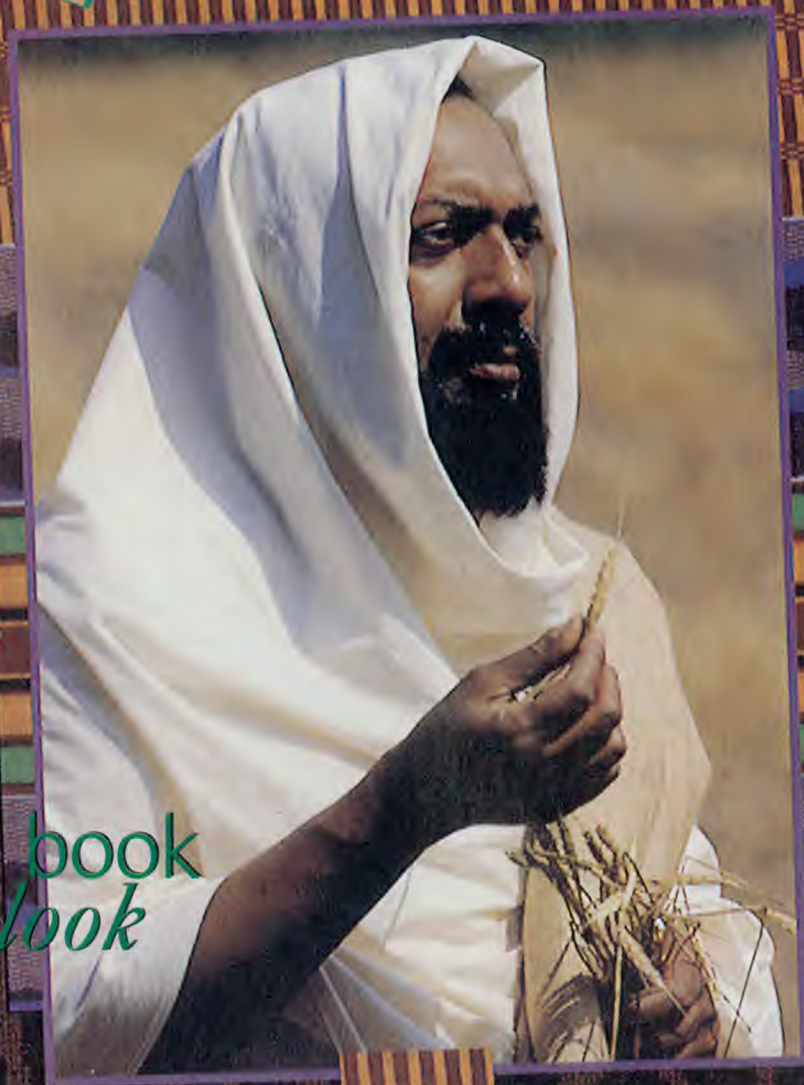


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These days, hospitals run a very tight ship. You check in a couple of hours before your scheduled appointment with the anesthesiologist, put your clothes in a bag, tie on a skimpy gown and cover your hair with a blue cap. Clad in this fashionable attire, you climb up on a gurney and "relax" in a holding pattern. While you wait, persons in blue from bonnet to booties stop briefly, study clipboards and ask, "Are you Mrs. McClure?"

That pretty much describes my recent entry into the operating theater for another foot and ankle surgery—but with a new twist. One clipboard person asked me to point to the foot that was to be repaired. I pointed down to the right as she uncapped a fat black marker and drew a large "X" on the designated foot.

"Is that so no one makes a mistake?" I joked.

"That's right," she replied without humor.

Soon after, the gurney was wheeled into Operating Room 3, and I was positioned on a beanbag surgical table for the bone graft. A young man (same blue covering) asked if the foot marked "X" was the one to be operated on.

"Yes, it is," I answered. With a serious expression, he picked up a big marker from a tray and wrote "NO" on my left foot while I developed a mild case of marker anxiety.

I learned a couple of days later that in another hospital, hundreds of miles from Baltimore, a tragic mistake had been made. Someone amputated the wrong foot! When I heard that, I appreciated the "NO" that didn't wash off easily and "X"-marks-the-spot hidden under mountains of cotton and gauze wrappings. There had been no reason for a mistake in my surgery.

Sometimes I wish all decisions were that easy—that yes or no choices were simple. Though it may seem there is great risk for me to choose unwisely, Jesus promised, "I am with you always," and "I will never leave you or forsake you." I am grateful that our relationship can grow so close, my choices will reflect His guidance. And if I do make a mistake, because of His love and the cross, it is not fatal.

**COVER: The African-American edition of Steps to Christ is still filled with the inspirational writings of Ellen G. White. As you can see, this edition features an African-American Christ on the cover, as well as various proverbs throughout the book. See the related article on page 5.**

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**Jack Jennings, Lewisburg, Mountain View.**

Jack was baptized in December of 1994 by Pastor Brian Jones. He decided to be baptized after attending church services.



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Freda was baptized with Jack in December of 1994 after actively studying the Bible.



# Face 2 Face

Baptism Profiles

**Marsha Goode, Lewisburg, Mountain View.**

Marsha was baptized in November of 1994 by Elder Ron Boyce after her brother-in-law invited her to attend church.



**Marissa Neel, Lewisburg, Mountain View.**

Marissa was baptized in November of 1994 by Elder Ron Boyce.



## A best friend

My best friend is probably not the kind of friend you would think of a 16-year-old girl having. In fact, most of my friends hardly even talk to their moms!

But ever since I was small my mom has been my greatest friend. We go places together and do things together, and I can tell her anything. She is such a comfort in my life, and I love her so much.

Due to various family problems, I had begun to stray from God, but my precious mother was right there for me, bringing me back.

Whenever I need to talk, she stops and helps me through my problems no matter if it's midnight or morning.

