



BBC UPDATE

Mother's Day at BBC

Dr. Thomas Strouse



On May 11, 2014, the men of Bible Baptist Church attempted to honor the mothers of the assembly by providing the lunch meal which is held every Sunday. The men ordered food and made desserts and salads to allow the mother's/women to have a restful weekend. Although the meal went well, the men have a greater appreciation for their mothers and wives. *"Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth he"* (Prov. 31:28).

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Mother's Day Morning Service at BBC. The Gagnon Family sang a beautiful arrangement of "Be Still My Soul."

Pastor Dimetri Gospodarev visits BBC

Dmitry Gospodarev is a BBTS student and national pastor in Belarus, Europe. His church is one of the very few NT assemblies in this former Russian territory. He takes seminary courses towards his MBS in the modules in Ireland and Czech Republic, and was visiting the States as he stopped by with his family to visit BBC.



Pastor Strouse with Dmitry Gospodarev



Mr. Tom Baker, BBTS graduate visiting from Ireland with Dmitry Gospodarev and his family, along with Mrs. Lilia Harding.

MOTHERS' DAY AT BBC

The Ladies of BBC were treated to a very special Mothers' Day at BBC! A delicious lunch was catered, desserts were prepared by the husbands and children, and the men handled all the clean-up activities.

Mothers' Day

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Photos



Brother Gagnon cleans a long stretch of tables while the other men take care of the food.



Garbage detail!



Phew!



Above and Left: Even young JT helped!



The room was cleaned top to bottom!!

The Virtuous Woman

Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price [is] far above rubies.

Proverbs 31:10



Pastor Cas Reeves

The virtuous woman who is spoken of in this verse is an interesting person to learn about for all young men and young women. A study of her can give great insight into the kind of character a virtuous woman should possess. Also, a study of this woman can give a person great discernment in identifying this woman.

The writer of this verse asks the question, who can find a virtuous woman? He identifies this woman through the choice of his words. The Hebrew word for "find" is *masta*, which means: "find, or come upon, or secure." The object of this question is the virtuous woman. The word for "virtuous" is *chayil*, which is

a military term referring to "strength." The word used for "woman" is *ishshah* and means "woman, wife, female."

The writer further shares the value of the virtuous woman by stating, her price is far above rubies. The word used for "far" is *rachowq*, which means "a great distance," and the word for "rubies" is *pinyin*, which means "precious stones."

Thus the virtuous woman is identified as a woman who is strong in her abilities and character. She is precious and valuable, one who is hard to find, but a woman worthy of waiting for, searching. -CAR

DEVOTIONAL CORNER

BBTS

Summer Module Schedule

May 26-30, 2014

BBTS Modules Ireland
"II Corinthians" (TMS)
"Cults" (TMS)

June 16-20, 2014

BBTS Module Quakertown, PA
"I Corinthians" (TMS)

July 21-25, 2014

BBTS Module Plymouth, NH
"Cults" (TMS)

August 4-8, 2014

BBTS Module Star, ID
"Bibliology I" (TMS)

August 18-22, 2014

BBTS Module Chesterton, IN
"II Corinthians" (TMS)

Sept. 22-26, 2014

BBTS Modules Prague, CR
"Matthew" (TMS)
"Baptist History I" (TMS)



Quotes From the Past:

Abraham Lincoln

1809 - 1865

The 16th President of the United States of America.



Abraham Lincoln

"All that I am or ever hope to be, I owe to my angel mother."

HOMESCHOOL

BBC Hosts the Stanford Achievement Tests for Homeschooled Students

Bible Baptist Church hosted the Stanford Achievement test for Homeschooled students on May 6 & 8. The test was made available to any homeschooled student in the area. Twenty students from Connecticut and Massachusetts took the test with us. The Stanford-10 Achievement Test is a nationally recognized test used by educators across the US.



Grades 3 - 6



Grades 9 - 10



Grades 7 - 8



BBC Music Ministry



Jeff Skorupski & Bill Gagnon Duet



BBC Choir



The Gagnon Family

GOSPODAREV VISIT



Pastor Dmitry Gospodarev, his wife, Olga and daughter, Leah.



Pastor & Mrs. Strouse hosted the Gospodarev family for their visit in the area. Mrs. Harding was able to translate for Mrs. Gospodarev.



BBC's Fifth Annual

Vacation Bible School

July 7 - 9, 2014

From

Saul

to

Paul

The Conversion - Acts 9



Join us **Monday - Wednesday, July 7- 9** from **9:00 AM - Noon** for our Fifth Annual Vacation Bible School. The children will learn from the Bible, lessons on the conversion of Paul from Acts 9. There will also be singing, Bible memory competition, crafts, snacks and games. VBS is open to all children aged 5 through the 6th grade. Contact Mr. Ryan Strouse for more information at mrstrouse@gmail.com



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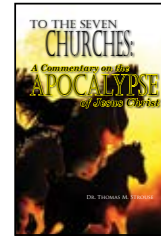
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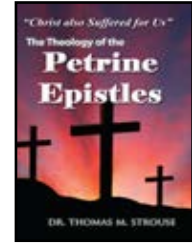
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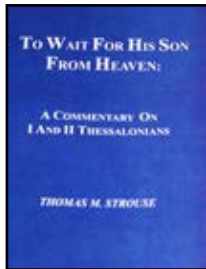
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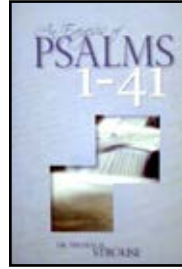
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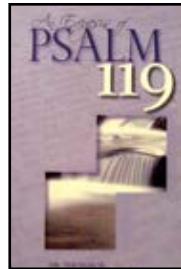
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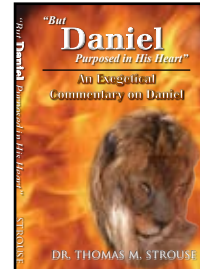
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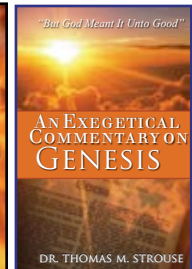
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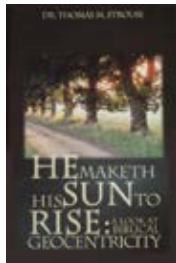
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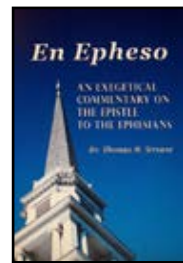
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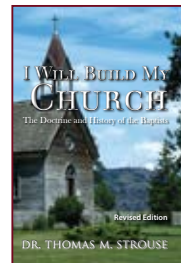
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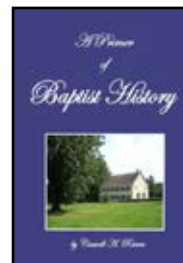
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Jonah
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I Will Build My Church
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A Primer of Baptist History
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