



The Bead Story, Good News For All!!

Do you have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ? Have you accepted Him as your Savior? The colored beads we use attached to our walking sticks, tell the wonderful story of God's love for us...

-The **Gold Bead** – “The Street of heaven was pure gold, as it were transparent glass”. Rev. 21:21. We all want to spend eternity there. John 3:16 - “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son.” -The **Dark Bead** - represents sin. Sin separates us from God. Romans 3:23 - “For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God.”

-The **Red Color** - represents the blood of Christ. - Romans 5:8 - “But God commends his love for us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.” When we accept Christ as our Savior our sins are washed **White** as snow. Isaiah 1:18 We're forgiven. Romans 10:9 - “Confess with your mouth and believe in your heart that God raised Christ from the dead, and you shall be saved.” -Finally the **Green Bead** - Once we accept Christ as our Savior there will be spiritual growth. II Peter 3:18 - “But grow in grace and knowledge of our Lord and savior, Jesus Christ.”

God's gift to us is free and can be received by praying a simple prayer.

“Lord, I'm a sinner in need of forgiveness. I believe you died for me on the cross and rose again. I want to turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior. I ask you to come into my heart and become Lord of my life.”

In Jesus name, Amen

2021 Event Schedule (anticipated)

2021 Anticipated Region Eight Schedule

June - 4-6 - Nittany Antique Show - Centre Hall, PA - Steele

5-6 - Vermont Dairy Festival, Enosburg Falls, VT

5-6 - Antique Tractor Show, Madrid, NY - Porter

12- Chenango County Dairy Fest, Norwich, NY

12 - 5TH Annual Outdoor Sportsman's Show - Little Falls, NY

12-13- Antique Tractor Show, Sharon Springs, NY

21 - Disaster Relief Team to South - info - Weaver

21-23- South Carolina FFA - Greenville, SC - Goss

25 - Farmers Market, Syracuse, NY

July 1-3 - National Red Round-Up, DuQuoin, IL - Goss

10-11- Madison County Fair, Brookfield, NY

10-11- Four Seasons Craft and Flea Market, Carleton, MN - Singer

8-11 - North Stonington Fair, North Stonington, CT

11 - Cowlesville Flea Market, Cowlesville, NY

12 - Disaster Relief Team to South - info - Weaver

15-17 - Two Cylinder Expo, Canandaigua, NY

23-25 - FCFI Annual Conference, Stittville, NY

26-31- Troy Fair, Troy, PA - Steele

August - 3-5 - Empire Farm Days, Pompey, NY

6-8 - Corn Festival, Eden, NY

4-8 - Niagara County Fair, Lockport, NY

7- Centerpoint Church Music Festival, Barneveld, NY

7 - Old Home Days, Vernon Center, NY

11- Antioch Baptist Church Block Party, Williamsport, PA - Steele

16-21- Disaster Relief Team to South - info - Weaver

18-22- Annual Steam, Gas and Threshing Show, Pinckneyville, IL - Goss

21- Roseboom Antique Show, Roseboom, NY

19-21 - Wolcott Fair, Wolcott, CT

19-20 - Maine Farm Days - Clinton, ME

21 - Farmers Market, Syracuse, NY

21-24 - Brooklyn Fair, Brooklyn, CT

September Aug 30 - Sept 6 - Spencer Fair, Spencer, MA

Aug 31 - Sept 2 - Farm Progress Show, Decatur, IL, Goss

3-5 - NYS Balloon Fest, Dansville, NY

3-5 - Montour Antique Farm Machinery Show, Washingtonville, PA - Steele

4-7 - Hebron Harvest Fair, Hebron, CT

9-12- 31st Annual Antique Power Days, Salem, IL, Goss

11 - Canajoharie Street Fair, Canajoharie, NY

11-12 - Lycoming County Balloon Fest, Hughesville, PA - Steele

11-14 - Four Town Fair, Somers, CT

16-17 - Central NY Farm Progress Show, Mohawk, NY

18-19 - Pennsylvania Heritage Day, Easton, PA - Steele

18- Cream Cheese Festival, Lowville, NY

20-25 - Disaster Relief Team to South - info - Weaver

25 - Taste of Shoreline, Guilford, CT

25-26 - Apple Fest, Central Square, NY

25-26 - Underhill Market Festival, Underhill, VT

When I say, "I AM A CHRISTIAN"