I have always been amazed at her ability to sense my mood and know exactly what to say.

I now want to thank you, Mom, for every blessed thing

Thank you

## Family Life

### Safe in the arms of Jesus

**Becki Patten**  
Simi Valley, California



The recent tragedy in Oklahoma City brought back memories of our own tragedy during the violent earthquake in southern California.

of her crib, tears falling down her cheeks, sucking on her pacifier and clutching her baby doll. I picked her up and settled myself down in the rocking chair, hoping inside that it would not be but a few short minutes until I could get back in bed.

I rocked and rocked, but Jennifer seemed much more restless this time than usual. She wiggled around into several positions before she finally settled herself down. Both arms were clasped tightly around my neck. I could hardly breathe. With her favorite blanket wrapped around her, she was soon fast asleep.

As I continued to sit there with her in my arms, I thought it was unusual that she would choose to sleep with her arms looped around my neck. She had never done this before. And then it hit me: she felt safe and protected with her arms around me.

The words to a familiar hymn flashed through my mind: "Safe in the arms of Jesus, safe on his gentle breast;

Here by His love o'er shaded, Sweetly my soul doth rest." Was I safe in the arms of Jesus? Did I feel secure in his arms? Were my arms tightly clasped around Him, as Jennifer's were around me?

It was only after I answered these questions positively that I was able to put quiet my own fears from another earthquake and the recurring aftershocks. At times, I found myself fearing again and then realized I had loosened my grip.

In Jennifer's life, there is no safer haven than in the arms of her parents. That's how I feel about God. Although I continue to live in southern California with the fear of "the BIG one," I know that God will protect me and my family, just as He did that January morning. And if something should preclude the Lord from doing this, I know that His will is much more worthy than mine.

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S. BUSBY

## Follow the Son, not the signs

Jesus is coming again. Soon. All the terrifying signs of Luke 21 have been fulfilled. We've had wars, revolutions, earthquakes, famines, volcanos, AIDS, comets, space-walkers and myriads of other "fearful events." There is no question: Jesus is coming again. Soon!

Greg Louganis has informed us that it's acceptable to be gay and get AIDS. Wilt Chamberlain has turned lust into a championship sport by bedding the thousands who asked. Roseanne has made a career out of talking dirty. Romance novels have turned persons into bodies to be conquered, and HBO has taken away all need for imagination. Jesus is coming again. Soon. Just in time.

The San Andreas fault turns out to be one of the least harmful earthquake areas. Its rifts are so visible we all thought it was ready to drop the big one on LA. Surprise! Hidden faults can do us in. Remember last year's earthquake in Mexico City? Of course not. The network news was busy following O.J. and so gave us only fleeting glimpses of the Mexican devastation. We also missed most of the shaking in Turkey, India, Russia and Africa. Maybe we were busy listening to Rush. But we did see Kobe. "Earthquakes in various places ..." Jesus is coming again. Soon.

Then there are the myriads of self-proclaimed "prophets" who are shouting out the signs so we "won't miss them:" "Newt's house has a secret bill ready for passage, a bill that will make the National Sunday Law prophecies come true? Even though most states have wiped their Sunday blue laws off the books, they'll all be back overnight in response to the Oklahoma City bombing."

"The Pope's stand on abortion, his book lifting up the gift of God's grace, his words praising family values and all his travels are but a smokescreen behind which he is building a world-wide power base. He will be taking control of the world any day."

"SDA presidents Wilson and

Folkenberg have conspired to turn the church over to the Catholics."

"There is a secret vault in Fort Knox filled with new American money. The president is going to declare all of our money useless and force us to use the new world currency."

"The Trilateral Commission is about to..."

Yes, Jesus is coming again. Soon.

I can tell you the day He's coming back. Well, maybe not the day. But I can give you the month and the year of His return. And maybe even the week. I'm really very certain about all of this. I've read all the prophecies, analyzed the world's events, listened to it being discussed on the talk shows and received a firm impression from God on the subject. Jesus will return between September 15 and 27 of 1994. I know it's true because I heard Pastor Harold Camping tell about it on Family Radio KEAR 106.9 FM.

Jesus is coming again. Soon. I have no question about that. It is a firm fact. Truth. But I do have some questions about all the sign-watching that's going on. Many Christians seem more focused on the signs of Christ's coming than they are on Christ. They seem more enamored with the "fearful events" than with the God of deliverance.

I like watching signs, too. Just like the disciples, I want to know exactly "when will these things come?" But I've learned I'm much better off watching Christ.

Three verses challenge me to look beyond signs to Saviour.

- Luke 21:34—If I get involved in "other stuff," Christ's coming will catch me by surprise.
- Matthew 24:22—Jesus has promised to cut all of the "signs" short, to stop the sequence of pre-determined events, just to give me a better chance of salvation.
- Luke 21:36—I am to pray for escape from all the troubles and for the privilege of standing face to face with my brother, Jesus.

Jesus is coming. Soon. Not because the signs have all been fulfilled, but because He wants us to be with Him.

Let's watch the Son. Now.

