

WISDOM FROM THE

Word

FULFILLING YOUR DESTINY – PART NINETEEN

“That he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding and he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure.” Ephesians 1:8

His pleasure Have you ever tried to fix something but you didn't have the right tools? Have you ever attempted something that you are not qualified for? This leads to frustration, anger, depression and other debilitating feelings. I have found through 53 years of experience that if I devote my life to do things that please God, He radically blesses me. When I live for myself, I am unhappy and frustrated. Just as a child learns how to please his parents, or how an adult pleases his spouse or his boss, so we as children and servants of God need to learn how to bring Him pleasure. First of all, why should we praise Him?

- Punishment can be and is a good motivator. The fear of God is something that is rarely stressed. I have heard people say God is not up in heaven with a big bat waiting to whack us. He doesn't use a bat, but maybe He has used something like a big flood. Jesus said not to fear a person who can kill the body, but to fear God who can cast us into hell. Paul said, *“Knowing the fear of God, we persuade men.”*

- However, when we can hear God's voice saying, *“Well done, good and faithful servant,”* that to me is a very strong motivator. One of my strongest love languages is affirmation. When I help a child or love an orphan, I can sense that God is well-pleased. This motivates me to do more for Him.

- Things work more smoothly when we please God. We were made to please Him; we were not created to please ourselves. Therefore, when we serve Him, it is not difficult because we are fulfilling the purposes of God in us.

- Plus, if we serve God, according to Deuteronomy 28, the blessings of God will overtake us. Ever since we started helping orphans and walking in pure religion, my wife and I have been tremendously blessed. For example, we have joy unspeakable and full of glory, heavenly purposes and wonderful friends (like you reading this newsletter). We are building our 30th building, feeding 10,000 kids and traveling the world. I got cards on Father's Day in Honduras. We have beautiful properties on four continents, divine health, a wonderful family...can I go on? Yes, it does work to please the Almighty God.

What brings God pleasure is the ultimate question

- Answer: To find out, read His Word because His desires are clearly spelled out.

- To obey God is how we show that we desire to please Him. Every employee, child or spouse knows this, but do we do it? Even if it is difficult, we need to obey Him, and then – and only then – will we find the satisfaction of knowing that we are pleasing Him.

- We are created to worship God. Despite all of the ideas and dreams that people have about heaven, the one thing we can be sure of is that worship will last for eternity.

- In Hebrews 6:10-12, we are taught that the way to love God is to love people. This scripture only accentuates what Jesus told us to do in Matthew 25, that whatever we do to the least of our brothers, we do for God. Paul told us that all of the law is hinged on the Royal Law which is to love others as we love ourselves. To please God is to love those whom He created.

- Walking with God and interceding for others is the crux of Christianity. Paul said, *“...that I may know him and the power of his resurrection...”* should be the cry of our heart. When we are walking with God, a continuous theme in the Word of God is to *“make mention”* of others in our prayers.

- Being unselfish and loving God and others is what pleases the Father. Jesus did not come to please Himself, but to offer Himself as a sacrifice for us. Can't we do the same? Your sacrifice is to the One who gave the ultimate sacrifice – His only Son.



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— Sunday morning service and afternoon fellowship open to everyone —

Upcoming Conferences



May 17–Marriage–2 to 5 and 6 to 8

Newcastle Foursquare Church
1525 S Summit Ave. • Newcastle, WY
Rev. Michael Bohn (307)746-3618

May 26 – Ministers – All day
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June 14 –Entrepreneurs –YWAM Northwoods
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June 28 – Leaders•Ministers•Entrepreneurs
9:30 to 5 • Open Bible Fellowship
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Tom's quote *“If the whole world was like you, how would that look?”* Would the world starve? Would it need police or a military? Would it need a government? Would it need somebody to enforce rules? Or, would the world be like Jesus?

Honduras Highlights

Report by Teresa Stamman

- Good News!!! We hired a new activity director for after-school classes and weekends. She is going to keep them very busy reading books, having Bible studies, teaching good manners and hygiene, baking, playing sports, sewing, crocheting, knitting, and more.
- The school is in full operation. We hired a new English teacher.
- We bought fans for the classrooms. Pastor Bruce's church from Seattle bought computers for the school. The children are very excited about it.
- We are working on the plans for the school bathrooms.
- We started building the girls orphanage in March.
- They are working on floors, tiling, bathrooms and showers for the hotel.
- The fencing for the sheep and goats is done.

