



The Evangelism Trail for May 2024

Joe McDonald Ministry

Isaiah 6:8



Our monthly training session for fathers at “The Mission of Hope” for April was attended by 40 men. Their participation in, “The Power of the Father’s Blessing” training, coming forward to be blessed by a substitute father and their participation in the “Forgiven Ceremony” was such a rewarding experience for each of them. Lives were forever changed. God gets the glory for their response to this well received training. One attendee said he looks forward to us coming monthly since this is always his favorite

experience. We also were one of their “Swing for Hope” golf tournament sponsors “so that men and women could take a swing at breaking their chains of addiction at the Mission of Hope.” We’ll be back this month for “The Power of the Father’s Legacy” training.

Patti didn’t attend the Forgiven Ministry “One Day with God” in Carrabelle, FL. (see below) I did two 45 minute programs ending with the Gospel presentation, one for the caregivers and one in the prison for fathers, children and volunteers. There was a great response to the programs and invitation.



Our granddaughter, Mallory graduated with Honors from Cottage Hill Christian Academy this month. She will attend the “Institute of Ultrasound Diagnostic” after graduating. Another granddaughter, Olivia, graduates this month from Enterprise State Community College with a degree in graphic art. So proud of what these two young women have accomplished.



Patti: I was blessed to have my beautiful mama, Norma Nodar, for all these many years. At 94, after a short illness, she fell asleep and went to Jesus with all her children beside her bed. If I am sad, I am sad for me, because she is happy, right there in Heaven visiting with and writing cards to all of the apostles, no, but I know, I know, I know, she is worshiping and loving our Savior who died for us! I am attaching the link to her obituary on AL.com,



<https://obits.al.com/us/obituaries/mobile/name/norma-nodar-obituary?id=54942950>

Be sure to check the information on her service, June 6, 2024, in Mobile, Alabama, and join us as we celebrate her life if you can! A million thanks to those who have already sent condolences and love gifts! She is greatly missed!

In June Patti and I travel to Franklin, GA for a state youth camp for Foster children. We have been invited to do two programs for the children, one for younger and one for the older. We’ll meet up with Kim and Trisha Mobley, our ministry friends, in Hamilton, GA and they will travel with us.

We will be back at “The Mission of Hope” for “The Power of the Father’s Words” training also in June.

“4 But as we have been approved by God to be **entrusted with the gospel**, even so we speak, not as pleasing men, but God who tests our hearts...” 1 Thessalonians 2:4

You have been with us every mile, to each state and country, and every Gospel presentation made. Your prayers and financial support have let us take “the light into the dark places” for over 20 years. Pray about the return trip to Thailand this fall to work with “Remember Nhu” and Michael and Elsie McCombs on the mission field there.

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