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When I say I am a Christian
I'm not shouting I've been saved
I'm whispering I feel lost sometimes
That's why I chose this way

When I say I am a Christian
I don't speak with human pride
I'm confessing that I stumble
needing God to be my guide

When I say I am a Christian
I'm not trying to be strong
I'm professing that I'm weak
and pray for strength to carry on

When I say I am a Christian
I'm not bragging of success
I'm admitting that I've failed
and cannot ever pay the debt

When I say I am a Christian
I don't think I know it all
I submit to so confusion
asking humbly to be taught

When I say I am a Christian
I'm not claiming to be perfect
My flaws are all too visible
but God believes I'm worth it

When I say I am a Christian
I still feel the sting of pain
I have my share of heartache
that's why I seek God's name

When I say I am a Christian
I do not wish to judge
I have no authority
I only know I'm loved

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The Harvest

“We plant - God gives the increase.” 1 Cor. 3:6-9

“Lord, Plant My Feet On Higher Ground”

In 1898, John Oatman Jr wrote the song containing the above line, “Lord, plant my feet on Higher Ground”. It should be our prayer every day, that our feet are on solid, higher ground. Our title page main photo, submitted by Ed Westfall, was taken on one of his trips to Germany in 1988. Ed contributed that “you might concentrate on the farmer plowing his field in the picture and it would be natural to also look at the growing crops. But the upper ground of the mountains in the background gives opportunity to consider the prospect of Higher Ground.”

We all need to strive for the higher ground each and every day. As Paul states; **“I press towards the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenlyward in Christ Jesus.”** *Philippians 3:4.*



Always great to have help at events. Holly & Tom Keithley, IN, brought along their grandchildren, Emberlyn and Jamie Britton to the Swamp Cabbage Festival in Labelle, FL while vacationing in the south. How could anyone refuse stopping and picking up a free walking stick when encouraged to do so by these two youngsters?



“Keeping Our Feet On Higher Ground”

It's been quite a year so far but we believe the best is yet to come. So, with what has occurred and who knows what is still ahead, I have a couple of thoughts to help us keep our feet on Higher Ground.

- *If we're trusting in God, we need to be content with all we have. Philippians 4:12*
- *We reach out with open hands knowing that our time on earth is short and best lived helping those in need.*
- *We acknowledge that all we have is from God.*
- *We are willing to stop what we're doing to listen to those who need an ear.*
- *We work hard to store up treasure in heaven. Matthew 6:19-20*
- *We remain optimistic because of the hope we have in walking on “Higher Ground.” A place where we cannot see and in a bright future. Romans 8:25*
- *We still find joy in everyday living, family and the small things in life.*



Well, there you have it. The Fellowship of Christian Farmers continues to serve and extend a hand to those in need. Many still don't have assurance that they too will someday experience the Higher Ground, which is why we still exhibit at events. There is a very needy world waiting. Thanks for helping.

~Bill Brown

Guest Column Larry Coker

Hardee County, FL

“Faith Like Cucumbers”

My name is Larry Coker and I have been involved in farming since I was 14 years old when I had my first crop. I was a freshman in high school and was taking Ag as one of my subjects. I was already a Christian by that time in my life. The year was 1960 and if you were alive and living in Hardee County Florida, you will remember that was the year that hurricane Donna came right over Hardee County. I



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The Light Shines In The Darkness

John enlightens us all on a “wall” that can occur when we talk to people about Jesus [John 1:5], “And the light shines in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not.” In other words, Jesus came from heaven to light up this dark world. He came to show them the way of salvation, but many can't understand Him or His message. Recently, I was talking with a fellow who has much knowledge in New Age philosophy and religious propagandas. He has trouble understanding who Jesus is or His truth from a biblical standpoint. Why? He has no “plumb line,” absolute truth to help him reference what truth is. He has no benchmark to go by; therefore he sticks with his convictions. The Word of God needs to be in his heart, to transform his mind through renewal [Rm. 12:1, 2] to take place. The Bible is the written record of our Lord's thoughts and ways. So, I continue to pray for him and share when I can until he gets it! Therefore, be God's will. In Jesus' name, Amen -