March mission trip Pastor Bruce Hill from Seattle, WA had a blessed time shopping for the orphanage. He bought a new washer and dryer. We were also blessed to having the Gustafson family from Neenah, WI; Pastor Paul Butterfield, Harry, and Mike McBride with his wife from Badger, IA; Brian Palm, Levi Horsley and Taylen Anderson from Carroll, IA; Ray Vickers and Mike with his wife from Ohio; Bridgett Grooms with her daughter Emily and two college students from Brookings, SD. They loved it. • Mike and Cindy Schubach are the best painters ever. They did a great job. • The construction missionaries fixed bathrooms, built shelves for the tool room and started building the tractor shed. • Some of the missionaries had English classes with the children and taught them songs in English. Some also did art with the children. • Thanks to Brother Kevin Gustafson and his wife, Julia, for bringing the children two swimming pools, one for older children and one for babies. The kids love it. • Two awesome photographers did an outstanding job taking pictures and filming videos. • We had a rewarding time at the garbage dump preaching the gospel and giving away a lot of shoes and food. People were very blessed, joyful and thankful. • At the IMI church, we had a great service, fed around 350 people and blessed single mothers with rice, beans and corn. • We had a blessed time in the power of God at Pastor Julio's church and a church on the mountain at night. • Our pool/pizza party at the hotel was enjoyable. Summer in Honduras has temperatures in the 90's, so being in the water was a blessing.



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Do you like construction? From now on, all of our building projects will have sheetrock, taping, ceilings, painting and tile work for Americans to do. This will give you an opportunity to finish a project and cut costs for us so we can continue to help those who need it most. Please consider coming on a mission trip with us.

Special thanks to Caruth Construction for donating for buildings, Bruce Hill's church for donating computers, Maribelle and Carl for building a room in the school, all of the churches and people who gave to our projects and kids, Gustafsons for the swimming pools for the children, Pastor Dave Ford and the members of WeatherStone Church, and so many others.

Six computers donated to the school by Rev. Bruce Hill and his church are helping our students get in the 21st century.



Kindergarten class



New computers



New classroom



Additions to the family



Kevin is an eight-year-old boy from our IMI church. He was diagnosed with leukemia last year and is going through chemotherapy treatment. His mother is a very poor lady from the mountains who can barely feed her three other children. Kevin was helped by an awesome church which can no longer help because they are going through a financial problem. If you would like to give to save this child's life, please

contact teresa@tstamman.com or send your check to **PO Box 102, Lonsdale, MN 55046**. Mark **Kevin-chemotherapy** on your check. Thank you so much for your help!!!

Delayed obedience is disobedience I have to confess that we can get caught up in the midst of life and fall short of God's calling for us. It was clear in 2012 that the Lord told me to start going to Honduras every month. But the need of raising funds always weighs on me. I have been so systematic in my life that I didn't make the changes needed to follow the direction that God was leading me. I know that He showed me He can do more than I can ask or imagine and that He can accomplish in a micro second more than I can in my whole life. So starting in July, I am going to Honduras three to four days each and every month. My friends and supporters, please pray and help support us, because four days in Honduras every month not only costs money, but also means that I am not out fundraising on those days. But God is good!



Rendering of new girls orphanage



Breaking ground

Fantastic news – All monies for the girls orphanage were raised in only six weeks. When we added twelve children in twelve days, we knew we needed to build a girls orphanage or we would run out of room. Praise God, in six weeks my good friends and partners raised all of the money. We hired a new company that saved us 10% and broke ground in March. Praise God! It should be finished by June. Check on Teresa's Facebook for weekly updates.

More fantastic news – It has been two years since we built the structure of our medical clinic. We have faced tremendous hurdles and obstacles that we didn't foresee: \$10,000 for retaining walls and redirecting water, \$50,000 for more retaining walls for security, and replacing the roof. We learned a lot. But, during our Signs and Wonders Conference on March 29th, we raised the last \$4,000. So by the time we have our next mission trip, it will be operational.

Three-year wait is almost over! The IMI retail center and hotel finish date is May, 2014. We are excited! The workers are done with all of the electrical, plumbing, walls, and cement floors. They are currently working on the sinks, vanities and shower tile and are finishing the plaster. The first week of April, they will begin to tile the floors. Then in May, all of the finishing touches and painting will be completed. Glory to God!



Hotel entry



Finishing the hotel and retail center

Honduras

Needs for the orphanage

- Crib mattresses - *three at \$35 each*
 - Twin mattresses - *five at \$50 each*
 - Storage for boys dorms - *six at \$240 each*
- Thank you for your generosity.*

Next IMI building projects

- We are currently raising money for a shed for our tractor and implements and grain. It's not good to have a tractor sitting in the elements. It has been almost two years, and we need to finish it.
- We are also raising money to build four bathrooms for the school. Currently, the bathrooms are too far away and when the children cannot make it in time, they soil their clothes.