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*Dick Duerksen watches for signs of Jesus' soon coming across the world and throughout the Columbia Union as the director of creative ministries.*

# A familiar book with a *new look*

**TAMARA MICHALENKO TERRY**

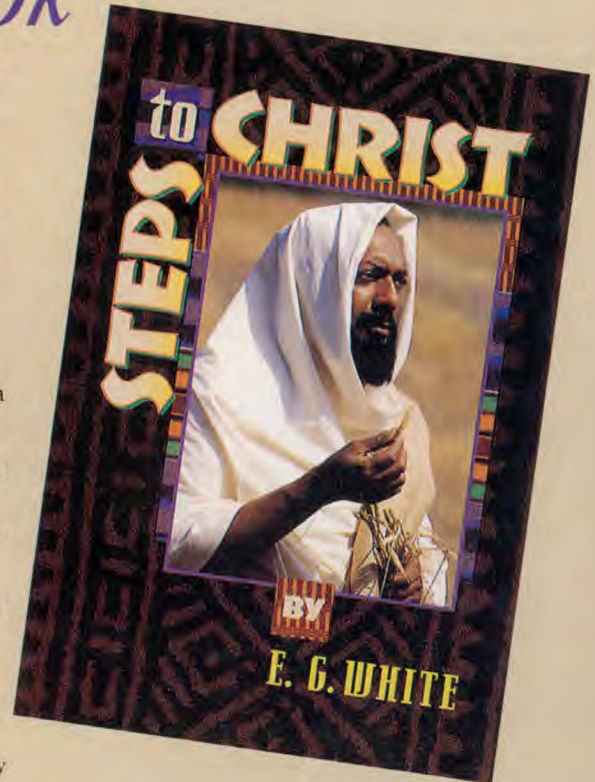
land, feels the African-American edition of *Steps to Christ* will help "reach millions of souls whom we would otherwise fail to favorably impress and lose them to the kingdom of God."

Donna Hall recalls her first encounter with the new *Steps to Christ*. "I was getting dressed for church one morning when I heard a knock at the door. It was a friend, and he delivered the book *Steps to Christ*. I looked through it and laid it down. As the week went on, I saw my husband reading the book, and I decided when he was done I would do the same.

"I started reading the book, and in the beginning chapters I read what I had been learning as a new Christian all along. I continued to read and began feeling this book was written just for me! It was

amazing how every sentence seemed to touch the trials and tribulations I was going through, both past and present.

"My husband went on an errand one evening and returned home very excited. We were trying to make an important decision, and we were dependent, confused, frustrated and scared. My husband told me he heard the Lord's voice. He actually heard it! The Lord had given him the answer to our problem. I became so overwhelmed with what he was saying that I began to cry. I ran and



picked up *Steps to Christ*, then began to read paragraphs from different chapters to him, and from that moment our lives changed.

"I haven't replaced the Holy Bible, but *Steps to Christ* has made me thirsty! I have started reading the book for the second time. It made my walk with Christ so much more meaningful."

Why not see how this new *Steps to Christ* can change your life? The African-American edition of *Steps to Christ* is available at your local Adventist Book Center by calling (800) 765-6955 or through the publisher: Foy Institute Press; P.O. Box 25; Hagerstown, Maryland 21741; (301) 582-1255.

Tamara Michalenko Terry is assistant director of communication for the Columbia Union.

Along with the new year came the premier issue of an African-American edition of *Steps to Christ*. Still filled with the inspirational writings of Ellen White, this edition features an African-American Christ on the cover, as well as various proverbs throughout the book.

The preparation for this book started many years ago. At the 1980 annual meeting of the Association of Black Psychologists, members felt "the portrayal of the Divine in images of Caucasian flesh"... is ... "destructive to the self-esteem of black people throughout the world and is directly destructive to the psychological well-being of black children."

William Frazier, president of Foy Institute Press, the publisher of the African-American *Steps to Christ*, was very excited about this new endeavor. "This was our first publication, and we had encountered so many obstacles that at times we wondered if it would ever become a reality." They have sold more than two-thirds of the first print run in two months.

Clarence Richardson, *Message* magazine marketing representative at the Review and Herald Publishing Association in Hagerstown, Mary-

*When I first saw ... the Steps to Christ  
The Jesus ... He looked like me!  
It seemed too good, a beautiful truth  
If I believed, it would set me free*

*As I thought of all the heartache  
My life has caused each day  
It's true, I need all these steps  
If I return to the narrow way*

*The book man came to town one day  
He walked right to my door  
I begged and cried for Steps to Christ  
Cause I was blind, naked and poor*

*These simple Steps to Christ each day  
Lead straight to the Father's throne  
My life is now changed for all to see  
That Jesus is the King of my home.*

—William H. Frazier

# Is the Pope a Christian?

MITCHELL TYNER

"Do you actually believe the Pope could be a sincere Christian?" my caller asked. What a question! Should I not assume sincerity on the part of the head of a concededly Christian church? Apparently, some believe I should not.

The caller reminded me of an event some years ago when the United States established diplomatic relations with the Holy See. A well-meaning, I assume, person placed placards in the Washington subway cars protesting that event and saying some rather derogatory things about the Pope. A loyal Roman Catholic, assuming that the Adventist church was responsible, called me and proceeded to tell me at some length and in no uncertain terms that such personal attacks were especially disgraceful in light of our professed support for religious liberty and tolerance. When she came up for air, I responded by telling her that we were almost as distressed by those placards as she was, that my church was in no way responsible for them and that while we reject the Catholic view of authority in the church, along with significant parts of Catholic doctrine and scriptural interpretations, we reject ideas, not people. After all, if the Pope and I descended from the same Father, that makes us brothers who should not go around making personal attacks on each other.

Suppose a mother one day came upon her two sons in the midst of a fight—not a mere disagreement, but fully engaged with intent to do great bodily harm. She would immediately separate the young warriors to prevent harm to either. She would then undoubtedly hear, "He started it!" "No, I didn't! He did!" "You pushed me first!" It's a litany whose antecedents undoubtedly go far back in antiquity.

What would she do? Would she listen to both sons' stories, decide

which was right and give that son permission to punish his brother? Of course not. She would separate them and say, "I don't care who's right or who started it—don't harm you brother! If punishment for wrongdoing is in order, I'll take care of that."

Note that one son did indeed start it, so one brother was right—and the other was wrong. But their parent did not deem that fact sufficient to justify hostility or the infliction of harm. They could disagree, even argue over legitimate differences, but such differences, no matter how legitimate, would not justify the alienation of a member of the family, let alone the infliction of harm.