Pastor Mitch Santelli

Thank-you For Supporting Our Mission



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only had ½ acre of cucumbers that fall as an Ag project. It was right next to my Dad’s field of about 10 acres. Well as it happened, the eye of hurricane Donna came straight over our fields. When we went to look at the fields the morning after the hurricane there was nothing left of the fields but stalks. The 120 mph winds had blown every leaf off the field. I was ready to plow the field up and plant it over, but Dad said that he had experienced the same thing in 1947 and God had brought what looked like dead plants back to life and he had made enough money off of 1 acre of cucumbers to pay ½ down on 160 acres of land. I know that is hard to believe, but land was only \$20.00 per acre then. Well, we left the stalks and in 2 weeks you could not tell that they had ever been through a hurricane. I made enough profit to buy my first old car off that ½ acre of cucumbers. I knew after that that God answers prayer and He could do anything, however I forgot that Jesus said to pray for God’s will to be done.

As a young man I had a 40 acre field of cucumbers one season and my field was so dry that the seed would not sprout. I had started seepage irrigation, but it would take a long time to get the moisture high enough on the beds to sprout the seed. I stood at the end of the field and started praying for God to send rain on my field to get the seeds to sprout and grow. I think that I was almost demanding for God to perform a miracle. A cold front had already come through our area and the wind was blowing out of the northwest, a direction that I had never seen rain come from after a cold front had come through. As I was praying I looked up and a rain shower had developed right at my field. It came over my field and rained just enough to get my seed up and growing until the seepage irrigation got high enough in the beds to keep the plants growing. It did not rain anywhere else that I could see that day or for another 2 weeks. They made good cucumbers and when they were ready to pick, the price was so cheap that I plowed them up after 3 pickings because the harvesting was costing more than I was getting out of the crop. Well as it happened, 1 week after I plowed them up the price jumped up to \$9.00 a bushel, which was a good price that I could have made a good profit from. I learned right then that I would never ask God for anything without praying “not my will but Thy will be done.” I realized that God knows what is best for me and not me.

As it happened, several years later I had a 300 acre field of cucumbers in the spring and a cold front came through in early April. It was a very cold windy front and within 3 days after the cold wind there was not a single green leaf on the whole 300 acres. Everyone who came by and looked at the field knew that it was dead. Some of my employees asked me if I wanted them to hitch up the discs and start plowing the field up. I said no, I know what God can do, so we are going to leave the dead looking vines there and we are going on a praying and spraying program. I instructed them to keep spraying the dead looking vines just as if they were pretty green vines. However, this time I prayed for God’s will to be done. To make a long story short, once again God brought the dead plants back to life and in 2 weeks’ time the field was filled with pretty green leaves again and by the end of the third week they were ready to pick. This time I made the most profit that I had ever made in my whole farming career. It pays to turn it over to God when you can see no possible way out, but remember that He knows what’s best.

*God Bless,
Larry Coker*

Good News From PA

We have had a very good first four months of 2021. The concern was that events would continue to be shut down stopping the in-person sharing of Jesus Christ with the people. But each of our first two scheduled events occurred without a hiccup. And, not only that, but we were also able to get into two other major shows.

Our 2021 started with The Keystone Farm Show (13 decisions for Christ) in York, PA the first week of January. Although the number of buildings was reduced, we were able to share with many of the attendees. This event is one of the largest indoor focused farm shows in the U.S. Other shows that followed this spring was the York RV Show (10 decisions for Christ) located at the same venue as the Keystone Show, York Fair Grounds, PA, but certainly attracting a different crowd. The chapter once again exhibited at the West Bend Susquehanna Builders Home Show (3 decisions for Christ). We followed up with a new event in Maryland, the Home, Condo, and Outdoor Show Arts and Craft Fair (7 decisions), located on the famous Ocean City Boardwalk. A first timer for us but once again we were well accepted. Steve and Chris Brown, FCFI Fieldmen from NY, along with faithful chapter workers Ernie and Martha Reese helped make the event a successful one.

The Lord has blessed us, keeping events open and the opportunity to share Christ possible

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A Book of Proverbs

Walking on Higher Ground

God’s chosen name for God’s chosen land for God’s chosen people is “the land flowing with milk and honey.” That’s Higher Ground. What the world needs is more warm hearts and fewer hot heads.

Faith is a substance – we build our lives on it. Ability can get you to the top but it’s character that keeps you there.

