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The Cover Story

On March 5th, New Hope Ministries hosted its 4th annual Motorcycle Rally. We saw our largest turnout yet, with 68 bikes going on our ride and several other bikes that showed up for lunch and prizes.

For the third year in a row, we offered a Harley-Davidson motorcycle as the grand prize, but this year we added a bonus to the grand prize package: a Harley-Davidson Craftsman tool chest. In addition to the grand prize, we had approximately 75 other giveaways including motorcycle clothing, accessories, service, home décor, and two motorcycle courses. For the first time, we had bike judging conducted by our staff pastors.

The winner of this year's grand prize was a recent graduate of St. Matthew's recovery program and was looking forward to starting the next phase of his life. He needed a car, so he sold the motorcycle (for more than the church paid for it!) and used the money to buy himself a much-needed car for work.

This year's rally also saw an increase in sponsorship. Food was provided by Chick-fil-A, Little Caesar's Pizza, Outback Steakhouse, Chili's, and, of course, Chef Brian and our kitchen staff. Giveaways were provided by Snikwah, Everglades Motorcycle, and Naples Harley-Davidson.



We had many return visitors, many first-timers, and a few motorcycle clubs in attendance. One person rode all the way from Orlando to attend. Members from BACA (Bikers Against Child Abuse) attended for the first time, saying it was one of the best rallies they had ever attended.



From the Tree Stand

by Pastor Grant Thigpen

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Since June 19 is recognized as "Father's Day," it was suggested that I write about some of my fondest memories of my father. That idea appealed to me because I have so many fond memories. Actually fond memories are the only kind of memories I do have of my father. Whenever I think about Dad it is always a very pleasant, comforting, and positive emotional experience. Most of my memories of Dad bring a smile to my face, and they fill my heart with love, respect, and admiration.

My father was not perfect (although as a small child I thought he was); he was a man of much love. He loved the Lord, he loved the Word of God, and he loved his wife, his children, the church, and the lost people of this world.

Dad's love for God's Word and his anointed preaching influenced my life and ministry in so many positive ways. When people who knew my father tell me that my preaching reminds them of him, I take it as one of life's great compliments.

Dad was a good provider and a hardworking man who never received a salary from the church,

yet he always found a way to make a respectable living and take care of his family. To have Bill Thigpen as the head of our family was to always have a sense of safety and security. Dad was big, strong, and fearless and would never let any harm come to our family. My brother, sister, and I never doubted our father's love for us or our mother. Dad's arms were the safest and most comfortable place in the world for a scared child (no matter how young or how old) to run to.

I could literally think of hundreds of fond memories about my father, but the thing that I seem to remember most was his prevailing sense of humor. Dad was a devout, spirit-filled man of God and he was also a man who loved to laugh and have fun. He could find humor in almost everything. When I think of Dad I usually visualize him with a sneaky looking smile on his face and a twinkle in his eyes that revealed he was getting ready to do or say something funny.

I owe so much to my father and I have tried to live my life according to his example of what a godly man, husband, father, and pastor should be.

Dad⁷

by Tony Sculles



I believe Psalms 127:4, is for me. “As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth.”

I’ve seen many scriptures interpreted differently and yet not stray from the Lord’s work and intentions. I have often heard that Psalms 127:4 has to do with sending our kids out to do God’s will. While I believe this is truth, I also believe it is truth to look at the “mighty man” as being the Lord and the arrows being my children, but they are aimed at ME, not the world.

So often the things I try to teach my kids come back - quick as an arrow - to stick me in my heart!! Over the years, many “strong” men I’ve known have been humbled, crushed and brought to a place of repentance... including me. Weekly, sometimes daily, I find myself instructing my kids in something and, very soon after, my very SAME words reverberate in my ears as I am confronted with the same choice I have asked them to make.

