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Editorial

EVERY PICKLE HAS BEEN SOAKED



Of all the powerful revelation that has come from this outpouring of the Holy Spirit, the dearest to me is soaking in God's presence.

Before 1994, I had no idea that in order to survive as a Christian and certainly as a minister of Jesus Christ, I would need to become accustomed to absorbing daily doses of the presence of God. In fact, I didn't know that it was possible. I spent most of my days working hard at the tasks of ministry. While I am still a task-oriented person, I am different because now I know it is possible to access His presence and enjoy Him.

I believe that the supreme revelation of Christianity is the mystery that God has somehow 'wadded Himself up and stuck Himself' inside of me. I am really just a tank for God's presence. If I can't sense His fullness, I've lost my purpose. I believe that it's possible to have Jesus in you and not be full. When I am not full, the sign to me is emotional blandness, like a cucumber begging for something to punctuate its texture with radical flavor.

Learning to soak in God's presence means realizing that without Him, you taste to the world like a cucumber, just another vegetable on the relish tray that really needs a dip! In order to stand out in a lost world, you must soak in something that will make those who are hungry for God take notice that there is something different about you now, something that they need and want.

In order to change your flavor, you must resign yourself to spending time soaking your mind and emotions in the Jesus who lives in you. The best pickles are made from young, freshly picked cucumbers that are soaked in a cold solution that causes their texture to become crisp. I believe that experiencing the zest of the life God has laid out for you makes you crisp. This includes living day to day, relishing it. It means making choices out of the integrity of your heart, which include loving your family, doing what is right when it is easier or it seems more profitable to do what is wrong. And it even includes enjoying the people you find yourself working with and the circumstances in which you live.

The flavor doesn't come, though, until you choose to soak yourself in the sweet God who lives in you. Don't you agree that there are too many 'pickles' you know who have chosen to soak up the sourness of life without allowing God to turn their sorrows into joy and purpose? When you taste the flavors of the pickles around you, it is easy to tell what sort of bath they've soaked in. They have an effect all right, but it's not the taste we're going for.

Each sweet pickle you will eat this holiday season is soaking right now in a recipe that includes vinegar, water, salt and spices. Every life has each of these ingredients. The sweet ones, however, have something more. These have been submerged in a boiling hot solution that has enough sugar to literally candy them. Soaking in the presence of Jesus is the sugar that changes the flavor of your life and causes you to have that same sweet effect on those around you.

The problem is that it takes time. Maybe your good ideas need a little more soaking. Maybe your dreams do, too. Maybe you need to stop right now, invite the Holy Spirit to bathe you in His love and just spend time basking in Him.

In this issue, you will read the testimonies of some ordinary cucumbers who just chose to spend time pickling their hearts in God's love. Wait until you read what happened! Happy Holidays and enjoy this issue as our Christmas gift to you. <{

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WHY I SOAK

Carol Arnott

I have always been a worshipper and liked to pray, but I have not always been a listener. It took this move of the Spirit to teach me that listening means learning to soak in His presence. Soaking is simply resting before Him, listening for what He says by learning to read the impressions He prints on my heart and mind. I have learned to experience the reality of God daily through soaking. He is present in me, transforming my inner man as my soul becomes aware of His indwelling presence.

When the Holy Spirit fell on us on January 20, 1994, I was thrilled at His presence and power. Before that time, I had experienced little tastes of Him at meetings that put a deep hunger on the inside of me to experience more. When Kathryn Kuhlman used to say, "The Holy Spirit is more real to me than any human being," I longed to know Him like that. But how, I wondered?

My life as a pastor's wife was very busy. I found myself binding up the brokenhearted, setting the captives free and attending to church life in general. But although I was very busy working for Him, I felt as though I had

lost my first love. Working for Him is different from spending time loving Him and letting Him love you. Had you asked me back then if I had lost my first love, I would have denied it.

When I married John, he owned a travel agency and was not in the ministry, although that had been the longing of his heart. When we first started a church in my hometown, I used to cry and say, "How can I be a pastor's wife? I can't sing or play the piano." In fact, I was so shy and intimidated that John had to give me three months notice to prepare a message for Mother's Day. I would only speak once a year because speaking made me so nervous.

The first time we met Marc DuPont, he gave me a prophetic word that I would be speaking to pastors and leaders, and to thousands of people. I must admit that I laughed aloud and said in my heart, "Some prophet you are!" (I have since apologized to him.) But what transformed me was soaking!

WHAT IS SOAKING?

Maybe you are puzzled by this concept and are asking, "What do you mean by 'soaking'? Why do I need it? How do I do it?"

Soaking is positioning yourself before God to experience His love for you and to give your love to Him.

While it involves listening for the still small voice, it is more than that. It means allowing yourself enough time to be immersed in the tangible presence of God. It is really the fulfillment of the first commandment, which Jesus said is, "To love the Lord with ALL your heart, with all your soul and with all your mind." (Matthew 22:37)

There must be time in your life just to love Him and let Him love you with no agendas, no shopping lists of ours or other's needs. God is love and wants us to be lovers of Him first before we even try to love others.

Psalms 45:10 says, "Be still and know that I am God." But from early childhood, most of us have been taught to accomplish more, to finish the task, to be constantly 'on duty.' I have sadly noticed this in meetings. When God's presence comes strongly, people cannot seem to remain and rest in His presence. They receive prayer and within five to ten minutes, they get up and are on their way. They have missed the point, which is learning to personally experience His love.



Jesus addressed this tendency in a visit to the home of Mary and Martha. Mary, who opted out of kitchen duty with her sister Martha, chose what Jesus called 'the better part,' and Jesus said that it would not be taken away. Mary valued His presence by sitting at His feet, loving Him and just being with Him. Martha, on the other hand, was preoccupied with preparing dinner.

God wants more than a five-minute fling. It takes time and a conscious effort to prioritize what God sees as our deepest human need, the need to experience His intimate, unconditional love. In previous revivals, our forerunners in the church referred to this time of 'soaking' as 'tarrying.' They learned to spend entire meetings just waiting in His presence.

What works for me is to get quiet before the Lord. Sometimes I listen to a worship CD, one that helps me focus on my love for Him. Then I get comfortable on the floor with a pillow under my head. I do not think that posture matters. I believe that you can soak in your favorite chair.

Turn the phone off and let the answering machine get the messages. During this time, 'The Distracter' likes to remind you of the many things that you still need to do. I outsmart him by taking a note pad and pen and jotting down all the things he reminds me of and then return my focus to Jesus and continue soaking. He soon gives up when I refuse to remain distracted.

How often do I need to soak? We need to develop a habit of spending time with Him everyday. It will usually take at least a week of daily soaking to begin learning to bring your soul to a place of stillness and rest. We get so busy 'doing' that we find it hard just to 'be.' This is because our minds are always analyzing rather

GOD WANTS MORE THAN A FIVE-MINUTE FLING

than receiving. In the beginning, you may experience deep frustration as you try to quiet yourself before God. However, when you are faithful and obedient to pursue Him, you will quickly learn how anxious He is to be with you.

Maybe you are thinking, "But I read my Bible everyday and pray. Why do you think that it is so important to soak?"

