

Divine love has a powerful, purifying influence. It is to be found only in renewed hearts, and naturally flows out to their fellow men.

Are You Guilty?

by Tanya James

When you meet someone for the very first time, what do you think would be their impression of you? Would they immediately see something different about you? Would they be able to tell that you are a Christian – a Bible believing child of God? Have you ever heard of the saying – “First impressions are lasting impressions.” On the flip side, first impressions can also be the most deceiving. For example, when you go out on a first date, you are going to put your best foot forward. You are going to be very courteous, you won’t order a lot of food, you will eat properly, etc..., but after so many months it is going to be extremely difficult to continue in this manner if that is not how you really are.

You can mask yourself behind a personality, which is what we show to others, but it is very difficult to hide your true character. Somewhere down the line it is going to come out! It is in little things that your true character is revealed.

It seems that society defines who we are. We are told how to dress. We are told how to act. We are told what kind of music we should listen to or we are not true to our race. We are even told how we should vote (It is no longer about voting based on the values you hold on to, it is all about a party). If you don’t belong to the party that your people support, then you are a traitor. It seems like we are falling into a decline of people with low moral standards.



No longer are we hearing the voices of our ancestors telling us to be true to character. To be a “man of your word”. To keep promises that you make. To take care of your family. To be married until death do us part. To respect your elders. Give your seat to a woman. To ask the father for permission to “court” (seek affections of, with the intent to marry) his daughter. We are now living in a time of SELF – “It is ALL about ME!”; “I got mine you need to get yours!”; “Every man for himself!” I thank God that Jesus Christ did NOT have that attitude towards us. We would be in big, big T-R-O-U-B-L-E!

It is time for us to wake up! We have slowly become complacent. The devil has been subtly rocking us to sleep. No longer are we hearing the cry in the wilderness that “Jesus is coming soon!” We are too busy with trivial matters of our faith. We are becoming too comfortable with living down here on this wicked earth. For some of us, it is very hard to tell that we are Christian Disciples. We deny Christ in so many ways.

I read the following quote that made me take a **REAL** look at my myself:

“He who would confess Christ must have Christ abiding in him. He cannot communicate that which he has not received. The disciples might speak fluently on doctrines, they might repeat the words of Christ Himself; but unless they possessed Christlike meekness and love, they were not confessing Him. A spirit contrary to the spirit of Christ would deny

*Him, whatever the profession. Men may deny Christ by evilspeaking, by foolish talking, by words that are untruthful or unkind. They may deny Him by shunning life’s burdens, by the pursuit of sinful pleasure. They may deny Him by conforming to the world, by uncourteous behavior, by the love of their own opinions, by justifying self, by cherishing doubt, borrowing trouble, and dwelling in darkness. In all these ways they declare that Christ is not in them. And “whosoever shall deny Me before men,” He says, “him will I also deny before My Father which is in heaven.” *Desire of Ages, p. 357**

Lord, I am guilty! Please change my heart and renew a right spirit within me. Help me to take a stand for what I **KNOW** is right so that I will **NEVER, EVER** deny you!

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Family First: Finding The Old Paths

by Marsha Peters

There use to be a time in the African American community when the family was close-knit. Grandparents, parents, children, and maybe some aunts or uncles all lived in the same house or on the same street, or within walking distance in the same neighborhood or community. Those who lived away from family adopted their neighbors as family, and they looked out for each other just as actual family would.

There was no need back then to look for a baby-sitter because someone in the family, grandma or auntie, was always available. There was no need to go to a counselor because several generations of wisdom lived under the same roof or within walking distance. Everybody went to church together, socialized together, went to school together, and grew up together.



Everybody knew everybody. If they didn't know your name, they knew who's child you were, or who's family you belonged to.

Communities worked together. They had their own businesses, stores, cleaners, bakeries, tailors, newspapers, drugstores, all within the community. They were self-supporting.