The Lord has always been a presence in my life. I plainly see his divine protection, especially in the many foolish acts of my youth. The arrival of my first child, Lindsay, brought me to a point of surrendering to the Lordship of Christ. It came with a simple thought., “Lord, I can’t do this

by myself. I’m going to mess this up big time.”

Teresa and I had six more children in just ten years, and in another blink of time we have now been married twenty-four years and the kids are growing into adults themselves. I am SO glad I surrendered back then. I cannot imagine where my marriage or family would be if I were still fighting the Lord. Our family has struggles, just like every family. I’m encouraged when someone says how great my seven kids look, but those close to us know the Sculles household is often not very pretty or “holy looking.” (Whatever that is??!!)

I have no choice but to trust that He is going to work all things out for the good of us who love Him and are called according to His purpose. (Romans 8:28)

If I could give a word of advice to fathers, it is this: **repent early, repent often!**

I do not believe that asking my kids for forgiveness too often will empower them to take advantage of me. They may use it short term to do exactly that. Instead, I believe it will create a more noble position for me as their father, and in the long term it will work out GOD’S plan in BOTH of our lives.

Fathers ENJOY your children **today**, while there is time.

Who's Really to Blame?

by Mitch Sentovich



Thirty years ago, at one of the lowest times in my life, I was on my back staring up at the bunk over mine. I had just received a nine year prison sentence, and all I could do was cry out to the Lord and ask Him to help me. I heard Him say, "You need to know my Word, son." The next day I asked one of the guards for a Bible and began reading in the New Testament. I was just amazed at what God, through His son Jesus, was able to do for mankind. Unconditional love and forgiveness of sins was all new to me, but I began the journey of finding out who Christ was and what the cross really meant. It didn't take long for me to realize that God's Word and my life did not line up.

Resentful toward the people who had testified against me and who (I thought) were the reason I was in prison, the bitterness and anger was strong and I really didn't know how to deal with it. Reading God's Word every day, showed me I needed to forgive and about how God forgave me, no matter what I had done. It was a battle for me, to think that I had to forgive the guys who had testified against me, ultimately resulting in a conviction which landed me in prison.

I could see, though, through God's Word, that He had forgiven me for everything that I had ever done and, if I was going to be anything like Him, I needed to forgive those who had wronged me.

My first big step to a new life in Christ was confessing my sins, accepting the Lord, and verbally forgiving the guys who had testified against me. Immediately the burden was lifted off and I felt like I could see with much clearer eyes. **God said, "when you can realize that YOU are the one who is to blame for being in prison, and stop blaming someone else for your actions, I'll be able to work in your life much easier."** How true it was!

As I continued to seek God through His Word, my prison days became more bearable. God seemed to open all the right doors for me to have the best jobs and be in the best programs. I was learning about the love and forgiveness of Jesus, and that I must forgive in the same way. It seems strange to say, but after a while I didn't even feel like I was in prison. Spending time in God's Word every day brought such a joy to me that I really did not dwell on my circumstances.

One day the Captain of the prison sent for me and asked if I would be willing to go to the work release center in Fort Myers to run the kitchen for 110 inmates. I proceeded to tell him that I still had **another year before I was eligible** to go to work release. He informed me that he could have me on a bus the next day. That's all it took for me to say OK, and the next day I was on my way.

After a year of running the kitchen, I was eligible to leave the compound for work during the day and return each night. I secured a job in Naples and rode down with the guy who had a truck. He would drop me off at Pine Ridge Road and I-75, and I would ride my bike to Taylor Road. The second or third day on my bike, I said to the Lord, "It would be nice if I could find a little truck so that I could get back and forth on my own."