The Bible is a book of law, history, prophecy, poetry and teaching. Everything in God's written word comes out of the experiences its leading characters had with God. Soaking or experiencing His presence opens up the heart and soul to divine romance. It allows the Lord to love you and you to love Him, much like a couple in love find that their love and intimacy deepen as they spend more and more time together. As with any relationship, spending time together is one of the most valuable things you can do. This is one missing piece of the Christian experience that God has come to restore in this move of the Holy Spirit.

Each time you spend with Him will be different. At times, He will flood you with His unconditional love and affection. Other times He will cover you with His healing. He may go back and heal a deep wound from the past. Sometimes He will flood you with abundant joy. Then at other times, He will empower you for the ministry He has for you. Your whole life will change when you take time to realize that the Lord loves you. Once you realize how much the Lord desires to woo you and is enamored with you and that He really likes you, loving Him will just flow naturally. Is He not wonderful?

SOAKING OPENS YOUR HEART TO RECEIVE VISIONS AND DREAMS

Before I started soaking, I never had a vision or heard the voice of God on a regular basis. However, since I have learned to soak, the Lord has shown me things visually. Just recently, I was telling the Lord in prayer about how I missed my dad and that I really needed a dad. A couple of days after telling Him, I was lying on the floor soaking and received this healing vision.

In the vision, I was dancing with Jesus. As we were twirling very fast, I was wondering where we were. Out of the corner of my eye, I caught a glimpse of a very shiny floor. Thinking that we really needed to be careful not to slip and fall, I suddenly realized that we were dancing on the sea of glass in heaven. The vision widened, and I saw a massive throne in the distance with smoke and fire coming from under it. A figure stood up from the throne and began walking toward us.

About a week before this vision, I had been reading in Daniel 7:9-14 about the Ancient of Days. It says that His garment was white as snow and His hair was like pure wool. Because Jesus said, "If you have seen me, you have seen the Father," I pictured the Father just like Jesus on earth. When I saw the passage in Daniel, I was astonished to realize the Father looks like the glorified Jesus of Revelation 1:14.

In my vision as the figure came closer to us, I saw that He had white hair. He approached us and said to Jesus, "Excuse me, but may I cut in, I would like to dance with my daughter?" At that point, I cried and cried as I realized in the deepest part of my heart that I have a heavenly Dad that really, really loves me. He not only loves me, but He knows and cares about the smallest need in my heart.



I have learned to experience the reality of God daily through soaking.

SOAKING BRINGS BOLDNESS, CHILDLIKENESS AND FRUITFULNESS

Soaking has also given me a holy boldness in ministry. The anointing of God has made room for me and it will for you, if you spend time with Him. I know more than anyone else does that if the Holy Spirit ever lifted, I would go

Soaking does not mean that you do nothing for God. John likes to put it this way. The Christian life is like a circle. On that circle are three words, He, they and I. We need to be constantly filled because it is impossible to give away what you have not received. When we are full of His love and presence, then we can pour out our love to Him. As our own tanks

soaking, connecting with the intimate and powerful presence of God.

Sarah Edwards, wife of the Great Awakening leader, Jonathan Edwards, wrote in the 1740's that, "During revival I was conscious of His nearness to me and my dearness to Him." This is my prayer for you.



back to being that shy, frightened, intimidated girl that I used to be. While I do not want to be like that any more, I do want to be childlike.

The Holy Spirit likes it when He is in control, and we become like children. Jesus said, "...Unless you become as little children, you will by no means enter the kingdom of heaven. Therefore, whoever humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven." The price of entering His kingdom is becoming humbly vulnerable and completely trusting. This is the beginning of a fruitful Christian life.

become full, our focus turns to the broken, the hurting and the lost. You will then accomplish more in one hour than you used to in a whole day.

Some people say to us, "Are you still lying on the floor? We have moved on."

But as my friend Melinda Fish says, "Moved on to what?" When you have the presence of God, what is there to move on to? I wonder if they are moving back to the way they used to do things. We are creatures of habit who like the familiar and being in control.

Maybe it is time for you to go back to

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My name is Captain Kevin Hutcheson, U.S. Navy. I am a Naval Aviator with 3,800 flight hours in the A-7 and F/A-18, and over 1,000 carrier arrested landings. In a previous assignment, I was the Commanding Officer of a Strike/Fighter squadron forward deployed in Japan. I have spent the past 24 years fighting tyranny and injustice around the world. What I experienced on my last deployment has overshadowed every previous experience in my life.

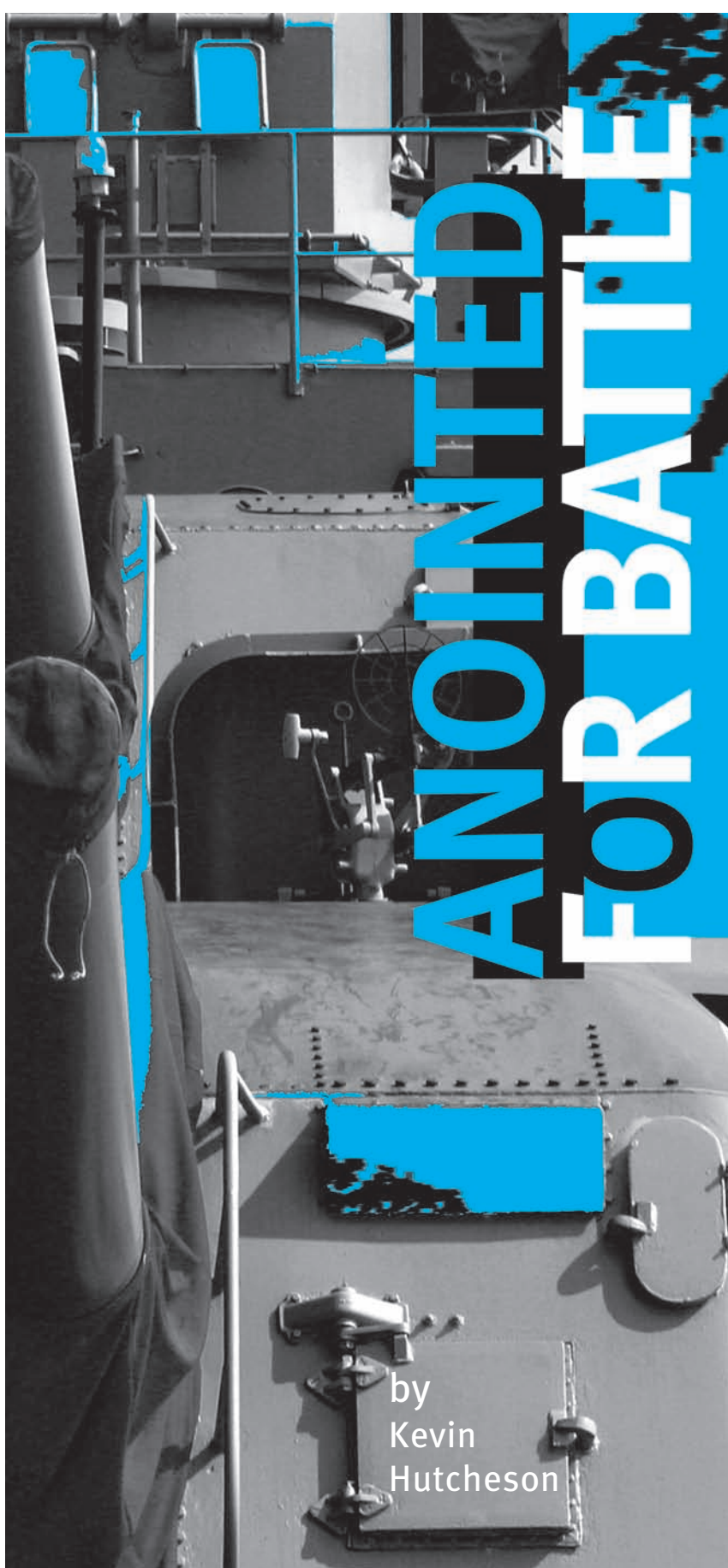
In May 2004, I checked into my current job as the Battle Group Operations Officer of the USS John F Kennedy Carrier Strike Group. I am on the admiral's staff in charge of the operations for the entire battle group, which consists of an aircraft carrier plus eight other ships with approximately 10,000 men and women.

