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Dr. H.B.L. Mantiri (Lt.Gen.-Ret.) leads the Fellowship in Indonesia.
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Richard Shakarian
International President
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TO SERVE MY COUNTRYMEN!

Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Dr. H.B.L. Mantiri
Jakarta, Indonesia

Bob Armstrong, Editor of VOICE, interviews General Mantiri in Jakarta, Indonesia, National President for Indonesia FGBMFI.
My parents were Christian. My father's ancestors were Christian, also. But some relatives were not truly "born again", as we know it. They still had witchcraft and idols, including my father. When he moved to Jakarta, he knew that this was wrong, so he threw all the idols away. He repented. Of course, then we all went to church. At that time, I already realized that I decided to give Christ my all.

At birth, my mom nearly bled to death. The doctor told my father that one must die (to save the other). The mother or the child? My father told the doctor, "Let my child die and save my wife". But we both lived. So I know the Lord saved my life for a certain purpose. He let me live.

At ten years old, I was running backwards, trying to fly a kite. Right next to my house, I fell from a height of ten meters into the river. The river has gone dried and stony. But nothing happened to me. I was all right. There was nothing broken. Once again, God protected me and spared my life.
I was a somewhat rebellious teenager; but not in total rebellion. My mother thought worse of me, at that time. I lived in a small village south of Jakarta. I was greatly influenced by my friends. In fact, I was a follower of a gang. I was under conviction from God.

In 1955, when I was baptized, I said “Yes” to God. I realized that I should have died when I was in the womb of my mother. Then, I fell the ten meters, without any broken bones. I knew that God had a certain purpose for me in my life. It was then when I decided to surrender my life to Christ.

We were not rich. My father is an honest man, and God supplies all of his needs. Dad was preparing to send us to an expensive school. Not many people were going to that school, because they had to pay the fees that were so high. But my father sent his children to that school so we could have the knowledge. It was a very good, Dutch school. It was very good for me.

*National Board and regional Board FGBMFI Indonesia at a prayer retreat.*
After high school, in 1959, I went to the military academy. But my future father-in-law told me that I should be a pastor. He wanted to send me to theological school. I had already passed the test to be a cadet in the military academy, so I went to the military.

My eldest brother was also in the military academy. At that time, the Dutch were still occupying Indonesia. They had a military academy in Bandung (West Java) - Indonesia. But I went to the National Military Academy in Magelang (Central Java). God helped me to pass the exams for the military academy.

I was asking God, “Why was my future father-in-law asking me to go to a theological school?” Later on, I knew. I was told by a pastor from Taiwan, “God also needs people in the government and in the military to help other Christians!” In effect, I have helped many people, especially Christians, when I was in the military.

But my goal at the very beginning was not to be a general. I did not want to disturb my parents anymore, because if I went to a university, they would have to
pay for me. Since I went in the military, I did not need anything more, not even clothes, from my parents. That was most important in my mind. I simply did not want to be a bother to my parents. Of course the government paid me and I received allowances.

I was in the military after Indonesia became independent from the Dutch. I rose up through the ranks to be a three-star general. At one high point of my career, I was the Chief of the General Staff 1993-1995. July, 1996 – August, 1999. I was also an ambassador to Singapore.

I was able to influence a lot of recruits. I have helped many people, especially Christian cadets. It is always an honor to serve my countrymen. I am now a retired soldier from the military, but now I am a soldier for Christ, with no retirement. Also I’m now retired as an ambassador to Singapore, but now I am an ambassador for Christ, with no retirement.

In my mind, I felt that I had to do my very best. My father always told his children three things to be successful in our lives: (1) Honesty. You MUST be honest. (2) Faithfulness. (3) Diligence.

I was told if I concentrated on these three words, I would be successful in life. Right now, I can still say that I adhered to these words. I never had any part in any corruption schemes in government, neither collusion and nepotism. And thanks God, people respect me for that.

Sometimes, it was difficult to be in the military and be a Christian at the same time. I have three "handicaps" in that regard: (1) I am not Javanese, (2) I am not a Muslim; I am a Christian. (3) My wife is Chinese. To get a high-ranking position, it is very difficult. I have done my best, so they cannot say anything. I work hard. I have many experiences in all the fields as an officer. I was involved in many operations. My classmates could not beat me. But one of my classmates became a four-star general. He became Chief of Staff of the army. President Sukarno inaugurated me, then there was President Suharto; then, I retired.