The very next day, as I was peddling to work, I heard a vehicle honk. Lo and behold, it was one of the guys who had testified against me. Because I had forgiven him almost three years earlier, seeing him really didn't bother me. I gave him a friendly wave and saw him turn around. As he pulled up to me, I could see the agony of guilt on his face. I immediately said to him, "Man, I forgave you three years ago. You didn't make me go out there and do those things. Really, every-

thing is okay, no big deal." Miraculously, I could see his face change. He asked what I was doing, and I told him that I was on work release, riding my bike back and forth from I-75 and looking for a small truck. He proceeded to say that the small Toyota pickup he was driving was scheduled to be traded in the next day. It was one of many owned by his father's pool service company. He said, "I'm going to ask my dad if he can help you out." The next day, when I got to my job, the truck was there with a couple sets of keys and the title. Through God teaching me about forgiveness and showing mercy, I now had a truck from the very person who helped put me in prison. How amazing!

When the time came that I was allowed to take short furloughs, I sensed that things were not quite right between my (then) wife and me. She told me that she had fallen in love with another man. There I was, a new life, anxious to be the best Christian father and Christian husband, faced with rejection I didn't know how to deal with. My first reaction was to find a baseball bat and go after someone, but I fell on my knees and cried out to the Lord. His answer was, "You just have to keep loving her, the same way I've always loved you." I said, "I cannot do that." A week later I fell back on my knees and asked Him to help

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Pastor Steve McGraw

has been on staff at New Hope Ministries since 1998, when he became the Dean of Students for the School of Ministries. His responsibilities were expanded in 2000, when he also became the Director of Adult Education. He was ordained in 2006, and in 2008, he moved into the position of Children's Pastor.

Steve was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota, the fifth of seven children. Following the passing of his father, when Steve was only 5 years old, the family relocated to Naples. His sister, Cheryl, describes him as having lots of really curly hair and says, "He was a climber. He would even shimmy up the door jams in the house when he was five or six years old." As a teenager, Steve ran cross country and loved spending time in the Gulf of Mexico in his Sunfish sailboat (which he still has). Following high school, Steve attended Edison Community College and graduated in 1981 with an Associate of Arts Degree.



Once he was led to the Lord by a born-again Catholic priest, Steve felt immediately drawn to the ministry. He attended St. John Vianney Seminary in Miami, where he completed a Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy and one year of a graduate program in Theology. He was led by the Lord to start attending New Hope Ministries in 1990. That same year he became a part of the very first class of the School of Ministries.

In the spring of 1991, he and Lori were married and they now have six children - five girls and a boy: Stephanie (married to Andrew York), Charissa, Kendra, Emily, Daniel, and Alisha. The family loves spending quality time together as well as ministering together at New Hope Ministries and with Child Evangelism Fellowship. With a heart to serve, Steve can often be found doing various jobs for his sisters, friends, and, of course, the church family.

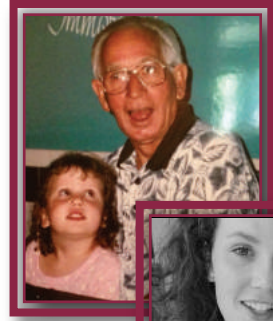
Papaw, My Role Model

by Courtney Hubbell

Happy Father's Day to a man who played many roles and mastered them all. Father, grandfather, pastor, and warrior, just to name a few. Many people knew you as Pastor Dantin, but I knew you as Papaw. I loved to share you with people. I thought that everyone deserved to know and to be loved by a man like you.

So, on Father's Day, I celebrate you, Papaw. It is not a day that I mourn our loss of you. It is a day I celebrate your life, all of your accomplishments, and imagine how great your reward in heaven must be. I have heard countless, incredible stories of how you impacted the lives of those who were blessed to know you on earth, but I want to tell how much you impacted mine!

You were honestly the strongest man I have ever known. Toward the end of your life, I watched your body deteriorate from cancer right in front of me. Those who have witnessed cancer first-hand, in either their life or a loved one, know how brutal that disease is. I, however, choose not to remember what the cancer did physically, because what I watched it do in you spiritually is so much greater. You are the definition of a Godly man.