In June 2004, we left Mayport, Florida for a six-month deployment and headed straight to Iraq. It was during this time when I started a soaking center aboard the USS John F. Kennedy, right in the middle of the Persian Gulf. I am so encouraged by the presence and power of the Lord that I have experienced on a Navy ship in the middle of the biggest spiritual battlefield in history.

SOAKING AT SEA

While on deployment, I encouraged the chaplain to start a Pentecostal service. Our goal was to introduce the hungry sailors to the power and ministry of the Holy Spirit over the months at sea through the Word and soaking in the presence of the Lord. Soaking is so simple. Just lie down and say, "Come Holy Spirit." It is the key to unlock God's heart. You will begin to have an intimate relationship with the Lord and hear directly from Him, and you will never be the same. Who would have thought that He would bless us all so directly in this powerful way?

The Lord blessed us in power at each meeting. One week I explained that God was as big as the box you put him in, encouraging everyone to let him



by
Kevin
Hutcheson

be bigger than they can imagine and do more than they think. I also explained the power of unity in corporate prayer, that the Holy Spirit inhabits our praises, which are tangible. I then asked everyone to get up, and we all raised our voices to the Lord. We prayed for the Holy Spirit to take our praises and raise them to the Lord so that He would come down and 'El Kabong' us. He did. We were totally wiped out!

I then proceeded to give an introduction to soaking. The Holy Spirit impressed upon me to teach everybody about the intimacy you experience while soaking and why it is important. I had prepared by listening to John Arnott's CD, "The importance of soaking," and then it was time to get everybody marinating.

I talked about the connection with the Lord and the person of the Holy Spirit coming to you to teach you and how you can ask Him things and He will talk to you. It is all about Him and your relationship with Him. He has many servants but not many lovers. He wants you to love Him just for who He is, not for what He can do for you. You could hear a pin drop. After the teaching, we started to soak.

One of the young men was really expecting something from the Lord. He was on his face, on the floor, in nothing flat. The Lord really touched him. He said afterward that it was beautiful, that he saw himself walking on water between two boulders, talking with Jesus. Another young man said he saw Jesus on the cross.

Our worship leader was touched powerfully as well. The Lord gave her the scripture about Peter walking on water. He explained to her that Peter only began to sink when he took his

eyes off Jesus. He further explained that some of these young sailors have trouble in port because they take their eyes off Jesus.

Several people were blessed with visions from the Lord. They were very hungry for whatever the Lord had for them. It was so powerful and wonderful that one woman who wandered in by mistake was saved. She wept openly when she came forward and accepted Jesus as her Savior. The presence and the power of God in the room overwhelmed us.

One of the men, an older petty officer, was lying on his side all curled up like a baby with the most wonderful grin on his face. I put my hand on his shoulder and the Holy Spirit was flowing into him. His face, although normally rough, had that awesome childlike look that people have when the Holy Spirit allows us to see people through His eyes. The look on this rough man's gentle face touched me so much that I talked to him afterwards asking if the Lord blessed him during the soaking time. He said it was the most wonderful experience he has ever had. It was as though the Lord was holding him in his arms like a baby. His experience was so wonderful that he did not want to leave that place.

We witnessed the power and person of the Holy Spirit at these services and the Lord always blessed us with His awesome presence. I spoke often about how the Lord will come to you at night when you are alone in the rack (naval term for



'bed'). All you have to do is invite him by saying, "Come Holy Spirit," and He always comes!

GOD IS SO VERY HUGE

One time a lieutenant walked into an evening Soaking Service by mistake and had no idea what he was getting into. He just showed up in the middle of the teaching. During the time of soaking, he was experiencing manifestations, rocking back and forth. He had never heard of that, let alone experienced anything like that. As he left, he gave me a wonderful hug with tears streaming down his face.

Another sailor said that the Lord was showing him that the chief was going to be a missionary. He just kept seeing 'missionary' with the chief's name. It was another wonderful evening, and by the time it was over, I was pickled.

The next soaking service, the Lieutenant brought a chief with him. I began teaching the 'Introduction to Soaking, as we had several new people, followed by 'Hearing the voice of God'. Suddenly, I began to talk about childhood experiences and how the Holy Spirit will free and heal you. I couldn't seem to get off that topic and talked about my own family experiences and how the people you trust the most have the ability to hurt you the most. The only way to free yourself is to allow God's Holy Spirit to operate within you, directing you. I spent quite a bit of time on this topic and then came back to it later. I knew the Holy Spirit was operating through me to reach someone.

Afterwards the chief came up to me and said that every time I put my hand on him while he was soaking, he went back into his past during the periods

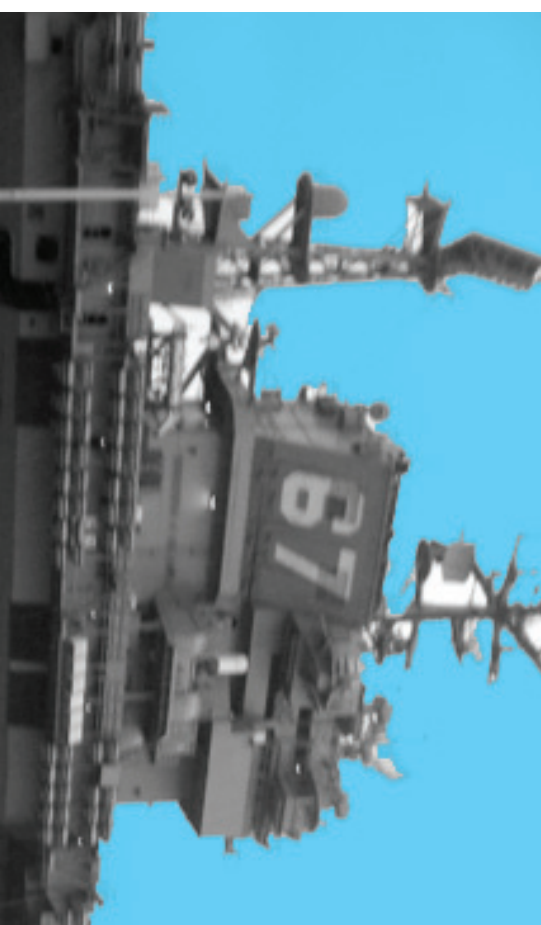
that he was searching for Jesus in his life. He saw how once he had found Him that he realized that he had always walked away from Jesus rather than to Him.

