GRACE BIBLE CONFERENCE

March 8-10, 2019

Sundays 9:00 am                                                                            WKYT     Channel 27-2

***It is requested that all children under the age of five stay in our nursery***

***so there will be no distractions during the preaching of the Gospel.***

HYMN

Sons we are through God’s election

Who in Jesus Christ believe

By eternal destination

Sovereign grace we here receive.

Sovereign grace o’er sin abounding

Ransomed souls, the tidings swell

‘Tis a deep that knows no sounding

Who its breadth or length can tell?

What from Christ that soul can sever

Bound by everlasting bands

Once in Him, in Him forever

None can pluck them from His hands.

Heirs of God, joint heirs with Jesus

Long ere time its race begun

To His Name eternal praises

Oh what wonders Christ hath done.

On such love, my soul shall ponder

Love so great, so rich, so free

Say, while lost in holy wonder

Why O Lord, such love to me?

When my Saviour comes in judgment

Bright in majesty Divine

I will stand with that great number

In Thy righteousness as mine.

(Tune: “Jesus Calls Us” p. 374)

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Paul and Kelli Harries welcome anyone who would like to come to their house Saturday afternoon between the morning and evening services.  Their address is 9370 Hickory Hill Road.

We welcome you to our Grace Bible Conference.  The first grace conference was held in *Acts 15*.  Some men who claimed to believe added the necessity of the works of the law to faith in Christ.  Paul and Barnabas told the church at Jerusalem of this and here is what was concluded by Peter as the spokesman of the church…*“Now therefore why tempt ye God to put a yoke on the disciples which neither we nor our fathers were able to bear. But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we will be saved, even as they” (Acts 15:10-11).*They, the Gentile believers, will not be saved like us.  We will be saved like them.  This could be translated…We have been saved, we are being saved, and we will be saved by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.  God’s grace is saving grace.  God’s grace saves all He intends to save by it. His grace elects who would be saved before time began, His grace redeems and justifies all for whom Christ died. His grace regenerates, preserves, and glorifies all of those God elected and Christ died for.  This is not reformed doctrine.  The Truth never needed reformed.  This is not Calvinism.  This is the Good News of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.  To omit any of this is to fail to preach the saving grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.  May God bless us with His presence, and may we be given ears to hear and hearts to receive His Word.  The only word I love more than grace is the Name of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday March 8th       7:00pm  Donnie Bell & David Eddmenson

Saturday March 9th  10:00am Chris Cunningham  & John Chapman

Saturday March 9th    6:00pm Greg Elmquist & Don Fortner

Sunday March 10th  10:00am  Clay Curtis & Joe Terrell

(Please note - daylight savings begins March 10th– move your clocks an hour ahead Saturday night)

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We will serve soup and sandwiches after the service Friday evening, pizza and salad after the services Saturday morning, and barbecue and sides after the service Sunday morning.  Everyone is invited to stay and eat after the services.

If I am hearing preaching and getting nothing out of it, one of two things is true.

(1) The Gospel is not being preached.  (2) The Gospel is being preached but I am not hearing as a sinner. May we all be enabled by His grace (1) To hear the Gospel (2) To hear the Gospel as a sinner.

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Recently a preacher told me that although he believed what he called the doctrines of grace, he was not a fanatic about it.  He assured me that he sought to reach a proper balance between God’s sovereignty and human responsibility, and he was not concerned about making his hearers could cross every “t” and dot every “i”.  After hearing him preach, I was convinced that he lived up to what he said.  Not only was he not a fanatic regarding the doctrines of grace, you would never even know he belived them at all by his preaching.  If a proper balance between sovereignty and responsibility is achieved by silence, he certainly achieved that.  Not only did he not concern himself about his hearers not crossing every “t” and dotting every “i”, it was evident that he was not concerned about them crossing *any* “t” or dotting *any* “i”. Give me somebody who is a fanatic about God’s Truth!  Deliver me from the compromiser who under the guise of “balance” carefully avoids offending anybody!  I want to hear a man who does cross every “t” and dot every “i”.  After all, the Lord did say, *“Verily I say unto you, till heaven and earth pass, one jot or title shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled.”*

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There are two systems under which all men look the same – the law and grace.  All who are under the law look the same: guilty. So their end is the same: destruction. All who are under grace look the same: righteous.  So their end is the same: blessing.                        *– Joe Terrell*

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Birthdays

11th– Bill Dent         12th– Chance Borders         13th– Nicholas Creamer

13th– Isaac Hands    14th– Aaron Greenleaf         16th– Jacob Davis

16th– Emmaline Dent     16th– Carson Dent         16th- Jacob Morris