Do you suppose our heavenly Parent ever looks down at the hostility generated by the legitimate differences of opinion between His children and says to us, "I will take care of deciding who is right and wrong—do not harm your brother!"

Do I accept Catholic doctrine?

Yes, those parts that I believe to be biblical. Do I reject those parts that are not biblically supported? Of course. Do I oppose them in such a way as to cause offense to those who honestly uphold them so that I wound and alienate them? No, because my parent told me not to harm my brother. My opposition will consist of argument as to the significance of the facts, not personal attacks on people with whom I disagree. And I give them the benefit of the doubt on the issue of their sincerity, no matter the breadth of our disagreement. After all, the Pope and I are brothers.

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 Mitchell Tyner is the associate general counsel for the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists in Silver Spring, Maryland. The Visitor asked Attorney Tyner to write about the relationship between Adventist Christians and Roman Catholics. If you like, you may write to the author in care of the Visitor.



## What happens when ACS responds to a disaster?

The Adventist response to a domestic disaster is through Adventist Community Services, the at-home equivalent of ADRA. ACS has written agreements with the federal government and the American Red Cross which specify the Adventist responsibilities in helping disaster victims. This makes disaster response a conference function, not a local church or ACS unit function.

1. When an incident happens, a response team is assembled immediately. It includes trained disaster management volunteers—a chief of operations, a donated goods coordinator, a volunteers coordinator, a liaison officer and a public information officer.
2. The levels of denominational structure, the conferences with shared territory and the Adventist institutions are all “flattened” into a decision-making team that functions via daily teleconferences. No entity makes independent and possibly confusing moves.
3. The primary things that ACS does—its assigned responsibilities—include handling donated goods and providing emergency pastoral care. ACS volunteers may also be loaned to staff Red Cross shelters, kitchens and social services.
4. Distribution centers for bottled water, grocery items, personal comfort kits, baby needs, blankets, cleaning supplies and even building materials are set up in borrowed or church-owned facilities. Sometimes mobile units are used.
5. A “listening post” is established where survivors of the disaster can come and pray or talk to a pastor or pastoral care aid.
6. A reception center is set up outside the parameter of the disaster where truckloads of donated goods can be directed for unloading, sorting and repacking for use in the distribution centers and sharing with other agencies.
7. A command post is established for the response team with telephones, computers, FAX, etc. This may be some distance from the site of the disaster if necessary.
8. The word goes out to Adventists across North America as to what supplies are needed and public collections are announced.
9. The ACS hotline—(800 253-3000)—at Andrews University is activated as the clearinghouse for information, offers of donated goods and trucks needing clearance.
10. The ACS liaison officer joins the coordination team set up by the governor’s office to keep communications open with other organizations and coordinate operations.

MONTE SAHLIN  
ACS National Director

Even before the terrible explosion at the Federal Building in Oklahoma City, citizens in Danville, Pennsylvania were preparing for disaster during a practice drill on March 11. A simulated chemical spill at a local factory caused an evacuation of families from the area. The Danville Red Cross rushed into action and called its Disaster Team. Among the volunteers reporting for duty were six members of the Danville Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The training drill helped prepare the Danville community for what could possibly be a real disaster in the future. In hundreds of simulated earthquakes, tornados and other disasters in cities across the nation, American Red Cross chapters and other volunteers nationwide learned how to quickly respond. The demonstrations helped educate everyone to prepare for the unexpected.

Volunteers portrayed different elements of a natural disaster, including victims. One victim was Danielle Casimiro, an exchange student from Brazil living with a host family in Danville. She was a good actress and threw registration into a panic when she came in babbling incoherently in Portuguese. It was a good practice exercise because she was so distraught at not being able to find her mother.

It was a very enlightening experience with many things happening. There were cuts, broken limbs, skin burns, eye burns and respiratory

## Adventists respond to mock chemical spill

problems, as well as irate people who refused to cooperate or give needed information and others upset because their children were in school and they didn’t know how they were faring.

Those attending and participating in the drill from the Danville church included Ed Wolfe; Carolyn and Ed McWilliams, who manned the first aid station; Frank Ginitz and Ron Showers, who set up cots; and Barbara Showers, who registered victims. Brett Showers and Michael Young from the church were volunteer victims.

The six volunteer workers from the church have been busy over the past several months taking all the required courses and are now in the process of being certified by the National American Red Cross.

Barbara Showers is the Community Services leader for the Danville, Pennsylvania, church.



Ron Showers consoles Brett Showers, a young victim, during a simulated disaster in Danville, Pennsylvania. The two other volunteer victims are Kelly Mingle and Danielle Cassimiro.

# The power of a book

Most of us are familiar with the saying, "The couple that prays together, stays together." Bill and Marian Ewan of Hainesport, New Jersey, take this advice one step further. They believe the couple that works together should also witness together.

The Ewans, who have been devoted members of the Mount Holly Adventist church for more than 45

years, have also been dedicated co-workers for almost seven years. The couple works together in building maintenance at the Burlington County Board of Social Services in New Jersey, where they recently have become witnesses for Christ.

Almost a year ago, Bill

had a discussion with a co-worker about the Apostle John's Revelation, and soon after, he brought a Revelation seminar book into the office for her to read. Several months later, when Bill was emptying her wastebasket, he mentioned his new devotional book, *Welcome, Holy Spirit*.

Delighted to hear about another book, the co-worker told Bill, "I thought you'd forgotten about me!" She seemed so eager to read the book, Bill left it with her that morning. During the same afternoon the woman had shared the book with other employees, and as a result, 12 people were interested in buying their own copies.

## KIMBERLY CARR

"I think there was such a quick response to the book because everybody is in need of the Holy Spirit in their lives," said Bill. "But I've never seen anything like it; I didn't even *try* to sell the books."

Bill found it confusing when workers throughout the office kept handing him their names for book orders, so he decided he wasn't going to take any more orders.

