

Reaching Men Inside And Outside Of The Church With The Gospel!

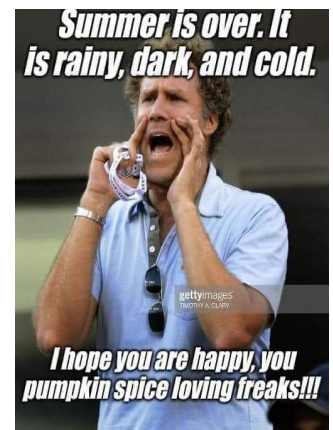


Dear Friends,

Happy October! I hope all of you who just couldn't wait for Fall to get here are enjoying your pumpkin spice and colder temperatures! I recently saw this meme and instantly related to the message inside.

I personally do much better physically with summer, but I must admit I'd miss the changing of the seasons if I didn't get to experience them. Not saying I wouldn't go for it. I'd just miss it, lol.

One bright spot in this pumpkin spice world is the upcoming PennDel/Potomac Forged By His Fire Men's Conference. I love this yearly men's conference! I encourage you to make sure you and your church's men make it to this conference on October 14-15 at Christian Life Assembly in Camp Hill, PA. I, of course, will be there. We will be displaying our ministry at this conference. For the first time, we will have our 2023 Daily Bible Plan available to purchase! (More on this later!) We will have postcards and information for our 2023 Mantour Conferences available for you to take home with you to start promoting the 2023 Conferences! So make sure to stop by our display!



Ok, I have been teasing you for months about the theme for the 2023 Mantour, so here we go. The theme of the Mantour Conferences is...Legendary!

This is probably the world's worst kept secret, not to mention that I actually told you this in three prior newsletters when I said, "I can't tell you the new theme quite yet, but I can guarantee you the theme will be legendary!" See what I did there? ;)

This year our theme is taking us back to the Old West! When I think about the word "Legendary," my mind goes back in time to those thrilling days of yesteryear and the men in the Old West. I grew up watching old westerns. I used to dream of being a Cowboy! I had the full Lone Ranger outfit as a boy, including plastic silver bullets! I became a pretty fast draw with my little toy gun and holster! I would lay behind rocks in our yard and pick off the imaginary villains riding the range with my toy rifle.



My first lunch box for school was the Lone Ranger and Tonto. Many Saturday mornings were spent watching the Lone Ranger, Bonanza, The Big Valley, and other classic Westerns. When I grew older, I fell in love with classic Western movies like "The Magnificent Seven," "How the West Was Won,"

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and “Rio Bravo” (or any host of other John Wayne movies!). Even today, I still sneak in an episode or two of Bonanza or the Lone Ranger on YouTube. Any rainy Saturday, when we are home and not on the road ministering usually includes watching a John Wayne classic. I love Westerns!

Every man in the Old West who became a legend could point to one moment in their life where they took a strong stand or leap of faith that had a lasting impact.

Men in the Old West were not the only ones who made such leaps of faith. God’s Word is filled with Legendary Men of God who made similar choices. The average ordinary men like you and me became the legendary men we remember today because of their choices.

We hope that these 2023 conferences challenge and encourage you that there is no better way to live than a life devoted to God. You can become a legendary man of God! This happens when we live a life of obedience, committing to following God wholeheartedly, no matter what He asks, taking bold stands and ginormous leaps of faith. You can be a legendary man of God. So that’s this year’s theme!

This will be our tenth year of Mantour Conferences, so we should hold ten Mantour Conferences in 2023! Make sure to be at your local Mantour. Here is the list of dates and locations.



DELAWARE FEBRUARY 4, 2023 TRINITY COMMUNITY CHURCH HOCKESSIN, DE	POTOMAC FEBRUARY 18, 2023 SPRINGFIELD ASSEMBLY SPRINGFIELD, WV	NORTH CENTRAL PA FEBRUARY 25, 2023 FREEDOM LIFE CHURCH LEWISBURG, PA	CENTRAL PA MARCH 4, 2023 GLAD TIDINGS ASSEMBLY MIDDLETOWN, PA	WESTERN PA MARCH 11, 2023 FAMILY LIFE CHURCH HERMITAGE, PA
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A CONFERENCE FOR MEN OF ALL AGES!



We have a great lineup of speakers at each Mantour location, and we will soon have the website updated with all the promos and info for the 2023 Legendary Mantour Conferences! We also have a promo video available, and we will have media packs you can download and print if you want to start promoting the conferences before we send out our packets in January. I aim to update the website by the Forged By His Fire Conference!

I am also excited about our resources for the 2023 Legendary Conferences. Once again, we have created a daily Bible plan! The Legendary Truth Daily Bible Plan is complete, and you can sign up now to receive it free by email on January 1, 2023, and every day after that. If you sign up before January 1, you’ll start receiving the remainder of the 2022 plan immediately! We also created a softcover edition again this year. It will be available for the first time at the Forged by His Fire Conference and online at the Mantour Ministries website.