What amazes me the most is how, throughout all life's struggles, not once did you turn your back on God. I watched your love and faith in Him grow each day, up until the end. You instilled in me to be a warrior. To "fight the fight" and not back down. In all areas of life from God, family, friendships, and ministry, you're the greatest example I have ever known.

I'm proud that God has called me to walk the path you walked as well. You went far and I want to go even further, knowing you would expect nothing less of me. You always used to say, "It's me and you, Court, it's just me and you." What you didn't know is that even after you would leave this world behind, I'd find comfort in those words because of the fact that the memories, perspectives, insights, humor, and love you shared are still very much alive in my world today.

To my #1, my best friend, and my role model... Happy Father's Day! I'll love you forever.

Missions We Support

Living Word Ministries International
Thailand

www.lwmi.org

The ancient nation of Siam became known as Thailand in 1949. A nation rich in culture, religion, and tradition; Thai people are a beautiful, proud people. Thai means "Free," the free land of the free people. Yet freedom has only been a dream for many.

For nearly 30 years, Charlie and Cathy Milbrodt have lived and ministered in Thailand where an expansive ministry reaching tens of thousands of people has been developed. Along with overseeing Abundant Life Children's Homes, which care for over 700 children, Charlie and Cathy pastor a local church, conduct a Bible school, and oversee an evangelism-church planting team which has planted and constructed 140 churches across the nation of Thailand.

The Bible school has been the core of the ministry from the beginning - laying a strong foundation of faith from the Word of God. Hundreds of graduates have carried the vision of bringing true freedom to the Thai people.

Church planting teams average

ten new church plants every year bringing the gospel to thousands of people. Social transformation is taking place in community after community. Along with the Church Planting Program, they provide Bible curricula that can be studied at the Bible school facility or online. These degree programs are designed to thoroughly train ministers to effectively reach this nation with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Development projects and social relief efforts have provided homes for the poor, proper sanitation systems in rural villages, and care for refugees.

Today, drugs, prostitution, poverty, and false religion are snaring the youth of Thailand. Without an opportunity for a decent education and Godly guidance, these kids are easy targets. At Abundant Life Children's Homes they can receive a quality education, nutritious food, and health care. Children grow up in a positive, wholesome environment where their dreams can flourish and come true.

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Thailand

by Laurie Flohr



Lenny and I have been sponsoring children through Living Word Ministries International (LWMI) for over 12 years. Our first daughter was Ampah and she was in second grade. In 2011, we started sponsoring Putapon. We chose him specifically because he was in 10th grade; the same grade that Ampah was in at the time. They have both graduated, and Ampah is in college studying accounting and Putapon is now working with the LWMI team. When they graduated in 2014, we chose to sponsor two young children - one boy and one girl who are the same age so that they will also graduate together.

I lived in Thailand for a year in the early 80s and have a special place in my heart for these people. I was saddened to see the level of poverty in that country. These are a kind and beautiful people. When we first heard Charlie and Cathy speak at New Hope Ministries we knew we wanted to be partners in their work in Thailand. Over the years, we have seen the ministry grow and are excited to be a part in helping to raise generations of children who will make a difference in the future of their country.

Since Lenny and I do not have any children, we feel this is one way we can pour into the life of a young person and hopefully make a real difference. This min-

istry not only loves and cares for the children but, more importantly, teaches them about the love of God.

We send cards and photos to the children to let them know that we are thinking about and praying for them. In return we receive letters from our children that are written in their native language and translated into English for us, as well as artwork that the children do throughout the year. Each school year we receive a card that has a current picture along with the grade that they are beginning. We also receive monthly updates from Charlie and Cathy about the work of the ministry in Thailand, the Bible school, church planting, evangelism outreaches and children's programs.

We hope to travel to Thailand and visit the ministry someday. We have truly been blessed to be a part of LWMI and have even named the ministry in our wills so that we will be able to make an impact on the lives of children in Thailand for many years to come. Isn't God good?