"But then I remembered what a former pastor used to say—that if something happens so easily, it must be the work of the Holy Spirit," said Bill. "So I realized if the Lord wanted to work through me, I couldn't say no."

Bill's wife, Marian, began to bring in books to share with employees on her floor. She brought in a copy of the women's devotional volume, *The Gift of Love*, and left it with one of her co-workers to look through. The woman was thrilled with what she read and told others about the book. Marian sold eight books that afternoon and has since invited one of the women to her church.

"We don't like to push our religion on anyone, but sharing these books with others allows us to get closer to them and gives us the opportunity to share our faith," said Marian.

"The books give our fellow workers a better understanding of Christ. Also, Ellen White and the Sabbath are mentioned in the books; therefore, they are unconsciously becoming acquainted with Adventists," said Bill. "As a result, they are asking more questions and giving me an open invitation to discuss my religion with them."

The Ewans plan to continue their mission, bringing in new devotional books for next year, as well as other books that they find interesting, such as *If My People Pray* and *In the Presence of Angels*, for which they've already received orders.

"We continue to pray every day that the Lord will use us as instruments to spread His Word. Our goal is to gradually share our faith with all 300 employees through the power of the Holy Spirit."

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Kimberly Carr is a communication intern for the Columbia Union. The books shared by the Ewans in the story are available at your local Adventist Book Center or by calling (800) 765-6955 to place an order.

*"We don't like to push our religion on anyone, but sharing these books with others allows us to get closer to them and gives us the opportunity to share our faith."*

**Bill and Marian Ewan of Hainesport, New Jersey, enjoy sharing the gospel with co-workers by talking to them about Scripture and showing them devotional books that they can purchase for their own libraries.**





# Counselor finds God at camp

## KRIS COFFIN STEVENSON

After four years of attending Mount Aetna Camp as a camper, this year Adam Clark will be working on the staff as a full-time counselor. What makes his transition from camper to staffer so unique is that when Adam first attended camp, he was hardly even a Christian. Today he is a baptized member of the Bell Branch Seventh-day Adventist Church in Gambrells, Maryland.

"Using the people at Mount Aetna Camp, Christ led me to Him and to the Seventh-day Adventist Church," says Adam. "It has made a big change in my life, and I want to give the campers meaningful experiences at camp, like the ones I had."

Mount Aetna Camp, located in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountain range near Hagerstown, Maryland, is the year-round retreat center for the Chesapeake Conference.

In 1993, Adam's counselor, Dion Henry, studied the Bible with him. The combination of Bible studies and the impression left by a Friday evening pageant helped him understand that God was real and cared very much for him. When Adam returned home from camp, he

looked up the nearest Adventist church in the phone book and began attending the Bell Branch church. Al Watson, pastor at the time, continued Bible studies with Adam, and in April of 1994 he was baptized.

Adam credits many people and experiences at camp with leading him to God. He especially remembers one night in his cabin when his counselor told a fellow camper, who admitted that he cried during movies, "You have a sensitive heart. Keep it that way." Adam was impressed by that comment because he thought the only way to survive was to have a "macho" attitude. The idea of a sensitive, open heart began to sink into his thinking and became something he wanted to strive for in his life.

Adam is presently a junior at Arundel High School in Gambrells and plans to pursue a career that deals with children. "I love working with children and telling them about the Lord," he said.

Every summer, hundreds of children experience the loving, supportive, Christian atmosphere at Mount Aetna Camp. Yes, they



Adam Clark loves telling children like Tyler Broschast about Jesus.

come to have fun, but Jesus is at the center of everything, and a relationship with Jesus is continuously modeled for them by the staff. "In this day and age when many people are not religious, religion gives me values to believe in," said Adam. "A relationship with Christ is the answer to all my problems. It helps me make important decisions in my life. Finding Christ was the best thing that ever happened to me."

*Kris Coffin Stevenson is a free-lance author living in Beltsville, Maryland, with husband Mike, youth pastor of the Spencerville church, and their toddler daughter, Michaela.*

## Columbia Union summer camp schedules

The Columbia Union Conference summer camp schedules are listed below under their respective conferences. Please contact them for additional or registration material.

### Allegheny West Conference

1339 E Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43205  
(614) 252-5271

Call or write the conference youth department to see if summer camp is scheduled. It was undetermined at the time this issue went to press.

### Allegheny East Conference

P.O. Box 266  
Pine Forge, PA 19548  
(610) 326-4610

Call or write the conference youth department about their summer camp program.

Mount Aetna Retreat Center  
c/o Chesapeake Conference  
6600 Martin Road  
Columbia, MD 21044

June 26-30	Day Camp I	Ages 7 to 10
July 3-7	Day Camp II	Ages 7 to 10
June 25-July 2	C.I.T. Camp I	Ages 15 to 17
July 2-9	C.I.T. Camp II	Ages 15 to 17
June 25-July 2	Adventurer I	Ages 7 to 10
July 2-9	Adventurer II	Ages 7 to 10
July 9-16	Junior I	Ages 10 to 12
July 16-23	Junior II	Ages 10 to 12
July 23-30	Teen	Ages 13 to 16

### Mountain View Conference

Valley Vista Adventist Camp  
Route 1, Box 37-A  
Huttonsville, WV 26273  
(304) 335-2000

June 25-July 2	Blind Camp	
July 2-9	Lifeguard Camp	Ages 15 and up
July 9-16	Adventure Camp	Ages 7 to 9
July 16-23	Junior Camp	Ages 10 to 13
July 23-30	Teen Camp	Ages 13 and up

### New Jersey Conference

2160 Brunswick Avenue  
Trenton, NJ 08648  
(609) 392-7131

Call or write the conference youth department for a camp schedule.

