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Financial Peace University!

One of America's most respected financial advisers runs a seminar called "Financial Peace University" (which I highly recommend). In it, he shares six steps to Financial Peace. These six steps are: saving \$1,000 to start an Emergency Fund, paying off all debt, having 3 to 6 months of expenses in savings, investing 15% of household income for retirement, investing in a college fund for children, paying off your home early, and giving to others. Becky and I currently strike out on five of the six steps. We are able to take the last step---we give, as the Lord gives to us. But, we have no emergency fund; we still have house debt (no auto or consumer debt though); we have no savings; we are not able to invest in retirement; and we have no college fund for our children. Yet we have financial peace! Why? Because the Lord has promised to take care of us. Again, I highly recommend that you take these steps, if you can. But, if you cannot (the recession may be affecting you too), I hope you still believe that you can have financial peace. Financial peace comes from knowing the King of Peace and serving Him. If you know it is He who has blessed you, and you want to take Step #6 and share your wealth to support PreVision Partnership to take the whole

Dear Friends,

Life is fast...time is short...if you want to pray, here are the highlights:

1. Pray for the trips to Africa and Greece...and pray for Fiona, my 16 year old daughter, as she joins me for her first missions trip (read "Upcoming Ministry" and "Fiona on Mission")
2. Pray for us to continue to have "financial peace" (see "Financial Peace University"); and, as the Lord leads you, make a donation.
3. Pray that I would continue to live in the light of the Lord's Ascension and the Gospel (see "Ascension & Gospel").

Let me know how I can pray for you.

Yours, Peter

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Upcoming Ministry

U.S.A. (April-May)

Upcoming events in the USA to pray for include teaching at a Good Friday Prayer Breakfast, an Easter Sunrise Service, and a local church leadership event. I am also looking forward to another Atlanta area prayer retreat.

Africa (June 30-July 21)

"We" (who is "we"---see below) will be in Cape Town, South Africa from Wednesday 30th June to Monday 19th July. Among other things, I will be teaching, training and working with evangelism teams to reach soccer fans gather



The "pastor-prisoners"(and brothers in Christ!) of the notorious Pollsmoor Prison!

ing for the World Cup 2010. During this time I will also hold another conference in the notorious Pollsmoor Prison for the "pastor-prisoners"; this was a great joy the first time and I am looking forward to seeing these guys again! "We" than plan to do a return trip from Cape Town to Lusaka, Zambia to spend five days in teaching in churches and at a pastors conference.

Greece (July 21-28)

"We" then head from Cape Town to Greece. It has been a great privilege to serve on the USA Board of *Hellenic Ministries (HM)* --- and better still to do evangelism and teaching in Greece. President Johnathan Macris and I remain firm friends from our time as students at Moody Bible Institute.

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ON THE HOME FRONT

Recently we had to interrupt a brief break in Florida to return to a badly flooded basement. After a month of upheaval, we are back to normal (fortunately, I was not traveling). We have also been praying for God's protection on Colin, as he seeks to find his own way in life. We would appreciate your prayers for him too. Please also pray for Becky, as Fiona and I will be gone most of the summer.

In 2004 and 2006, *Operation Gideon 1 & 2* were organized by *HM* using 600 volunteers to cover almost 80 of the beautiful Greek islands with the gospel. Now *Operation Joshua* hopes to distribute a New Testament, in modern Greek,



Operation Gideon 1 in August 2004

to every home in mainland Greece within five years. During *Operation Joshua 1 & 2* God's Word was taken to 80,000 homes in 549 villages. This summer, for *Operation Joshua 3*, *HM* will help distribute 66,000 New Testaments to another 850 towns and villages and engage in evangelism on the doorsteps and in the homes of the Greek people. This will take place on **July 22 - 29, 2010** in Southern Greece. For more information how you can get involved, click [here](#).

India and U.K. (Sep-Nov)

Other trips in the planning stages for Teaching, Pastors Conferences & Evangelism include **India** (Sep-Oct) and the **UK** (Nov 12-29).

Fiona on Mission!

I am delighted to say Fiona, my 16 year old daughter is joining me for the trips to Africa and Greece. She has had a desire since childhood to work in an orphanage in Africa or China. As a family, we believe this is the time for her to take a step in exploring the Lord's will. She will join me for the outreaches in Cape Town, Zambia and Greece as well as serve as a volunteer in an AIDS orphanage in Cape Town. She will raise her own support (\$3,000) and travel under the auspices of PreVision Partnership. I know she would appreciate your prayers. She writes, "Pray that all the people we meet to come to know the great, loving God we know..." You can read the rest of her prayer letter [here](#).



Ascension & Gospel

I have recently been studying the Ascension and continue to be encouraged and inspired by the thought of King Jesus now living and active in Heaven for me! Here is just one thought (from John Calvin) of the many inspiring things I have read:

"Thus, since He has gone up there, and is in heaven for us, let us note that we need not fear to be in this world. It is true that we are subject to so much misery that our condition is pitiable, but at that we need neither be astonished nor confine our attention to ourselves. Thus, we look to our Head Who is already in heaven, and say, Although I am weak, there is Jesus Christ Who is powerful enough to make me stand upright. Although I am feeble, there is Jesus Christ who is my strength. Although I am full of miseries, Jesus Christ is in immortal glory and what He has will some time be given to me and I shall partake of all His benefits. Yes, the devil is called the prince of this world. But what of it? Jesus Christ holds him in check for He is King of heaven and earth. There are devils above us in the air who make war against us. But what of it? Jesus Christ rules above, having entire control of the battle. Thus, we need not doubt that He gives us the victory. I am here subject to many changes, which may cause me to lose courage. But what of it? The Son of God is my Head, Who is exempt from all change. I must, then, take confidence in Him. This is how we must look at His Ascension, applying the benefit to ourselves." (John Calvin, Deity of Christ, pp. 238-239)

On another topic, I did a four-part series ("God, Show Me Who You Are") at a church in Atlanta on how believer's can gain a deeper understanding of the Gospel. I have listed the links below, in case you might like to listen to the messages. Please pray that God will continue to use the messages like these, at home and overseas. Let me know if you find them helpful too.

[Part 1: Show Me Your Love](#)

[Part 2: Show Me My Sin](#)

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