

# Love Seasons Discipleship School

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## European Pastors Convention

Jeffrey O. Brown, PhD  
Associate Secretary, General  
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**4 baptized in  
London, UK**

**Christ for  
Europe/Reflecting  
Hope, 2023**





**3 baptized in  
Dublin, Ireland**

**Christ for  
Europe/Reflecting  
Hope, 2023**





**6 baptized in  
Reading, UK**

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Hope, 2023**







**Papua New Guinea  
(PNG) for Christ  
(J Brown's site)**

**April-May, 2024**





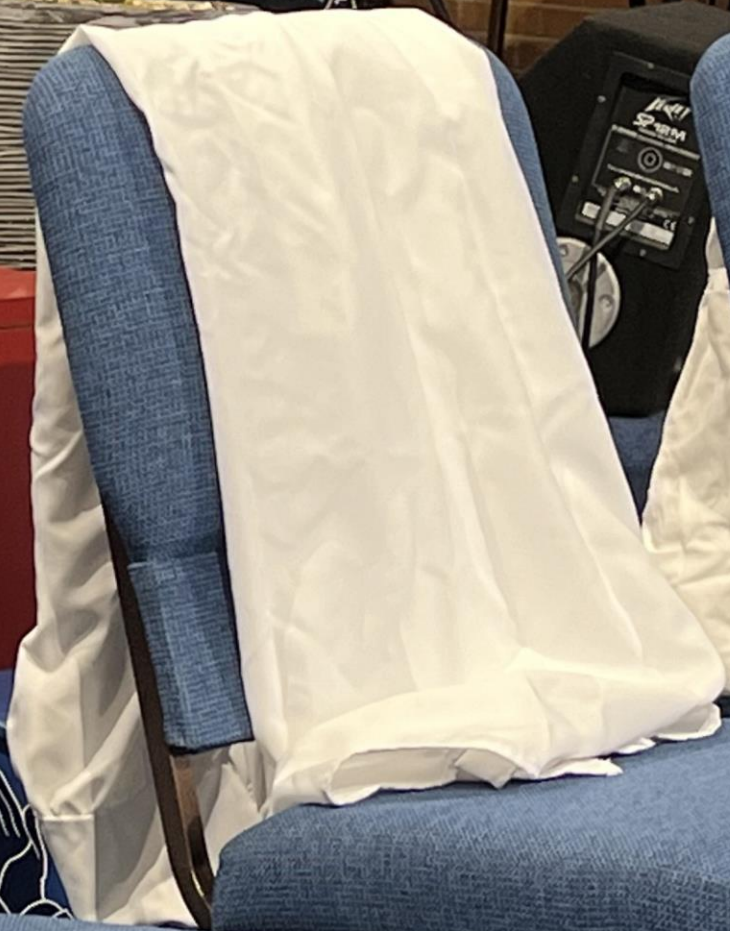
**303 baptized  
(J Brown's site)  
in Mount  
Hagen,  
Papua New  
Guinea**

**May, 2024**



SEVENTH-DAY  
ADVENTIST  
CHURCH

viscount.





To be transformed by God's love and to allow him to transform others through us.

BAPTISM  
WATER



A man in a white shirt and dark pants stands on the stage, holding a microphone and a white cloth, addressing the congregation.



THIS DO IN REMEMBRANCE OF ME

A man in a black shirt and tan pants sits on the left side of the stage, clapping his hands.

Three individuals, including a woman holding a baby, are seated in the foreground. They are wearing white baptismal robes and clear plastic hairnets, preparing for the ceremony.

A man in a brown jacket and black cap sits at a keyboard on the right side of the stage, likely providing musical accompaniment for the service.

**3 baptized in  
New  
Jerusalem  
SDA Church  
East St Louis,  
Illinois, USA**

**17 August,  
2024**





## John 13:34-35

- ◆ **34** A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.
- ◆ **35** By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another.



- ◆ It's loving your neighbour sitting next to you in the pew-  
love begins at home.
- ◆ It's loving your neighbour living next door to you.



# THE RESULTS

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## 2 Chronicles 7:14

“**If my people**, which are called by **my** name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek **my** face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.”

## *Testimonies vol. 9, p. 189*

“If we would humble ourselves before God, and be kind and courteous and tenderhearted and pitiful, there would be one hundred conversions to the truth where now there is only one.”

# In The New Testament Church All Were Involved

44 "And all that believed were together, and had all things common;

45 And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.

47 Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved."

Acts 2:44-47

Every member was involved.

Then the word of God spread, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, **and a great many of the priests** were obedient to the faith. Acts 6:7

We have a work to do for the **ministers of other churches** ... We must **labor for them earnestly** ... God wants them to have a part in His special work for this time. *Testimonies for the Church*, vol. 6, 77, 78