What a difference two decades make. Today we have more single-parent than two-parent homes. Our black males are in jail instead of college. Our adolescent females have the fastest growing rate of AIDS in this country, not to mention teenage pregnancies, plus, many are on welfare. Grandparents are

in nursing homes instead of being taken care of in their own homes or their children's homes. Children are in daycare instead of at grandma's house.

We've lost something. What happened to our way of life, our way of thinking, and our

sense of direction, our family? Where and when did we lose our way?

Jeremiah 6:16 says, "Thus saith the Lord, Stand ye in the ways, and see and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein."

Here is clear direction from the Word of God. This is the solution. The answer to the problem is within reach. You can start today in your own family searching and asking for the "old paths". Your family has a chance! What will your answer be?

Quote of the Month

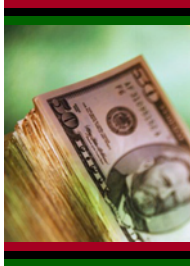
"One well-ordered, well-disciplined family tells more in behalf of Christianity than all the sermons that can be preached."

-EGW

Finance: Blacks suffer from economic crackup

By Yolanda Young

F. Scott Fitzgerald surmised in his essay, *The Crack-Up*, that it takes great acumen to hold in the mind contrasting truths and still be able to function.



For the black community, one truth is that our middle class is growing, and our children are attending college in record numbers.

Another truth is that despite this progress, too many blacks remain unemployed or underemployed. Too many do not save or invest. Too many buy luxuries they cannot afford.

The result: a continuing economic crackup in the black community. While we're busy trying to change the culture, other groups are passing us by.

Consider the findings of a study in October by the Pew Hispanic Foundation:

- The net worth of whites is 11 times that of blacks.
- Hispanics, who, as a group, have less education, take lower-paying jobs and, in many instances, are recent immigrants who don't speak English, have a greater net worth (\$7,900) than blacks (\$6,000).

While whites' median income of \$47,800 is only 1.6 times the \$29,600 that blacks earn, whites generally inherit more wealth and have less debt.

Hispanic households earn more (\$33,000) than blacks (\$29,600), have less debt and are neck and neck with blacks in terms of homeownership.

This is true, in part, because Hispanics tend to have more workers living in the same household, according to Rakesh Kochhar, author of the Pew study. But it also can be attributed to Hispanics' willingness to work

harder, longer and do with less in order to gain a foothold into economic stability.

African-Americans have been trying to build a sandcastle. While we have managed to keep the waves of racism and injustice somewhat at bay, we haven't figured out how to keep the sand from running through our fingers.

More Hispanics have. They're willing to take more humble jobs and live with fewer luxuries.

In November, the U.S. unemployment rate for blacks was 10.8% compared with 6.7% for Hispanics and 4.7% for whites.

Too many blacks, on the other hand, want vacations and designer items even though to have these things requires them to have second jobs and to penny- pinch.

Rather than spend ourselves further and further into debt, we'd be better served by making a plan to be debt-free with equity. To do otherwise seems a little crazy.

Healthful Insight: Living With Multiple Sclerosis

By Ms. Pashun A. Chism

I have always been a very active person. I worked, took care of my family and always helped other people. Bowling, roller skating, and dancing were my hobbies, and I always liked to read.

One day I went to get out of bed and I stumbled. I said, "I sure am clumsy." Months went by and my balance was off. I said, "God what is wrong with me?" A year later when I tried to get up off my sofa, I fell to the floor and couldn't get up. My brother came by at the right time.

I went to the hospital and tests and blood-work were done. I was told by the doctors that I had Multiple Sclerosis. I said, "No, God wouldn't let this happen to me." Months later, I went to another hospital for a second opinion. They ran tests, and blood work was done. In 1989 they also told me that I had Multiple Sclerosis (MS).



I talked to God. I was upset, devastated and depressed. How was I going to tell my family?

