to apply truth to my daily life. I praise God for the faithful prayers of my family and friends that helped me through my trials!"

On Bob's first visit to Rockford, MI, Three Angels Fellowship,



he sat in the back and observed. The family atmosphere, the honor given the Seventh-day Sabbath, and the sermon he heard all lined up with what he knew the Bible taught. On the second Sabbath, Bob requested baptism.

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Let every day, be Independence Day... (Continued from page 1) something other than self-centered living.

Has anyone ever recovered so far? Two men are recorded in the Old Testament for our encouragement, Enoch and Elijah. **Genesis 5:21** records that Enoch *lived* 65 years, and his first son was born. The next verse states that Enoch *walked with God* for 300 years after the birth of his first son. We know that this walk was not a monastic life of seclusion, as the verse concludes that he had more sons and daughters. He not only enjoyed God's provision for oneness with his wife (physically, emotionally, in all dimensions), but he also faithfully raised his children to love God, not only in word but also by his example.

Something about his first child helped transform Enoch from faithfully living to walking with God. God became very personal to Enoch, a son walking with his Father, and Enoch pressed forward to know God intimately by faith. This impacted every part of Enoch's life, and after 300 years, God translated Enoch to heaven. **Gen 5:24, Heb 11:5** What did that look like? It isn't recorded. Now consider Elijah.

Elijah bursts onto the scene as a bold, single, faithful prophet who declares God's word to King Ahab of Israel. Only the final 10-12 years of Elijah's life are recorded, then he is translated to heaven in a fiery chariot with the apprentice prophet Elisha as a witness! What enabled these two men to walk with God so closely that they were taken to heaven without experiencing death? We need to understand this, for the standard of translation remains the same: without holiness, no man shall see God. **Heb 12:14**

Enoch and Elijah experienced independence from sin through complete dependence upon God. How? Without faith, we cannot please God. **Heb 11:6** Faith comes by hearing the Word of God.



Rom 10:17 Yet I can memorize the entire Bible and never experience holiness. God calls every person to live by every word of God and to walk in the Spirit, just like Enoch and Elijah. Lk 4:4, Rom 8:1 Pray without ceasing: said differently, be mentally connected with God throughout the day.

Give the Holy Spirit authority to direct your life: thoughts, feelings, expressions.

Plug STRONG TOWER RADIO

Current Events

"The fingerprint of God" was on the transfer of the Grand Haven (WMPA

93.1 FM) rock station to Strong Tower Radio (STR) on the afternoon of Tuesday, June 7th. God must have a sense of humor because prior to 4 p.m., the

DJ played a rock and roll song, and at the top of the hour, the very first program to air was Scott's Ritsema's "Media on the Brain," on the evil's of rock music. The station engineers, not STR employees, chose the time of station switch-over. The transition could not have been more appropriate to explain the difference between the old and new programming.

Please keep earnestly praying that God's Spirit moves upon all through whom He will provide the remaining funds to complete the Grand Haven station purchase. Pray and call Kam (423-381-9414) to see how you can help.



Back to School

We have been covering the story of building the Irons Community Center, most recently on July 3rd, in a Strong Tower Radio Today program interview. It is exciting to see how God has blessed the faith of this small church with the raising of the center. The

dedication will be July 10th at 1 p.m. at **5071 10** ½ **Mile Road, Irons, MI**. Housewarming gifts can be purchased to outfit the center via a link on the STR.fm *Event* page for the dedication.

A life-sized replica of Moses' wilderness temple will be displayed at the Grand Haven Seventh-day Adventist Church from July 16-24. You can make reservations for (free) tickets via grandhavensda.org. Listen to the interview on



Strong Tower Radio Today, July 10th at 5 p.m., July 11th at 10 a.m., or July 13th at 12:01 a.m.

It's that time of year again, kids! We will air
Adventist Education Opportunity interviews during
the weeks of July 17th and 24th. The first program
features Seventh-day Adventist elementary
school teachers and A.S.P.I.R.E, the online

school. The second program features Great Lakes Adventist Academy (GLAA) students, and parents.

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Reminiscings of Camp Meeting

Strong Tower Radio was well represented this year. We had

many volunteers to help "man" our booth. Instead of a static



banner backdrop, we had a digital backdrop, (a 75" TV), displaying baptisms & maps of our NEW stations. Plus, a radio tower model was located at the front of the booth. where we



displayed yard signs with our stations' frequencies and call letters.