Bishop Michael Curry



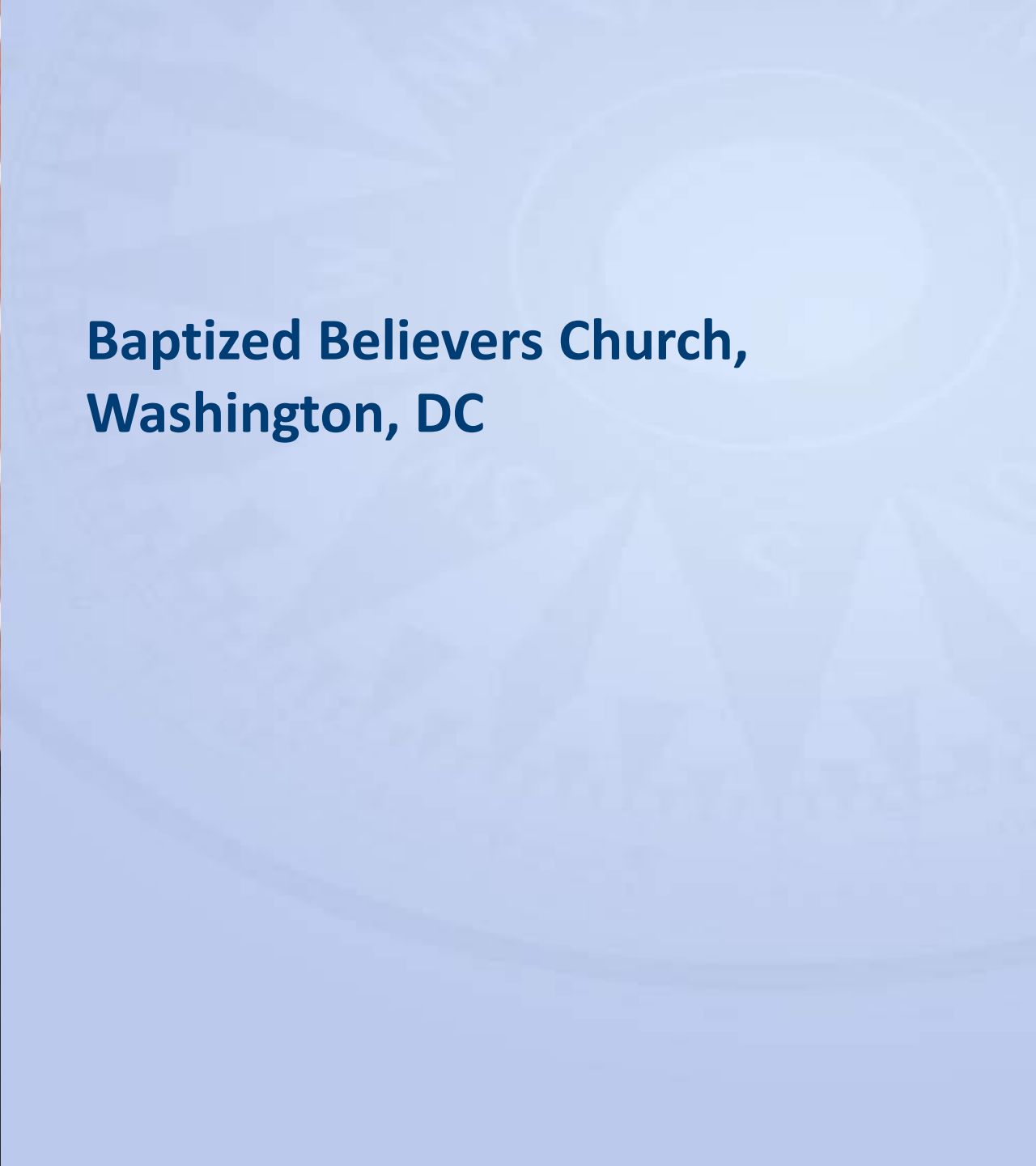


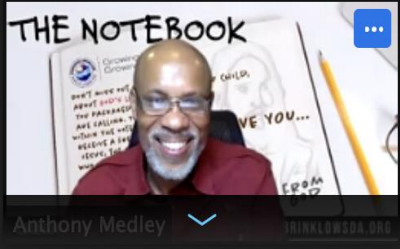
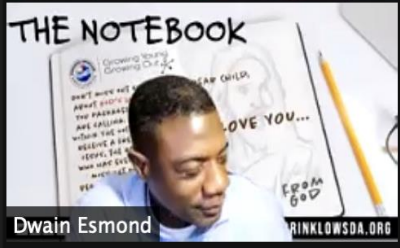




Pastor Isaiah Long

**Baptized Believers Church,  
Washington, DC**





GRACE.  
GROW.  
GO.