To some, it might seem to be a little unusual to be a Christian general in the largest Muslim country in the world. It is difficult, especially today. During my time, it was difficult. Now, it is even
more difficult to be a general and a Christian. The amount of Christians in Indonesia is small, maybe around 30 million. So I don't know why they are afraid of us. They respected me because of my rank. I am a straightforward guy. If I say, “Yes,” they know I mean yes. If I say, “No,” they know I mean no. They respected me. Today, I can still use a military number on my car to go anywhere I want.

Here’s what I would say to a young person today, “Just do your best! And God will do the rest. We do not need to be afraid to declare that we are Christians.” I am sure there can be difficulties in a military career, but if God appoints us there in that certain place in the armed forces, nobody can stop us. Having everything does not mean happiness. But
true happiness is being satisfied with everything you have. I am happy.

When I was the ambassador in Singapore, the Full Gospel Business Men’s Fellowship International ask me to came over to Jakarta because they planned to give me an honorable membership. In 1997, I became the National President of FGBMFI in Indonesia.

If you are a Christian businessman, it is better to join FGBMFI because then you are teaching them how to do their business; Biblical business, no “hanky-panky” business. We are urging them to do business the biblical way. If you are in FGBMFI, you are to be a good example. I want to have 4,000 FGBMFI Chapters in Indonesia by the year 2008! There is a good opportunity to take part in a transformation movement. For years to come, there is a good opportunity for us as Christians. We have to have joy, as we are a part of a transformation movement. So, we have to work hard, Chapter-by-Chapter, Member-by-Member. My motto is to save others...Member gets another Member; Chapter gets

Lt. Gen. (Ret) Dr. H.B.L. Mantiri another Chapter. We can do it! My target is quite large, but I am sure that we can do that, not just because we are very active, but because God is doing it!

In 2009, there is a major election. Transformation starts right now! Now, we have to be united. Although the size of the Christian population is small, comparatively, we can be powerful because of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit causes the power to be there!

Lt. Gen. (Ret) Dr. H.B.L. Mantiri is also the National Director of WorldTeach. WorldTeach is equipping Christians who want to be teachers, not only doing seminars, but training them so they can raise up 20,000 good teachers in Indonesia. Mr. and Mrs. Mantiri have an 18-year-old son, Julio.

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LTC. PATRICK J. DELAMERE, D.C.
New York

I was raised in New York City, son of Irish immigrants, in a strict, Catholic background.

Both my mother and my father had spouses who died, leaving a total of ten children, before my two brothers, my sister, and myself. Quite frankly, the biggest benefit from my upbringing was the opportunity to go to confession. I could spill my guts out on a Saturday afternoon. I had someone to talk to every Saturday afternoon. I could go to a priest.

When I was young, I had an injury where I became partially paralyzed. I ended up in the hospital. In those days there wasn't any such thing as an MRI. They went strictly by x-rays. The doctors said that I would not be able to walk or run again. My folks took me to a chiropractor in New Jersey. By the grace of God, the chiropractor got me well where I could walk. So, I decided to become a chiropractor. I figured I could help someone else. After graduating from Atlantic States Chiropractic Institute (Now the New York Chiropractic College), I opened up my office on the Grand Concourse in the Bronx.

I was practicing for about a year when I met my wife Kathleen. She was a fervent Catholic, born in Northern Ireland. A year after we got married, we had a friend and a patient that was a missionary bishop. He got us an audience with the Pope. We had a semi-private audience with the Pope in 1965. I saw things there that I did not understand. There was so much wealth and prosperity in Rome and St. Peter's
Basilica. I began to question my background.

At that time, the Catholic Charismatic Renewal began. I began reading the Bible. Up to that point, I had no idea of what the Bible was all about. As a youngster, we had one that was in the closet. But we were not allowed to look at it. In Irish tradition, in those days, it was considered bad luck. So you didn’t open the Bible. The priest did all of that for you. I began to read the Bible. It hit me like a ton of bricks.

