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Open Thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of Thy Law. (Ps. 119:18)

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New Scripture Painting Orders Welcome

Rose Series #1 “Rose Of The Morning”

By: Jan Howlett
Watercolor © 2006
Arches 140 lb Hot Press



“All Your works shall praise You, O Lord...”
Ps. 145:10

18” x 14” Gold frame Ready to hang

Inspired by the Heritage
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Hybrid Tea —1894



Headline News: Feb 12, 2006

Ross & Jan receive “Letter of Commendation” as full-time faith workers from their home assembly.

We are excited and honoured that our ministry has been officially recognized by our church family at Hillside Bible Chapel, Orillia Ontario, giving us their blessing and prayer support. We continue to minister just as we have been doing for the past 22 years as Feeding His Lambs Ministries (FHLM), on a itinerant basis.

This commendation, along with our Advisory Council, adds another arm of accountability and prayer support. It also provides those who financially give to FHLM the ability to receive Charitable receipts now through Missionary Service Committee Inc. (MSC) in Canada. (Mailing information pg. 2)

We know many were praying along with us as we went through this process, and we praise the Lord for answered prayer. (Cont'd on Pg. 2)

Garments For The Gospel: (GFTG)

It was truly a pleasure to meet and share for the first time with Judy Thompson over a cup of tea. She was preparing to take 44 GFTG clothing items into Panama, all sewn by our chapter ladies. Judy was embarking on a short-term missionary journey with a team from her home church in Barrie, Ontario.

Her enthusiasm for this upcoming trip and her joyful radiance for her Lord was infectious. We shared the Lord for a number of hours before saying our farewells and having a sweet time of prayer.

Judy returned from Panama with a glowing report for the Knitter's For Global Warmth, where Judy and I first met as I was speaking & introducing GFTG to that group and receiving items (see above Photo) for our May 2006 Kid's Alive Canada project. **Presently, GFTG is sewing winter clothing** and we will be ship-



Kid's Alive Canada May 2006

Knitted Hats,
Pullovers, Lap
Blankets, Vests
Sweaters and
Baby Receiving
Blankets

In a joint effort,
84 items of clothing, with their Gospel
Garment Labels were created and
donated via *Garments For The Gospel*
& *Knitters For Global Warmth*

GFTG Continued:

-ing them to Ukraine orphanages late this Fall. We are still in great need of volunteer sewers, so if you would like to join us, even for one project, we would be most grateful. We also have an ongoing project sewing simple “tote bags” for Medical Missions to Ethiopia. **We will supply you with the fabrics & garment Labels** still waiting to be used up: Just gives us a call.



FHLM Radio Programs:

It's been a busy few months with ministry and not nearly enough time it seems for developing Radio Broadcasts. New 15 minute programs were sent to the Bible Voice Broadcasting Network to start airing in January. For example, to name a few...

1. “Who Is Directing Your Life?” (Prov.3:5,6)
2. “Thankful In Everything”
3. “The Knowledge of Good & Evil” (Gen. 2:4-9,15-17)
4. “Who Is Righteous?” (Luke 18: 9-14)

Please pray that the Lord will multiply Ross's time and fill his heart and mind with the messages not only for ongoing ministry to churches, but also for future radio broadcasts as they are needed.

Pray also that he will have the physical strength and relief from his continuing neck & back pain sustained from an old injury many years ago while he was still on the Toronto Police Force. Because of your prayers these past 22 years and God's grace, he has been able to keep up with all the hours of study and preparation that expository preaching requires.

Book News: Jan's book is available in the Christian bookstore in Haliburton, and we are waiting to see if the store in Enlehart, Ontario will be next. So, we pray on.

An Encouraging Note: We had the joy of sharing with good friend Peter Kerr, and Full-time Commended Worker with the Brethren Assemblies, visiting us from Enlehart, Ontario. Peter has ordered many copies of Jan's book, **The Treasure of His Company**, and shares them with many needy hearts.

Recently, Peter reported that a lady read one of Jan's stories at their Coffee Hour and then, as an added feature to their worship time, taught the little hymn-chorus, “My Rock And My Salvation” (Based on Psalm 62:6, 7) found at the back of Jan's book. It was written years ago by Ross's dear father,

Ministry Schedule 2006

Jan

- 9 Christian Fellowship Chapel
Jan spk to Sr's Lunch with book
22 Severn Bridge Assembly
29 Waverley Gospel Hall

Feb

- 7 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
14 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
19 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
21 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
28 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

Mar

- 5 Fair Havens Community Ch.
14 Hillside Bible Chapel, Orillia
19 Severn Bridge Assembly
28 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

Apr

- 4 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
9 Waverley Gospel Hall
11 Severn Bridge Assembly, Orillia
18 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
23 Severn Falls
25 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