With my faith in God and the love from my family and friends, I survived. With much rehab and prayer, I'm doing well. I have difficult days, but my God keeps me holding on.

MS is found primarily in the White race, but there are more

African Americans who are being diagnosed. Every year there's a seminar for African Americans who have MS. With help from the Multiple Sclerosis Society, seminars, tele-conferences, and information, I have been able to cope. I have MS, but it doesn't have me. I'm thankful to the Lord because it could have been worse. I'm thankful I was stricken with this illness after my children were older, and able to take care of themselves.

You have to have a positive attitude, and trust in the Lord. I do and I am blessed. Praise God!



What is Multiple Sclerosis (MS)?

MS is thought to be an autoimmune disease that affects the central nervous system (CNS). The CNS consists of the brain, spinal cord, and the optic nerves.

Surrounding and protecting the nerve fibers of the CNS is a fatty tissue called myelin, which helps nerve fibers conduct electrical impulses. In MS, myelin is lost in multiple areas, leaving scar tissue called sclerosis.

When myelin or the nerve fiber is destroyed or damaged, the ability of the nerves to conduct electrical impulses to and from the brain is disrupted, and this produces the various symptoms of MS.

National MS Society, www.nationalmssociety.org

Letting Go

by Tanya James

Letting go is one of the most difficult things to do. We are a people of "action" and we take an active role in attempting to solve any problem that may arise. Although it is good that we don't sit around and wait for things to happen, there are going to be times when we will have to let go trying and let God work it out.

There are some things that only God can solve. You may have tried, and tried, and tried, and it never seems to come close to being fixed. Well, what we think may need "fixing", God may be perfectly satisfied with the way things are at the moment. Remember, He knows the bigger picture! We may need that thorn in our side to keep us on our knees. We may need troubles to keep us humble. God knows best and the sooner we acknowledge it, the faster we will grow. Let's learn how to "Let Go."

Submitted, Author Unknown

To let go doesn't mean to stop caring... It means I can't do it for someone else.

To let go is not to cut myself off... It's the realization that I can't control another.

To let go is not to enable... But to allow learning from natural consequences.

To let go is to admit powerlessness... Which means the outcome is not in my hands.

To let go is not to try and change or blame another... I can only change myself.

To let go is not to care for... But to care about.

To let go is not to fix... But to be supportive.

To let go is not to judge... But to allow another to be a human being.



To let go is not to be in the middle arranging all the outcomes... But to allow others to affect their own outcomes.

To let go is not to be protective... It is to permit another to face reality.

To let go is not to deny... But to accept.

To let go is not to nag, scold, or argue... But to search out my own shortcomings and correct them.

To let go is not to adjust everything to my desires... But to take each day as it comes and cherish the moment.

To let go is not to criticize and regulate anyone... But to try to become what I dream I can be.

To let go is not to regret the past... But to grow and live for the future.

To let go is to fear less and love more.

Notable People and Events in African American History

This section features a few people and events that are notable in African American History...

Reginald F. Lewis

received his law degree from Harvard Law School in 1968. He was a partner in Murphy, Thorpes & Lewis, the first black law firm on Wall Street. In 1989 he became president and CEO of TLC Beatrice International Food Company, which made him the head of the largest black-owned business in the United States. TLC Beatrice had revenues of \$1.54 billion in 1992.

Augustus Nathaniel Lushington

became the first African American to earn a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.), earning the doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania in 1897.

Wendell P. Dabney

Establishes The Union in 1907. The Cincinnati, Ohio paper's motto is "For no people can become great without being united, for in union there is strength."

Virginia House of Delegates

voted unanimously in 1997 to retire the state song, "Carry me back to old Virginia", a tune which glorifies slavery.

William H. Heard

AME minister and educator, named minister to Liberia in 1895.

Adrienne Mitchell

first African American woman to die in combat in the Persian Gulf War is killed in her military barracks in Dharan, Saudi Arabia, 1991.