Mountain top experiences can leave you breathless.

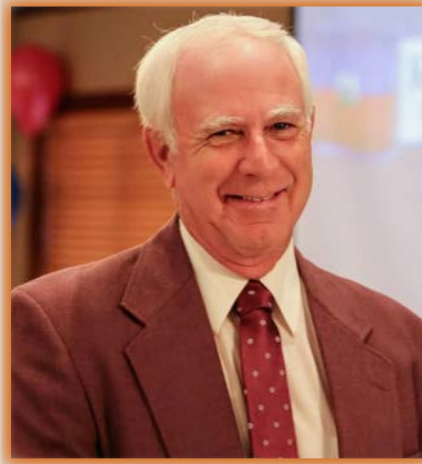
*Assembled by Clark “Solomon” Phillips
Clark is a past member of the
FCFI Board of Directors*

**“I’m just a Nobody,
telling Everybody,
about Somebody,
who saved my soul.”**

~ Song by Casting Crowns

“A Farmer And An Auctioneer Goes Home”

Bob Carpenter, Wayne, OH, went home to be with his Savior on May 10, 2021. Many of you were praying for Bob’s healing after his heart attack. God saw otherwise, actually He healed Bob completely. As you read this Bob is walking on the Streets of Gold. Our dear friend Bob was very active in the Fellowship of Christian Farmers, serving as a board member and also giving of his time to other mission organizations including Living Waters Ministries, Kentucky, Samaritan’s Purse, and serving on the board of Living Hope Ministries, Haiti. Bob kept busy with his farming operation and had a very successful auctioneering business.



We thank Melissa, Bob’s wife, and his family for sharing him with us. His commitment to the Lord was an encouragement to all. Bob followed the path God laid out for him and we’re sure God was pleased. *“Well done good and faithful servant.”*

From the Field
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despite the Covid 19 virus. We’re thankful for every opportunity. We have been able to distribute FCFI materials to show attendees with the thought that they in turn would share Christ to others in their realm of influence. We realize, we do not have to be the only ones sharing Christ.

Please take a few minutes to view the pictures from our events in The Market Place section of the newsletter. At this point it appears as if all of our scheduled shows for 2021 may happen. We appreciate your prayers and support and are always looking for more volunteers. John 4:35 “Say not ye, there are yet four months and then cometh harvest? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes, and look unto the fields; for they are white already for harvest.” (but the laborers are few)

Michael and Karen Steele

Shows From Area Leader Jeff Goss FFA State Conventions Are Finally Opening

NORTH DAKOTA – Another of the FFA Conventions that turned live. Jeff Goss sharing with a large group of interested young FFA members.



IOWA–Long time FCFI Member, Dave Ferris, Nebraska, helping out at the show. FFA members give their full attention while searching for meaning in their lives. FCFI provides the answer, Jesus Christ.



Jeff Goss right at home sharing his faith to a group of FFA students.



IOWA–Mike Weaver took time from his FCFI Disaster Relief work to share at the Iowa State Convention.



The Doors Have Opened

It is so good to be ministering at live FFA State Conventions again after they went virtual because of Covid in 2020. April 12 was our first one in South Dakota and then the Iowa FFA State Convention on April 19 and 20. We will finish the month of April in Oklahoma ministering at their State Convention. A lot of FFA kids in the past have shown a hunger and a receptivity to the Gospel but I believe it is better now than ever before, possibly because of the days we are living in. This is exciting because so many of these kids are going to be the future leaders in America. A lot of times after sharing the Gospel with these kids, I will tell them that they need to go back to their town and school and share Jesus with their friends and fellow students because without a big spiritual revival and awakening this country will not survive. This also gives them purpose in their Christian life.

It is the same purpose that Jesus had when He was on the earth, and that is to seek and to save that which is lost. In Second Timothy we are all told to; “*preach the Word and to do the work of an evangelist*”. Jesus told Simon in Luke 5 that from henceforth thou shalt catch men.

Finally, lets not forget the great commission (not the great suggestion) go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature.

~Jeff Goss



Market Place Evangelism

More Shows From The Steeles In Pennsylvania

Williamsport PA - Ernie Reese opening his Bible to share the good news, Karen Steele (pink vest) and Sally Good all staying busy giving people hope during this trying time.