I found out, just like the Bible read, that I paid more attention to the traditions of men, than to the commandments of God. I knew that’s what I was doing. While reading scripture, I was convicted that I needed to pay more attention to scripture. In 1970, I gave my heart to the Lord at a chiropractic seminar in Texas. The next month, Kathleen gave her heart to the Lord.

A lot of families would leave New York to go to the FGBMFI convention in Harrisburg, PA at Messiah College. Dr. Jack Herd was one of my strong, spiritual mentors. Jack pointed me in the right direction. He was there when I needed him. Jack told me that I should start a FGBMFI Chapter in Mahopac; and I did. We’ve been in Mahopac since 1967.

In that FGBMFI Chapter, a lot of people got saved and filled with the Holy Spirit; and a lot of people were healed. Many people today here are Christians because of what the Lord did through FGBMFI in Mahopac. As a result of that, Pentecostal churches sprung up all around in this area.

I recall my first FGBMFI meeting in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania in the early 1970’s. Charles and Frances Hunter were the main speakers. They were just so free in the Spirit. For years, I was told to keep my head down; and when you pray, keep quiet.

I am a life member of FGBMFI. In those early days, I wasn’t getting any teaching. The only teaching I would get was when I would go down to Harrisburg, PA at the FGBMFI Convention. Then we would have prayer meetings in our house. That was all initiated by FGBMFI. The Full Gospel was so free. We could go to any church. We could meet with any Christian. We would get together with Christians; we didn’t care what denomination
they were. There was so much freedom in that. FGBMFI freed us up to go back to Ireland and to witness to other churches.

The freedom that we got all started with FGBMFI. We began to learn to read scripture; and that all Jesus said was all truth. The power of the Holy Spirit is still alive! I learned that at Full Gospel. The Full Gospel meetings gave me spiritual strength. At time in my life, that was the only place that I received real teaching. I began to study the Word.

I came alive because of the power of the Holy Spirit! The Holy Spirit is power to us when we pray in tongues during times of trouble, as well as in times of exhilaration. It is probably one of the strongest gifts that the Lord has used in my life, at times of difficulty and times of great joy. The Lord has given to us “tools of the trade” to work in this day and age. The gift of tongues is one of those most important tools.

In 1982, our oldest son, Kieran, dove into a lake and broke his neck. He was in intensive care and then in Danbury Hospital for 4 ½ months. The surgeons told us, “His legs will never move again!” The neuro-surgeons were trying to do their best, but they offered no hope. The intentionally avoided giving any hope, because they just couldn’t. So the first month I was asking God, “Why?” Then after a month of crying to the Lord, I started asking God, “How?”

The Lord gave me scriptures, like 1 Thessalonians 5:23. When you injure one part of that complete being, you defeat the whole person. Then I realized we cannot just treat his neck, we have to treat his soul, his mind, his will, his emotions and his spirit. I put healing scriptures on the ceiling and on the floor. All he could see was healing scriptures. He moved a toe, and then he moved his foot. Then the physicians didn’t know what to think or say. They said there was nothing more they could do, so we took him home. He got better and better and better. Today, he is alive and well, driving a car, etc. They just had their second baby. He works as a psychologist in trauma at the hospital where he was once a patient for 4 ½ months. He is doing great.

In 1998, I had an injury to my neck, and I could not work for awhile. So I wanted to volunteer my time to do something. I found that I could volunteer as
an officer in the New York Guard. They needed volunteers. It was not as a combatant. From then until today, I am still a LTC, the commander of the medical unit at Camp Smith, New York. At first, I thought I would be a part-time missionary. I was wondering why would the Lord take me into the army? But now I know why.

My initial commander was a Jewish doctor. He used to curse so bad that I literally had to leave the room. One day while I was walking out of the general’s meeting, I was asked why I was leaving. I said, “Because I can’t handle the way he takes the name of my God in vain.” They brought me back in to the general and I told him, “I’m sorry. If you want, you can have my commission. I will leave. But I can’t handle this.” He said, “I’m sorry, I will not do it again.”