Debi Thomas

becomes the first African American figure skater to win a medal (bronze) at the Winter Olympic Games in 1988.

Shirley Chisholm

becomes first African American woman elected to Congress in NY, 1969-1983.

L. Douglas Wilder

Is the first black governor, from the state of Virginia, 1990-1994. The only other elected Black governor has been **Devel Patrick** from the state of Massachusetts, 2007-Now



Augustus Lushington

U. S. Senators

There have only been five:

- **Hiram Revels**, Mississippi, Feb. 25, 1870 - March 4, 1871 (Reconstruction)
- **Blanche K. Bruce**, 1875-1881
- **Edward Brooke**, first since Reconstruction, 1966-1979
- **Carol Mosely Braun**, first Black woman senator serving from 1992 -1998, Illinois
- **Barack Obama**, Illinois, 2005 - Now

African American Innovators and Their Inventions

R. P. Scott

Corn Silker.

F. J. Wood

Potato Digger

J. T. White

Lemon Squeezer

Joseph Lee

Kneading Machine

Norbert Rillieux

Improvement in Sugar Making

Alexander P. Ashbourne

Biscuit Cutter

George W. Kelley

Steam Table

Willis Johnson

Egg Beater

A. E. Long & A. A. Jones

Cap for Bottles and Jars

Granville T. Woods

Telephone System and Apparatus, Railway Telegraphy, Relay Instrument, Apparatus for Transmission of Messages by Electricity, Automatic Cut-off Switch

Philip B. Downing

Letter Box

Lee S. Burrige & Newman R. Marshman

Type Writing Machine

William B. Burvis

Fountain Pen

Joseph H. Dickinson

Player Piano

Robert F. Flemmings, Jr.

Guitar



Granville T. Woods

Joseph V. Nichols & Lewis H. Latimer

Electric Lamp

W. A. Lavalette

Printing Press

Joseph Hunter Dickerson

Arm for Recording Machine

Powell Johnson

Eye Protector Glasses

Joseph R. Winters

Fire Escape Ladders

A.L. Rickman

Overshoe

William F. Burr

Switching Device for Railways

Humphrey H. Reynolds

Safety-Gate for Bridges

February History Facts

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 1978 - The first stamp of the U.S. Postal Service's Black Heritage USA series honors Harriet Tubman.	2 1839 - Edmond Berger patented the spark plug. 1897- Alfred L. Cralle patents ice cream mold and ice cream scoop.
3 1956 - Autherine J. Lucy becomes the first Black student to attend the University of Alabama.	4 1964 - Austin T. Walden is first Black Judge since Reconstruction. 1996 - J.C. Watts is first Black to respond to State of Union.	5 1958 - Clifton R. Wharton Sr. is first minister to Rumania, and first Black to head a U. S. Embassy in Europe.	6 1820 - First organized emigration of U. S. Blacks back to Africa from New York to Sierra Leone.	7 1926 - Carter G. Woodson creates Negro History Week. In 1976 it became Black History Month.	8 1985 - Brenda Pearson , an official court reporter for the House of Representatives, is first Black female to record State of the Union address	9 1995 - Bernard Harris , African American astronaut, takes space walk.
10 1966 - Andrew Brimmer becomes the first African American governor of the Federal Reserve Board.	11 1783 - Jarena Lee, daughter of former slaves, becomes first female preacher of AME Church	12 1865 - Henry Highland Garnet ,becomes first Black to speak in the Capitol on the abolition of slavery in the House of Rep.	13 1892 - The first African American performers, the World's Fair Colored Opera Company, appear at Carnegie Hall.	14 1867 - Morehouse College organized in Augusta, GA, and later moved to Atlanta.	15 1968 - Henry Lewis becomes the first African American to lead a symphony orchestra in the United States.	16 1951 - New York City Council passed bill prohibiting racial discrimination in city-assisted housing developments.
17 1973 - The Navy frigate USS Jesse L. Brown commissioned. It was named for the first Black naval aviator killed over Korea.	18 1896 - H. Grenon patents a Razor Stropping Device, patent #554,867.	19 1942 - Tuskegee Airmen initiated. 2002 - Vonetta Flowers is first black gold medalist in history of Winter Olympic Games	20 1900 - J.F. Bickening patents airship invention. 1929 - Wallace Thurman's play, <i>Harlem</i> opens in New York City.	21 1965 - Malcom X assassinated. 1987 - Blacks in Tampa, FL rebel after a Black man is killed in police custody.	22 1989 - DJ Jazzy Jeff and the Fresh Prince win the first rap Grammy for the hit single "Parents Just Don't Understand."	23 1895 - William H. Heard, AME minister and educator, named minister to Liberia.
24 1864 - Rebecca Lee Crumpler becomes first black woman to receive MD degree from the New England Female Medical College.	25 1948 - M.L.King ordained as minister. 1964-Muhammad Ali becomes heavy -weight champion	26 1869 - Fifteenth Amendment guaranteeing Blacks right to vote sent to states for ratification.	27 1872 - Charlotte Ray graduates from Howard Law School as first Black lawyer in the U.S.	28 1704 - Elias Neau opened school for Blacks in New York City.	29 1940 - Hattie McDaniel, the first African American to win the Oscar Award for her role as 'Mammy' in the movie 'Gone With The Wind'.	