May

- 3 Waverley Gospel Hall
Jan speak + Book & Artwork
7 Severn Bridge Assembly
28 Port Sydney Bible Chapel

June

- 6 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
13 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
20 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
27 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

July

- 09 Waverley Gospel Hall
16 Severn Bridge Assembly
23 Waverley Gospel Hall
30 Severn Bridge Assembly

Aug

- 06 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia
13 Severn Bridge Assembly
20 Hillside Bible Chapel, Orillia
27 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

Sept

- 10 Simcoside Bible Chapel, Orillia

2007

April 5-Haliburton Ladies Fell.
Jan spk-Book & Art Display

Devotional Moments:

From Pg. 124

The Lord is near
to all that call upon Him:
Yea, He can feel breath when
no voice can be heard for faintness.

John Trapp

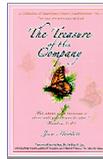
To Our Readers:

Many of you are looking forward to the warmer weather, the cheery sunshine and working in the garden after a long winter, as well as a much needed rest. May God grant you all the blessings of His refreshment.

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An Encouraging Note Cont'd...

William G. Howlett. They said it sounded simply beautiful! How precious to realize that God is still using Dad's sacrifices of praise offered up to his Lord while he was still on this earth, and to know that his life continues to bless many hearts today. We hope more and more readers will use this little chorus as well. It was certainly an encouragement to us, and an answer to prayer! **So, blessings and thank you to the ladies of Englehart!**



New Book Review:

In light of the disturbing trends in the Church today, you will be blessed and encouraged by Author, Rev. Fred A. Vaughan and his new 64 page book, released in September 2005, by Guardian Books (1-800-238-6376) Belleville, Ont. entitled,

"God's Prescription for Christian Worship: Towards Harmony in Music Styles"

"In God's Prescription for Christian Worship, Fred Vaughan uses the Word of God to shed light upon this controversial subject and provides an avenue for the Church to bring unity to her worship.

This book challenges each reader to think truthfully concerning tradition, to think correctly concerning the contemporary, and to think properly concerning praise and worship. I urge people to read this book and allow its writing to move our churches towards much-needed harmony within music styles."

Rev. Alan Ritter, Homosassa, Florida

"Pastor Vaughan wisely and skillfully takes us back to God's Word, where we discover afresh God's Prescription for Christian Worship."

Ross Howlett, Orillia, Ontario
Bible Teacher, Broadcaster, Trumpeter



Send us a line: We'd love to hear from you too.

Excerpt from Jan's Book: The Treasure of His Company

From: Pg 109

"The promise 'nothing shall be impossible to you' is conditional, valid only within the framework of God's will.
Mountain moving faith is not
faith in oneself,
much less faith in faith,
but faith in God.

It is not faith itself, no matter how great,
that moves mountains, but the God in
whom the faith is grounded.
Faith has only as much power
as its object."

Dr. John MacArthur
(Matthew 17: 14-21)

Taken from The MacArthur New Testament Commentary: Matthew 16-25,
By John MacArthur, Moody Publishers, © 1988 p. 81



Prayer Requests:

1. That we would be found faithful in all that God asks of us as we minister from week by week, especially as Ross continues teaching his series on the book of Romans.
2. That our time would be guarded against calls and things that would unnecessarily distract us from His work and calling, and the ministry of prayer..
3. For travelling mercies and safety on the roads and that the Lord would preserve our aging car of 18 years.
4. For many we meet who are grievously ill and suffering greatly--some of whom do not yet know the Saviour & fear death. Pray that God would grant us tender, compassionate hearts showing God's Love, comfort & strength. Pray for opportunities to share the Gospel & that they may come to know His wonderful peace & Salvation as they face Eternity.
5. There is still a need for more engagements for Ross. (& for Jan to ladies) Please pray that the calendar for 2006 will continue to fill up. If you know of churches that we could be of service to, we would appreciate your recommendations.
6. That God would raise up *long term* sewers for the ongoing work of Garments For The Gospel. We thank Him for the *4 new short term* volunteers for our last 2 projects. God is answering prayer. Thank you.
7. That God would refresh us body, soul & spirit as we prepare for new ministry in 2007.

Commendation Cont'd...

Recently we experienced extreme contrasts as one Sunday Ross was preaching to almost 200 people while just two weeks later we were ministering to a congregation of only 7 saints. God touched hearts at both services, but it occurred to us that much of our ministry is to smaller works who need God's Word just as much as the larger churches.

Please pray that God will provide sufficient support that we may continue to faithfully serve these smaller, needy works.

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please make cheques **payable to**

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Markham, Ontario
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Please note on your cheque that it is for
Ross & Jan Howlett

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Supporters can call MSC at
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Our Thanks to you all

Rejoicing in Christ, Ross & Jan