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Salvation Transforms

By Kam Ferguson

Salvation does more than rescue sinners. It showcases God's character of love in response to Satan's lies. Satan says that self-serving disobedience brings freedom, while claiming that God is selfish and God's law is flawed. God exposes Satan's lies in Genesis (3) then through the prophets Ezekiel (28) and Isaiah (14).

God needed, however, to reveal more details about His love. He did this in the Old Testament sanctuary which is a model of the heavenly sanctuary. Every sanctuary item represents a symbolic picture of Jesus' love, fulfilled during His earthly ministry. Jesus lived God's covenant law of love found in the ark of the covenant. His prayers, like the altar of incense, ascended to God for us. Like the lampstand, the Holy Spirit, through Him, illuminated the world!

Jesus is the bread of life found on the bread table. He is the sanctuary door by which we access God. At the altar of sacrifice Jesus is the Lamb who takes away sin. The laver of water, like baptism, represents His death and resurrection. As our living High Priest in heaven's sanctuary, He empowers us to overcome sin.

Some Christians want to believe faith halts at their justification or conversion, yet faith is dynamic, it follows the living Christ. Living faith not only justifies but continues transforming our lives to reflect Jesus' character of love.

Jesus calls us to follow His example. We come to God through Jesus (*the door*). We give Him our lives as living sacrifices (*the altar of sacrifice*), and our baptism testifies that we have died and resurrected to newness of life (*the laver*) in Jesus. We learn by faith to live by God's Word (*the bread table*) as the Holy Spirit teaches us and enables our witness (*the lampstand*) of God's love.

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David Bolduc

President's Perspective "Unity in Christ"

In Matt. 22:37-39, Jesus defined the universal principle of Love: As believers in Christ, we are to love God first, and because of our love for God, love our fellowman.

When we look at the ultimate sacrifice for all of mankind in Jesus hanging on the cross, we realize our own sinfulness.

There is no finger-pointing at the foot of the cross; we are all equally guilty. Yet, God did not send His Son to condemn us IN our sins; Jesus came to save us FROM our sins. God manifested Himself in Christ to open a window so that we could view His matchless love.

Before His arrest, Christ's last prayer in the seventeenth chapter of John uses many key words like believe, eternal life, give, glorify and sanctify. John frequently used those words throughout His gospel. Each word has an element of trust associated with it.

Christ's words are true and trustworthy just like the principles taught in the stories of the Old Testament. Consider Noah, Job, Abraham, Moses, and Daniel. All of those men came to a point in their lives where they had to put their full trust in God alone.

This is a glimpse of the unity that God wants each one of us to possess, so that we are solely depending on Him, not the pastor, or the elder, or the person on STR.

Each day the sun passes over our heads. Who determined that? God did. All of creation benefits from the sun and in turn creation benefits creation. Our relationship with God is first a blessing to us and then, in turn, a blessing to those around us.

When Jesus prayed His heartfelt prayer in John 17, He was praying for ALL of His disciples including those who would believe their testimony.

Each chapter in John's Gospel has a story of faith starting with John the Baptist and some disciples, then His mother, next Nicodemus, then the Samaritan woman and on and on.

Each person had a few moments where they looked Jesus in the eye and made a life-changing decision.

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STR refreshes you at the beginning of the day! My husband starts listening at 5:30 a.m.; I have my radio start playing STR at 6 a.m. Then I listen while commuting to work and to the babysitter, what a great way to start the day!

Grayling, MI

I've listened to STR for a few weeks, and everything I've heard is truth. My family and I are making some changes in our lives. I want to sit down with a pastor of a local church. You know your Bible.

Buckley, MI

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2nd Qtr 2021 Strong Tower Radio Schedule