When the lieutenant began his testimony, he was sitting up against the wall; but by the time it ended, he was on his back on the floor. Every time that I put my hands on him, the Lord would really plow through me into him. He said that he was having difficulty with some events that had taken place during his childhood. He said that while soaking, he saw the offenses he had experienced and they were stacked all around like the chairs in the room. Then the Lord came with a leaf blower and blew these childhood offenses off him, like a leaf blower clears off the driveway.

I explained that the Lord was taking away all those offenses, everything from his past, and was doing a deep healing in him. Once he was able to identify the offenses and forgive the offender, the Lord would be able to do a deep cleaning and healing work in him. I then explained that once you repent from sin, the Lord does remove them as far as the east is from the west. The ministry of the Holy Spirit is a powerful and effective method of sanctification. I have now seen that there is much more than salvation. God wants us to have an entire life operating in and by the Spirit of the Lord.

It was such a blessing for me to spend a quiet and private time with the Lord and with these men. The Holy Spirit moved very powerfully on these





two men and their lives were changed forever.

Afterwards a young man who was visibly hungry for more mentioned that he was very interested in receiving more. I asked him if he would like to receive an impartation from the Lord right now. He said, "Absolutely yes!"

I asked two of the other ministers to come over and lay hands on him. As they put their hands on him, I put my hands in his asking the Holy Spirit to come and release the impartations that I had received from the prayers of other people such as John and Carol Arnott, Carlos Annacondia, Randy Clark and Steve and Kathy Gray. I prayed for him to receive a soaking ministry, healing gifts and words of knowledge. I prayed, "All that I have received, I freely give. Now receive, receive."

When I said that, he collapsed onto the floor like a piano from the eighth story! It was awesome. We just kept

our hands on him and the Lord continued to bless him. I asked the Lord to give him visions. The Holy Spirit was so thick on this young man and a powerful silence fell on us. What a wonderful thing the Lord does by imparting the fullness of the Holy Spirit person to person.

Afterwards, he said the Holy Spirit took his breath away and overcame him in a wonderful way. Revival fire has been planted in him.

One of the guys had been soaking in his rack at night. He said that he feels so peaceful after soaking. He has never been able to sleep on his back before, but when he lies down and asks the Holy Spirit to come, he falls asleep and wakes up refreshed and calm.

BE ENCOURAGED

I just want to give you a word of encouragement. God is really pouring out His Spirit on the earth. He poured Himself into the men and women of the USS John F. Kennedy who simply took the time and said, "Come, Holy Spirit." I had the privilege of inviting the Arnott's to experience soaking aboard the JFK during a dependent's cruise in February 2005. John and Carol experienced a day aboard an aircraft carrier. One of the highlights was watching the F/A-18's launch and recover aboard the ship, very exciting. But the real highlight was the time we spent soaking in my stateroom together with a couple of the sailors from the soaking service followed by a worship service in the JFK Chapel with many of the sailors and family that were invited aboard. John and Carol blessed us greatly with their presence, preaching and prayer.

I thank the Lord every day for John and Carol Arnott, for teaching me how to yield to the Holy Spirit by sharing love to the men and women aboard the JFK through soaking. I personally want to let them know how much I love and appreciate them, specifically for 'getting horizontal' and just letting the Lord do whatever He wants.

Thank you so much for deeply touching my life and helping to equip me for whatever the Lord has for me. God bless you all. I love you.



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Soak and GO

Confessions of a Navy Wife

Paula Hutcheson

I married Captain Kevin Hutcheson, US Navy, on January 14, 2003. For our honeymoon, we attended the Pastors and Leaders Conference at Toronto Airport Christian Fellowship (TACF) although we are not pastors. Two months later, I was diagnosed with severe rheumatoid arthritis and was crippled in every joint in my body.

In September 2003, I attended Catch the Fire Ministries Soaking Prayer School. While in Soaking School, Jesus appeared to me. He spoke in detail about the events of the past several years of my life with compassion and love telling me that over time I had listened to the voice of the enemy. As I had listened to Satan, he had distorted the truth, and I had become sick.

Then Jesus said to me, "Paula, I have made you whole". Instantly I was healed of a crippling disease for which there is no known cure. All pain left my body and total movement was restored to my joints. Jesus had made me whole, but it was the experience of being able to talk to Jesus, face to face, that touched me the most for there is fullness of joy in His presence.

Attending the Soaking School helped save my life. God willing, I plan to spend my life soaking people who will stay still long enough for me to say, "Come Holy Spirit." I never know from day to day where we will be or if I will be separated from Kevin. This is part of being a military wife. I learned that my life is literally not my own. It is

the price that military families pay for our freedom. Still I had a desire to take what I had learned and experienced in Soaking School and give it to others. Then the Holy Spirit said to me, "Why don't you soak on the go?"

MY FIRST ASSIGNMENT

I completed the Soaking School on a Friday and received an invitation to an Episcopalian home group on Monday. I had no idea what I was doing nor anything about Episcopalians. I only knew that every time I said, "Come, Holy Spirit" in Soaking School that He came. So I went. When I said, "Come, Holy Spirit," He came!

There were so many people lying on the floor receiving a touch from God that they covered the entire living

room, dining room, kitchen and hall floors, and I had trouble walking over them. I was so nervous until I heard the Holy Spirit say, "Could you move over and allow me the use of your body?"

As He spoke through me, I watched Him touch people and change lives right before my eyes. He directed everything, even to the smallest details such as where to place my hands upon someone and what to say. He spoke through me and used me as an instrument for His purpose to set the captives free. I learned first hand how powerful and life changing soaking is, and that anyone can do this.

A few months later, The Gate in Chevy Chase, Maryland asked me to teach on soaking. It was during this time that I experienced 'the other side of the cross' with a group of dedicated soakers. Sometimes in the beginning when people start to soak, it seems to be all about them and their need for inner healing. It was true of this group, too, but at a certain point, the group began to heal. The turning point came when we began soaking and seeking the will of God.

What happened next was huge! God would come down and give each one of us a piece of the puzzle of His heart. Afterwards we would come together and share about our experiences during the soaking times. When we put them together, they gave us a better understanding of the Father and what was important to Him. Some saw remarkable visions, some heard music, some received words, but they all fit together. I do not believe that we have even begun to tap into the power that is available to us through soaking in the presence of God.

One time the Lord led us to pray for the church across the street,



TEAM

Ministering as a Husband and Wife

particularly for its pastor and for the church and pastor who allowed us to use space in their facility for our soaking sessions. After an intense time of prayer, we nearly fainted when both the Baptist and Episcopalian pastors walked in!

We encircled them and invited them to lie down so that we could soak them. They weren't sure what we were talking about, but the sense of the presence of God was so strong that they agreed. They could not deny that God was among us because the Holy Spirit began to refresh and heal them.

MINISTERING AS A HUSBAND AND WIFE TEAM

January through March 2004 while Kevin was working at the state department, we were sent to Vienna, Austria. While we were there, Vienna Christian Center invited us to teach soaking. We spent much time with the Filipino Fellowship there, upwards of two four-hour sessions per week for eight weeks. They were so hungry for what the Lord had for them. Their pastor had seen John and Carol Arnott on the 'Spread the Fire' television show and had been praying for someone who could teach his fellowship to soak. He believed God had answered his prayers by sending us there. At the first meeting, the two of us soaked over 80 people. Several hundred people attended during our time there. All of them have testimonies of what the Lord did while they were soaking in His presence. We experienced the book of Acts during our time together.