West Branch

A first time event for us in the Northeast Chapter. Karen Steele explains the beads to a young girl as Mom and Dad look on. Held at the York, PA Fairgrounds, same venue as the Keystone Farm Show but certainly a different crowd. Northeast Chapter. Karen Steele explains the beads to a young girl as Mom and Dad look on. Held at the York, PA Fairgrounds, same venue as the Keystone Farm Show but certainly a different crowd.



York RV Show

Market Place Evangelism

Shows From The Steeles In Pennsylvania

Keystone Farm Show



Michael Steele all smiles as Joshua Zopper (green striped coat) and Jeremy Stout (green hat) from Ohio, witness to the crowd.

Ocean City, MD



The Home, Condo, and Outdoor Show Arts and Craft Fair, another first-time event for us. Pictured are Chris Brown (r), NY sharing.



FCFI Board President, CP Foster, sharing with a group of young men. The event management reduced the number of buildings used because of Covid 19 but the crowd still came for this first of the winter event.



Steve Brown stepping up to share the gospel. Steve and Chris Brown, FCF Fieldmen for the east made the trip south to help at this event.

Testimonies from the Field...

We'd like to share a few testimonies that came to us in the past couple of months. FCF receives many of them, and they encourage us as we work at events sharing our faith.

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“I’ve been thinking of you often and praying for you over the past few weeks. I am realizing more how very privileged I was to have spent those three years serving with you at the various shows (In Florida) didn’t fully appreciate what a great opportunity it was, and I miss being there with you. “Leona Bastiaansen, Ontario, Canada - Leona and Mike travelled to Florida each year to help at shows. Mike went home to be with the Lord two years ago.



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Rose Griffiths stopped by the FCF tent at the Swamp Cabbage Festival to let us know that she hasn’t taken her colored bead bracelet off in two years. It gives her an opportunity to share her faith.

Stacy Christopher encouraged our workers informing them that every time her 2-year-old grandson uses his walking stick he asks what the beads mean, and I get to tell. FCF shared with around 800 people at the Swamp Cabbage Festival, LaBelle, FL in February.

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Jeff Borton and Joe Smith, FCFI Disaster Relief workers delivering bedding and food to Patricia Gordon, Lake Charles Parish, LA. She shared how blessed she felt to have someone looking after her during the cold weather and ice storm. Young couple leaving the FCFI tent at Strawberry Festival in Floral City, FL “ They were heard saying “ That was the best part of the festival.”



Market Place Evangelism

Swamp Cabbage Festival • Labelle, FL City



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Tom Heithly, IN and Gary Cagwin, FL and FL praying with a young family. Over 800 people stopped by for a free gift.

Pioneer Days • Zolfo Springs, FL



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Juan Molina, neighbor of the Browns in FL, sharing the gospel in Spanish. Juan is a faithful helper in preparing sticks for the southern events.



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Pastor Dana Spurgeon, Arcadia, FL, sharing. Pastor Dana is scheduled to be the keynote speaker at the FCFI summer conference in NY.

Strawberry Festival • Floral City, FL



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The weather turned cool and damp but FCFI still shared the message. Holly Keithly, IN, Bruce Holck, FL and NY along with new worker, Theron Ahlens, FL remained faithful and stayed the course. Over 700 stopped by the two-day event.



“Setting Our Feet on the Rock -Higher Ground”

Working in Kentucky after the March 1-5th flooding gives deeper meaning to the term higher ground. For those living along the river in the low-lying areas they have experienced hard times. For some an all-time low. From hay soaked by the polluted river water or carried away, fences and cattle swept away by the currents, silt and mud deposited everywhere.

In homes, cars, barns and fields a reminder of where the water had been. Lines on buildings, feet of silt in pastures. A lot of clean up and repair still needed to help the families along the Kentucky River get back to life as they know it.

I remember as a boy living in the country, I used to take a shortcut through the field between my Mamaw and Papaw’s house. One day I set across the recently plowed and very wet field only to get stuck mid-way in the lowest part of the valley. I cried and yelled for what seemed like an hour, but none came. Then I saw my dad walk across the yard and I yelled as loud as I could. He came running out to me lifted me out of the mud and brought me safe to home. This is exactly what God has done for us in regard to sin and our struggles.