A number of years later, he had retired. He became very sick and was in the hospital, dying. He was sitting on the side of the bed. His legs were swollen and blue. I said to myself, “He’s dying.” So I said to him, “General, you are in very bad shape. You could die any minute. If you like, I will pray for you. But, at the risk of being thrown out of your house,

if I am going to pray for you, I am going to pray for you in the name of Jesus Christ.” He looked at me like he was going to throw me out of the house, but he couldn’t. He was just exhausted. He simply said, “Okay.” So I prayed for him in the name of Jesus.

Then, after awhile, I said, “Now, you have to pray in the name of Jesus.” He said, “But I’m a Jew.” I said, “So was He!” He said, “But I have been cursing Him all of my life. You know that.” I said, “Well, ask Him to forgive you. I know He will. But He may even heal you!”

This man was on oxygen 24/7 for three months straight. He was in the hospital with pneumonia. He was dying a number of times. He now lives in Washington, D.C. and he does not use any oxygen at all. Every time I talk with him, he says, “The only thing I can tell you is that I am not doing anything different. I am just praying in the name of Jesus!”

That testimony went all over Camp Smith. I don’t know how many lives were touched by the fact that I prayed for this officer in the name of Jesus. New patients will come in and say, “Will you please do for me what you did for the general?!” I get to pray with
people. We still do that. The Tennessee State Guard came for a visit; and we were just coming out of a prayer meeting. These guys were really impressed. Then when 9-11 hit, we treated many coming back from New York City. There were a number that we prayed with. Officers and enlisted men would come in and say they had neck, shoulder, or back problems. We would end up praying for them. A colonel came in a few months ago, and her life has changed.

What God has done in the New York Guard at a time in my life when I thought I would be over-the-hill, is really amazing. The Lord is just using Kathleen and myself in many different ways. We started the Putnam County Leadership Prayer Breakfast 15 years ago. That gets bigger and bigger every year. God has just blessed us. I see a lot more work that the Lord wants to do in these endtimes. Every one of us, in any situation, can have a mission, even if it is just to the people around us, like some of the generals and officers who came in for chiropractic care, who end up leaving with a Bible. It is still happening.

The challenges of life seem to get bigger, but the glories seem to get sweeter. With grandchildren, there are always some challenges going on. When I was a baby Christian, I thought that once you knew the Lord, it was all “peaches and cream”. But, it’s not. We are here to be used by Him. I see that there is much, much more for us to do. It is just one day at a time.

We just go as the Lord leads us. Our witness is to our people around us. My witness is to the soldiers and the New York Guard. I don’t see how anybody who knows the Lord can keep it a secret. The Lord will show us one day at a time. Every time I need advice, I go to my heavenly Father. I could not function without the Lord today. I am more dependent upon the Holy Spirit now, than I was as a baby Christian. I realize that without Him I could not be what I am or who I am or where I am going. My dependence is totally upon Him.

Now, I am doing more of “His thing” and less of “my thing”.

I know where I am going! It is guaranteed. Money is not necessarily security. Jesus is our security. The Lord is the source for everything; only by His grace
and favor that picked me up and watched over me. When you feel so much of God’s favor around you, how else can you feel?!

The Lord opens the door all of the time to witness to people. It doesn’t have to be us doing it. He is drawing people to Himself and we happen to be there!

My son Brendan has taken over the private practice. I am studying for my Ph.D. in Health Administration. We are showing people that if an individual has hope, they will look for options.

Through the power of the Holy Spirit, anyone can come alive! ■

Dr. Pat and Kathleen Delamere live in Mahopac, New York. They have five children: Kieran, Siobhan, Fiona, Brendan, and Dierdre. They have eight grandchildren and two grandchildren on the way. They worship at Faith Assembly of God, Poughkeepsie, NY. He heads up a company called Hope and Options™.

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The happy Leggett family (left to right): Sully, Trish, David, and Caleb.
In the spring of 1947, my mother was in the first meeting Oral Roberts conducted after accepting the call of God to heal the sick. I was born that summer. God was connecting me before I was even born.

My testimony is not so much that I did all these bad things and I lived a bad life, and then I met Jesus and all the negative became positive; actually my story is that I met Jesus at age 8. Since I was raised in a Christian home and because of being saved early in life, I really did not have to suffer some of the things that most other testimonies tell about.