... the Holy Spirit does not need any help. You are an 'usher.' You will usher them into My presence and help them find their seat at the feet of Jesus.

We learned a great lesson in Vienna. At the end of our time there, they honored us by putting their hands toward us and praying for God's blessing upon us. The feeling of love from the Father that we experienced as they did this was overwhelming. It was as though the Lord Himself came through them into us, the purest love I have ever felt.

During our assignment in Vienna, Pastor Zhoro and Mariana Penshev of New Life Fellowship in Sophia, Bulgaria invited us to come. As Kevin began to teach about soaking, an anointing of joy struck the interpreter. She couldn't stop laughing and was only able to interpret about one in every ten sentences. Since Kevin had only been speaking for five minutes when this happened, the Holy Spirit told him to stop and that He would take it from there. The presence of God came down like a tornado! Once again, He proved to us that all you need to do is be willing to show up and He will do the rest.

THE BIRTH OF A SOAKING CAMP FOR YOUTH

One day while I was soaking at home, the Lord took me to Isaiah 54, my prophetic chapter. As I read verses 1-3, they jumped off the page.

"Sing, O barren one, you who did not bear; break forth into singing and cry aloud, you who did not travail with child! For the (spiritual) children of the desolate one will be more than the children of the married wife says the Lord...And all your (spiritual) children shall be disciples (taught by the Lord and obedient to His will), and great shall be the peace and undisturbed composure of your children."

Then the Lord led me to John 6:45 where it says, "It is written in the Prophets, 'And they shall be taught of God [have Him in person as their teacher]. Everyone who has listened to and learned from the Father comes to me.'"

This is what soaking is all about, I thought.

Then Lord said that He wanted something new for his children, a 'new' program where they would experience His presence and have Him as their teacher.

Over the next months, I began to write as the Holy Spirit led me. What He gave me is a soaking program for youth called, "Surf Camp, Son Bathing in the Presence of God." To the very best of my ability, I have sought to hear the Lord's voice, to be led by His Holy Spirit and to be obedient to His will for His program. Once completed, I asked the Lord if I was going to be a helper to the Holy Spirit.

He said, "No, the Holy Spirit does not need any help. You are an 'usher.' You will usher them into My presence

and help them find their seat at the feet of Jesus."

In June 2004 on a farm in Virginia, we held our first Surf Camp for youth. The testimonies of the youth, counselors and leaders who attended speak much more than my words can.

SOAKING FOR COMPANIONSHIP

In June 2004, Kevin went back into the real Navy in his current job as Battle Group Operations Officer of the USS John F. Kennedy Carrier Strike Group. He left Mayport, Florida in June for a six-month deployment and headed straight to Iraq.

On the way, the JFK stopped at the Mediterranean Island of Malta for four days. I flew to Malta where Kevin and I had the opportunity to teach 'soaking' with Patrick and Maria O'Cock who were graduates of the soaking school. Their fellowship is known as Joel's Place.

I returned home from Malta to an empty house on a navy base where I knew no one. Kevin would be gone until Christmas. We had been married



Soaking for companionship



two years and now we would be separated for six months. Soaking led to the greatest time of intimacy with the Holy Spirit that I have ever known.

I knew that the Lord would not take Kevin away without giving me something greater, if I would just have the faith to believe. It is hard to explain if you have not experienced it, but I have little recollection of Kevin being gone. I would simply soak and ask the Lord to unite me with Kevin in the spirit and we would be together.

At any time I could ask the Holy Spirit what Kevin was doing and he would tell me. If I needed to talk to him, I would ask the Holy Spirit to have him call and within a short time, the phone would ring. In dreams, we were together as though he had never left. The Lord is so faithful. By relying

on the Holy Spirit to take care of me, I grew beyond anything that I could have on my own.

In December, the JFK pulled into Barcelona, Spain where I met him. While we were there, a young sailor was hit by a car as he walked into the street. He was in critical condition with a broken collarbone, broken ribs and his lungs were filled with blood and he was unconscious.

Kevin and I decided to go to the hospital and soak him. We simply put our hands on him and said, "Come, Holy Spirit." We could feel the presence of the Lord go out from us and fill the room as we prayed and go into the sailor. We stayed for an hour, soaking him continuously. The doctor came in and said they did not have much hope, but we did because we

had felt the power of God go into him. Praise God! Within days, the medical authorities released him and called it a miracle.

The most important thing that has happened to me through soaking people is how God has changed me. God has given me eyes to see what He sees in people. I have developed His compassion for people. Now I have abundant hope knowing that all things are possible for those that love God and live according to His will and purpose.

The past two years of soaking ministry have been greater and more wonderful than I could have imagined. I have been around the world giving away what I received in Toronto. Learning about soaking has deeply touched my life and helped equip me for my destiny. Who would have thought that the Lord would bless us all so directly through soaking in this powerful way? I have been so blessed with His presence every time I utter, "Come Holy Spirit!" So I suppose I will see you on the floor.

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My first experience of the power of soaking prayer came about nine months after I came into the renewal. When I first encountered ‘the River’ and the teachings of the Father Heart of God, I suddenly became aware that my prior Christian experience had not managed to solidly establish myself in the love of God. Although I was born again and filled with the Holy Spirit, when I pictured my relationship to God’s love, I would see a vision of myself alone at night in a driving rainstorm, struggling up the side of a jagged cliff, moving toward a warm, safe, lighted cabin which I felt like I could never really reach. I was subconsciously convinced that even if I did reach it, it would not be long before I would find myself once more in the darkness to begin the struggle all over again.

When I began to soak in the presence of God, this issue was front-and-center in my mind, and it remained there for a long time. During that time, I gladly received the teaching on the love of God and eagerly expected Him to confirm it during my times of soaking, but for a long time it seemed like nothing was happening. While people all around me were getting ‘blasted’ by the Holy Spirit and hearing God speak or having open visions of the Father, I honestly did not hear, see, feel, or smell anything to give me any indication that anything was happening to me.

About nine months later, however, the Lord suddenly drew me up into the vision of being lost on the mountainside, except that this time everything changed. In the vision, I suddenly reached the cabin, went inside. Instantly God surrounded me with a warm, almost palpable experience of His love pressing in on me from every side. I turned around to see the door close behind me and then vanish completely, and I heard the Lord say to me, “You are now inside My love and you will never leave it.” At that precise moment, all of the fear, insecurity and doubt that I had wrestled with for my entire Christian life vanished completely and the scripture that says, “Nothing will be able to separate us from the love of God”, became one hundred per cent true in my life. There has never been a moment since that time that I have doubted

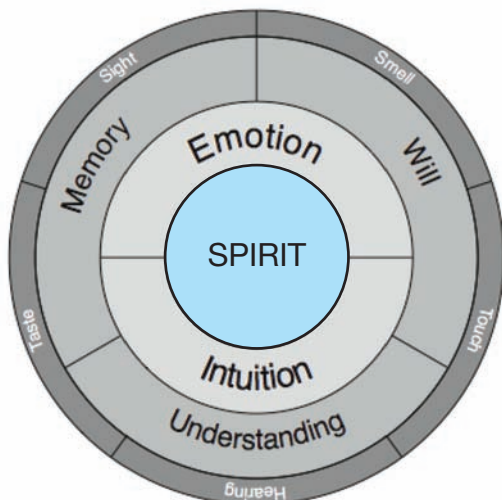
that the love of God holds me completely secure against anything the world or the devil can throw at me.