This verse has special meaning to me and it is not until we realize what it is like to be stuck in something that we realize what we have been delivered from.

*Psalm 40:2; He brought me up Aldi out of a horrible pit,
out of the miry clay and set my feet upon a rock,
and established my goings.*

Area Leader/Disaster Relief

~Mike Weaver

Disaster Relief to Lake Charles Parish, LA

Two hurricanes, Laura and delta, strike Lake Charles back-to-back starting in September. FCFI was able to help but there is still lots of work.

Special thanks to Ralph Shallenberger, from the main office for providing hearty meals to keep us going.



Lots of roofs covered with blue tarps.



Jeff Borton packing food for families living in motels during the aftermath of the hurricanes. Thanks to Jeff and Joe for purchasing the food.



The group was met with 14 degrees and an inch of ice, both storms of the century for the area, on Monday morning to start the week. Bill’s truck has never seen ice as it spends the winter in FL. working events. The entire city was closed down, no traffic for two days. PTL for our four-wheel truck as we were able to at least get supplies.



Homeowner Jnae Perry receives her walking stick from Jeff and Joe and with it the gospel message. She was most appreciative for the help as she was planning to move her family back home on the weekend.

✦ Other News...

Disaster Relief to Lake Charles Parish, LA



Joe and Jeff working on finishing some trim.



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Hay Delivered To Kentucky

Beattyville, a small town in Kentucky was devastated by hurricane heavy rain and flash flooding. Cows were caught in low lying pastures and many were lost.



↑ Unloading 1,500 lb. bales of hay. Farmers commented that FCFI was one of the few organizations that actually stepped up to help in their time of need

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FCFI Disaster Relief in action. Board president, CP Foster delivering a much-needed load of hay.

✦ Market Place Evangelism

Manatee Festival



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FCFI fieldman, Pete Singer, relaxing while sharing in some good conversation.



Gary Beery, OH sharing the gospel

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✦ Other News...

Spanish Bibles Donated To FCFI

Pastor Wendel Smith, Faith Temple Church of God, Wauchula, Fl. presenting 240 Spanish Bibles to FCFI. We use them a lot in the south.

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28th Annual Conference

Fellowship of Christian Farmers, International

*"No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back,
is fit for the Kingdom of God" Luke 9:62*

July 23 - 25, 2021 - Stittville, New York

FEATURING

- Mission Reports
- Devotions
- Special Speakers
- Concert
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Keynote Speaker
Rev. Dana Spurgeon



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The Lindsey Family



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Registration Deadline: Wednesday, June 23, 2021	28th Annual FCFI Conference July 23 - 25, 2021 - Stittville, NY
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Names of additional attendees _____	
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NOTE: Conference starts Friday night @4pm with Registration - Meet your Hosts - Lodging. Dinner at 5:30pm, program to follow	
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Concert | \$20 |
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Cost does not include hotel.
Accommodations on following page.

Friday Tours

Friday, July 23 Tour & Lunch

8:30 am - Car Pool Tour

Leave Redeeming Love Fellowship Tour to visit
Porterdale Farms, Adams Center, NY

11:30 am - Maple Museum, Lunch, and Meat Market

Leave for Maple Museum, Croghan, NY
Lunch - \$12
Quick stop at Croghan Meat Market

4:00 pm - Conference Registration

Meet Your Hosts, Lodging

Please pay for additional conference activities when registering for conference.



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We suggest you check out each website to find the motel that meets your needs and budget. Nightly fees are estimates and could change.
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Verona, NY 13478
\$80/night, 17 miles from church

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(315) 336-4300
200 S. James St.
Rome, NY
\$95/night, 10 miles from church

LaQuinta

(855) 680-3239
5394 Willow Place
Verona, NY 13478
\$140/night, 19 miles from Church

Red Roof Inn

(800) 498-4046
20 Weaver St.
Utica, NY 13502
\$70/night, 13 miles from church

Hampton Inn

(315) 709-0000
1352 Floyd Ave
Rome, NY 13441
\$140/night, 8 miles from church

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150 N. Genesee St
Utica, NY 13502
\$75/night, 13 miles from church

Travel Inn

(315) 855-3561
5370 St Rte 233
Westmoreland, NY 13490
\$60/night, 14 miles from church



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We want you to attend and to help in any way we can to make this conference affordable.

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