



*Eagle Vision Partner Letter*

# *Spiritual Business*

September 2007

Dear Partner,  
I pray this letter finds you making a difference in your community.

This month it seemed good to the Holy Spirit to write about a subject called "Spiritual Business". Many people go to work everyday and are involved in many areas of business. As Christians we cannot afford to be distracted with things going on around us or things going on with us. We must make "spiritual business" our first priority. Spiritual Business consists of spending time with the Lord Jesus and winning souls to His kingdom. Matthew 6:33 says to seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all the things will be added unto you. When we make the business of winning souls first priority and helping to build God's kingdom, blessings will flow like never before. The Bible says in Mark 16:15-20 says....This is known as the great commission. The word commission means to delegate a responsible tasks to someone. This means we are responsible for getting people saved! Recently the Lord spoke to me about purchasing a grill for the church to win souls to His kingdom. He also gave me the idea of going to one of Raleigh's rough neighborhood's and provided free food & drinks to that community. Our church went out on a Saturday morning and set-up. While some set-up the food, plates and things, others went with me knocking on doors talking to people to let them know about the free food. A banner was donated by a local area business and we hung it to let everyone know we were giving away free food. People got saved and many were feed, prayed for and touched by the Love of God! So many people keep thanking us for coming.

Sometimes we tend to think all of the people in theses areas are bad, but the truth is there are a lot of good people in these neighborhoods also. I thank God that He saw the potential in us and we must be able to see their potential. Pray and ask God to allow you to see people through "His eyes".

We really enjoyed going out there and we are making plans to go back there, hopefully soon. The Word of God says the angels in Heaven rejoice when one person is born again. We must allow the excitement of people getting saved come back to the Body of Christ. In Matthew 22:12-14 the Bible says....verse 12 actually is talking about the Christians. As a whole, many have allowed themselves to become "self absorbed" and as a result many opportunities have slipped by us to love people into God's kingdom! In verse 14 He says that after the Gospel is preached in all of the world, then shall the end come. We can see that when we the Body of Christ, the Christians allow the love to dominate and we get concerned enough to win souls to the kingdom that Jesus will be able to come back. I believe that we must be in proper position to usher I the coming of Jesus. We cannot do that spending most of our time most of our prayers, etc. on ourselves....we must be kingdom minded. It's time for Spiritual Business to be our priority. There should be soul-wining campaigns going on in every church so that we can fulfill our assignment from Heaven. When I think about all of the people that were prayed for on Labor Day weekend, it was worth it all. I'm even thankful for the faithful labors that God has sent to our church that gave up part of their Labor Day weekend to focus on others!

Some people are called to be on the front lines (actually out there doing the work) and others are called to assist those on the front lines through their prayers and their finances to help provide necessary resources, but we all have a part to play in building God's kingdom and taking care of Spiritual Business.

#### **"Cookout Conversion"**

In August we had our annual church cookout. We had a great time playing volleyball, throwing water balloons, etc. During the cookout someone got saved and were shared our food and blessed some construction workers that were working on a school near the park.

#### **"Gospel Grill"**

The church was able to purchase a gas grill to assist us with our soul winning campaign. We plan to go out from time to time to cook and win souls for His Kingdom. We would like to be able to feed at least 100 people every time we go! These cookouts are free to the public.

#### **"Church Van"**

Many people were so blessed during the Labor Day weekend Free cookout that said they would love to come to church. But because they had no transportation it would be very difficult for them to come. If the Lord places any amount to sow towards a church van it will be appreciated.

#### **"Myrtle Beach Trip"**

ECCI is going to Myrtle Beach from September 30, 2007-October 2, 2007. The total cost is only \$111.00 per person (double occupancy). This includes (2) nights at the Springmaid Resort, (2) breakfast buffets, (1) Bennett's Calabash seafood dinner buffet, (1) ticket to the Alabama Theatre and taxes & fees are included. If you are interested, please contact us immediately.

#### **"Youth Podium"**

Thank you for your support in helping us purchase the Youth podium. We wanted nothing but the best for the teenagers. We ordered out Youth Podium from the same designers of Evangelist Joyce Meyer's podium. We are expecting it any day now.

#### **"Pastor Harold's Birthday"**

Pastor Harold will celebrate his 38<sup>th</sup> birthday on October 13, 2007.

#### **"Thank You"**

Thank you for your continued prayers & financial support! Pray about sowing a generous seed to help us fulfill the visions and plans. We are about our Father's work in His Spiritual Business!