This revelation is the foundation of the fulfillment of the prayer that Paul prays for the Ephesians – not just the understanding that they dwell fully in God, but that God dwells fully in them. After God establishes the believer in His love, it is then possible to move into an understanding of the fact that Jesus is seated within and working powerfully in and through us. This, in turn, brings us into an experiential awareness of the love of God, which goes far beyond the ability of our minds to comprehend, as Paul wrote, “To know this love that surpasses knowledge.” God never meant for His love to be simply a concept. He wants you experience it, because experiencing it will irrevocably change you.

HOW SOAKING WORKS

The following diagram explains how soaking works, and what the Holy Spirit is doing in us as we present ourselves to Him.

This diagram illustrates the threefold nature of the human being, body, soul



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and spirit. The outer ring represents the body, in which are written the names of our five natural senses: sight, smell, touch, taste and hearing. Information comes to us about the natural world through these avenues. The next ring beneath it represents our consciousness, which contains the will, the memory and the understanding. These allow us to analyze the information we are receiving in light of experience and then decide to act or not. The next ring in is the subconscious, which consists of our emotions and intuition. In the center is the spirit, which in someone who is born again is joined to Christ and forms the fountainhead of revelation that flows out to illuminate the soul.

A couple of years ago the Lord used this diagram and a teaching about how lightning strikes during a thunderstorm to illustrate for me the way that the Holy Spirit acts to transform us when we soak. During a thunderstorm, a negative electrical charge builds along the bottom side of a cloud until it is so strong that a series of invisible pulses of electricity begin to grow down towards the positively charged ground below. When the trail has moved close enough to the earth, it opens up a highly conductive pathway for electrical charge to flow, and the massive electrical charge in the earth flashes up along the pathway, producing the visible discharge of energy that we see as a lightning strike.

In applying this teaching to the action of the Holy Spirit, we consider that the spirit within us is the earth, and our senses are the thunderclouds overhead. As natural beings, we perceive God and the truth about Him primarily from the outside in, through our natural senses: we read the Bible, we see God move in the



painful memories to be brought into the light of God. A person forms walls in response to emotional trauma when he feels pain or shame and lock that part away from the rest of who he is. We create walls against intuition because our highly rational and logical culture devalues intuitive reasoning and trains us to do so. It is actually easier and more natural for us to hear the Lord to speak into our emotions and intuition because they are farther inward nearer our spirits. We focus our minds more often on the information coming to us from the natural world than the supernatural one.

In order for us to be ‘filled to the measure of all the fullness of God’, all of these walls have to come down.

It is important to realize that these walls do not just keep the truth out and therefore keep large parts of our souls in darkness. They also keep the power of God within us bottled up so that it cannot flow out into the world. Removing these walls is a matter of embracing the truth in every area where a wall exists. Embracing the truth is a process that begins with an intellectual agreement but must end with the transforming work of the Holy Spirit. This is what we are positioning ourselves to receive when we soak.

HOW TO SOAK

True soaking is not a passive activity. As we soak, we are taking time to experience the reality of Christ dwelling within us. We are giving the Holy Spirit the opportunity to take the truth in our minds, clothe it with the love of God, then send it out to evangelize the parts of our souls that are farthest away from God’s light, those places behind the walls. Soaking is as vital a spiritual discipline as worship, prayer or reading the Bible. We submit our minds and souls to receive the transforming work of the Holy Spirit by a process. How, then, do we go about the business of soaking?

First, for soaking to be effective, we must come to it with an attitude of expectant faith in God. We must believe that He exists. We must believe that He will answer us. We must wait eagerly and expectantly for Him to come. My pastor likens this kind of waiting to the way that Wiley E. Coyote ‘waits’ for the Roadrunner; this kind of waiting is anything but passive! We also have to wait in faith, because we may have to wait a long time without any necessary indication that anything is happening as in my case.

The Lord showed me a vision once in which I was standing with Him on the ocean shore watching the waves lap up onto the beach. All of a sudden, as we watched, the lights went out and the Lord pointed out to me that even though I couldn’t see the waves, I could hear them at work.

earth, we hear testimonies about His power. The things we perceive sink down into our souls to a certain degree and then stop. As we meditate on these truths and let them ‘dwell richly within us,’ they take root deeper and deeper inside until a clear pathway opens up between the soul and the spirit in light of the truth on which we are meditating. At some point, suddenly revelation flashes out from the spirit and illuminates the pathway within the soul, and God establishes more of His Kingdom within us. In other words, the light of the revelation we receive from God permanently transforms that area of our souls.

The problem is that each person puts up walls throughout the conscious and subconscious mind, which block truth from flowing inward and the flow of revelation and power outward. When we describe knowing something of God in our heads but not in our hearts, we are describing a truth about God, which has lodged in our understanding or our will, but has been blocked from connecting with the spirit by a wall in the soul. Walls commonly appear in the understanding as unbelief. In the will they appear as rebellion, judgment, and unforgiveness. In the memory, walls appear as suppression, a refusal to allow dark or



"Day and night," He told me, "whether you can see them or not, the waves never stop washing the shore. And in the same way, day and night, whether you see it or not, my love never stops moving upon and washing the parts of your soul that you have submitted to me."

The next step in soaking is to withdraw your mind from the distractions around you and focus on the presence of God within. The Bible tells us that the Kingdom of God is within, and that, in fact, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit have all taken up residence within us. Our minds are usually so active and distracted with the things going on around us and our efforts to find God 'out there', that the last place we think to look for Him is the one place that we can really be sure that we will find Him.

With our minds quieted and our attention tuned within to the presence of God, we must surrender our own agenda and wait upon the Lord. Soaking is not an opportunity to tell God what we want Him to do for us. It is an opportunity for us to surrender and submit to the transforming and renewing work of the Holy Spirit. Although this may at times turn into a dialogue about one

of those walls that needs to come down, many times it is simply an opportunity for the Holy Spirit to deepen your experience, as Paul puts it, "How wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ."

As you continue this practice and the walls inside your soul begin to wash away under the influence of the love of God, you develop a habit of turning inward to find Him. In other words, you learn how to abide in the love of God and bring more of your soul under the influence of His Spirit. It is this habit that over time opens up the way for you to experience the fulfillment of Paul's prayer for the Ephesians, "That you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God."

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Buck and Anna Eaton

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You should go to Toronto, and go to the Soaking School there. I think it would be good for both of you, and also give some credibility to what you are doing,” said a dear friend of ours. It was August of 2003, and in fact, this was the third person in two weeks to encourage us to go to Toronto for the Soaking School. By the third time, we decided maybe the Lord was trying to say something to us!