In 1964, while a junior in high school I attended a meeting in a downtown hotel in Tulsa, Oklahoma. I don't remember exactly who invited me. This meeting was called the Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International, Tulsa Chapter. The speaker was a man by the name of Kenneth Hagin. In those days, few had heard of Kenneth Hagin. When he finished speaking, the president of the Chapter said to Hagin, "Would you be willing to stay over for 4 days to teach us about the Holy Spirit?" When Hagin agreed, the pastor of Sheridan Christian Center, offered his building for the 4 days. I attended Sheridan Christian Center and for the next 8 weeks, (not 4 days!) Kenneth Hagin taught every night at that church.

In that series of meetings, I met Jesus in a different way. I was baptized in the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues. Even though I was raised in that church, it hadn't dawned on me that I did not have the Holy Spirit. That was intriguing. I was also intrigued by the group of people that brought Kenneth Hagin to town, the FGBMFI. That was just the introduction to a new way of thinking. Only 20 feet from where I accepted Jesus at age 8, I got baptized in the Holy Spirit at age 16.

A few years later after graduating from high school, I attended Oral Roberts University as one of the very first people to enroll
in that school. After a year at ORU, I applied to get into the Air National Guard in Tulsa. Once again, God intervened in my life, because I was sworn in to the Air National Guard on a Sunday afternoon, and three days later, my draft papers arrived in the mail. Many of my friends who were drafted were sent to Viet Nam. Although I did not necessarily oppose the war neither did I have any great desire to go to Southeast Asia.

After my military training and another semester at ORU, I made the decision to enter into the world of business, and boy, was that an “eye-opener.” I was 20, and on my own, and entering into another phase of my relationship with Christ as I was learning to trust Him totally for my life. After being in the printing business for a few years, the Lord told me to go to Kenneth Hagin’s Rhema Bible Training Center. I didn’t really have a desire to do that. After moving their offices to Tulsa and starting RBTC, Kenneth Hagin Ministries had become one of my clients in the printing business. Although I didn’t really want to go back to school, I went out of pure obedience. I had been given a chance to buy into the printing company I was still working for while attending Rhema. I asked the president of the FGBMFI, where I had stayed involved since the time I was 16, “Where would you suggest I go to come up with this amount of money?” He told me I needed to go see Buddy Harrison. I already knew Buddy. He had been my youth director at church and he was Kenneth Hagin’s son-in-law and at that time, he was running Kenneth Hagin’s ministry.

When Buddy and I met a few days later, he said, “I don’t think you are supposed to buy into that printing business. Here is what I think you are supposed to do. I am starting a publishing house; and I would like for you to come with me. You understand the technical aspects of publishing and I know the people. Since I am running Hagin’s ministry, I need someone to run the publishing house. Would you come with me and help me start this thing?” So on September 1st I started at Rhema in obedience and on October 1st, 1975, I co-founded Harrison House publishing company with Buddy. This began the next phase of my relationship with Christ.

During the time I was with Buddy, I learned from him how to hear the voice of God in daily activities. Remember, this was over 30 years ago, before we understood that we could pray and seek God’s guidance in daily business dealings. We didn’t have
to be in church. We didn’t have to be in a FGBMFI meeting. We could take that same Spirit into day-to-day life. That was the best eye-opener of all.

I was obedient in attending Rhema and God had given me the opportunity to co-found Harrison House, but God had yet another surprise for me. I met a young lady who was attending Rhema from Canada. We were in different groups at Rhema, but we had both volunteered to help and that was when I met her. Her name was Patricia Sullivan. When the school year was over, she went back to her homeland of Canada. She took part of my heart with her. A year later, she became my wife. Once again, I heard the voice of God, recognized the leadership of the Holy Spirit, and obeyed. His blessings followed. It was becoming a pattern for my life and businesses.

The charismatic movement was taking place. Even then the Holy Spirit was moving through the church and out into the marketplace. I had learned how to hear the voice of God in daily work activities. That was relatively new in those days.