Welcome

TO THE  
TEAM



INSTALLATION SERVICE - AUGUST 31, 2024

PASTOR ISAIAH LONG

NEW ASSISTANT PASTOR @BRINKLOWSDA



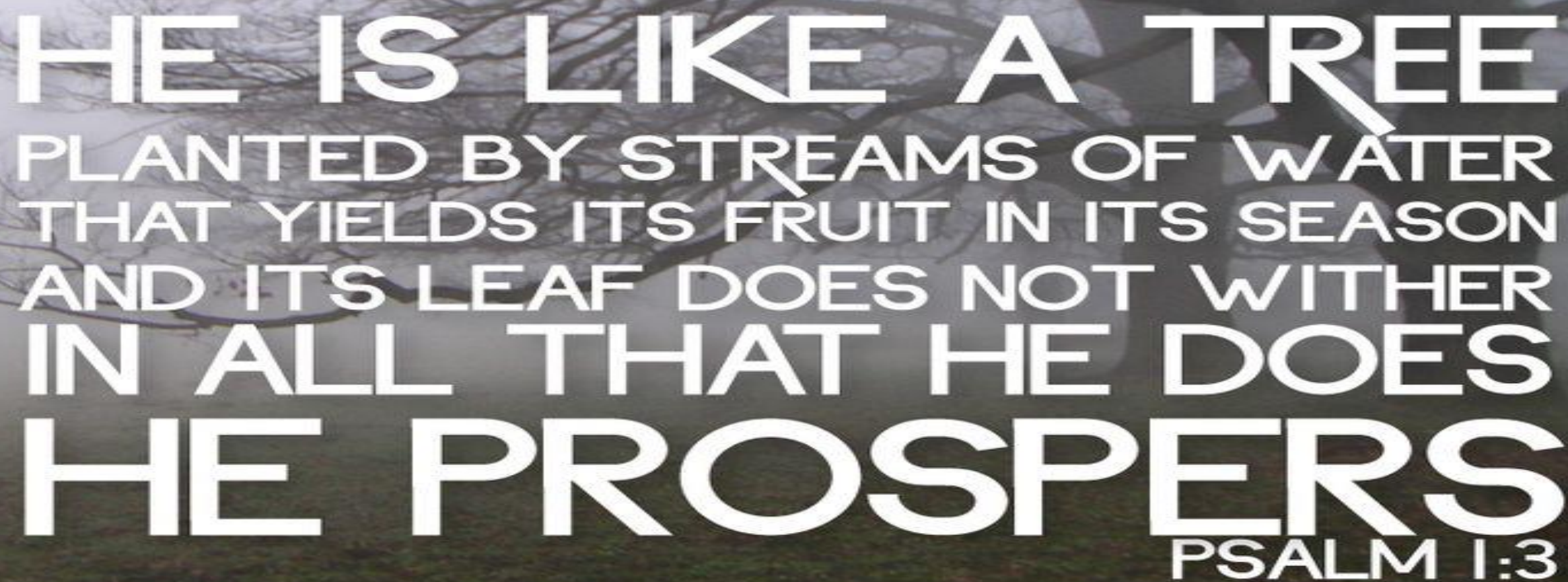
## Greatest help

“Let the minister devote more of his time to educating than to preaching. Let him teach the people how to give to others the knowledge they have received.”

—*Testimonies for the Church Vol. 7, 20*

“The greatest help that can be given our people is to teach them to work for God, and to depend on Him, not on the ministers.”

—*Testimonies for the Church Vol. 7, 19*



HE IS LIKE A TREE  
PLANTED BY STREAMS OF WATER  
THAT YIELDS ITS FRUIT IN ITS SEASON  
AND ITS LEAF DOES NOT WITHER  
IN ALL THAT HE DOES  
HE PROSPERS  
PSALM 1:3