LWMI is touching lives and bringing positive change to the beautiful nation of Thailand. If you'd like to find out more about the ministry or to sponsor a child, visit www.lwmi.org.

Celebrate Your Partial Triumph

by Jesse Barrett



In March of 2015, My doctor told me I needed to lose twenty pounds by the time of my annual physical in November. My first reaction was, "I enjoy being a big guy, I don't want to lose weight," but then I thought that twenty pounds didn't seem too bad. By the time November came around, I had lost twenty pounds exactly. I was ecstatic and thought my doctor would be pretty proud of me.

He looked over my file and said, "I'm proud of you for losing the twenty pounds. Now, lose twenty more by March, when I see you again."

Let me just explain to you how upset I was at that moment. First of all, I enjoy eating whatever I want whenever I want. It's not the best for me, I realize that, but I enjoy food. A LOT.

I told my doctor, "That wasn't the deal. I lost twenty pounds. That's what you asked for."

He laughed and told me, "If I had told you in March that I wanted you to lose forty pounds, you would've thought that it was a crazy thing for me to ask for."

The truth is, he was right. I would've stressed about trying to lose forty pounds and it probably never would've happened, but I did it in small steps, and I'm sure

each time I go back he'll tell me to lose another twenty.

Everything we do in life should be like that. If you're trying to quit drinking, don't dwell and stress about the fact that you have to go forever without having anymore alcohol. Instead, be thankful that you've been sober a day, a week, a month, and so on. That way it won't seem so overwhelming.

I struggle with speaking negativity over myself on occasion. I'll have a headache and I'll say, "This headache is killing me" or, "This headache just won't go away." Well, it sure won't if I continue to have that attitude.

Proverbs 18:21 says: "Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof."

Instead of saying, "I'll never get this work project finished," say, "Hey! I got two paragraphs done!" Don't speak about the big picture in a negative way, or it will seem overwhelming. Instead, take it piece by piece and celebrate the partial triumphs along the way.

When Jesus fed 5,000 people, his disciples brought him five loaves of bread and two fish. Now, he could've freaked out and said, "This will never feed

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me. His answer was the same, and again I said, "I can't."

I struggled for days with this pit in my stomach and cried out to God once again. He said, "You just have to keep loving her, the same way I've always loved you." Once more I said, "I can't do that." This time He added, "**I know YOU can't, but I can! I can love her through you,** but you have to give me your life." I told the Lord I would do anything to get past this situation. He asked me, "Why weren't you at home with your wife?" I responded, "I was in prison." He said, "Exactly. You were not at home taking care of her and your son. You can't put the blame on her. Again, you need to look at who the problem really is in this situation." So, for the first time in my life I said, "Lord, take me, take all of me," and the verse that says to pray without ceasing came alive to me. Every moment of my life, if I wasn't around people, I was in prayer asking God to humble me and make me more like Him and put forgiveness in my heart. It was a time of pain but also of growth. It was hard, but it was good to see how He was molding me. A few weeks later my wife came to me in tears and said, "I just can't believe how you loved me through this whole thing." I told her, "It wasn't me, it was God. I wanted to beat somebody over the head with a bat, but God told me I had to forgive and

He helped me to do that."

We divorced and she married the man she had fallen in love with while I was in prison. Amazingly, a few years later HE came to me, when his father was dying, wanting to know how he could possibly restore their relationship after being estranged for 25 years. He asked how I had been able to treat him so well when he was running off with my wife. I told him it was God, only God, and that he needed to go to his father, wrap him in his arms and ask for forgiveness and forgive him for anything that he'd done to him. He said, "I can't do that." I said, "Well, you asked me how I was able to do it, and I've told you that I just did what the Lord told me to do." A month or two later I asked him how his dad was doing and he said, "I actually did what you told me to do, and we laughed and cried and spent two weeks together before he passed away."