A few years later the Lord led me to leave Harrison House and join the staff of a young and growing Word church in Tulsa as its business administrator and staff coordinator, yet I was only its third staff member. Within 90 days, we had started a Christian school with 150 students and increased the staff to 17. God began to talk to me about buying into an existing Christian bookstore, God’s Lemonade Stand. It became Tulsa’s premiere Christian bookstore. Again, God gave direction on how to do business in a Spirit-led manner. It seems that God always allowed me to get in on the beginning of things. Each time it was the leading of the Holy Spirit. As we moved on to other things, we kept building relationships with people and creating connections. Pretty soon, I began to be known as “The Connector.” That led to an entire life of connecting people together. Sure, we had challenges, but each time, God guided me and showed me in His Word what to do. We brought the Holy Spirit into the now, into the current situation; right here, right now, guiding us in every situation.

All during the time I was at Harrison House and the church, I was working with missionaries, just trying to help them. Once I asked a missionary, “Have you ever thought about going to the Philippines?” He began to cry. He had been asking God to open
up the Philippines. He and I made the Philippine connection. My wife Trish and I felt it was time to start our family. We felt led of God to adopt a child and through that same connection several years later we went to the Philippines to teach for a few weeks. We came home with our son Sully. His condition was such that the Philippine doctors had said, he would never be able to run and be like other normal kids. The doctors were wrong. He grew up playing soccer and played defense in high school and for four years was never scored on due to his speed and agility. He graduated from the Christian school that we had started and today he coaches there and is a Godly leader.

Only one month after we brought Sully home, we discovered that we were expecting. When our second son was born, he exhibited resilience and brilliance. Caleb also attended that same Christian school showing leadership in academics and athletics. He graduated in 2003 and graduated college in 2006. Currently he is preparing for post-graduate studies. Both of our boys are fine young men, saved and Spirit-filled. They have been taught to hear the voice of God on a daily basis. They have been a joy to our lives.

Everybody seemed to have a career and a steady job, yet I moved from position to position to position. I kept wondering if I was missing God. I would go to the self-help seminars and all these guys would say, “You have to have a purpose in life.” The problem was I didn’t know my purpose. Instead of coming out of those seminars motivated and helping myself, I came out of them devastated and down on myself because I didn’t know what my purpose in life was. I can now look back and see that my purpose in life was to help other people. That was my purpose in life.

God connected me to Him. He then connected me to these various organizations, constantly leading me to help others. Over the years, the connection was not necessarily me connecting people with other people, although that happened. The connection was God connecting me to Him so He could use me where He wanted to use me. In all my years with FGBMFI I had never held an elected office until the early 90’s when I was elected secretary and the following year president of the Tulsa chapter. During that time the Tulsa chapter became known as the fastest growing chapter in America. I was still doing a lot of work with
missionaries and became the chairman of the Heartland MissionsFest which also became known as the largest missions conference of its kind in America. It was then I began to realize that God was connecting the businessman to missions. Yesterday's missionary would go into a country and stay, but because of current conditions this has become quite difficult in many nations; but a businessman can go into a country and even to the higher echelon of the country and spread the gospel. The Lord began showing me that the missionary of tomorrow is the businessman of today.

FGBMFI is not just a businessmen's organization; it has effectively become one of the largest "mission's organizations" on the entire planet. God is using the businessman to open up the door into countries where traditional missionaries can no longer go or are no longer welcomed.

Throughout the years I have felt that God had wanted me to do more in publishing, but I didn't know exactly what He wanted me to do. I had finished up a doctorate in business, and a few years ago I went back to school and became a naturopathic doctor (a doctor of natural health). There was an awakening going on. Dr. Tim Atkinson, a man whom I have known for 30 years and who is also involved in FGBMFI, had asked me to help him with his business, Applied EnerCHI Technologies...and there was that magic word - "help." That is my calling...to help, so I said, "Yes." We now have a technology based on quantum physics and the understanding of frequencies that brings health and healing to many who have not been able to find an answer anywhere else. This technology is the "mechanics" of healing by faith. We believe that when God heals, He does not suspend His natural laws, but rather accelerates them. We have seen tremendous miracles through this God-ordained, Bible-based technology. Once again another phase of hearing God, recognizing the leadership of the Holy Spirit, and obeying.
Twenty-seven years ago when I was still with Harrison House, I got to know the noted writer, David Manuel who had a background with Doubleday and Logos. Recently God made another connection to bring us back together and along with Brad Stine, president of Harvest for the Homeland and of the South Tulsa chapter FGBMFI, and Dr. Atkinson, my partner, we are following the direction of the Lord, to “take the awakening and publish it.” We have begun a new publishing adventure, a total resource house for people who need a voice. It is called AWAKENING. There is a great awakening coming and we must be prepared. God has instructed us to create a means by which the awakening can be exploited and exported throughout the world. It appears He is speaking to many of our great Christian leaders regarding this awakening. Our assignment is to provide a total resource process by which this awakening can be published. This will include books, video, DVD, CD, websites, and all other means of communication. I guess you could say that it will be our job to connect the awakening with those who have “ears to hear.”