**Introduction**—Don't expect someone else to do what you are supposed to do.

**WINTER** – *Prepare* – December to February

**SPRING** – *Plant* – March to May

**SUMMER** – *Cultivate* – June to August

**AUTUMN** – *Harvest* – September to November

**WINTER** – *Preserve/Prepare* – December to February

**Conclusion**—The most loving people in the world should be Seventh-day Adventists!

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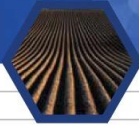


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&  
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**PRESERVE**  
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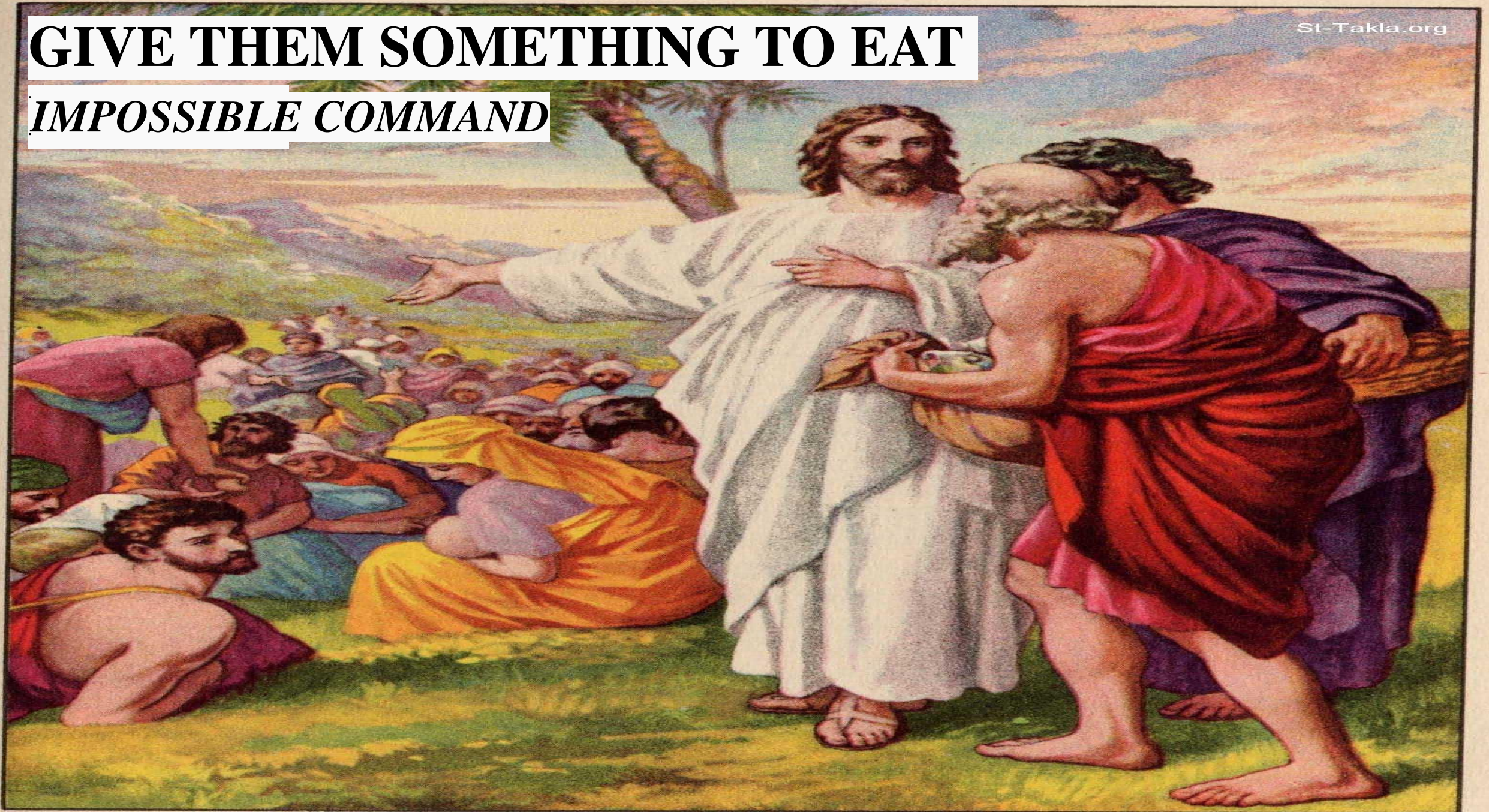
*the soil of the heart*