Throughout those years God continually showed His face in a situation that would normally be very bad. When we are able to give forgiveness, show forgiveness, and accept forgiveness, it's just amazing to see how God can work things out. He continues to work in my life today in the same ways. He has brought me thirty years of blessing. I'm not saying it's all been easy, but I wouldn't have it any other way.

Are You Ready?

Basic Emergency Preparedness

by Tony Rahaim



We live under the threat of severe weather most of the year. Being prepared can make a difference. Having a plan gives you options. You can always change a plan. No plan = poor choices.

Are you ready? If not, get over the “it won’t happen to me” mentality. After almost 32 years of public service, I’ve learned that a lack of planning will cause problems.

This is a look at basic preparedness based on biblical principles. Yes, I said biblical principles. There are many places in the Bible that talk about preparedness. Due to space limitations, type this into your web browser <http://tinyurl.com/hqfvha9>.

Where to start? First, stay on your budget. Begin with 24-48 hours of food, water, shelter, medications, climate control, communications, alternate power, etc. After that, extend to 72-96 hours and keep building from there. Ultimately, be able to take care of your family for at least ten days or longer - **without** any assistance.

Plan for the number typically in your household, including pets and regular houseguests.

Make a plan! Discuss it with all

family members that drive or are old enough to babysit.

Think about:

Safe exits from home and neighborhood.

Meeting places to reunite.

Designated person to pick up children should you be unavailable.

Contact persons close-by and out-of-town.

Health history/medications - chronic conditions for humans and pets.

Special needs or medications that require refrigeration.

Location of fire extinguisher(s), water, electrical, gas shutoffs, etc.

Local and regional paper maps - learn how to use them.

Making sure you, your family, and your pets are healthy.

Ensuring your vehicles are in good working condition.

Checking the weather at least once a day for the most current forecasts.

Remember, you may have to travel some distance to get to safe areas. Things that happen hundreds of miles away can affect our region.

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this many people." Instead, he took the moment to be thankful for what he had.

Between December and February there was so much going on that I fell way behind on my day-to-day work. We finished the New Hope Ministries Christmas Production mid-December, and the following week I edited the video for television. The next week was Christmas, then New Years. The week after that I got married, and the following week was our honeymoon. I returned to work one week before New Hope hosted a HUGE crusade, so I worked on preparations for that all week. The next week I worked at the morning and evening sessions of the crusade. By then it was February! Instead of stressing about how far behind I was in my work, I just kept saying to myself,

"Let's get through December's work load" followed by, "January is almost done, two more tasks and it'll be caught up, too."

In Ezra, the Israelites had a dream to rebuild the temple in Jerusalem. Now, this was a HUGE, overwhelming task. People from all over came over and they finally finished the foundation work. When they finished the foundation, they all got together and played their trumpets and crashed their cymbals. Now, remember that they haven't finished the temple, just the foundation, but they were celebrating their partial triumph.

So, remember you have the power to make your tasks seem huge and overwhelming or you can thank God for them and celebrate each accomplishment along the way.



New Hope Ministries CRAFT FAIR & MARKET

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9:00am-2:00pm

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Have primary and backup communications and plans that include if there are total communications failures. Cell phone towers will be overloaded and only have enough fuel for about forty-eight hours on generator.

Have two weeks of medication(s), and don't forget basics like vitamins, aspirin, antacids, etc. Remember to check for expiration dates. Throw out medications more than 30 days out of date.

If you have not taken a first aid and CPR class within the last 5 years, get current.

Keep some clothes that fit (for all types of weather conditions) in your go kit.

Figure out your family's food, water, and gasoline budget for two weeks. You should have that amount of cash available. In a major disaster, there will be no power for ATMs, and banks will be closed.

Work with your family, neighbors or co-workers. Plan and discuss things before time. If your neighbor has a generator that will power the block, ask if you can share it if you help with costs. Share each other's resources.

Pets are not allowed in some emergency shelters, so plan in advance for a pet friendly location.

If local officials dictate, leave the area. Secure your home, notify your family that you are leaving, and go.