Agriculture report

- We have finished the fencing around the entire ninety acres. It was quite a feat but our all-star farmer, Oscar, got'r done.
- Oscar has built three pens for calves, cows and sheep.
- Phase one of the irrigation is completed. We are watering over 300 fruit trees and the side of a hill for pasture.
- Oscar is milking two of the cows, so our babies get fresh milk each day.
- Some of our papaya trees are now producing fruit.
- We are building a water storage tank for the irrigation system and it will be done by the time that most people will receive this newsletter.
- In April, we are purchasing 2,000 minnows to start our tilapia ponds which will provide meat for the orphanage and our restaurant.
- We are building a barn and have sent \$4,500. We need another \$3,000 to finish. Please mark **barn** on your offering to help.

Future agricultural needs

Phase two of the irrigation system to provide water for 400 fruit trees • planting the next crop of corn and beans • pigs and pig pens • sheep • goats • clearing seventy acres of virgin land to plant fruit trees • another tilapia pond • rabbits and pen • more cows • clear more land for fruit trees • chickens and chicken fencing • turkeys and pens

IMI makes offer on land in Honduras

IMI is looking for partners to buy a property across the river with a house and two wells. We believe the land has about 35 acres. It would be perfect for farming and is walking distance from our property. We offered them \$150,000 divided into twelve monthly payments. They have countered by asking for \$50,000 down. For that type of downpayment, we definitely need partners, or perhaps, borrow money from someone.

We received our fifth commitment to build a house at the City of Refuge

Do you trust the government? Do you want a beautiful vacation home? Do you want a house fully paid off? Another crunch is coming – pray about building in Honduras. It's approximately \$30 a square foot. We are now developing the roads to build your Honduran getaway.

Around the World



Big news in Liberia The \$8000 for the girls dorm at the orphanage has been received and the foundations were started April 1st. We will need \$17,000 to finish the project which will be able to house 32 girls. This includes two large bathrooms with showers. Also, the bread oven is now in full operation. The staff, along with the orphans, bake bread and sell it to help provide for food and school materials. The City of Refuge (100 acres with buildings in Bomi) is being established. Five acres of land have been cleared and we need \$1000 to plant 242 rubber trees before the rainy season starts in May. That includes the trees, fertilizer and labor. The roof is finished on the church auditorium and school building and the future orphanage is on site now. We still need \$8,063 to complete this project, which includes \$1796 for windows, \$5,580 for eighteen doors, frames, hinges and locks, and \$687 for painting and finishing concrete. Things are moving fast; IMI is making a huge **IMPACT** throughout the country. To be a part of it, mark **Liberia** on your check. Thanks.

IMI hits the five million meals mark through April 30th Thanks to God and his people, IMI has paid shipping on 330,000 meals to the Philippines each of the last fifteen months. To help out, mark **food** on your offering check. Through the generous giving of IMI partners, we were able to send a forty-foot container of food to the Philippines through our partner – Risen Savior Missions. Thanks for your support in feeding 6,000 children.

Give a man a fish and he will eat for a day; teach him to fish and he will eat for a lifetime. We are in the beginning stages of developing our own clothing line called "Good Samaritan Clothes" with Blanca, our dear friend from Chicago. We want to give our children a future, put people to work, and make money to feed more children. We have the buildings, we just need \$6,500 to buy the equipment. To help us get started, mark **Good Samaritan** on your gift.



Construction in Laudov, Bangladesh

The walls for the school are going up. PTL!

Become an IMI ambassador The number one piece of advice that I get is that we need to find and delegate people to do what I do. Unfortunately, we didn't have a strategy or a plan until now.

An IMI ambassador is someone who has a heart for orphans and widows and wants to make history by helping build Cities of Refuge all across the world. The goals are to: 1) Create awareness of what IMI is doing 2) Find people to go on mission trips 3) Raise monies to feed, clothe, educate, build housing, etc. You will fulfill these goals by doing fundraisers; speaking; contacting places to speak, such as churches; picking up goods to bring, etc. IMI is looking for volunteers and/or people who need a part-time job.

We will have our first IMI ambassador meeting and training **May 24-25**, Memorial weekend, at our cabin in West Union, IA. If you are interested, please call me at **(612)202-6064**. We currently have ten who have signed up. Come help kids, build a city and change the world, besides earning prizes, vacations, mission trips and possibly an income.