## DECEMBER-FEBRUARY

Befriend people and minister  
to practical needs.

**GIVE THEM SOMETHING TO EAT**

***IMPOSSIBLE COMMAND***



**JESUS FEEDING MANY HUNGRY PEOPLE**

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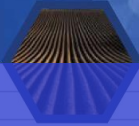
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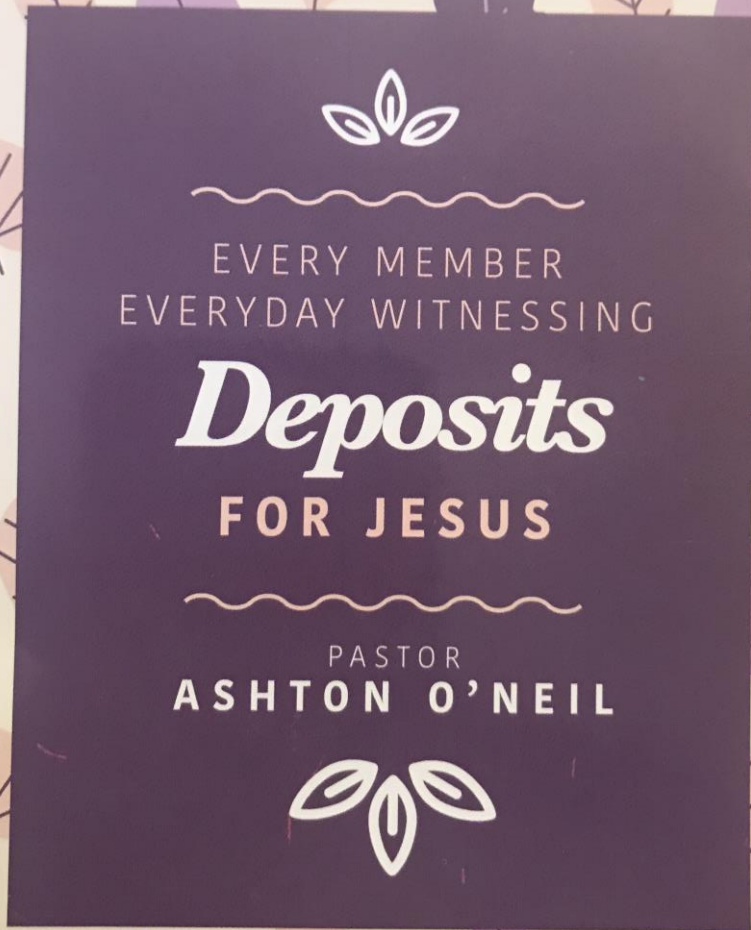


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- Over 400 practical ways to make witnessing deposits daily
- Witnessing Deposits for your family members, friends, senior citizens, neighbors, workmates, etc.
- The booklet has deposits (social media) that young people can make.
- **Each member should be encouraged to make at least three deposits for Jesus each day.**

type into google Mission Impact Fund



Fondo de Impacto de la Misión

FONDO DE IMPACTO DE LA MISIÓN:  
PROPÓSITO



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DONACIONES PLANIFICADAS



# SPRING—PLANT

*seeds of truth*

**March-May**

Invite people to consider spiritual truth.

**PLANT**

# HOW MANY LOAVES HAVE YE? Mark 6:38

*INSUFFICIENT RESOURCES*



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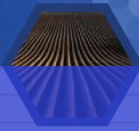


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“God would be pleased to see *The Desire of Ages* in every home. In this book is contained the light He has given upon His word.”