In Case You Didn't Know...: America's High Tech Invisible Man

By Tyrone D. Taborn

You may not have heard of Dr. Mark Dean. And you aren't alone. But almost everything in your life has been affected by his work.



Dr. Mark Dean is a Ph.D. from Stanford University.

He is in the National Hall of Inventors. He has more than 30 patents pending. He is a vice president with IBM. Oh, yeah. And he is also the architect of the modern-day personal computer. Dr. Dean holds three of the original nine patents on the computer that all PCs are based upon. And, Dr. Mark Dean is an African American.

So how is it that we can celebrate the 20th anniversary of the IBM personal computer without reading or hearing a single word about him? Given all of the pressure mass media are under about negative portrayals of African Americans on television and in print, you would think it would be a slam dunk to highlight someone like Dr. Dean.

Somehow though, we have managed to miss the shot. History is cruel when it comes to telling the stories of African Americans. Dr. Dean isn't the first Black inventor to be overlooked. Consider John Stanard, inventor of the refrigerator, George Sampson, creator of the clothes dryer, Alexander Miles and his elevator, Lewis Latimer and the electric lamp.

All of these inventors share two things:

One: They changed the landscape of our society; and,

Two: Society relegated them to the footnotes of history.

Hopefully, Dr. Mark Dean won't go away as quietly as they did. He certainly shouldn't. Dr. Dean helped start a Digital Revolution that created people like Microsoft's Bill Gates and Dell Computer's Michael Dell. Millions of jobs in information

technology can be traced back directly to Dr. Dean.

More importantly, stories like Dr. Mark Dean's should serve as inspiration for African-American children. Already victims of the 'Digital Divide' and failing school systems,

young, Black kids might embrace technology with more enthusiasm if they knew someone like Dr. Dean was already leading the way.

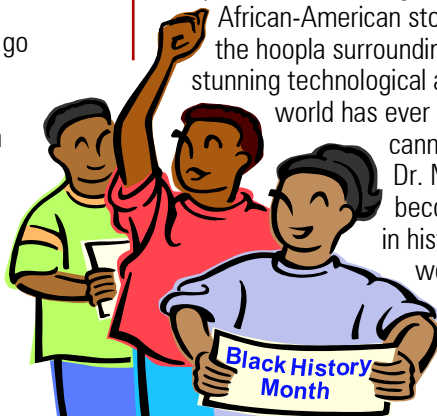
Although technically Dr. Dean can't be credited with creating the computer -- that is left to Alan Turing, a pioneering 20th-century English mathematician, widely considered to be the father of modern computer science -- Dr. Dean rightly deserves to take a bow for the machine we use today. The computer really wasn't practical for home or small business use until he came along, leading a team that developed the interior architecture (ISA systems bus) that enables multiple devices, such as modems and printers, to be connected to personal computers.