The Joshua Project has begun – \$2,200 and counting

The Book of Joshua, chapter one reads, "Arise, go over this Jordan, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them...Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given you..." Have you read the words of David and Jesus, that the meek will inherit the earth? You can either *donate* to IMI to buy land for agriculture or building orphanages or building your second home or *invest* and be part owner of a property. Now is your opportunity; don't wait until the dollar is devalued to nothing. Send your donation or investment to **IMI, PO Box 102, Lonsdale, MN 55046** and mark it **Joshua Project**. IMI and its partners currently own 850 acres in Honduras, Guatemala, Peru, United States, Bangladesh, Uganda and Liberia. Come join the team. Let's buy land together. Call **Tom** if you are interested at **(612)202-6064**.

India orphan testimony Pabitra Nayak came from a Christian background. Both his father and mother died when he was a small boy. He was living in a cottage with all the members of his uncle's family in the very remote hill areas. His uncle is a very poor man who was not able to regularly provide daily food. Pabitra was very weak physically and mentally and was not able to talk properly. Seeing his condition, one of our pastors brought him to the HJW home. After coming to this home, Pabitra's life changed. He started living with much happiness and is getting proper care and love. He slowly realized he needed the grace of God and began praying. Pabitra wholeheartedly submitted himself to God. From the day he started living a God-fearing life, he began to excel in his studies and be spiritually active. He acquired good qualities, too, especially since he accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Saviour. He helps others and is cooperative, humble and punctual. Pabitra's main aim in life is to be a servant of God, so after completion of his education, he wants to go for theology training and start evangelistic works among unreached villagers. He needs our prayers very much.

IMI welcomes five new ministers

Please keep them in prayer.

- Brian Linkous – Ellijay, GA
- Dennis Salter – Waupaca, WI
- Katina Lazarides – Wales, WI
- Lee Kennedy – Edgerton, WI
- Cheryl Kennedy – Edgerton, WI



I endorse this young man

“Hi, my name is Colton Cobb. I volunteer and travel with Tom in his ministry. God has called me to India to preach the gospel, build churches, and take care of orphans and widows. Please e-mail me at Rockwell.Cobb@gmail.com if you would like to support me and the work that’s done in India through prayer or funding. Thank you and God bless.”

Do you know you can rent a beautiful six-bedroom, six-bathroom cabin with large meetings rooms, swimming, fishing, shooting, hunting, volleyball, basketball and games for our cost plus cleaning if you are an IMI partner? Call **Tom** at (612)202-6064 or contact **Teresa** through our website listing on www.vrbo.com West Union, IA.

Do you have a snowmobile, car, truck, furniture, etc. to donate?

Why not feed children with the things you have laying around your property? A good friend of ours donated a truck and we were able to feed 100 children in one month. Call Tom, if you are interested, at (612)202-6064.

Buy a kitten and pay for two

orphans for a year Purebred registered silver Persian and chinchilla Persian kittens will be ready in August. Call **Jessica Witte** (my daughter) at (320)963-5064.

Witte Landscaping hit it out of the park this year for us. You should see our landscaping! Tom Witte has been doing landscaping full-time for 22 years and is a perfectionist. His clientele includes very successful people. Call (612)616-5052.

Save money and save a child

IMI invests in a gun store in Rockford, IL with Pastor Don Wynn. You can buy guns and ammo at a wholesale price and earn profits on them. Also, we purchase used guns. “Buy a gun, save a child” is our motto. To buy a gun, supplies or ammo call **Pastor Don** at (815)222-5291.

Not really The economy is so bad that... I got a pre-declined credit card in the mail.

Politics “One of the penalties for refusing to participate in politics is that you end up being governed by your inferiors.” – Plato

Healing truth of the month

Our recreated spirit is perfect. Perfect isn't afraid of anything. Your heart, on the other hand, isn't perfect. This is why your heart needs to be renewed to the Word. When your heart knows the same thing your spirit does, it becomes healthy. *Knowledge acted upon brings results.* Schedule a healing meeting today. Contact **Roland Burt Ministries** at 7175 Valley Dr. SW, Byron, MN 55920 or call (507)990-7975 or e-mail BroRolandBurt@gmail.com.



Business tip “There is no shortage of remarkable ideas; what’s missing is the will to execute them.” – Seth Godin

Questions: Are you following through with the ideas? Are you improving yourself? Are you the smartest and hardest working person you know? How do you handle obstacles? How can you improve yourself? What blocks your success? Do you know what you need to do? What motivates you? What do you need to change?

Your financial team by Rick Weller, bank VP in Kenyon, MN

Your financial team should consist of **GOD** who guides you by His word, the Bible, through teaching and discernment. Your next team member is your **SPOUSE** or someone you can trust to provide helpful push back to your plans so they are well thought through. An **ACCOUNTANT OR FINANCIAL PLANNER** should be consulted to take advantage of the financial tools available to grow your money. Your **BANKER** can assist with the generation of needed capital and provides the vehicle to move money to where you want it to go. And finally, you need to have an **ATTORNEY** to guide you through the legal paths you need to follow. An attorney may also be needed to help represent you if your plan is legally challenged.