EDST	CDST	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12:00 AM	11:00 PM	Behold the Lamb	History Retold	Best of 3ABN Campmeetings	STR Today	Crossroads	Sabbath School Study Hour	Bible Answers Live
12:15 AM	11:15 PM		His Words are Life					
12:30 AM	11:30 PM	Pictures of the End	Pen of Inspiration			Lift Him Up		
1:00 AM	12:00 AM	Anchors of Truth	Worldwide Evangelism	Worldwide Evangelism	Worldwide Evangelism	Worldwide Evangelism	Worldwide Evangelism	Secrets Unsealed
2:00 AM	1:00 AM	3ABN Today	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	3ABN Today
3:00 AM	2:00 AM	Book of Books	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	Conflict of the Ages	It Is Written
3:30 AM	2:30 AM	Salvation in Symbols & Signs	Ultimate Prescription	Balanced Living	Gaither Home Coming Radio	Pictures of the End	Multitude of Counselors	Bible Unchained/ Emphasis on God
4:00 AM	3:00 AM	Secrets Unsealed	Belt of Truth Ministries	The Pen of Inspiration	His Words Are Life	More Abundant Life	Balanced Living	3ABN Best Campmeetings
4:15 AM	3:15 AM				100 Days of Prayer			
4:30 AM	3:30 AM		Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	Unshackled	
5:00 AM	4:00 AM	World Wide Evangelism	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	World Wide Evangelism
5:30 AM	4:30 AM		Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	
5:45 AM	4:45 AM		His Words are Life	3ABN Emphasis on God	History Retold	Sci. Script. & Salvation	Focus on Healthy Foods	
6:00 AM	5:00 AM	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations
7:00 AM	6:00 AM	Building Relationships	Discovery Mountain	Discovery Mountain	Discovery Mountain	Discovery Mountain	Discovery Mountain	The Incomparable Jesus
7:30 AM	6:30 AM		Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	More Abundant Life
8:00 AM	7:00 AM	Your Story Hour	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Sunday	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Your Story Hour
8:30 AM	7:30 AM	Discovery Mountain						Pathways of the Pioneers
9:00 AM	8:00 AM	Brinkman Adventures	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Pen of Inspiration
9:30 AM	8:30 AM	Unshackled						Favorites by Request
10:00 AM	9:00 AM	Bible Answers Live Replay	STR Today	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Joy in the Morning	Sabbath School Study Hour
11:00 AM	10:00 AM	Power of Romans	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Fresh Manna	Best of Fresh Manna
12:00 PM	11:00 AM	Balanced Living	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Best of 3ABN Camp Meetings
12:30 PM	11:30 AM	Gaither Homecoming	Heroes of History	Heroes of History	Heroes of History	Heroes of History	Heroes of History	
1:00 PM	12:00 PM	Gospel Melodies	American Indian Living	InVerse	Power of Romans	Linage Journey	Foundation of Our Faith	Power of Romans
1:30 PM	12:30 PM			Reaching Your Heart				
2:00 PM	1:00 PM		3ABN Radio Music Channel	3ABN Radio Music Channel	3ABN Radio Music Channel	3ABN Radio Music Channel	3ABN Radio Music Channel	
3:00 PM	2:00 PM	American Indian Living	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Joe Crews	Restful Reflections
3:15 PM	2:15 PM		History Retold	Focus on Health Foods	Bible Unchained	Sci. Script. & Salvation	AFM	
3:30 PM	2:30 PM		Perfecting Me	IT IS WRITTEN Canada-TV	Imcomparable Jesus	It Is Written	More Abundant Life	
4:00 PM	3:00 PM	Home School Companion	Salvation In Symbols & Signs	Belt of Truth Ministries	Multitude of Counselors	His Words are Life	Balanced Living	
4:15 PM	3:15 PM					Natural Remedies for Good Health		
4:30 PM	3:30 PM	Money Wise- Wkend	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	Money Wise	
5:00 PM	4:00 PM	STR Today	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore (Sunday)	Bible Answers Live Encore	Bible Answers Live Encore	Foundation of Our Faith
6:00 PM	5:00 PM	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations	Musical Meditations
7:00 PM	6:00 PM	World Wide Evangelism	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	Life on the Edge Bible Studies	World Wide Evangelism
8:00 PM	7:00 PM	Visit with Mrs. G	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Bible in Living Sound	Discovery Mountain
8:15 PM	7:15 PM	Bedtime Stories						
8:30 PM	7:30 PM	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour	Your Story Hour
9:00 PM	8:00 PM	3ABN Today	Urban Report	InVerse	Salvation in Symbols and Signs	3ABN Today Live	Sabbath School Study Hour	3ABN Today
9:30 PM	8:30 PM		Perfecting Me	Crossroads	Dynamics in the Science of Prayer			
10:00 PM	9:00 PM	Bible Answers LIVE	3ABN Today	3ABN Today	A Sharper Focus	3ABN Sabbath School Panel	Gospel Melodies	
11:00 PM	10:00 PM	Secrets Unsealed	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	Night Sounds	Night Sounds		
11:30 PM	10:30 PM		Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore	Night Sounds Encore		Night Sounds Encore
New programs in bold and shaded								Revised 03/15/2021

Unity in Christ (Continued from page 2)

Their testimonies have changed millions and millions of lives, and He is still changing lives today

The cornerstone of John 17 is Jesus' relationship with His Father and what the Holy Spirit would soon do. It is hard to fathom that chapters 14-20 take place in less than 24 hours.

