

BBC UPDATE

Bible Baptist Theological Seminary presents

The Ninth Annual Spring Lecture Series

"BOOK OF HEBREWS"

Friday, April 20, 2018

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Red Lion Hotel

(formerly the Radisson Hotel)
Nutmeg Room
100 Berlin Rd.
Cromwell, CT 06416



Dr. Thomas Strouse presents his latest commentary:

"The Word of Exhortation: A Commentary on the Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Hebrews"



Dr. Thomas M. Strouse

On Friday, April 20, 2018, Bible Baptist Church will host the Bible Baptist Theological Seminary Spring 2018 Lecture Series dealing with the Book of Hebrews. Dr. Thomas Strouse will present his latest commentary *The Word of Exhortation: A Commentary on The Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Hebrews* (735 pages, 2228 footnotes, 5 pages of bibliography, and 128 hapax legomena), and survey the entire book of Hebrews. The book

is the product of about forty-eight years of intense study of the Greek text by a pastor and seminary professor in about 700 pages of exegetical interpretation.

THE WORD OF EXHORTATION:

Commentary on he Epistle of Paul the Apostle

DR. THOMAS M. STROUSE

RSVP by April 15, 2018 with total number in your party.



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PASTOR'S BIRTHDAY

The Trials of a Pastor

There was a pastor who turned seventy-three,

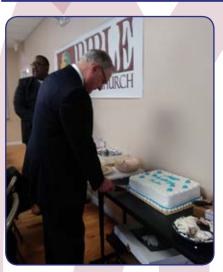
Feeling he had more rings than a large tree,

He closed his eyes to pray

So the members wouldn't stray,

But alas, ended up napping to catch a "zee."











Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Thompson Wedding

On Friday, April 6, 2018, Pastor Thomas Strouse had the privilege of officiating in the wedding of two Bible Baptist Church members, Mr. Kyle Thompson and Miss Jo-Jo Perez. The wedding ceremony was very beautiful and dignified, and honored the Lord Jesus Christ. The couple will be living in New Britain, CT. Pray for this young couple in the Lord.



Some of God's "Be Not's" for the Believer

DEVOTIONAL CORNER

Pastor Cas Reeves 1 Corinthians 15:33 "Be Not Deceived by Friendships"

Be not deceived: evil communications (friends) corrupt good manners.

Proverbs 3:7: "Be Not Wise in Thine Own Eyes"

Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil.

Proverbs 23:20: "Be Not Among Party-people"
Be not among winebibbers; among riotous eaters of flesh:

Proverbs 24:1: "Be Not Envious of Evil Men"
Be not thou envious against evil men, neither desire to be with them.

Colossians 3:19 "Be Not Bitter Against Your Wife" Husbands, love your wives, and be not bitter against them.

2 Thessalonians 3:13 "Be Not Weary in Well-doing" But ye, brethren, be not weary in well doing.

BBTS Spring/Summer Schedule

April 20, 2018
Spring BBTS Lecture Series
"The Book of Hebrews"

May 19, 2018, 5:00 PM BBTS Graduation Banquet

May 20, 2018, 1:30 PM BBTS Graduation

May 28 - June 1, 2018 Ireland Module "Jeremiah and Ecclesiastes"

June 4-8, 2018 Community Baptist Church Module Quakertown, PA "Gospel of Luke and Medical Terms"

Aug 20-24, 2018 Fairhaven Baptist College Module TBA 1 Timothy 6:17 "Be Not High-minded (proud)" Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded (proud), nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy;

Hebrews 6:12 "Be Not Slothful"
That ye be not slothful, but followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises.

Hebrews 13:2 "Be Not Forgetful to Entertain Strangers"

Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.

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Quotes From the Past:

Ulysses S. Grant
April 27, 1822 - July 23, 1885
18th President of the USA



Ulysses S. Grant

"The most confident critics are generally those who know the least about the matter criticized."

GROW IN GRACE DEVOTIONAL FOR WOMEN

The Wise Woman

Every wise woman **buildeth** her house: but the foolish **plucketh it down** with her hands. (emphasis added) **Proverbs 14:1**

Reflection: Women are vital to a successful marriage and family. A woman can bring peace to a home or cause discord. A woman can lead children to the Lord or lead them away. Which woman are you or do you desire to be? One woman builds and establishes her home to thrive and the other destroys and ruins her home. Your decisions today will influence your family's tomorrow.

Challenge: How can a woman build up or destroy a home? Can you give specific examples of each? Are you in prayer for your home? What kind of godly example do you set? What can you apply today to **BUILD** your home?

If you would like to receive Grow in Grace morning devotions emailed to you Monday - Friday, please email me at:

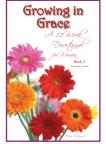
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Growing in Grace: A 12 Week Devotional for Women Books 1 & 2



This 12 Week Devotional is a ministry of Bible Baptist Church in Cromwell, CT. It is designed for women, and is meant as a support for victory in daily Christian living. Spiritual victory comes by having the Genuine Christ, Accurate Biblical Teaching, Applying the Infallible Word of God, and a Humble Heart.

Using this Devotional Each day you will be given a daily Scripture followed by thoughts upon which to



reflect and a challenge for the day. To get the most out of this book, it is encouraged that you take the time each morning to reflect upon and apply each devotion.

"Blessed are they that keep his testimonies, and that seek him with the whole heart. (Psalm 119:2)

Book 2 Please contact Bible Baptist

Church (Elenas6259@gmail.com) if you would like a complimentary copy of Book 1 or 2.

BBC Music Ministry



"Were You There" sung by Mr. Gagnon on Easter morning.



Ryan Strouse and his son, Jack, sing together for the first time during the Sunday morning service.

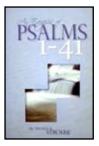
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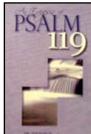
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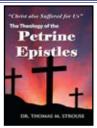


I & II Timothy

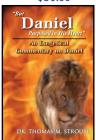
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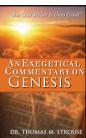
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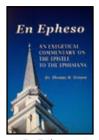
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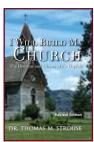
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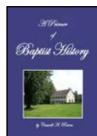
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