

MISSION STATEMENT: Perkins Partnership Ministries (PPM) has been formed as a non-profit organization to practice and proclaim the life-changing message of the Lord Jesus Christ in the world's most spiritually receptive places.



From the Desk of the President of PPM

Won't Rust, Peel, Rot or Decay "It is true that I am an ordinary, weak human being, but I don't use human plans and methods to win my battles. I use God's mighty weapons, not those made by man, to knock down the devil's strongholds." (Living Bible) "Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God." (King James) II Corinthians 10:3-5

According to the word of God, and personal experience, there is a spiritual battle all around us. Who!! And the weapons of this conflict are not the weapons of this world. These weapons are divine-designed by God Himself. These weapons demolish arguments and take every thought captive that goes against the knowledge of God.

The knowledge God gives has already dropped us believers into the middle of the battle most people don't even know is going on. It's not about Red States, Blue States, or culture wars. The

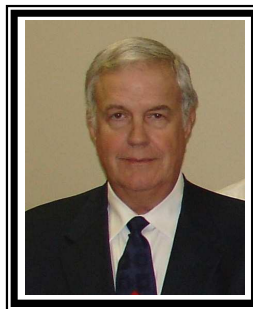
battles started "from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven has been forcefully advancing, and forceful men lay hold to it." Matthew 11:12 The battle is fierce—Satan is angry! **Only those attuned to God and His Word see these as end times.**

PPM believes we must "fish now — play later" (quote Mike Silva). All this "stuff" we all work so hard for will be burned. Remaining will only be gold, silver, precious stones—Souls of men and works for God!!

Now take a moment Change garments (garments of praise), change weapons (not of this world) and charge with the battle cry — "the world behind me, the cross before me!" Call us at 903-236-9839 and **let's build together....Eternal materials.**

Dale Perkins, Sr.

From
The
Board
Room



New, New, **NEW!!!**. Happy New Year, New Year's resolutions, New and Improved, New President! What's New?

"New" is the watchword for 2009.

Everything's new (or needs to be). Need a new house, car, boat, job. Got to get a new look, new face, new body, new ... well, you get the idea.

Ever wonder what the wisest man who ever lived said about all this "newness?" Solomon says in Ecclesiastes, "What has been will be again—there is nothing new under the sun." There is just one important "newness," and it is 2000 years old! **"If any man be in Christ, he is a NEW creature; old things are passed away: Behold all things are become NEW."** What never becomes old is the joy of seeing a new soul born into the Kingdom. God never tires of it, and we shouldn't either. This is what all Christians should be about, and this is exactly what PPM is about.

What excitement there was in a restaurant in Ore City recently as we began planning in earnest for The Tall Pines Festival! There was no doubt that God was there and lending His blessing to that meeting. Won't you share with us the one lasting "newness" —seeing God work salvation in people's lives—as we move forward? So much is needed; volunteers, time, prayers, finances. Start your New Year out right by helping us bring the New Word of Hope to those in our area who have never heard and are faced with the same OLD hopelessness. **There is a person out there who only YOU can help us reach.** Join us now as we follow God's leadership into 2009.

Dr. Charles Crumpler

Personal and Social Law . . .

What one generation allows in moderation—the next generation accepts.

Tall Pines Festival



Perkins Partnership Ministries held a dinner/information gathering at Catfish Village in Ore City on Thursday evening, January 8 to begin the planning of the Tall Pines Festival. Attending were the PPM Board of Directors, PPM Advisory Committee, and interested parties from Cass, Bowie, Gregg and Harrison Counties. Special music was presented by the Brooks Brothers and Allen Asbury from Branson, Missouri; Redeemed Quartet, and our own Allen Conley from Longview, Texas. Evangelist Mike Silva of Mike Silva International was guest speaker, followed by Dan Southern, Crusade planner for the Billy Graham Association. Mr. Southern spoke about the avenues of planning a festival giving his insight on things which must be done to accomplish the goals set to be reached.

At the conclusion, everyone was so excited about the festival. Already committees have been formed to get things underway. Plans are to have a week filled with activities leading up to the festival itself—planned for October 3 and 4 of 2009. During the week prior, we are planning for a children's day at the



park—a luncheon for women, a barbecue for the men, then the evening before the festival have a youth night. During the day we plan for speakers to go into every Jr. high and high school encouraging attendance at the festival.