God taught me, through my early training, to hear His voice in the marketplace and allow me to be connected by Him. All along, He has been connecting me. They call me the “connector” but if they saw me from God’s viewpoint, they would call me the “connected.”

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David Leggett, Tulsa FGBMFI Chapter president, has spearheaded numerous events. He is shown here with Richard Shakarian, International President, and former Tulsa Mayor, Robert LaFortune.
WHEN THERE'S A WILL — THERE'S A WAY!

There's a familiar saying, “When there’s a will, there’s a way.” That is true in our businesses and families. But it is also virtually true in our stewardship to the Lord and to the Full Gospel Business Men’s Fellowship International.

Many times I hear FGBMFI Members say to me, “I wish I could give more to the Fellowship.” Well, there is a divine way that you can...through putting the Fellowship in your will.

There has been many times where FGBMFI needed a financial miracle to pay certain bills. We would continue to pray for that miracle. Then, suddenly, from an unexpected source, a check would show up from a will or an estate of a member who had gone on to be with the Lord.

Maybe God is impressing upon your heart to think of FGBMFI when you are “getting your house in order.” Your witness for the Lord can continue, long after your graduation to heaven, by putting FGBMFI in your will.

It always pays to think about the future...your future...and the future of the Fellowship. Remember, this is YOUR Fellowship. Planned giving is as easy as: (1) making a charitable gift, and (2) saving taxes. We’d like to make it even easier and simple for you to understand.

Here are some of the best ways to give...and save at the same time: gifts of cash, gifts of stock, gifts of real estate, gifts of life insurance, life income gifts, charitable trust gifts, and wills/bequests.

A will gives you the confidence that upon your graduation to heaven, your possessions will be distributed according to YOUR wishes, not the state’s wishes. A will, usually discreetly drawn up by your attorney, can give you many benefits, as well as a tremendous peace of mind. A will can distribute your estate quickly and most economically. A will can minimize your taxes and expenses in settling your estate.

Your will can assist you to give whatever portion of your estate you wish to be used for the Lord’s work. Your will assures the distribution of your estate according to your wishes. You can pre-determine who will inherit your property.

Your will can assist this important ministry that has literally been on the frontlines for nearly six decades. Depending upon your personal situation, certain planned giving can benefit you more than others.

Please prayerfully consider your Fellowship in your estate planning.
Call Ron Weinbender at headquarters for more details (949)461-0100.
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6 Steps to Salvation

1. ACKNOWLEDGE
   "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." – Romans 3:23
   "God be merciful to me a sinner." – Luke 18:13

2. REPENT
   "Repent therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out." – Acts 3:19

3. CONFESS
   "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." – 1 John 1:9
   "If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus, and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you shall be saved." – Romans 10:9

4. FORSAKE
   "Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD...for He will abundantly pardon." – Isaiah 55:7

5. BELIEVE
   "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." – John 3:16
   "He that believes and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believes not shall be damned." – Mark 16:16

6. RECEIVE
   "He came unto His own, and His own received Him not. But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name." – John 1:11-12

WHY NOT MAKE YOUR ETERNAL DECISION NOW?

"Lord Jesus, I believe You died for my sins and I ask for Your forgiveness. I receive You now as my personal Savior and invite You to manage my life from this day forward. Amen.”

Write us to tell of your decision. We'll send you a booklet, “Now That You've Received Christ.”