Do you need legal help with a will, immigration or a non-profit, or do you have a problem with the law? Phil (my son) emphasizes in immigration law and non-profits and his partner, Scott Salisbury, specializes in criminal law. (He was a DA for ten years.) You can contact them at (612)616-2932.

Here’s an insurance person you can trust! With over ten years of financial experience, Keith Maurer is a financial advisor at Faber Financial Group. He will verify that you have the proper insurance, for the proper price, at the proper time in your life. Keith Maurer is a major donor to IMI and one of the main speakers at many of the IMI conferences. Keith says, “If you can save money on your insurance, you have more to give to the orphans!” Contact him at 1521 N Convent, Ste 400, Bourbonnais, IL 60914 or e-mail at keith.maurer@raymondjames.com or call (815)932-3223. (Securities are offered through Raymond James Financial Services, Inc., member FINRA/SIPC.)

Financial tip “Formal education will make you a living; self-education will make you a fortune.” – Jim Rohn If you want to earn more, you need to learn more. The problem with most people is they get a job to pay the bills and then play. We need to realize that after six days, God didn’t stop working – He is ever creating, designing and planning. Everyday, try to advance your wisdom to help you succeed in those areas that are the most important to you and Jesus. Instead of spending spare time having fun, spend your spare time learning how to earn an income that you enjoy doing.

RG Construction is owned by Rod Grooms from Ottumwa, IA. His family has been in construction for over 100 years and they have done over a half a billion in sales. Rod has thirty years of experience servicing Iowa, western Illinois, northern Missouri and southern Minnesota. He does additions, new housing construction, or business and government projects. Rod has been to Honduras four times and will give 20% of the profits to IMI. Call him at (641)777-0683.

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Writing tip



Avoid weak and ambiguous words like the word “really” whenever possible. Instead of writing, “It’s really important you serve God,” write, “Serve God. It’s important.” Can you see how much more impact that has?

We are turning our house into a sober house We will be taking in and helping people who struggle with drugs and alcohol. The exciting thing is that the county will be picking up the tab. If we have six guests, then we will have all of our household needs met, and we will be able to give 100% of all our offerings to help the orphans and widows.

Family news *Oldest daughter, Jessica* – continues raising wonderful children. Our oldest granddaughter reads about thirty books a week like her grandma. Our second granddaughter loves preschool and is a social bunny like guess who? Jessica’s husband is anticipating the best year ever for his business. *Second daughter* – God is opening doors for her photography business and she enjoys her job and family life. *Phil* – works hard as a lawyer and his business is expanding. He is working for us forty hours a month. His wife has only five more months of nursing school.

Pray for the Stamman house Our household is growing again. We welcome our newest guest, Colton Cobb from Texas, who is a son of one of our ministers and is excited to travel and help in ministry. We also have Mark Treaton from Davenport, IA; Corey Kramer from Pella, IA; Brian from Kankakee, IL; and Chris and Mara from Rochester, MN.