Jesus wasn't exaggerating when He said, "The hour has come" referring to His almost complete earthly ministry.

He knew He would be dead in a rich man's tomb in less than 24 hours. But that wasn't the subject of His prayer. He was more focused on His disciples than a mother is of her newborn child.

His prayer was for His disciples to have the same relationship with His Father as He had and for His disciples to have a relationship with each other as He had with them individually.

In general, there are many parallels in John 17 verses 1-12 with John chapters 1-13, John 17 verses 13-26 also track along with John chapters 14-21.

We would do well to spend more time studying the seventeenth chapter of John. *To be continued...*

Grow with Strong Tower Radio

Praise God, He opens the way! Working with area pastors and churches, in faith Strong Tower Radio has signed an agreement to purchase two radio stations currently operated by another protestant group.

Richland (near Battle Creek) station WMJC, 91.9 FM, and 97.3 FM, Kalamazoo captive translator, have a combined population base exceeding 450,000! By God's grace, soon the everlasting gospel will proclaim from these stations! We're raising \$175,000 for this purchase; already \$34,000 has been given – praise God!

Join us in this vital work today, ask God how you can help fund these new stations. Please mark your gift "BC/K'zoo Stations."

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Into His Likeness



Kam Ferguson

A young man watched a silversmith refining silver in a small pot over a hot fire. “Why do you heat the silver?” the young man asked. The smith replied that “the silver must be heated to remove impurities and maximize the silver’s value, and I must monitor the fire closely as too little heat fails to purify while too much heat destroys the silver.”

Now captivated, the young man plied the smith again: “How do you know when the silver is ready?” “Ah”, the smith replied smiling, “I know the silver is pure when I can see my reflection in it clearly!”

Like the silversmith, Jesus works to refine us. He lived, died, and was resurrected to give every person another chance for eternal life, yet forgiveness does not cancel refining. We need refining to remove sinful impurity from our characters.

As we experience life’s trials, Jesus stands by, also feeling the fire’s heat, His hand outstretched to hold our hand. He lovingly watches over us to provide the strength we need to overcome any temptation and give us victory in Him. When our character reflects His purity, we are ready to see Him face to face, ready for faith to become sight.

Strong Tower Radio (STR) continues proclaiming God’s character of love, thanks to your visionary support through prayers, testimonies, and financial gifts to keep STR operating. Thank you for responding to the Holy Spirit’s prompting, and may God continue refining you and me into His likeness.

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The Holy Spirit continues working in us, and we intercede with God for others (*the incense altar*) as self continues fading. Continued time in prayerful Bible study increasingly reveals to us the beauty of holiness in God’s law, and by beholding we become changed into Jesus’ likeness and are made ready to meet Him at His soon return.

Let’s follow Jesus by faith through the sanctuary and experience the transforming power of His love!

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8 Days that Changed the World - March 28-April 4, 2021 9am & 7pm
Easter Special - Old Time Gospel Hour - April 4, 2021 4am & 2pm
God's Transforming Gift - April 15-19, 2021 9am & 7pm

STR Engagements:

3/27 10:45 a.m.	Kam Ferguson	Midland SDA Church
3/27 6:30 p.m.	STR Gospel Variety Hour	13 th Street Cadillac SDA Church
4/10 11:00 a.m.	David Bolduc	Marion SDA Church
4/17 9:00/11:00 a.m.	Kam Ferguson	Kalamazoo Countryside & Centreville SDA Churches
4/24 9:30/11:00 a.m.	Kam Ferguson	Mio & Grayling SDA Churches
5/1 6:00p.m.	Radio Rally	Village SDA Church, Berrien Springs
5/8 9:30/11:00 a.m.	Kam Ferguson	Manistique & Northwoods McMillan SDA Churches

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