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*Colporteur Ministry*, 126, 127

“I am more anxious to see a wide circulation for this book than for any others ... for in *The Great Controversy*, the last message of warning to the world is given more distinctly than in any of my other books.”



# Members Need To:

- Each member needs to choose three persons - place names on prayer list
- Pray daily for each person on the list.
- Pray for an opportunities to make deposits of kindness and literature.
- Invite them to (social) events planned by the church.
- Then invite them to a Bible Study Group or campaign.
- Pray they will accept Jesus as their personal Saviour.

# SUMMER—CULTIVATE

*spiritual interests*

**June-August**

Engage people in Bible studies.

**CULTIVATE**

**MAKE THEM TO SIT DOWN John 6:10**

***INADEQUATE FAITH***



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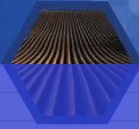
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**Bible Study  
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## HARVEST

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## PRESERVE

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- ◆ Several individuals contributed to the series' success, including Seminars Unlimited, which mailed Bible study cards to local homes, yielding more than 100 interests. "God has blessed this outreach. This is a lot of Bible study interests for this church family," noted Ella Johnson, who runs Seminars Unlimited with her husband Carl.
- ◆ Pastor and Bible worker Roosevelt Williams initiated follow-up with interests for three weeks before the 2023 series. He was then joined by six Bible workers, who answered Bible questions, prayed with interests, and befriended them. The relational aspect was critical, as Williams emphasized, "Friends follow friends."

- When you are having a church event, special invitations should be sent to all persons on church and personal lists.
- Use the event to build loving relationships
- **Every member should be involved in bringing the people they have worked with to the event and encouraging them to make decisions for Christ.**
- Every member's goal should be to bring at least one person or family to your evangelistic program.
- **When the call is made each member should encourage and bring their prospect to the altar.**

# AUTUMN—HARVEST

*decisions for Christ*

## **September-November**

Appeal to people to follow Christ and  
Bible truth and to be baptized.

**HARVEST**



**BRING THEM HERE TO ME Matthew 14:18**

***INCREDIBLE POWER***



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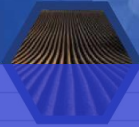


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## **The Victoria SDA Church in Guyana**

- ◆ After making daily deposits for nine months, they were able to build strong loving relationships with the people in their community.
- ◆ A one-week reaping campaign was held in a tent and 104 persons were baptized.

## **The Golden Grove SDA church in Guyana**

- ◆ They worked for six months making deposits and building relationships in their community.
- ◆ A one-week reaping campaign was held in their church and 50 persons were baptized.



# WINTER—PRESERVE/PREPARE

*the harvest*

## **December-February**

Nurture new members in spiritual habits, train them in soulwinning, and integrate them into the life and mission of the church.

**PRESERVE**

**GATHER THE FRAGMENTS THAT REMAIN John 6:12**

***UNSTOPPABLE RESULTS***



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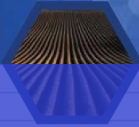


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“When we are **successful** in the work of soulsaving, those who are added to the faith will, in turn, use their ability in **giving the truth to others.**”

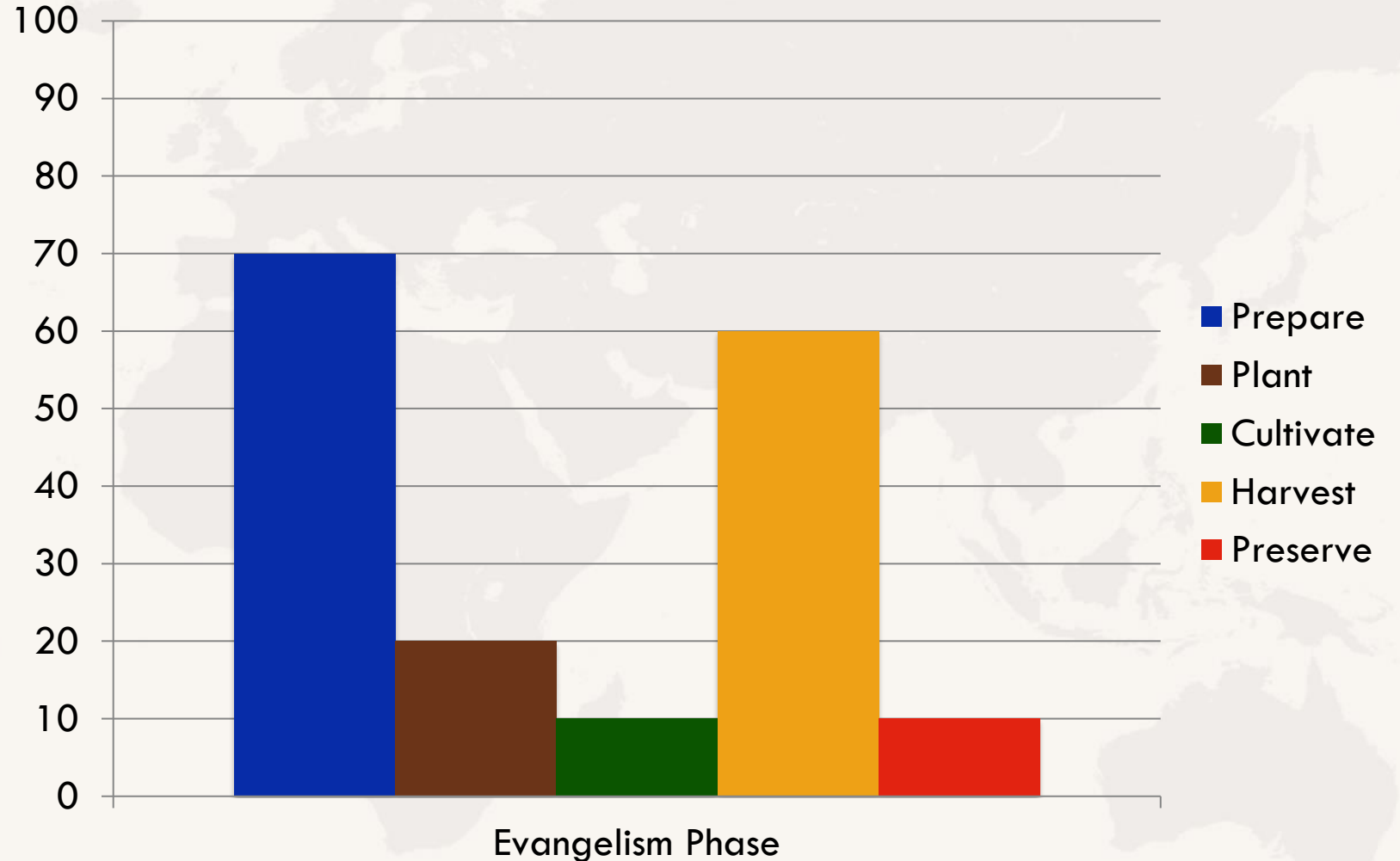
*Testimonies for the Church, vol. 9, p. 85*





