

# Following The Harvest!

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## SENDING OUT THE MARINES

*Dr. Bette Bond is a gifted evangelist, teacher and good friend of the our ministry. She is always willing to make herself available when the Lord calls. I asked her to give her story of what happened the evening of June 25th, at the Oceanside Pier while on our "Pier to Pier Preaching Tour."*

*I changed my Saturday night plans because "it is more blessed to give than to receive." I joined Barry Felis Ministries in Oceanside, CA. After the "Gospel painting," I approached two handsome young men, Matthew and Luke, with their girlfriends. I asked, "If they knew for sure they were going to heaven?" The men were uncertain. Both men were Marines being deployed in two weeks for Afghanistan. I re-explained the Gospel. Looking Matthew in the eyes, I said, "Matthew, do you want to ask*

## PREACHING AT BEACHSIDE SUMMER FEST

This year hundreds of Christians came together from many different churches to reach people for Jesus at the Huntington Beach Pier. There were wonderful Christian music groups who preformed, many Christian booths, food for the workers and best of all, people sharing the faith one-on-one with passers-by.

I was asked to train & equip those who wanted to either brush up, or learn how to share their faith with the lost. Once again it was amazing to see so many believers who wanted to learn

how to witness on the streets. After the training, I was blessed to watch them share at the big event. I am even more encouraged to know that these same people would take what they had learned and use it at their place of employment, their schools and in their neighborhoods. What a

privilege it is to train others so that they can train other themselves. I train in a way called "transferable concepts," so that it is easy to pass it on to others.

Inspired by the Holy Spirit, the Apostle Paul wrote, "And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelist and some pastors and teachers for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ." Eph. 4:11-12 In essence that is a part of what we do with the 'Following the Harvest' ministry. We train & equip for the edifying of the body of Christ. It has been reported that over 150 people gave their lives to Christ during the event, and others re-committed themselves to the Lord's service. Only eternity will tell of the impact the Summer Beach Fest had on so many people. What a great privilege to be a part of it!



Crowd at the Beachside Summer Fest

## MARINES

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Jesus into your life right now?" In front of the others, he said "Yes." I turned to Luke, "How about you?" He said, "Yes." One girlfriend already



Two US Marines Who Trusted Christ

knew Jesus. The other girlfriend was NOT ready quite yet. She wanted to think it over some more. That's when I asked Barry to join us. Barry added, "If I were going to Afghanistan, I'd do this if I were you."



Barry Leads Young Ones To Christ

As I said a prayer, and Barry repeated the prayer of salvation.

The two Marines prayed out

loud with Barry. After prayer, I looked Matthew directly in the eyes, asking "Where is Jesus now?" Matthew said, "He is in me." Luke responded to the same question, "He is in me." We spent time talking about how to walk with Jesus now that He has entered their lives. Then, the soldiers let me pray a prayer of blessing, protection and guidance over their lives. God gave me specific things for each of them. Please pray for their protection as they go overseas.



Linda Salahi Prays With People in Need

God knew these young Marines needed salvation as they enter the enemies' territory. They now have the Savior and the hope of eternal life inside their lives! Praise God! It is more blessed to give than it is to receive. Thanks, Barry, for letting me work along side of you to get the Gospel out across this great state of California!

### Outreach Schedule

Please call (310) 327-3134 for locations and directions.

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## SUMMER FEST

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Of course there are many, many ways in which to communicate the gospel to others. I met one brother by the name of Ron who just stood in front of the event with a sign saying, 'The Shed Blood of Jesus Christ Man's Only Salvation.' This style of sharing the gospel is not what God has called me to do, but I praise God for Ron's



Frank Baldus Prays The Prayer of Salvation

boldness and tenacity to share in such a straightforward manner. He told me that he has been harassed, threatened, praised and spit upon, but because God

has called Him he rejoices in the fact that someone will be touched by his message. Jesus said, "If you are not for me, you're against me." For some of us, I think



Going Bold For Jesus!

it is about time to stand up for what we believe and proclaim it from the house tops! For others, it is time to bake a dish

of cookies for our neighbor

and invite them over to

share God's love. We are all different, but we are all called to share our faith one way or another.

## JULY OUTREACH SCHEDULE

JULY 3RD REDONDO PIER

JULY 4TH NO OUTREACH

JULY 10TH SEAL BEACH PIER

JULY 11T SANTA MONICA PIER

JULY 17TH BALBOA PIER

JULY 18TH NEWPORT PIER

JULY 24TH BIRCH ST. MALL

JULY 25TH PRAYER MEETING

JULY 31ST HERMOSA PIER

ALL OUTREACHES BEGIN AT 7:30 PM.

\* OUTREACHES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS.