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Keeping Alumni Connected

Israel Tour Life Changing Experience



"The trip to Israel breathed life into the Scriptures for me and was personally transforming. I will never view the Scriptures, my life, or ministry the same," reported Brad Kesler. Professor Debbie Gill ('78/'79) led the tour. To help make the trip possible, students received \$1,500 scholarships thanks to funding raised by

Dr. George Wood. Plans are underway for another tour in May 2009. Contact dgill@agts.edu

What's New?

Urban Ministries Summit

President Klaus participated in the Urban Ministries Summit in Chicago. Below he visits with (left to right) Bishop Ed Peecher, Bishop Lemuel Thuston ('81), Rev. Winston Larry, and (far right) Pastor Al Toledo.



AGTS to Host Alumni Receptions

Ice Cream Social – July 8

Alumni attending the AGWM Missionary Renewal (SOM) are invited for a time of fellowship at AGTS with missionary friends, faculty and staff.



Date: Tuesday, July 8, 7:30-9 p.m.
Location: AGTS Great Hall,
1435 N. Glenstone Ave.
RSVP: Bring your family—but please
RSVP by July 3 to alumni@agts.edu
or call (417) 268-1022

Chaplains Reception – July 27

Alumni attending the 2008 Chaplaincy Conference are invited to the AGTS Alumni Reception on Sunday, July 27, at the University Plaza Hotel in

Springfield, MO, at 8:30 p.m. For details contact alumni@agts.edu.

New D.Min. Coordinator



Ava Oleson will join the Doctor of Ministry team as coordinator. An ordained AG minister, Ava has been in full-time ministry over 25 years. For the past 8 years, she has been an associate pastor at Life Center in Tacoma, WA.

Loralie Crabtree now serves as connections pastor at Central AG in Springfield, MO, where she oversees the development of small groups, Christian education elective tracks, and other responsibilities.



Resources

AG Statement on Revival



Read Dr. Wood's *Scriptural Guidelines for Assessing Revivals*. For more articles and resources, visit Dr. Wood's website at www.georgeowood.com.

Bookstore on Facebook

The Bookstore now has a Facebook page where new merchandise, sales and discounts appear. Alumni feedback is welcome. Post your comments, suggestions, and ideas for new merchandise. Join the group by logging onto facebook.com and searching "AGTS Bookstore."

Student Referrals

There is no better resource for future students than our alumni. You can help invest in the mission of AGTS by telling us about a co-worker, family member, or friend who might be interested in attending Seminary! Refer a student to our Enrollment Office at www.agts.edu/referral.

Connect with President Klaus

Dr. Byron Klaus will be at the following events:

- June 21-23 Fellowship of Evangelical Seminary Presidents (FESP) Conference, Atlanta, GA
- July 8 AGTS Alumni Event for AGWM Missionary Renewal attendees, AGTS Great Hall
- July 27 AGTS Alumni Event for Chaplaincy attendees, University Plaza Hotel



Books and Publications



Dr. Wayne ('03) and Rosalyn **Goodall**, AG missionaries, work with national leaders, pastors, missionaries, conduct retreats, and minister in areas of critical concern throughout the world. Wayne teaches at AG colleges and seminaries in various countries. His book *Marriage and Family* will soon be released in over 30 languages by Life Publishers.

Another book, *Why Great Men Fall* is used extensively by Focus on the Family, men's ministries and secular organizations. His new book, *Success Kills, Forgetting Who and What Made You Successful* is scheduled to be released in the summer of '09.

Summer 2008 Enrichment Journal

[The Multiplying Church: How New Testament Practices Shaped the Assemblies of God Worldwide](#) by **Randy Hurst** ('81)

[The Four Pillars of Missions Strategy: Reaching, Planting, Training, Touching](#) by **Russ Turney** ('76), Richard Nicholson, **Mike McClafflin** ('79), **Dr. Ron Maddux** ('88/'08)

[The Economic Crises Facing Missionaries](#) by **Greg Mundis** ('97)

[Creating Suspense](#) by **Dr. Doug Oss** ('80)

AG Women in Ministry e-newsletter

[Just a Weird Missionary](#) by **Sarah Herman** ('03)

[A Woman of Strength: Biblical and Cultural Perspectives](#) by **Dr. Beth Grant** ('79)

[A Theology of Humor](#) by **Dr. Cheryl Taylor** ('91/'03)

[When Your dreams Become reality — Now What?](#) by **Dr. Peggy Jo Wobbema** ('94/'07)

Alumni News

Winston Croft ('77) retired in 2007 from the USAFR Medical Service Corp. as the deputy director, Office of Early Learning, State of Florida.

George Harry Davis, ('81) went to be with the Lord on June 8. George and his wife, Billie, were married 63 years and served as Christian education missionaries for 47 years.

Byron Hill ('89) and his wife, Leesa, lead a ministry team of outreach and discipleship at Missouri State University in Springfield, MO, which is part of a campus outreach ministry of Abundant Life Covenant Church.



Donald Kammer ('89) was recently assigned to the 101st Combat Aviation Brigade out of Ft. Campbell, KY to Afghanistan.

Ray ('05) and **Angela** ('00) **Reid** welcomed, *Rossiana Brooks Reid*, born on June 6. She weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Denny Miller ('05) is the director of the *Acts in Africa* initiative. Visit their new interactive website at www.actsinafrica.org.

Donnie Capps ('07) is the Community Care Director at Crossroads Community Cathedral in East Hartford, CT. His wife Jennifer and their children, Liliana and Noah reside in Manchester, CT.



Send Us Your News!

We want to hear from you! Send your latest news and photos for possible publication in the *Alumni E-Newsletter* and/or *Rapport*. Email your news and photos to alumni@agts.edu.

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Islam Summit Planned

Sept. 10-12 **Islam in America Summit**
Reaching Muslims Through Missional Local Church

- *Growth of Islam Around the World and in America*
- *Getting to Know Your Muslim Neighbor*
- *Becoming a Missional Church to Reach Muslims in Your Community*

Calvary Church in Naperville, IL
Sponsored by AGTS, AGUSM, and CMM
Contact: Randy Walls at (417) 268-1044 or rwalls@agts.edu

Save the Date!

August 7, 2009 General Council Alumni Reception, Orlando, FL

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