IMI Calendar

MAY

- 1 **Iron Mountain, MI** Full Gospel Community Church - Rev. Charles & Rev. Julie White (906)774-0607 or 284-2184
- 2 **Montello, WI** Outreach, N 5850 11th Rd. - Billie Jo and Aaron Staveness (608)369-1506
- 2-3 **SINGLES RETREAT CANCELLED**
- 3 **Stanwood, WA** Home meeting, 16605 W. Lake Goodwin Rd. - Pastor Kathy (425)750-4411
- 4 AM & PM **Monroe, WA** Four Square Church, 17310 W. Main St. - Rev. Bruce Hill (360)794-7481
- 5 **Arlington, WA** The Pointe Church, 16910 59th Ave. NE - Rev. Lorna Lovett (425)293-5206
- 6 **Bothell, WA** 4710 156th St. SE - Phil Ellis (206)992-9991 & Don Jacque (206)679-0711
- 7 **Brainerd, MN** Outreach - Dean the preaching machine (218)330-0326
- 8 **Jasper MN** Jasper Community Church, 4th & Poorbaugh - Rev. Bill Ostermeier (605)212-3180
- 9 **Des Moines, IA** Abundant Life, 3700 E. Sherridan Ave. - Rev. Nate Hamlin (515)237-0030 or 371-7481
- 11 **Sanford, NC** Healing meeting - Rev. Ron Swails (919)895-2102 or 542-1555
- 12 **Richland Center, WI** Outreach, on Jefferson St. - Monica & Oakley Kershner (608)647-4304 or 604-0686
- 13 **Rice Lake, WI** Home meeting, 1529 24-1/2 St. - Bobbie & Thomas Demers (715)651-2373
- 14 **La Valle, WI** Advent Christian Church, 200 La Valle St. - Rev. Richard Johnson (608)985-7373
- 15 **Milladore, WI** Home meeting, 10761 Smokey Hill Rd. - Ken & Stacy Zivicki (715)652-2302
- 16 **Belle Fourche SD** Revival meetings - Alan Kinsfater (605)210-1162
- 17 2 to 5 & 6 to 8 **Newcastle, WY - MARRIAGE CONFERENCE** Newcastle Foursquare Church, 1525 S Summit Ave. - Rev. Michael Bohn (307)746-3618
- 18 AM & PM **Newcastle, WY** New Castle Four Square Church, 1525 S Summit Ave. - Rev. Michael Bohn (307)746-3618
- 19 **Ottumwa, IA** Pennsylvania Ave. - Pamula Schulz (641)777-6365
- 20 **Monmouth, IL** Outreach - Shawn Hart (309)734-4374 or 536-0234
- 21 **Lathrop, MO** First Assembly of God, 110 Pine St. - Pastor Brian (816)528-3807
- 22 **Ankeny, IA** Open Bible Fellowship, 1125 SW 3rd St. - Rev. Wally Shea (515)306-1144
- 23-24 **West Union, IA - ENTREPRENEURS CONFERENCE** IMI Cabin, 14975 Nature Rd. - Tom Stamman (612)202-6064
- 24-25 **West Union, IA** Saturday evening, Sunday morning Impact service/afternoon fellowship for IMI ambassadors and open all who want to enjoy the service and God's creation, IMI Cabin, 14975 Nature Rd. - Tom Stamman (612)202-6064
- 26 **Plymouth, IL - ALL-DAY MINISTERS CONFERENCE** Plymouth Assembly of God - Kevin Lingenfelter (309)458-6677 or (309)458-3293 or (217)242-6213
- 27 **Granite Falls, MN** Outreach, Granite Grinder, 176 East Hwy 212 - Lisa Massman (320)564-4244
- 28 **Hibbing, MN** Hibbing Christian Assembly, 2210 2nd Ave. W. (218)929-1940
- 29 **Blaine/Coon Rapids, MN area** - Matthew Goers (651)260-7045
- 30 **Austin, MN** Outreach, 2600 5th Ave. SW - Bruce and Deanna Franta (507)460-8623
- 31 **Granbury TX** Generation's Church, 5718 E. Hwy. 377 - Rev. Alan Latta (817)219-5164

