



with Joshua Moore Creative Ministries

# Newsletter

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"Sharing the Gospel using music and media as the means of delivery."

# Jim & Vivian Update

Jim and Vivian have been settling in well with their Memory Care community. Vivian's anxieties have lessened and both are participating in the various activities offered. However, Jim has experienced the greatest mental and physical changes. He is no longer able to communicate, is confused, experiences moments of great anxiety and frustration, and has become weak. Jim's medication is being adjusted to find the best fit to offer him some contentment within this disease. Vivian has lost understanding of words and relationships but still keeps a cheerful smile on her sweet face. She loves the "Movie Monday's" that Rachel has created for some valuable girl time. They get to see their grandkids/family at least once a week.

While they may not remember your name or face, Jim & Vivian love to get notes/cards in the mail. If you would like to send them mail, please address your mail to:

Jim Moore PO Box 18376 Spokane, WA 99228

## **Ministry Update**

It has been a very busy and productive few months since the last newsletter went out. God has blessed us with a number of significant successes. Here are the highlights:

- ~ Our ministry has been commissioned as a missionary outreach by our home church Northview Bible Church in Spokane, WA. This further supports our vision to reach the lost in America and to encourage believers to focus on the majesty and awe of The Lord. It is encouraging to know that our home church is behind us and will support us with prayer (though at this time we agreed that their financial support be directed only to the overseas missionaries).
- ~ The Stephen Ministry video we produced last February (with the original song "Hope Restored") was officially accepted by the Stephen Ministries national organization. It will be used to promote the Stephen Ministry across the nation!
- ~ The music from our "Honor Bound" video entitled "Honor Bound Heaven's Victory March" was released on iTunes, Amazon and all major internet stores. In addition, I was very excited to find out that it has recently been accepted for release onto Pandora Internet Radio! Pandora has over 75 Million listeners worldwide so we pray that it will have a powerful and broad impact. For example, if someone listens to this music and links back to our website or YouTube page, they will see the Honor Bound video which directly and powerfully shares God's plan of salvation with them.

Here are some Future plans and current projects:

For the short term, work is well underway on a new video with original music entitled "From Desolation to Doxology." I have scored the final movement for full orchestra and was able to get the same Spokane Symphony players that I used on Honor Bound for cello and French horn. We were also able to record live trumpet, played by my uncle (a former Spokane Symphony player).

The first movement of "From Desolation to Doxology" video is based on the book of Ecclesiastes and shows how life (work, pleasure and riches) "under the sun" (without God) is desolate and empty. The second movement introduces Jesus as the one who redeems our empty lives and fills our life and work with meaning bringing true riches and pleasure eternally. The final movement is based on the Doxology and is a very uplifting reminder how our natural response to this multi-faceted redemption is to praise God with all our hearts.

Each of the songs will be released on internet stores such as iTunes and Amazon and will be submitted to Pandora Internet Radio for consideration. It is our hope that they will be viewed by many and will have a powerful influence for Christ. Any royalties and income from these will go to the ongoing music ministry of JMCM - Sehnsucht productions.

Long term, I plan to assemble the videos and music already completed into a 45 minute concert to encourage believers and to give nonbelievers a taste of God's power and beauty. To this end, I have been working steadily each week (often well past midnight after my full time job and family responsibilities are complete). In the meantime, it is our hope and prayer that thousands of online viewers will see the videos and experience the Gospel in a new way.

As loyal supporters of our ministry, any of these videos and the music that goes with them will be available to your local church at no charge upon request. We hope that the ongoing support of our donors and the income from the sale of the music will be enough to keep us going.

Please check out our completely redesigned website at www.joshuamooreproductions.com. We

now have a "legacy page" with a link to the music from my dad's website where his much beloved folk-style songs can still be purchased.

We ask that you consider supporting our ministry financially and with prayer. We are at a critical stage in this ministry's early development as I work on my skills and develop new material. This is a costly and time-consuming endeavor and I pray the return on the souls of America will be magnificent! We truly cannot do this without your support. Ultimately, we know that God is the one who calls and when he calls he also empowers. It is all for His Glory.

#### **Closing thoughts and encouragement:**

God has been teaching me to simply relax in his care. I do my part each day to follow him and complete the tasks he has set before me. However, in the daily tasks it is my sacred privilege to keep my eyes directly on Him and not let His work become my god. My thoughts have centered around what the writer of Hebrews says, "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works," Hebrews 10:24-25. I have also meditated on the great "heroes of faith" chapter of Hebrews 11. My tendency is to forget what trials Jesus has brought me through and doubt if this ministry will succeed. But, the Lord who called me is powerful enough to bring success if we hold fast and press on. Let this be an encouragement to you as well in whatever trials you are in the midst of. God knows, he cares, he has triumphed for us in the past, and like David slaying Goliath, it is His power and for His glory that we WILL prevail again today. Let His assurance permeate your thoughts.

Many blessings to you all, In Christ,

Joshua

## **Family News**

By Rachel Moore

In September, we saw our kids off to school. Darian is now in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and little Blake

started Preschool. We can't believe he will be in Kindergarten next year! Both of our boys are active in AWANA, as well.

I have been busy developing a pet photography and art business: Hoof N Paw Fine Art & Photography (you can find me on Facebook). Then, I was contacted in the Summer to shoot senior high school photos. From there, I developed my "people" business: rachel L moore PHOTOGRAPHY. I also continue to teach AKC S.T.A.R. Puppy classes twice a year at my local dog club.



Jonathan (Joshua's older brother) and his wife, Jacqueline are doing well in Wenatchee. Their son, Micaiah, is turning 3 years old in January. Jonathan is busy working for a web developing firm.

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