We gave away many items this year, too. We asked visitors to fill out a digital questionnaire so that we could give away a few hats, rain slickers, or STR vehicle magnets daily. Friday, we gave away two very sharp-looking jackets, and on Sabbath, the grand prize, a C. Crane Radio. All of course, with the Strong Tower Radio logo!!



On Father's day Sabbath, we gave out stickers, and when kids brought their dads to the booth, dad received a gift. We also handed out backpacks & Frisbees along with a CD from Your Story Hour, and every day Your Story Hour gave away a CD Album!



We were also busy recording interviews with John Bradshaw,



Adam Ramdin, Dr. Neil Nedley, and many more! STR loves coming to camp meeting to share what God is doing as we share the 3 Angels Message



over the airwaves. He is leading people to walk into your churches! Plan to come and visit with us next year at camp meeting, we'd love to meet you!!!



Want to have a big impact?

WMPA (93.1 FM) coverage reaches nearly 500,000 potential new listeners with the life saving everlasting gospel! Join many who have already invested in this well-placed signal to reach the largest cities, as well as boaters, along Michigan's western coast.





Changed Life... Bob Mulally (Continued from page 3)

After a few weeks of Bible study with Pastor Dan McGrath, Robert Mulally was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist Church on November 6, 2021. Praise God!

Glory hallelujah, friends, the Holy Spirit continues to reach souls through Strong Tower Radio! Thank you for giving to the Lord; here is

another life that is changed and being changed!

Redeemed how I love to proclaim it, Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb, Redeemed through His infinite Mercy, His child and forever 9 am.

Let every day, be Independence day (Continued from page 4)

Is it a fight? Yes, Peter states that suffering in the flesh precedes ceasing from sin. 1 Pet 4:1 Satan will challenge your decision

continually. He will push doubtful thoughts, selfish desires/emotions, defensive ideas, and many distraction tactics seeking to exploit your weak points, yet we are promised power to more than conquer Satan. **Rom 8:37** Bring every thought into captivity to Jesus Christ's obedience by following His example, seeking to do God's

will, not our own. **2 Cor 10:5, Jn 6:38** As we become more intimately acquainted with living by God's Word (Holy Bible), asking the Holy Spirit to help us rightly apply God's Word each day, our will becomes aligned with our heavenly Father's will, and sin loses its appeal.

It must be so, friends, for Scripture tells us in

1 Corinthians 15:51-52 that we will not all sleep (die), but we shall all be changed at Jesus' return. Consent of the governed becomes permanent. If Jesus changes my nature when I'm still holding onto sin, He violates my will and removes my independence from Him.

1 Jn 3 If I am holding only to Jesus, walking by faith, His changing my nature at His return makes permanent my living independent of sin through complete dependence upon Him in this life!

By depending entirely upon the Holy Spirit's guiding power we become more than conquerors, may every day be independence day and the latter rain be poured out without measure!



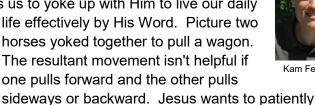




Dependent Connection

Jesus invites us to yoke up with Him to live our daily horses yoked together to pull a wagon.

The resultant movement isn't helpful if one pulls forward and the other pulls





Kam Ferguson

teach us how to work together with Him to reach others with lifesaving truth. He's willing to work through our sideways and backward motions and independent moves as we learn to "pull the wagon" with Him. The Creator of all things is willing to work with you, individually, to recover the gift of eternal life! What humility, what attraction when we see God this way, as He is!

Strong Tower Radio (STR) proclaims God this way, and listeners are attracted to Jesus as they hear the everlasting gospel. Someone listening on WBHL (90.7) recently began attending the Gladwin Seventh-day Adventist (SDA) church and is now enjoying Bible studies. Several other listeners recently were baptized into their local SDA church, while just last week, a new WGCP listener walked into the Irons SDA church to worship.

Each listener wants Jesus as He really is, and STR provides the light of truth in a darkened world. Thank you for investing in

the lives of these precious souls who are searching for the Way, the Truth, and the Life. As you continue to support STR with your

Opportunity for righteousness knocks on your door a few times a day, but temptation bangs on the door continually

monthly gifts of prayers and finances, the Holy Spirit will multiply them throughout eternity to the praise and honor of our Heavenly Father. Together in Jesus Christ, our best days are still ahead!