### Ohio Conference

Camp Mohaven  
18744 Turkey Ridge Road  
Danville, OH 43014  
(614) 599-6111

June 25-July 2	Cub Camp	Ages 7 to 10
July 2-9	Junior I Camp	Ages 10 to 13
July 9-16	Junior II Camp	Ages 10 to 13
July 16-23	Teen Camp	Ages 13 to 17

Laurel Lake Camp  
c/o Pennsylvania Conference  
720 Museum Road, Reading, PA 19611  
(610) 374-8331

June 25-July 2	Adventure Camp
July 2-9	Junior I Camp
July 9-16	Junior II Camp
July 16-23	Tween Camp
July 23-30	Teen Camp
July 30-August 6	Young at Heart Camp

### Potomac Conference

Camp Blue Ridge  
P.O. Box 120, Montebello, VA 24464  
(703) 377-2413

July 9-16	Adventure Camp	Ages 7-10
June 25-July 2	Junior I Camp	Ages 10 to 12
July 2-9	Junior II Camp	Ages 10 to 12
July 9-16	Outdoor Odyssey	Ages 11 to 13
June 18-25	Adventure Quest	Ages 7 to 11
July 12-23	Ultimate Quest	Ages 12 to 17
June 18-25	Ocean Odyssey	Ages 12 to 17
June 25-July 2	Ski I Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 2-9	Ski II Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 9-16	Super Ski Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 16-23	White Water	Ages 12 to 17
June 18-25	Horse I Camp	Ages 12 to 17
June 25-July 2	Horse II Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 2-9	Horse III Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 9-16	Horse IV Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 16-23	Horse V Camp	Ages 12 to 17
June 30-July 31	International Camp	Ages 12 to 17
July 25-29	Family Camp	All ages

## COLUMBIA UNION

### New faces, new places; tasks and transfers

- **Joan Cummings** is the new director of publishing and the Family Health Education Service for the Allegheny East Conference. She previously served as small book coordinator for colporteurs in that conference.
- **Carol Myers** has been named as the new education superintendent of the Ohio Conference. Previously an associate director of that department, Myers will replace Robert Skeggs, who is set to retire on September 1 of this year.
- **Noah Beasley** retires as publishing director of the Allegheny East Conference after approximately 30 years of service to the church.
- **Freddie Beasley** retires after working alongside her husband, Noah, in the publishing department of the Allegheny East Conference.
- **Robert Skeggs** will retire as education superintendent of the Ohio Conference on September 1 after more than 40 years of service to the church.



Carol Myers

**RANDY HALL**  
Visitor Assistant Editor

## PENNSYLVANIA

### Chestnut Hill church hosts science teachers

Adventists attending the four-day convention of the National Science Teachers Association held in Philadelphia this past spring also took part in activities arranged by Adrian Westney of the Columbia Union Education Department and hosted by the Chestnut Hill church.

The teachers and their spouses joined Harold Green, former principal and science teacher at nearby Greater Philadelphia Junior Academy, for a Friday vespers discussion that was open to all church members in the area.

Sabbath activities included a worship service enhanced by the music of the New England Youth Ensemble under the direction of Virginia-Gene Rittenhouse. Lunch was provided, followed by a tour of historic sites in Valley Forge.

Sharing their classroom experiences and commenting on the seminars they had attended at the convention, the teachers were challenged by the observation that even secular thought leaders are publicly expressing the view that the world can't last much longer.

Also, the instructors listed their main goals to be: teaching students reasoning skills so they are thinkers and not mere reflectors; working with kids to help them develop moral values; and modeling the love of Jesus while praying that lessons learned in the short run will carry over into pupils' long-term spiritual journey.

**LILLIAN YARDISH**  
Communication Leader

## NEW JERSEY

### GSA concludes year of advancement

As a typical Adventist school, Garden State Academy in Tranquility strives for a balanced educational program that touches the spiritual, emotional, physical and academic needs of its students.

GSA, which began its educational program in 1926 in North Plainfield, now attracts students from 28 countries to give the present campus in Sussex County an international flavor.

The faculty is providing a genuine academic challenge for the pupils. One young person recently stated that "It's more difficult to get an A in this school, but I'm learning." Nevertheless, the demanding teachers and administrators spurred on 54 students to excel in their pursuit of academic excellence and comprise the academy's honor roll.

In another part of the GSA program, rejuvenated gymnastics and basketball teams have helped retain many enthusiastic students.

Striving with elusive finances but recompensed with "blessings from above," the Christ-centered school received \$28,000 of donations during the final four months of the school year. This amount came in addition to a "small check" for \$22,000 given to GSA to use in purchasing a new van.

And, most importantly, the baptismal class conducted by Pastor Ralph Schnell and Glenn Sutton has prepared the young people who were "hungry for the Word of God" and eager to be added to the family of their Lord.

**WILSON ROBERTS**  
Principal

## WORLD CHURCH

### ADRA employee injured in robbery

Shortly after 6 p.m. on April 11, Johnson Koilpillai, finance director for the Adventist Development and Relief Agency in Baku, Azerbaijan, was beaten and tied up by men who forced their way into the ADRA office.

Koilpillai, who was alone, had just accepted a delivery from a courier and returned to his desk when he heard another knock at the door. He looked out and saw what looked like another courier. As soon as he opened the door, he was attacked by a second person.

The two men beat and blindfolded him, tied him up with his own shoelaces, took his keys and locked him in a bathroom.

"Although badly shaken, Koilpillai remained conscious," reported Peter Howell, ADRA's country director. "After looting the office and the safe, the men hit him on the head once more and left."

After a short time, Koilpillai freed himself and got help. The American Embassy and the police were notified of the theft.

Even though the robbery has hampered ADRA's distribution of goods in the area, Howell stated: "The most important thing is that Johnson is going to be all right."