Be sure to call the host listed to confirm times and services.

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JUNE

- 1 **Granbury TX** Generation's Church, 5718 E. Hwy. 377 - Rev. Alan Latta (817)219-5164
- 3 **Rochester, MN** Outreach - Chris & Mara O'Bryne (520)561-0711
- 4 **Ft. Dodge, IA** Winds of Fire - Rev. Paul Butterfield (515)570-0131
- 5 **Oskaloosa, IA** Outreach - Linda Boese (641)673-8327 or 295-0576
- 6 **Woodstock, MN (near Pipestone)** 1696 State Hwy 30 - Rev. Elaine Ulk (507)777-4290 or 215-2123
- 7 **Milton, WI** Rock County Christian Center, 3001 East State Rd. 59 - Pastor Chukee (608)320-0640
- 8 AM **Amery, WI** New Life Community Church, 119 W. Birch St. - Dr. Joe Goldsmith (715)338-1359
- 8 PM **Portage, WI** Activate Church, 101 Hiawatha St. - Aaron Staveness (608)617-8861
- 9 **North Branch, MN** Perkins Restaurant *all invited* - Phillip Lang (612)978-5321
- 10 **Amery, WI** Harvest Fire Ministries, 1545 Kennedy Mill Ave. - Rev. Paula & Jamie (715)338-8892
- 11 **Richland Center, WI** Outreach, Hwy. BA - Rev. Jeff Shelton (608)495-1008
- 12 **Plymouth, MN** Thy Word, 4325 Zachary Lane - Bishop Leman (218)404-3765 & Dr. Margaret Nuttal
- 13 **Sioux City, IA** Word of Life, 1478 Buchanan Ave. - Wally Green (712)259-2863 or 258-0405 or 203-0980
- 14 **Weyerhaeuser, WI - ENTREPRENEURS CONFERENCE** all day YWAM Northwoods, W14580 County Rd. D - Rev. Dave Holmbeck (715)353-2280
- 15 **Tolna, ND** New Life Fellowship, 2750 Hwy. 20 - Rev. Jeff Kapelle (701)262-4446
- 17 **Cedar Falls, IA** Home meeting, 2816 Scenic Dr. - Kay Cervatti (319)269-0790
- 18 **Rockford, IL** First Love Fellowship, 629 Vincent Ave - Rev. Don Wynn (815)222-5291
- 19 **Mauston, WI** Outreach - Rev. Gail Flemming (608)548-8729 Rev. Tony Flemming (608)548-7077 Isaac Flemming (608)387-0656
- 20 **Greenville, WI** Home meeting, N 1467 Julius Dr. - Teresa & Chris Voigtlander(920)757-6737
- 21 **Oswego, IL** 150 Kendall Point Unit C - Rev. David & Rev. Susanna Chacon (630)450-9171
- 22 AM **Winfield, IA** Winfield Open Bible Church, 203 S Walnut St. - Rev. Ed Spencer (319)257-3157
- 22 PM **Darlington, WI** 17518 State Road 23 - Rev. Steve Stauffacher (608)279-5433 or 776-3325
- 23 **Ottumwa, IA** Pennsylvania Ave. - Pamula Schulz (641)777-6365
- 24 **Ft. Dodge, IA** The Pointe, 1402 9th Ave. N. - Rev. Al Wright (515)570-3297
- 25 **Cottage Grove, MN** Household of Faith - Rev. Rich Pfeffer (612)267-2406
- 26 **Lodi, WI** Home meeting, 11480 Reynolds Rd. - Danice & Dan Kalscheur (608)212-9818
- 27 **Rochester, MN** Lighthouse Church, 1225 Elton Hills Drive - Rev. Peter Barby (507)288-2591
- 28 9:30 to 5 **Ankeny, IA - LEADERS, MINISTERS, ENTREPRENEURS CONFERENCE** Open Bible Fellowship, 1125 SW 3rd St. - Rev. Wally Shea (515)306-1144
- 29 AM **Lathrop, MO** First Assembly of God, 110 Pine St. - Pastor Brian Elliott (816)528-3807
- 29 6 PM **Des Moines, IA** New Life Center, 1057 23rd St. - Jamel Crawford (515)288-3353
- 30 - July 3 **HONDURAS MISSION TRIP**