As you can see,

there's lots to be done in the next few months. PPM is so excited about all of you—your prayerful support is an encouragement to us, and your monetary gifts to the ministry help promote evangelistic crusades like the Tall Pines Festival. Remember our goal: *One Soul for Every Dollar Spent*. It is a huge undertaking—but we

serve a big God and believe the Scripture that tells us to “call unto Him and He will answer us and SHOW US GREAT AND MIGHTY THINGS WHICH WE CANNOT IMAGINE.” Do you believe it? You must, because your giving has proven to us that you want to be a part of this ministry, and this ministry wants to be where God is at work.

Tall Pines Festival

October 3-4, 2009 Atlanta, Texas

Please begin praying now --- at EVERY MEAL — EVERY DAY — for God’s anointing on this festival. *Do not let this happy trust in the Lord die away, no matter what happens. Remember your reward! You need to keep on patiently doing God’s will if you want Him to do for you all that He has promised. His coming will not be delayed much longer. And those whose faith has made them good in God’s sight must live by faith, trusting Him in everything. Otherwise, if they shrink back, God will have no pleasure in them. But we have never turned our backs on God and sealed our fate. No, our faith in Him assures our souls’ salvation. Hebrews 10:35-39*

Looking Forward

WOULD YOU BELIEVE as of this writing, there are at least four more festivals on the planning board—Longview area, Lufkin area, the Appalachians, and south Louisiana Bayou country. God is not waiting on His people, we must find where God is at work and be there. The time is NOW for us to take our stand—to be true to our Maker and do the work we are here to do.... Reach the lost, lift up the fallen, and tell them of Jesus the mighty to save. Are you with us? We are praying that God will use you to accomplish His work through Perkins Partnership Ministries --- YOU, with PPM, partnering with God to reach the lost with the Gospel message that Jesus Saves.

Tuesday, January 20, PPM shipped 26 boxes of clothes and food to Honduras. A big "Thank You" to everyone who helped in gathering the needed items.

Make Honduras Festival with Mike Silva International A Top Priority

San Pedro Sula, Honduras — April 21-27, 2009

Honduras is a poor nation, physically and spiritually. There are millions in need of Christ, and millions living in poverty. It's hard for us to imagine so many people whose day to day struggle is to put food on the table. This festival is our chance to meet those needs, and show compassion to people in desperate need of it. It's our chance to show the love of Christ in word and in action.

There is still room for you to be a part of something God has ordained—the San Pedro Sula, Honduras Festival can become one of your greatest blessings. What a spiritual adventure! Here's what you need to do:

- Get your passport and needed vaccinations
- Go to PPM's website (ppmhasit.org) and print off the application OR pick one up from the PPM office. Fill it out and bring it along with the requested deposit to the office located at 1125 Judson Plaza, Ste. 182. You will be given the information you will need to prepare for the trip.
- Total cost \$2,000.00—covers travel, lodging, transportation while in Honduras, laundry, interpreters, trip insurance, professional quality DVD, and food while with the team. It does not include anything necessary to prepare for the trip, nor food purchased in transit or personal purchases.

Don't wait. Call the PPM office and let us know if you have an interest in this mission.

Testimony Thursday—January 15 A lady stopped in at our office today so excited. She and her husband have a heart for missions and wanted to be a part of the Honduras Festival in April. From a human's perspective, it was impossible—she had used all her sick leave and vacation time from work and the cost of the trip had doubled because both she and her husband wanted to go. Today, a co-worker stopped by her desk and gave her enough money for the deposits needed for the trip — "Just out of the blue?" you say! "No, just from God," she says. So, they have turned in their applications, along with their deposits...AND, her boss ok'd her the days off. They are trusting God to meet their need! We serve a God who owns the cattle on a thousand hills and the hills they are on. Money is no object to Him because He has allowed some of you to have the money it costs for the Honduras trip. If you cannot go, maybe you can help someone else to go just like the lady's co-worker helped her. It's all about allowing God to work through you.

Our Goal:

"To Win a Soul for Each Dollar Spent"

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