**JEANNETTE JOHNSON**  
Director for News and Information

## NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

### Marriage Encounter to mark 20th anniversary

Seventh Day Adventist Marriage Encounter, part of the multi-denominational and worldwide Marriage Encounter program designed to strengthen marriage and the family, will celebrate its 20-year anniversary July 21-23 at the Kettering church in Dayton, Ohio.

Couples from all parts of the United States and Canada are expected to attend the SDAME event, featuring Ron and Karen Flowers, co-directors of family ministries in the world headquarters of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Silver Spring, Maryland. The couple will lecture on love and family, and there'll be a communion service on Saturday night.

"Marriage and family integrity are constantly being challenged these days," said Jerry and Wanda Booker, the international executive couple for SDAME. "That's why Seventh Day Adventist Marriage Encounter

was established 20 years ago. Since then, it's become an invaluable ministry in our church and a powerful tool for strengthening marriages and families. We think that's something worth celebrating."

Since the first SDAME weekend held in Dayton in 1975, Marriage Encounter weekends held in 13 states and two Canadian provinces have enriched the lives and marriages of 20,000 Adventist couples.

For more information on the weekend or how to register, call (513) 426-0723 or write to SDAME, 2021 Avon Drive, Beaver Creek, OH 45431.

**CANDY CHRISTENSON**  
Correspondent

## WORLD CHURCH

### AWR to broadcast GC session reports

Adventist World Radio has announced that it will broadcast daily one-hour programs from the General Conference session in Utrecht, Holland, June 29 through July

8. Satellites will carry the programs in several major languages for broadcast from AWR's shortwave facilities in Slovakia, Guam and Costa Rica.

Each one-hour broadcast will include news of the session business meetings, interviews with church officers and human interest stories, music from the session, features on significant topics, history of Adventist broadcasting and special reports from GC institutions.

"This will be the fastest way to get the major news of the session," said Walter Scragg, AWR president. "AWR will provide members all around the world with insights into the inspiring event, as well as up-to-the minute reports." Call your local Adventist station to find out its schedule of reports from the session.

On Sabbath, July 8, a special two-hour live broadcast in English beginning at 4:30 a.m. will feature the worship hour at the session, as well as the sermon by the General Conference president.

**RANDY HALL**  
Visitor Assistant Editor

## COLUMBIA UNION COMMUNICATION

### Sligo by the Sea series offers worship at the beach

"'Sligo by the Sea' is your church while visiting or vacationing at Ocean City, Maryland, in the summer of 1995," said Richard Hirst, a member of the committee from the Takoma Park, Maryland, church that presents the annual worship series.

Sabbath school runs from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. at Saint Peters Lutheran Church (located just across the street from the Sheraton) at 10301 Coastal Highway. The hour-long worship service then begins at 11 a.m.

"Sligo by the Sea was started in 1966 by Pastor William Loveless, Robert Hatt and Gerald Shultz," Hirst continued. "Our first services were held in the Old City Baptist Church at the junction of Baltimore Avenue and Route 50. When the visiting attendance grew too large, we moved to the United Methodist Church and from there to our present location.

"Each summer, we are blessed with the very best speakers, teachers and music," Hirst stated. This summer's calendar includes the following:

June 24	Roland Hegstad
July 1	Andy McRae
8	Delmer Holbrook
15	Rudy Torres
22	Athal Tolhurst
29	Elmer Carreno and friends
August 5	James Londis
12	William Johnsson
19	Gary Patterson
26	Ralph Martin
September 2	Walter Scragg

"All members and friends are welcome to attend," Hirst added. "Feel free to come in casual dress."

**RANDY HALL**  
Visitor Assistant Editor

## Dr. Kay's Q&A

### With planning, kids can entertain themselves



**Question:** I have two school-age children. Now that summer's here, I have to entertain them constantly or they play video games or watch TV.

**Answer:** Children shouldn't have to be entertained all summer, and sensible time limits should be put on sedentary activities like video games and TV. Record their favorite programs and restrict them to one hour of TV either at "rest" time in the heat of the day or during the evening when the family can watch together.

Replace TV with stimulating outdoor equipment like boards and wooden boxes for "building," a big dirt or sand pile for digging and water play and dress-up clothing and accessories, and they will entertain themselves.

Children this age need these activities, and if you can't provide them at your home, then you'll need to find a park, a school playground, a vacant lot or a neighbor's home where they can be free to explore and create their own world. If your children visit another parent's home on a regular basis, be sure to offer to share the supervision with the resident parent so they don't wear out their welcome mat!

Here are some other creative outdoor activities your children might enjoy that take some setting up, but not much supervision.

- Soapsuds fingerpaint: Spread a plastic tablecloth on a picnic table or another hard surface. Put some Ivory Snow Flakes in a little warm water and beat until whipped cream consistency and let the kids "paint" their world.

- Homemade "play dough." Mix two cups of flour, one cup of salt, food coloring, a tablespoon of oil and enough water to mix well, and you'll have your own play dough. Now add a rolling pin and cookie cutters or use it like clay. The sun or the low temperature of an oven will bake objects rock hard.

Kids love water, but pools—including wading pools—can be dangerous without supervision. Try these safe and fun activities:

- Invest in a wading pool and let them splash and play or float boats.

- Spray bottles make great squirt guns.
- If you have a sand box or a digging area, add small shovels and the garden hose and let them make rivers and dams. Squirt them off with the hose when they're done so they don't track sand into the house.

- Get a large piece of thick plastic, hose it down and let the kids slip and slide. This works great on a slight decline.

And for hundreds of other ideas, head off to the local library. You'll find books filled with activities to keep your kids entertained. And while you're there, bring home a stack of children's books, story tapes and educational videos.

[Read more from Dr. Kay Kuzma in the *Family Times* newspaper. For a free year's subscription, just write to: Family Matters, P.O. Box 7000, Cleveland, TN 37320; or call (615) 339-1144.]