In other words, because of Dr. Dean, the PC became a part of our daily lives. For most of us, changing the face of society would have been enough. But not for Dr. Dean. Still in his early forties, he has a lot of inventing left in him.

He recently made history again by leading the design team responsible for creating the first 1-Gigahertz processor chip.. It's just another huge step in making computers faster and smaller. As the world congratulates itself for the new Digital Age brought on by the personal computer, we need to guarantee that the

African-American story is part of the hoopla surrounding the most stunning technological advance the world has ever seen. We

cannot afford to let Dr. Mark Dean become a footnote in history. He is well worth his own history book.



African American History Trivia

Submitted by Gary James, II

1. In what year did Black History Month officially begin?
2. Who was the first Black American senator in Congress?
3. Who was the first Black woman to head the Army Nurse Corps?
4. Who invented the carbon filament for the electric bulb?
5. Who was the first black woman in space?
6. In 1916, what invention by Garrett A. Morgan saved many in a Cleveland gas explosion?
7. This Black American established Negro History Week. Who is he?
8. Selma Burke a Black American artist sculpted the image of President Franklin Roosevelt that appears on what coin?
9. In 1966, he became the first black to be named coach of an NBA team, the Boston Celtics.
10. What Amendment to the Constitution guaranteed black Americans the right to vote?
11. She was the first black female to become a licensed architect in the United States. Who is she?
12. Who is the first black female dentist in America?
13. What nickname did Native Americans give to the African American cavalry who fought against them in the Indian Wars of the 19th century?
14. Who is called the father of gospel music?
15. What are the words to the Black National Anthem written in ?

1. 1978; 2. Hiram Revels; 3. Bng. Gen. Hazel W. Johnson; 4. Lewis Latimer; 5. Dr. Mae c. Jernison; 6. Gas Mask; 7. Carter G Woodson; 8. Dime; 9. Bill Russell; 10. Fiftenth Amendment; 11. Norma Sklarek; 12. Ida Gray; 13. Buffalo Soldiers; 14. Thomas Dorsey; 15. Find on the Internet

Tax Tips

By Mr. Clyde Bolds, Tax Consultant

To avoid filing mistakes, review the return in its entirety. Provide the correct mailing address when you choose to mail your tax return. Common mistakes include the following:

- Claiming ineligible dependents
- Return not signed before mailing
- Mailing your return to the wrong address
- Entering the wrong amount of taxable social security benefits
- Incorrect or missing schedules and forms
- Social security numbers incorrect, missing or do not match names
- Incorrect filing status recorded
- Not filing a return when due a refund



- Failure to report and include income not included on a form 1099, form W-2 other return.
- Failure to figure whether or not you are liable for the alternative minimum tax amount
- Using the standard deduction method when itemizing is more advantageous
- Math errors such as reporting of \$39,472 as \$24,972

I Believe I'll Testify!

By Derek Peters

February is perhaps, after December, one of the most celebrated months in the year. Valentine's Day falls on February 14th, and consequently romantic love is heavily promoted. We are incessantly bombarded with radio and television commercials advertising everything from candy, to cars, to expensive jewelry. We are told we need to buy and present these things to our 'Special Valentine' as a tangible symbol of our undying love and devotion.

The unfortunate truth however, is that mere things, no matter how costly, cannot and do not guarantee undying love and devotion. That old familiar quote says it all to well: "Money can't buy you love." That wonderful young man or woman who stole your heart can also break your heart, leave you high and dry, and take that expensive car or jewelry with them.