This came at a very pivotal time in our lives. We knew the Lord was about to make some changes for us, but we really didn’t have any clear direction yet. We had been touched by revival years before, in 1996 in Houston, Texas, in some meetings with an Australian evangelist named Chris Harvey. The anointing was very strong in Chris’ meetings, and he taught us that we could ‘lie in the River’ at home, and that the Holy Spirit would touch us.

Meanwhile, we had been raising our children in good churches in the Houston area, but over the years we had gotten dry. We just were not satisfied with the regular routine of Sunday morning church anymore. We wanted His presence! When we had attended the revival meetings, it was like pouring water on dry, cracked land. We just soaked it up!

In 1999, after going from revival meeting to revival meeting for a few years, often in other cities or states, we began to feel the Lord telling us

to open our home to the anointing. We started inviting friends over for ‘River’ meetings. People were amazed that the Lord would touch them in a house meeting! We had meetings monthly for several years, always inviting in a guest minister. We also hosted a few conferences at a local hotel.

From the beginning of our home meetings, the Lord had given us a dream of a ministry that would be born from this. We didn’t really know what it would look like, but we knew that the Holy Spirit must have the freedom to touch His people. That was His desire, and we wanted to make room for that.

By August 2003, the Lord had been speaking to us that we were to take the ministry further and make it more structured than just home meetings,

but we still didn't know exactly what we were to do. Buck had even felt led to leave his career of 16 years in the financial services industry. This was a major decision, because we had four children, a mortgage and everything that

this teaching. We were learning things we had never heard before!

But, of course, it was the teaching on the Father's love for us that completely changed our lives forever. We had no

to minister. We would soak in God's presence, and Buck taught all the things that he had learned at the Leaders School. We also began to step out and give prophetic words to people. Our meetings were sometimes very small,



goes with it. But the Lord confirmed this several ways, and we knew we had to obey. (Buck even received a generous offer to stay on with the firm, but had to refuse.)

So, when three different people, who didn't even know each other, all told us to go to Toronto for the Soaking School, we asked the Lord if He wanted us to go, and He said, "YES!" Although we had been in revival for several years, we had never had the opportunity to go to Toronto, or hear any of the teaching from there.

We arrived in Toronto in November of 2003, for the Soaking School and the Father Loves You Conference, and the Lord began ministering to us from the very first day. June Bain told us about the beginning of the renewal in Toronto and taught about contemplative prayer, soaking and inner healing. Jeremy Sinnott taught us about hearing God's voice and journaling. Buck and I both just loved

idea that the Lord's love for us was so passionate and radical. I wept as The Father's love swept over me. Inside, I kept thinking that everyone everywhere should hear this teaching. Why, why, why hadn't we heard it before?

Buck returned to Toronto in January to attend the Leaders School. It was during the Leaders School that Buck received two visions that completely changed his concept of the Lord, and that have become the cornerstone of what we teach now.

At the end of the Leaders School, John and Carol Arnott prayed for the students to receive an impartation of the Father's love and to send us out to minister. Something was truly imparted to us, because now, whenever we minister, the Father's love is the foundation of everything that we teach and do.

When Buck returned home from the Leaders School, we were still holding meetings in our home, but now he began

but the Lord always touched people, and the anointing was always strong. Many people received much healing and revelation at these first meetings. The meetings slowly began to grow.

During this time, we also formalized the ministry, getting our non-profit status approved, and establishing a website. We named our ministry The River Connection.

While in Toronto in January 2004, Buck had met Cindy Parton from Dallas, Texas, who has held 'soaking parties' in her home for many years. In April, she and her husband Bob came down to our home to hold a soaking seminar for three days. We had a blast with them! Through these meetings, we met other people in the area who were interested in soaking, and many of them began coming to our soaking meetings. One couple we met, Dennis and Lydia Tyne, had moved here from South Africa because they felt the Lord had said that the next great move of



... the Lord wants to raise up an army to do the work of gathering in the harvest.

God would be in America. They have since become a major part of our church.

We also were hosting conferences at a nearby hotel. About this time, we began to feel that it was time to move the meetings out of our home. We began looking at different places, but none seemed right. However, that October during another conference we were hosting, we happened to mention to one of the ladies there that we were looking for a place for our meetings. She excitedly waved over her friend, Carolyn Borger, and said: "Carolyn, listen to this!" I repeated what I had said, and Carolyn smiled and said, "Well, I have a building."

It turned out that she runs a food pantry ministry called 'Amigos de Dios' (friends of God), in nearby Stafford, just outside of Houston. She and her late husband had started it many years before when God put it on their hearts to reach out to the poor and needy. Carolyn offered to let us use the building for free if we would just cover the electricity bill.

That December, we held our first River Connection conference at Amigos de

Dios. Prior to that, we had received a prophetic word that a spiritual explosion was about to take place in our area. The first day of the conference, there was a literal explosion at a factory just a couple of miles away. Thankfully, no one was hurt. We felt that this was confirmation of the spiritual explosion that the Lord had promised. That conference with June was wonderful, and was the start of the River pouring out at the new building.

In January, we began holding Sunday evening meetings at Amigos. The initial response was good, with more than 30 people attending those first couple of meetings.

One thing that the Lord instructed us to do was to help 'bring Toronto to Houston.' What we believe He meant by that is to bring not only the anointing in, but also the teaching. We invited Mark Virkler to minister this past March, and 120 people squeezed into our building! They loved the Communion with God Seminar that Mark taught, and many of them also took the follow-up class that we offered. This past June, Ivan and Isabel Allum came and taught a Prophetic Conference

for us. We have also had John Scotland minister for us, as well as Chris Harvey.

From the beginning, we have not felt that we were to have 'just a church,' but that we would also be a training and equipping center. We believe that we are to help train up others for the ministries into which the Lord has called them. Too many people have been sitting on pews or chairs as audience members for too long. The Lord wants to raise up an army to do the work of gathering in the harvest. We are already praying about the next building so that we can have room for more people, training classes, a Healing Room, a youth ministry, and a revival bookstore and coffee shop.

All of this really was born out of soaking, and we are so thankful that the Lord sent us to Toronto to attend the Soaking School. We still pray for people and soak at the end of every meeting, and on Wednesdays, we have a special soaking night. We will never get tired of soaking, because it's there, resting in the presence the God, that we are refreshed, changed, healed, revived, and just fall more and more in love with our Lord.

Buck and Anna Eaton are pastors of The River Connection Church and Training Center in Stafford, Texas. They have



four awesome children, Collin, 18, Tyler, 15, Caroline, 13, and Zachary, 11.

They have been in full-time ministry for two years, and have loved every minute. They have received training at the TACF Leaders School, as well as Restoring the Foundations International Training Center in North Carolina.