We also will have a new book for 2023! This year’s book is going to be called “Legendary Grit.” Unfortunately, it will not be available at the Forged by His Fire Conference because it isn’t written yet! I just wrote the introduction an hour ago before starting this newsletter, so it is underway, but I still have a lot of work to do on it. But I can at least give you a sneak peek at the cover!



As I wrap up this month, I want to thank our monthly financial supporters. We could not produce these resources without every one of you. You are just as much a part of these projects as Adessa and I are, and you will receive God's reward for whatever these resources and our ministry produces!

If you are not currently a financial supporter...WHY NOT?!? You want to be a part of this ministry. We are a ministry that gives 110% of our energy and effort to reach men and women with the Gospel. We strive to do top-notch work in everything we do and use every avenue at our disposal to fulfill God's call. You are missing out on receiving a blessing for blessing us monthly financially so we can do what God called us to do.

Stop missing out today. Join the team today!

If you cannot financially commit to becoming a monthly partner, would you pray about you or your church making a one-time donation to our ministry?

I am asking you to please seek God and be open to His prompting. To make a one-time donation or set up a recurring support schedule, go to:

<https://giving.ag.org/donate/700001-281396> to give to my Missionary Associate Account.

-Click "Give Now"

-Click "Set up Recurring Gift" or make a one-time donation.

-You can also send a check directly to us at 1109 East Colliery Avenue, Tower City, PA 17980.

Thank you in advance!

I believe the best is yet to come for this ministry. I am excited to start working on the 2023 Mantours! The theme is set (I'm still gonna keep you in suspense on that one for now), we are almost completely rebooked, and we are going to try and do more locations in 2023! The new book is starting to come into form in my head, and we are going to try and do another Bible plan in paperback form. A lot is coming up in the coming months! Thank you for your support as we head forward to YEAR TEN of Mantour Conferences!

Have a great October!

Reaching men together,



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SAVE THE DATE

DELAWARE

FEBRUARY 4, 2023
TRINITY COMMUNITY CHURCH
HOCKESSIN, DE

POTOMAC

FEBRUARY 18, 2023
SPRINGFIELD ASSEMBLY
SPRINGFIELD, WV

NORTH CENTRAL PA

FEBRUARY 25, 2023
FREEDOM LIFE CHURCH
LEWISBURG, PA

CENTRAL PA

MARCH 4, 2023
GLAD TIDINGS ASSEMBLY
MIDDLETOWN, PA

WESTERN PA

MARCH 11, 2023
FAMILY LIFE CHURCH
HERMITAGE, PA

EAST CENTRAL PA

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BENSALEM, PA

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TRUCKSVILLE, PA

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ALTOONA, PA

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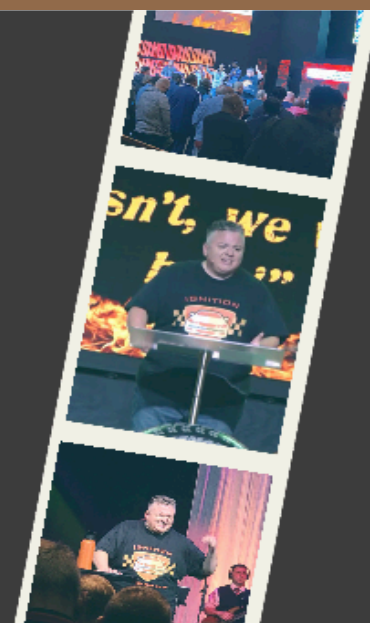
October 14-15, 2022

Christian Life Assembly
Camp Hill, PA

I'd love to come share at YOUR CHURCH

I am booking now for July-November
of 2023 and I'd love to add your
church to our schedule!

<https://www.mantourministries.com/invitejamie>



PRAY REQUESTS:

We are so appreciative of your prayer support. Please pray for:

1. Please pray for upcoming PennDel/Potomac Forged by His Fire Men's Conference. Pray that men's lives are changed and for a mighty move of the Holy Spirit through the entire weekend!
2. Please pray for my bad foot...it recently became infected, please pray that this doesn't develop into anything more serious and for a complete healing of the neurological disease!
3. Please pray for me as work on the new book, "Legendary Grit". I am in a real time crunch, please pray for clear direction on what God wants to say to His men!
4. Would you please pray for God to move hearts so we can raise our full missionary budget? There can be no more delay. It must be done. Also, please ask God how much you can give to our ministry monthly and then obey what God tells you to give.

JOIN THE TEAM:

I am in need of individuals and men's ministries to partner with me as a Missionary Associate on a monthly basis. I work on Mantour Conferences and the Mantour resources full time year round, and would value your financial support. Will you prayerfully consider partnering with me and with Mantour Ministries on monthly or yearly basis? You can give online at www.giving.ag.org using Account Number 2813962 (make sure to check the box for Faith Promise), or print and return the form below using account Number 2813962.



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