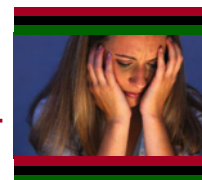


Society today is so fickle. Commitment, loyalty, and responsibility, are things to be scorned, and for many people the word 'love' is just a worn out cliché'. So where can we turn to find all-consuming, undying, unselfish, and everlasting love? It is to our Savior— The Lord Jesus Christ.

John 3:16 states that God loved us even in our rebellious and sinful state, and that He was willing to die to secure our salvation. "Greater love hath no man then this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13.

As we celebrate Valentine's Day with our husbands and wives, fiancés and fiancées, and shower them with romantic love, let us never forget to love the Lord our God supremely for his filial love, compassion and mercy to each of us; a love that is guaranteed through His priceless blood never to die; a love which will last all year long, past Valentine's Day and into eternity.

Inspiration



I FAILED LAST NIGHT

I failed last night...
this man was hurting, aching for someone to listen and share his hurt...

but I was tired and uninterested and wanting to be left alone...

he didn't stay long...

that's not the first time I've turned off, refused to be reached...

and it's like I can see myself doing it, but I do it anyway...

because.....

I don't have the energy to care or do I often care for really loving reasons or is my caring professional

or an investment upon which I expect return?

Lord, forgive me
When I fail to care for any reason.

Robert A. Raines, *Lord Could You Make It Little Better*, Word Inc., 1972

African American Flag

What The Flag Represents

The flag represents three basic things.



Red represents the blood that was lost over the land.

Black represents the people who lost their blood.

Green represents the land that the Black people lost their blood over .

Who suggested this flag?

The flag came as a result of the "Back-To-Africa" movement amongst U.S. blacks initiated by Marcus Garvey in the 1920s .

Prayer Requests

Please pray for this ministry. We are a 501(c)3 self-supported, non-profit organization. If you have a request, please send it to:

prayers@renewedheartsinc.org.

Please pray for the following individuals:

- DV - Her husband is dying from brain cancer and her 18yr old granddaughter was missing since February 16th. (Update on 2-22-08: The granddaughter has made contact with a family member via email)
- MM - Family
- Diana - finances
- Youth - purity; commitment to Godliness

Also, please pray for:

- Our Individual Churches and Pastors
- A grant writer and a facility for this ministry

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Let every worker in the Master's vineyard, study, plan, devise methods, to reach the people where they are. We must do something out of the common course of things. --Evangelism, p. 122



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Monthly Events

February

1st-29th RH Ministry Personal Training

March

1st-31st RH Ministry Personal Training

Funds for Education

Greetings to all of our friends!

We are so pleased to announce that SunTrust has extended the "Our checking, Your Cause" offer to **March 29th, 2008**. If you open a new, free checking account SunTrust will donate \$100 of **THEIR** money on your behalf to the non-profit organization of your choice. Renewed Hearts, inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization and we are building up a fund for education. Everyone has expenses in regards to educating our children. That's why we want to use this fund to help families that have children in public, private, or home school.

There are several ways that you can help us to build this fund:

1. SunTrust Bank has a special called, **Our checking, Your cause**. If you open a free, no fee personal or business checking account, SunTrust will donate \$100 of **THEIR** money in your name to our education scholarship fund. **Renewed Hearts, Inc. is a registered 501(c)3 non-profit organization**. Sign-up at www.suntrust.com/mycause.

2. If you are not interested in opening an account, but you would still like to help out, you may make a personal donation (please make checks payable to **Renewed Hearts, Inc.** and annotate on the check 'Education Scholarship Fund') Mail it to: P.O. Box 5474 Atlanta, GA 31107. Your donations are tax deductible.
3. Please pray for this ministry. It is our desire to be a resource to help families in any way that we are able.

If you are able to be a blessing to this ministry through one of the above options, so that we can be a blessing to other families we thank you greatly for your support. A special thank you to those who have already supported us in this effort.



Please pass the news on to your friends and family. May you be blessed!

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