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November 8-10	Steve Long	Sapiranga, Brazil	Ministerio Internacional da Colheita, Vania Rorato, 051 599 2686, pra@colheita.org, www.colheita.org
November 11-13	Steve Long	Sao Paulo, Brazil	Geraldo Denarde, 19 815 87481, 11 820 27249, intimodopai@linkway.com.br
November 11-13	Bill and Melinda Fish	Robinson, IL, USA	Crawford County Christian Center, lrayp@hotmail.com
November 12-13	Melinda Jeffrey	Buffalo, NY, USA	Prophetic Weekend, coreylovesjoanne@yahoo.com
November 15-18	Alyn and AJ Jones	Toronto, ON, Canada	TACF School of Ministry, Joanna Steinman, school@tacf.org
November 15-20	Steve Long	Parana, Brazil	Geraldo Denarde, 19 815 87481, 41 267 3032, intimodopai@linkway.com.br
November 18-19	Bill and Melinda Fish	Grand Rapids, MI, USA	Grand River Church, Ron and Kim Cipic
November 19-20	Russell Benson	Brandon, FL, USA	Covenant Community Fellowship, Russell Benson, 813 504 1122, rbenson@covenant-community.com
November 19-26th	Melinda Jeffrey	New Orleans, USA	Ramesh Naraine, rnaraine@tacf.org
November 20	Bill and Melinda Fish	Kalamazoo, MI, USA	New Day Community Church, Cameron Wright, www.newdaycommunity.org
November 25-26	Peter and Heather Jackson	Collingwood, ON, Canada	Eagles' Rest, Peter and Heather Jackson, 705 429 2661, peter@peterjackson.org
December 1-4	Peter and Heather Jackson	Vancouver, BC, Canada	Agape Life Center, 607 708 3762, stestw@aol.com
December 4-9	Peter and Heather Jackson	Orangeville, ON, Canada	School of the Father's, Singing Waters, 519 941 0929, info@singingwaters.org
December 9-10	John and Carol Arnott	Oakland, CA, USA	Shiloh Christian Fellowship, Verleeta White, 510 261 2052, www.ShilohCF.org

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January 8- 14	Melinda Jeffrey	New Orleans, USA	Ramesh Naraine, rnaraine@tacf.org
January 29-31	Peter and Heather Jackson	West Milford, NJ, USA	Christian Life Centre, Nancy Carhart, 973 728 3479, clc@clcnj.org
February 16-18	John and Carol Arnott	Virginia Beach, USA	Signs and Wonders Conference, TACF, 416 674 8463, 416 674 8465 (fax), registration@tacf.org, www.tacf.org
February 16-18	Duncan Smith	Virginia Beach, USA	Signs and Wonders Conference, Jon Long, 416 674 8463 ext 2225, long@tacf.org
February 26 - March 05	Ian and Janice Ross	Carribean	TACF Catch the Wave Conference
March 16-18	John and Carol Arnott	Halifax, NS, Canada	Father Loves You, TACF, 416 674 8463, 416 674 8465 (fax), registration@tacf.org, www.tacf.org
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March 30 - April 2	Mary Audrey Raycroft	Cranbrook, BC, Canada	Releasers of Life, Cathy Pretty, cathypretty@cyberlink.bc.ca
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May 25-27	Alyn and AJ Jones	Birmingham, AL, USA	Father Loves You Conference, Monika Ozimek, 416 674 8463, monikao@tacf.org
June 19-21	Alyn and AJ Jones	Toronto, ON, Canada	TACF School of Ministry, Joanna Steinman, school@tacf.org
June 22-25	Alyn and AJ Jones	Hartford, VT, USA	17 Days of Revival, Dee Copley, info@revivalconnections.org
November 2-4	John and Carol Arnott	Raleigh, NC, USA	Show Me Your Glory

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November 6-11	Peter and Heather Jackson	Shaftesbury, UK	School of the Father's Love, Dawn Merry, 017478 54993 shaftcctr@aol.com
November 12	Ian and Janice Ross	Netherlands	Dik and Maravanada Pols, 341560193, vanderpols@zecheraja.nl
November 13	Ian and Janice Ross	Montfoort, Netherlands	Eric and Helena de Kruij, 348474522, info@sionmontfoort.nl
November 13-19	Ian and Janice Ross	Torhout, Belgium	School of the Father's Love, Hugo and Inger Van Leemputten, gods.ambassade@skynet.be
November 14-18	Peter and Heather Jackson	Kiev, Ukraine	Leaders School, Pastor Dan Slade, peter@peterjackson.org
November 17-19	John and Carol Arnott	Dresden, Germany	Father Loves You Conference, TACF/ Nicola Tancock, nicola@ctfministries.com, 416 674 8463, 416 674 8465 (fax)
November 17-19	Stuart and Lynley Allan	Dresden, Germany	Father Loves You Conference, Stuart Allan
November 25-27	John and Trish Bootsma	London, England	Streatham Baptist Church, John Moncrieff, jmoncrieff@lewin.org.uk
December 15-20	Alyn and AJ Jones	Kharkiv, Ukraine	Renewal Meetings, Alyn Jones, alyn@catalysthome.org

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January 27-30	Ian and Janice Ross	England, UK	The Gathering Place, Blandford Forum, New Green, 01258 455761, chesterandnev@msn.com
February 2-4	John and Carol Arnott	Tonbridge, UK	Nicola Tancock, nicola@ctfministries.com
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February 13-17	John and Trish Bootsma	Shaftesbury, England	School of the Prophets, Dawn Merry, shaftcctr@aol.com
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July 27-29	John and Carol Arnott	Finland	Catch the Fire Finland

AFRICA AND PACIFIC RIM 2005-2006

DATE	SPEAKER	LOCATION	CONTACT
November 18-22	John and Trish Bootsma	Tokyo, Japan	Kumiko Obara, kumiko_obara@excite.co.jp
February 6-11, 2006	Duncan Smith	ILSoM, Nigeria	Jon Long, 416 674 8463 ext 2225, jlong@tacf.org
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March 24-26, 2006	Alyn and AJ Jones	Palmerston North, New Zealand	Katherine Ellis, 011 646 356 1287, katherine@pnfc.org.nz

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November 17-19, 2005

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Worship leaders include: Noel Richards

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January 17-20, 2006


Speakers include: John and Carol Arnott,
Henry Madava, Colin Dye

Worship: Marco Barrientos, Diego and Laura Ladino

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February 2-4, 2006

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November 3-5	Kenny Blacksmith
November 11	Scott and Hilary Dalton
November 17-19	Freedom, Forgiveness and Victory, Majed El Shafie
January 6-7	Mark Virkler: Communion with God Seminar

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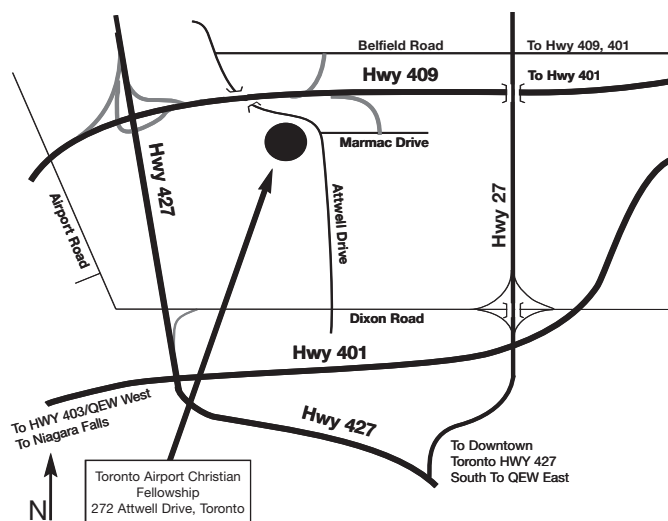
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Thursday	Seek His Face Meeting, 7:30pm
Friday	Come Holy Spirit meeting, 7:30-10pm
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