# Evaluating Your Evangelistic Strategy

Assess the strength or weakness of each phase of disciple-making



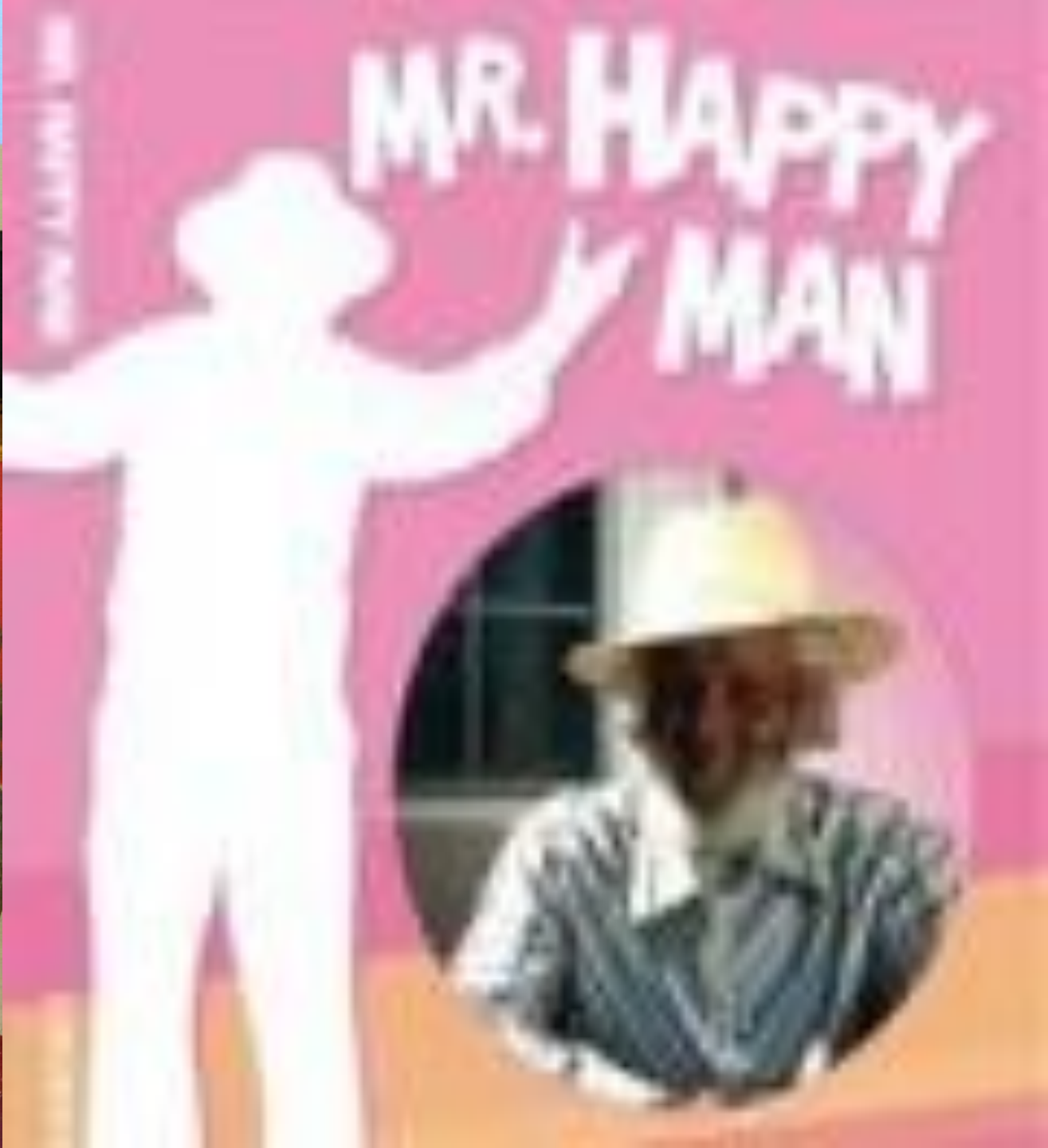
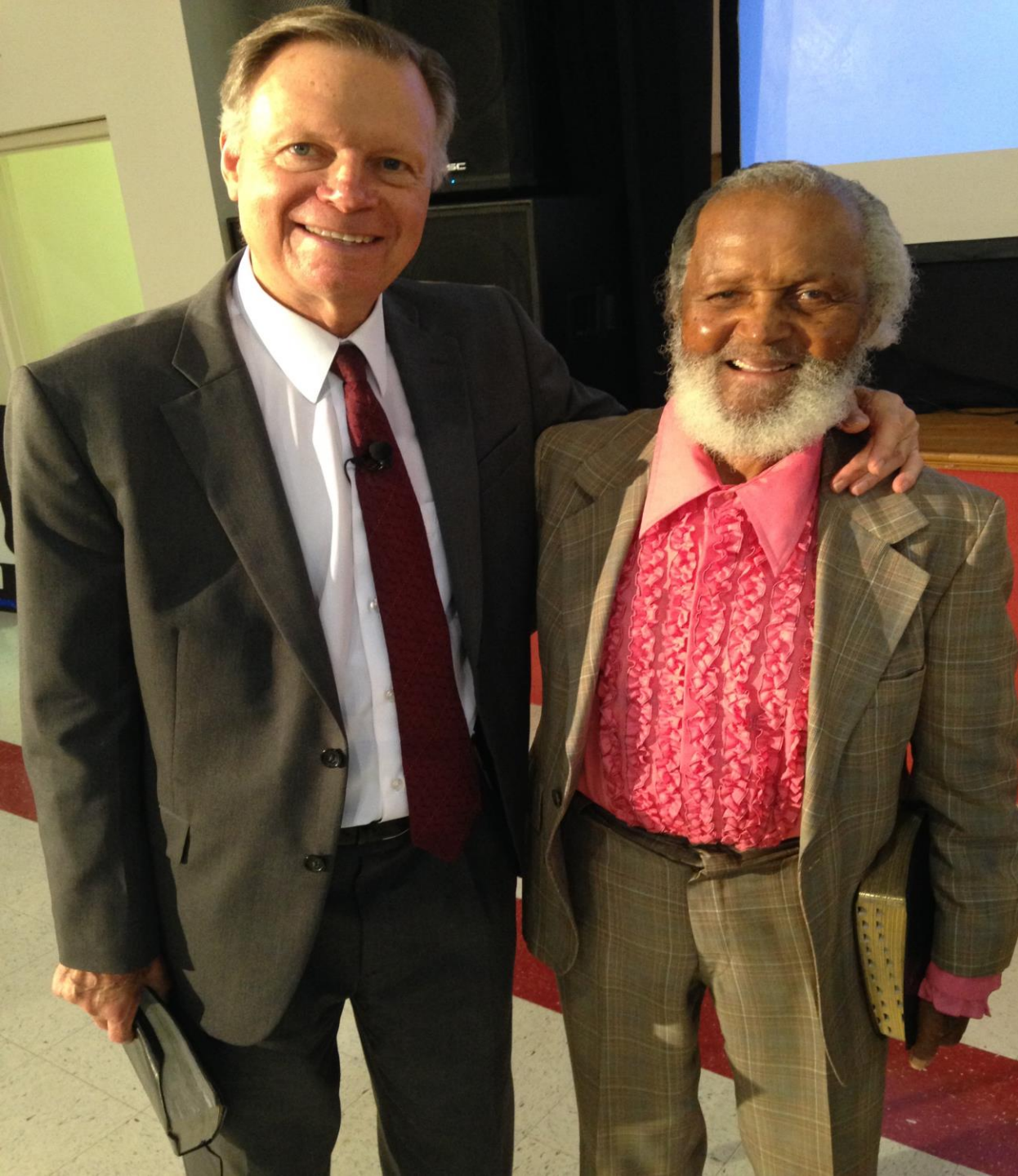