In case of a major disaster, there will come a point in time where you call the local emergency number and no one is coming. The public safety personnel coming to your aid have to ensure their families are safe, too. Then, they need to get organized, and then safely get to your area. This takes time.

Preparedness Web Sites:

For our furry, feathered or scaly family member:

<http://www.asPCA.org/pet-care/disaster-preparedness/>

American Red Cross:

<http://www.redcross.org/get-help/prepare-for-emergencies/be-red-cross-ready>

Food Safety: <http://www.foodsafety.gov/keep/>

National Weather Service: <http://www.weather.gov/briefing/>

Specials Needs resources:

<http://www.redcross.org/prepare/location/home-family/disabilities>
<http://www.accessibleemergencyinfo.com/>

Questions? Attend one of my classes, contact your local office of emergency management, or e-mail me at nipentuck@yahoo.com.

A vibrant poster for a Labor Day event. The background is filled with colorful balloons in shades of blue, red, green, and yellow. At the top left, a wooden sign with the word 'FAMILY' is illuminated with warm lights. Below it, the word 'FUN' is written in large, white, 3D block letters. A green circular badge with the word 'DAY' is positioned below 'FUN'. To the right, text in a bold, black, sans-serif font reads 'Labor Day Monday, Sept. 5th New Hope Event Center 11am-2pm'. Below this, a red circular badge contains the text 'FOOD • GAMES FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY' in white, bold, sans-serif font.

FAMILY

FUN

DAY

Labor Day
Monday, Sept. 5th
New Hope Event Center
11am-2pm

FOOD • GAMES
FUN FOR THE WHOLE
FAMILY

A poster for a women's conference. The background is a scenic landscape of rolling green hills under a soft, golden sky at sunrise or sunset. In the foreground, two large, bright yellow sunflowers are in focus. The text 'Save the Date' is written in a bold, blue, sans-serif font at the top. Below it, the title 'Living Proof: Grace Wins' is written in a large, white, cursive font with a blue outline. At the bottom, a dark blue banner contains the text '2016 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE' in yellow, bold, sans-serif font, followed by 'Sept 16-17 | New Hope Event Center' and 'Tickets \$20pp Call 239-348-0122 for Info' in white, sans-serif font.

Save the Date

*Living Proof:
Grace Wins*


2016 WOMEN'S CONFERENCE
Sept 16-17 | New Hope Event Center
Tickets \$20pp Call 239-348-0122 for Info

NEW HOPE MINISTRIES 2016 SUMMER CALENDAR

June

- 5 Graduating Senior Recognition at 11:00am Service
- 17 Classic Movie Night
- 20 Life Care Planning Workshop
- 21  Self Defense Class


July

- 4 Independence Day - Office Closed
- 9 New Member's Class - all day
- 9 Fishing Banquet
- 16 Pathways to Ministry - all day
- 19  Chef Brian demonstrates how to stuff a chicken breast
- 23 Men's Breakfast

August

- 1 NHSM Orientation
- 1 Crime Prevention Workshop- Fraud Protection and Identity Theft - Sheriff's Dept.
- 6 CPR/First Aid Class
- 8 NHSM Classes Begin
- 19 Family Movie Night
- 28 Water Baptism
- 29 Primary Election Day

September

- 5 Labor Day - Office Closed
- 5 Family Fun Day
- 11 Child Dedications
- 12 Crime Prevention Workshop- Home/Vehicle Safety - Sheriff's Dept.
- 16 
- 17 Women's Conference

Breakfast is served...
before Sunday morning
services in the
Event Center



8th Annual Fishing Banquet

July 9, 2016

6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

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**\$20.00 Ticket Includes
Dinner, Entry for Door Prizes, Silent Auction***

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**Chance at the Grand Prize!
(Boat, Motor & Trailer)**

BUY EARLY, TICKETS ARE LIMITED



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***Ticket purchase required to bid**