## COLUMBIA UNION CONFERENCE



The *Visitor* is proud to feature posters created for Hands Across the World by students of the Columbia Union over the next several issues, like this one from Courtney DeHaan, a sixth-grader at the Mount Aetna school in Hagerstown, Maryland. An offering to benefit Hands Across the World will be taken on Sabbath, July 8, the last day of the General Conference session in Utrecht.—RANDY HALL

### CUC

## Graduate receives library scholarship

The Association of Seventh-day Adventist Librarians has announced that Sarah Endres is the 1994 recipient of the D. Glenn Hilts Scholarship.

The purpose of this fund is to recognize excellence in academics and to encourage individuals with leadership potential to enter the field of Adventist librarianship.

Endres graduated *summa cum laude* in July of 1994 from Columbia Union College in Takoma Park, Maryland, with a bachelor of science degree in mathematics, an associate of arts in engineering and a minor in history.

**RANDY HALL**  
Visitor Assistant Editor

### ALLEGHENY EAST

## Top students honored at Pine Forge Academy

Honor roll students, those on the Principal's List and National Honor Society members and inductees filed into the Pine Forge

Academy church recently for the Pennsylvania school's annual honors convocation.

In a candlelight ceremony, eight students were inducted into the National Honor Society: Lavinia Baxter, Priscilla Clarke, Brandi Cotton, LaShawna Dunning, Shannone Holt, Myra Humphrey, Charlese Miller

and Stephanie Williams. Also, 87 students received certificates of recognition for their scholastic accomplishments.

Guest speaker for the occasion was C. E. Bradford, former president of the North American Division. His message stressed the importance of keeping PFA alive, and he charged honorees to continue to hold high standards and "keep on keeping on."

Another highlight of the evening was a two-piano duet by senior Cleveland Boney and music instructor Lloyd Mallory.

**JAYNE DARBY**  
Correspondent

### WORLD CHURCH

## ADRA's Global Village opens in Rome

More than 1,200 visitors toured the Adventist Development and Relief Agency's Global Village that opened on May 1 at Rome's Parco Di Via Lemonia.

Global Village is a life-size re-creation of how the majority of people live in developing countries. The dwellings, designed and constructed by Hollywood set designers, allow visitors to fully experience village life.

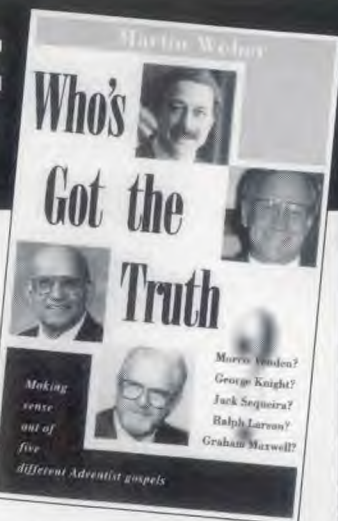
"The purpose of this one-of-a-kind exhibit is to create global awareness and sensitivity to the world community," said ADRA President Ralph Watts.

At the end of every tour, the participants filled boxes with clothes and personal hygiene items for children in Africa.

**JEANNETTE JOHNSON**  
Director for News and Information

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Wednesday, June 7

7:30-8:30 p.m.

First Wednesday

Satellite, channel to be announced

June 29 through July 8

6:30-10:00 p.m.

General Conference session

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Cleveland	8:54	8:57	9:02
Columbus	8:55	8:59	9:02
Jersey City	8:21	8:26	8:29
Norfolk	8:19	8:23	8:26
Parkersburg	8:47	8:52	8:55
Philadelphia	8:24	8:28	8:31
Pittsburgh	8:45	8:49	8:52
Reading	8:28	8:32	8:36
Richmond	8:25	8:29	8:32
Roanoke	8:35	8:39	8:42
Toledo	9:03	9:08	9:11
Trenton	8:23	8:27	8:31
Washington, DC	8:28	8:32	8:35

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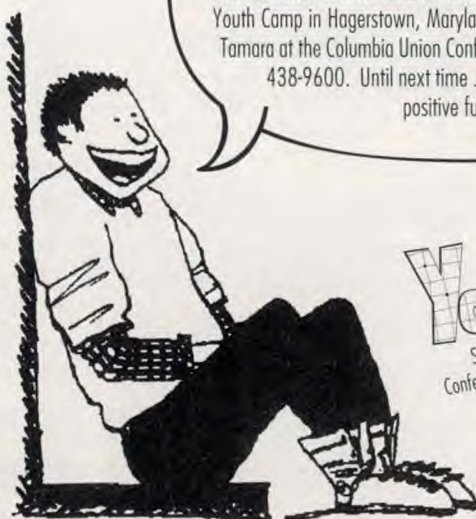
## LEGAL NOTICE

### New Jersey Conference Quadrennial Session

The 35th regular quadrennial session of the New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will reconvene in the Lake Nelson Adventist school, 555 S. Randolphville Rd., in Piscataway, NJ, at 5 p.m. Sunday, May 21, 1995.

The single purpose of this meeting is to complete the session's unfinished business, which is the election of departmental directors. Regular delegates and delegates-at-large in attendance at the April 9, 1995, session shall constitute the delegation for the transaction of said business.

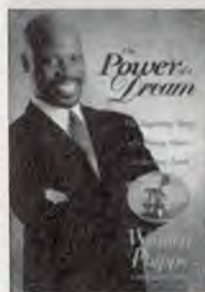
Hi, I'm ZQ with a reminder that *YouthNet*, the retreat for students in grades nine to 12, is less than six months away. Now, that may seem like a long time, but you know how fast the summer goes by. So please mark your calendars now. *YouthNet* is scheduled for November 9 to 12 at Mount Aetna Youth Camp in Hagerstown, Maryland. For more information, call Tamara at the Columbia Union Conference. Her number is (800) 438-9600. Until next time ... keep networking for a positive future.



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