YES! I have made my eternal decision. I have read the Six Steps to Salvation and have asked Jesus to be my personal Savior. Please send me the booklet “Now That You've Received Christ.”

Signature ____________________________
Name ____________________________
Address ____________________________
City, State, Zip ____________________________

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1. RECONOCE
"por cuanto todos pecaron, y estan destituidos de la gloria de Dios" - Romanos 3:23
"Dios ten misericordia de mi, un pecador" - Lucas 18:13

2. ARREPIENTETE
"Os digo: No; antes si no os arrepentis, todos pereceréis igualmente" - Lucas 13:3
"Asi que, arrepentidvos, para que sean borrados vuestros pecados" - Hechos 3:19

3. CONFIESA
"Si confesamos nuestros pecados, El es fiel y justo para perdonar nuestros pecados, y limpiarnos de toda maldad" - 1 Juan 1:9
"que si confesares con tu boca que Jesus es el Senor, y creyeres en tu corazon que Dios le levanto de los muertos, seras salvo" - Romanos 10:9

4. DEJE
"Deje el impio su camino, y el hombre inicuo sus pensamientos, y vuelvase al SENOR... El cual sera amplio en perdonar" - Isaias 55:7

5. CREA
"Porque de tal manera amo Dios al mundo, que ha dado a su Hijo unigenito, para que todo aquel que en El cree, no se pierda, mas tenga vida eterna" - Juan 3:16
"El que creyere y fuere bautizado, sera salvo; mas el que no creyere, sera condenado" - Marcos 16:16

6. RECIBA
"A lo suyos vino, y los suyos no le recibieron. Mas a todos los que le recibieron, a los que creen en su nombre, les dio potestad de ser hechos hijos de Dios" - Juan 1:11-12

PORQUE NO HACE UNA DECISION PARA SU ETERNIDAD HOY?
"Señor Jesus, Yo creo que moristes por mis pecados y te pido me perdones. Yo te recibo ahora como mi Salvador personal y te pido que guies mi vida de ahora en adelante. Amen".
Escribanos y cuentenos de su decision. Nosotros le enviaremos un pequeno libro, "Ahora Que Ud Ha Recibido a Cristo".

SI! Hice mi decision para la eternidad. He leido los Seis Pasos para la Salvacion y he aceptado a Jesus como mi Salvador Personal. Por favor envienme el pequeno libro "Ahora Que Ud Ha Recibido a Cristo".

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YOUR 3-STEP DIAGNOSIS FOR ETERNITY
(Check appropriate boxes)

STEP 1: When I breathe my last, the next thing is:
- go to hell
- go to heaven.
- stay buried in the grave
- I have no idea.

STEP 2: Here is what will probably happen:
- I'll spend eternity in hell.
- I'll spend eternity with Jesus in heaven.
- I'll be reincarnated as a "higher being"
- My relatives can visit my grave; I'll be there.
- I don't really know what will happen.

STEP 3: I'm sure because:
- I've led a sinful life
- I've trusted Jesus as my personal Savior
- I've gone to church all my life
- I support charities, even church
- I'm a good person.

Turn the page to learn how YOU can follow through on these three steps and KNOW your future!

TRES PASOS PARA DIAGNOSTICAR SU ETERNIDAD
(Marque el espacio apropiado)

1er PASO: Cuando yo de mi ultimo aliento, lo que me acontecera proximamente es:
- ire al infierno
- ire al cielo
- seguire enterrado en la tumba
- no tengo idea.

2do PASO: Esto es lo que provablemente sucedera:
- pasare la eternidad en el infierno.
- pasare la eternidad con Jesus en el cielo.
- me re-encarnare como un ser "mas elevado".
- mis parientes podran visitarme en mi tumba; ahí estare.
- no se exactamente que sucedera.

3er PASO: Estoy seguro porque:
- lleve una vida pecaminosa
- yo he confiado en Jesus como mi salvador personal
- he asistido a la iglesia toda mi vida
- apoye a caridades y a la iglesia
- yo ayude a mi comunidad
- soy una buena persona

Cambie la pagina para que sepa como UD puede seguir estos seis pasos y SABER su futuro!