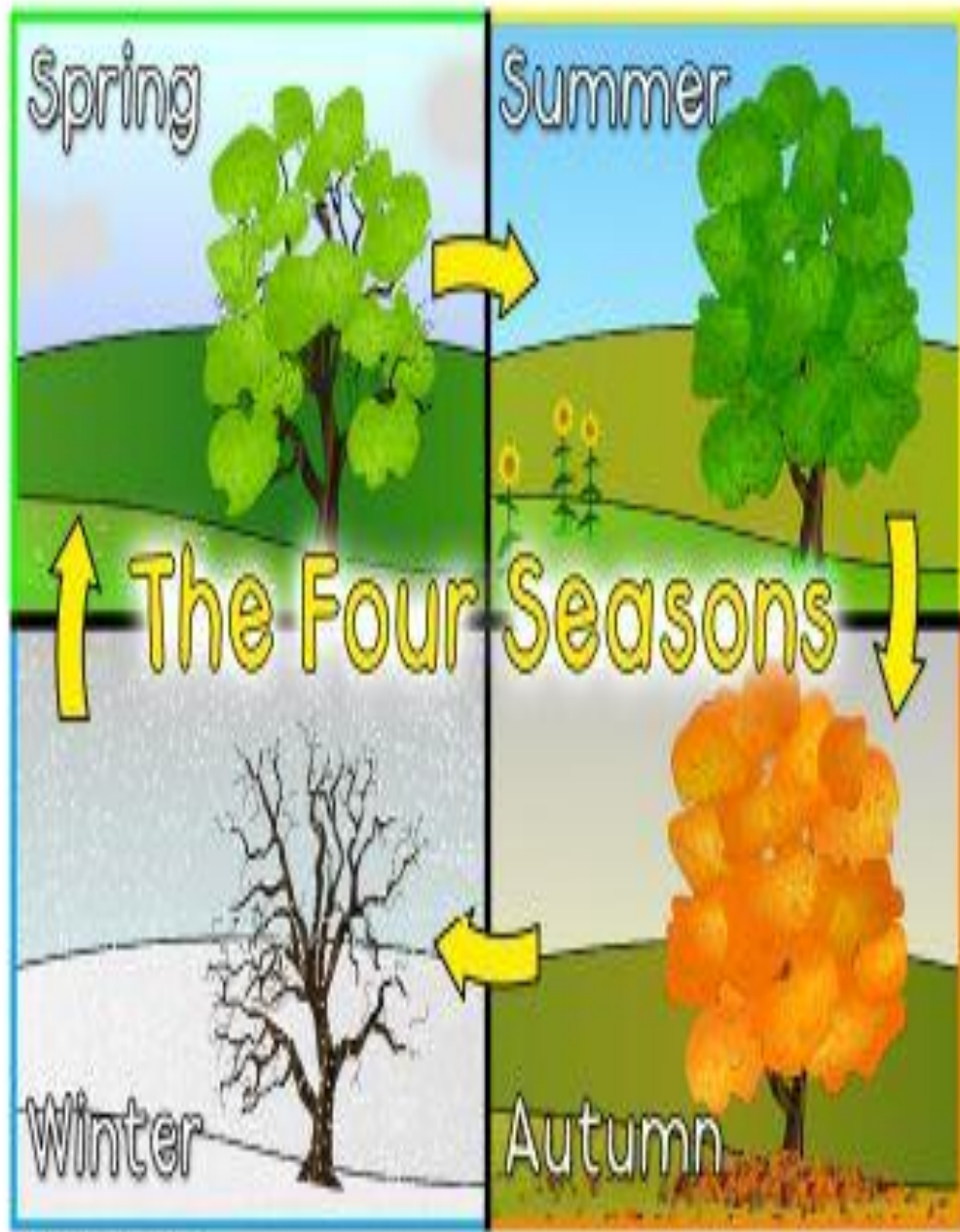


while the earth remains seedtime & harvest, cold & heat

**GENESIS 8:22**

and summer & winter, and day & night shall not cease





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Finding love in unlikely places

Jeffrey & Pattiejean Brown

go  
around  
again



# General Conference Ministerial Association

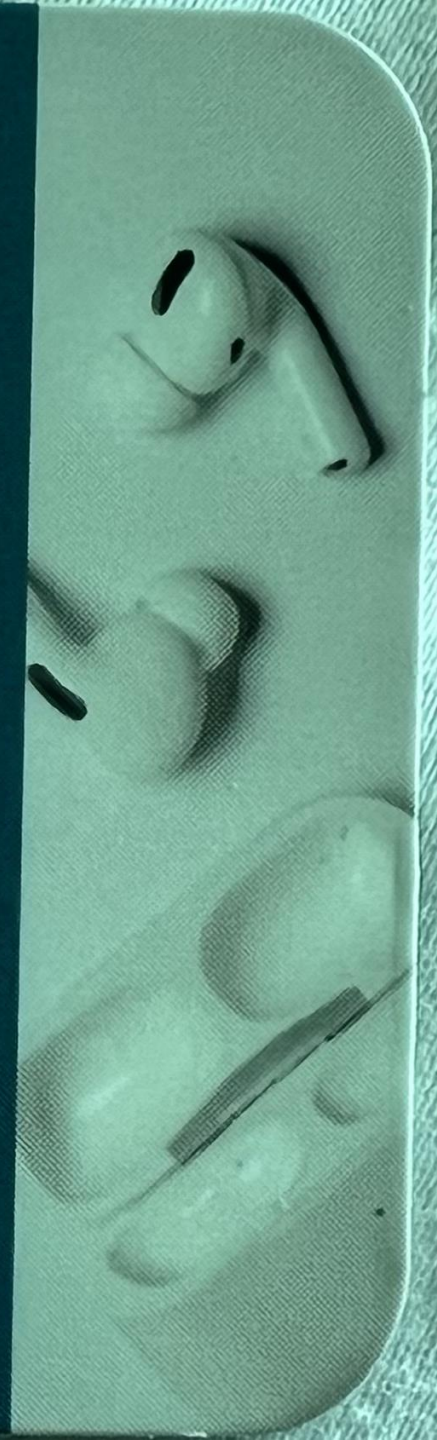
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