Tom and Teresa's MISSION TRIPS



Every month, Dr. Teresa is in Honduras for the first ten days of the month

Indonesia
June

Honduras
June 27 - July 4

Liberia
August 29 - September

Construction projects in progress

- **Honduras** The walls and floors of the retail center are finished. They are now installing the tile and getting ready to paint. • The water tank for our irrigation system is almost done. • The medical clinic roof is just finished and the rest will be done by June. • The barn for the tractor, implements and grain is under construction. • The land for the girls orphanage was leveled and they are pouring the foundation.
- **Liberia** Orphanage walls are going up.
- **The Philippines** We are building a gymnasium which is 25% done.
- **Bangladesh** The walls of the school are being put up.

IMI Projects finished in 2014

- **Honduras** Seventy acres fenced in on the farm • New roof on medical clinic • Pens for sheep and cows • \$50,000 walls and razor wire for the medical clinic finished and paid for • Tool storage room finished • Phase one of the irrigation system completed and funds are being raised for the next phase of \$6,000
- **Liberia** The roof is finished on our 6,000 square-foot church.

Thoughts from Tom If they insulted Jesus, they will insult you. So if you want to hang with the heavy weights, you have to be able to take heavy weight punches.

~~~~~ DO IT ANYWAY ~~~~~  
 "People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered; forgive them anyway. If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; be kind anyway. If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies; succeed anyway. If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you; be honest and frank anyway. What you spend years building someone could destroy overnight; build anyway. If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous; be happy anyway. The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow; do good anyway. Give the world the best you have and it may never be enough; give the world the best you've got anyway. You see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God. It was never between you and them anyway." - Mother Teresa



# Giving Opportunities

*If you would like to designate money to a certain mission trip or project, please write a memo on your check or envelope, or fill out this form.*

**General fund** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Gas** Please continue to help with this ever growing expense! ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Building projects:** Guatemala Feeding Center & Church ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Honduras  Orphanage & Feeding Centers  Medical Clinic ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsor needy children/moms or support of orphans:**

- Feed a child the Word of God each week & meal for Sunday School  
 \_\_\_\_\_ children x \$2.50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ months = Total ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Feed a Guatemalan child for \$2.00 per month: ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Feed a child for \$10 per month  
 Cambodia  Bangladesh  Honduras  Philippines  Sudan  Kenya  
 \_\_\_\_\_ boys \_\_\_\_\_ girls \_\_\_\_\_ either x \$30 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ months = Total .... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Feed a Honduran mom for \$5.00 per month:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ moms x \$5.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ months = Total ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Feed and educate a child for \$20 per month:  Uganda  Sudan  
 \_\_\_\_\_ boys \_\_\_\_\_ girls \_\_\_\_\_ either x \$30 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ months = Total ... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- One-time sponsorship gift of \$400 for India (donated every 18 months will sponsor a child for a minimum of seven years) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Orphan sponsorship \$30/month (food, clothing, education, medical, housing)  
 Columbia  Belarus  Honduras  India  Liberia  Cambodia  
 \_\_\_\_\_ boys \_\_\_\_\_ girls \_\_\_\_\_ either x \$30 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ months = Total .... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Ministry sponsorships:**

- Evangelist or pastor in India for \$75/month or \$900/year ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Evangelist to preach three days a week to Hindus and Muslims or a pastor of an indigenous church in India for \$58/month ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Support a pastor for \$50/month  Honduras  Haiti  India ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**IMI new church in Honduras** to eventually seat 1,000+ ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Tom's day off** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Upcoming mission trips** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Special projects:** Describe ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total gift giving** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Covenant Partnership

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

*I'd like to become a covenant partner of Impact Ministries International. I will diligently pray and financially support this ministry so that together we can fulfill God's will to preach salvation, to prophesy, and to pray for the sick worldwide. As the Lord provides, I will share my financial blessings and my time to intercede for those who need the living Christ.*

### My covenant promise is to pray and give:

\$15.00  \$20.00  \$50.00  \$100.00  
 \$250.00  \$500.00  \$1,000.00 per month  
 Or a one-time gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Let's labor together!**

*"Be a yardstick of quality. Some people aren't used to an environment where excellence is expected." – Steve Jobs*

Daniel had an excellent spirit. Paul taught us in Philippians 4:8 to think with excellence. He preached to the Corinthians about doing things with excellence. Don't be mistaken that the grace of the Creator means He is satisfied with a sloppy job. This universe was created and is maintained with excellence. How can we give God anything less than excellence? This is why we try to do everything with excellence and still be a good steward of IMI money.

Send to:

**IMI • PO Box 102  
 Lonsdale, MN 55046**

### Auto deposit for contributions.

Remember, we are set up to place any contributors on automatic withdrawals with your bank.

E-mail us at **teresa@tstamman.com** for the form.

We can send it to you via e-mail or you can download it from our website.

## You need muscle mass for better thinking by Dr. Teresa Stamman Exercises that boost your brain – continued

Some researchers speculate that when the heart is strengthened, blood flow to the brain improves, which is associated with better cognitive function. A 2009 study from the University of Groningen in the Netherlands showed that building muscle mass leads to both *neurogenesis*, the creation of new brain cells, and *angiogenesis*, the increase in the amount of blood that flows to the brain. Another study from the Brain Research Center at the University of British Columbia showed that older women who lifted weights performed significantly better on various tests of cognitive functioning than women who completed toning or stretching classes.



In 2011, a study published in the proceedings of the National Academy of Science reported that a year of modest aerobic exercise reversed normal brain shrinkage by one to two years. So, do as much as you can, working towards a goal of seven hours a week for maximum results.



Certain competitive sports can develop your ability to think faster. As far as your brain is concerned, you don't have to be a professional athlete to get the most out of them. Choose any physical activity that involves movements you're not able to anticipate and has quick changes in direction. Tennis, soccer, basketball, or even ping-pong can provide mental challenges greater than activities like golf. The social component increases your competitive nature, making you work harder. What's more, just interacting with someone can help increase your emotional IQ.



**Think about this...** They say that nobody is perfect, then they say that practice makes perfect. I wish they'd make up their minds.  
**And this...** "If a word is misspelled in the dictionary, How would we ever know?" – John Baker



by Laura Diehl, Wisconsin Director of Kids in Ministry International  
[www.kimiwisconsin.org](http://www.kimiwisconsin.org)

Imagine yourself walking down a sidewalk. A man walks past you, but you really don't pay attention to him. Then, imagine yourself walking down the same street the next day. That same man walks past you, but this time he is wearing a police uniform. Of course, now you pay attention to him. It is almost like he commands your attention this time. It really isn't the man you are suddenly paying attention to; it is the authority of the uniform and badge.



The Kingdom of God works the same way. You are just an ordinary child and have no authority on your own. But when you "put on" the name of Jesus and "carry the badge" of the blood of Jesus, you have His authority and the spirit world and the demons MUST pay attention to you. They MUST do what you command them to do! In the name of Jesus, you can command a spirit of poverty or sickness to go. If you are afraid, command the spirit of fear to go away and leave you alone! Don't forget to put on the authority of Jesus. Walk in it everyday.

— Read Romans 13:14 and Luke 10:19 —