Footprints

Psalms 121:1 - I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.

Foothills of Georgia Tres Dias ... serving Christ in the NW Georgia community

A Word From Our Chairman

Our weekends have come and gone and what a move of the spirit was felt by everyone. Let me first welcome our new Pescadore's, 25 men and 22 women. I know many lives were changed and their churches will never be the same.

I can't say enough about our two great teams. Everyone pitched in and did an outstanding job. Jerry Guynn and Bev Plowman gave us the great leadership that we knew they would. We also had awesome spiritual directors, our thanks goes out to Trey Abney, Bud Leonard, Bob Plowman and Bob Chastain.

Many thanks to our "Steering Committee" for getting us ready for our weekends. You did a wonderful job and I know our Lord is pleased with everyone's dedication and hard work.

We are in the process of putting together our Spring weekends. Because of scheduling problems we are having to look for a new camp in the Spring but will be back at the Kings Retreat in August. I have looked at several camps and will present my findings to our committee to choose from.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the Secuela in Sept.

God Bless, Sonny Moon, Foothills of Ga Tres Dias, Chairman

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Write it down...

- Foothills 1st Secuela will be Sept. 17, 2005
- Did you know that last year over 1,400 - 1,500 pastors per month left the ministry?
- What to do, when you don't know what to do - see 2 Chronicles 20:12
- Listen to **My King** audio by Dr. Shadrach Meshach Lockridge @ http://sermons.lakewaters.net/king-64kbps.mp3

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Team Reflections

I was more pleased than you can imagine to work as a Table Cha on Foothills #1. It is a great position from which to serve the candidates, to get to know them, and to model the grace of God to them. It is faith building to see God transform not only the candidates at your own table, but also those at other tables as He operates through the various aspects of the weekend. Some transformations are quiet, while others are very dramatic. So, on this recent weekend, 2 Cor. 9:15 kept coming to my mind: "Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift!"

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Team Reflections (cont'd from pg. 1)

In some ways, being a Table Cha is better than being a candidate because you are not tempted to anticipate, yet you are able to participate in much of what the candidates experience. To anyone offered the opportunity to serve as a Table Cha, I'd say, "Go for it! You'll be a blessing, and you'll be blessed!" - **Louis Snyder**, ACC #11

What a pleasure to be a part of Foothills Men's #1. Words can not describe the full impact of a weekend like this one. It was great to be a part of a team where everyone pitched-in, even in other areas of responsibility. The spiritual impact on the candidates but also the team is something the Father will continue to bless us with the rest of our lives. There is and will always be a brotherhood of those of us who were part of Foothills #1.
- **Mark Jennings,** NGTD #65 (Palanca Cha FHTD #1)

When Rector Bev Plowman first called me to serve on the FGTD #1 team I was so excited to be part of the new community I didn't even ask what my role would be.. when she asked if I wanted to know I thought , OK.... I'm sure I am serving in the kitchen or dorm. She then asked me to give the talk on Environment and my first reaction was to think, "Who me.. you've got to have me confused with someone else". I do not feel comfortable speaking in front of large crowds and knew God was putting me in in a situation I would be very nervous. I was never quite sure why God told her to ask me but as I began praying for this talk He revealed himself to me in so many ways. It was through prayer, study and fellowship time that God spoke the words of the talk that I relayed on the weekend.

I enjoyed being part of this team and especially getting to interact with the candidates on a one on one basis. I had two candidates on the weekend and was so honored to share with them this special time. The team was so wonderful to work with, I was truly blessed.

Moral of the story... Don't underestimate what God will do when He calls you to serve. I am thankful that God pulled me from my comfort zone and opened me up to new areas to serve. - **Wendy Moseley**, NGTD # 90

I would just like to say that we had an awesome time of praise and worship and rekindling of our relationships to our Lord this past weekend at Foothills of Georgia # 1 women's weekend. I worked as a storeroom cha. I had never worked in that position before, but I found that it was such a blessing. I was able to be in the rollo room during many of the talks and I was so touched by the things that these women shared with us on the weekend. I also saw God moving in the hearts of the candidates who were there. The entire weekend was such a blessing! I could feel the Holy Spirit's presence in the rollo room and in the chapel. He was there in a mighty way. Then, when I heard these new Pescadores speak at closing about what they gained from Tres Dias and what Christ meant to them now, I then realized that God has surely blessed this new community and

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Secuela Scoops

FHTD Secuela Saturday, September 17, 2005, 6:30 - 8:30 PM

World Harvest Church - Calhoun, Ga.

Please bring a covered dish - enough to feed 10 people.

From Atlanta, take I-75 north to exit 315, Red Bud Rd. Take a right off the ramp and go about 2 miles to World Harvest Church on the right. Go to the green roof trailer in front.

Please call Judi Collins for directions if needed @ 706.625.8624 or 770.548.2660

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NGTD Secuela, Sept. 24, 2005, Theme: Rock and Roll: Come prepared to "rock out - in worship" with us at the Refuge West Church of God. We will begin at 7:00.

> "When I get home, I'm going to change my Living Will — if I ever lose my memory, my wife has to send me back through Tres Dias" - Don Warrington

New Pescadores

Men's #1
Aug. 18-21, 2005

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Jerry Guynn,
rector

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B.J. Willoughby
Bill Ramsey
Bill Rickles
Bobby Silvers
Dan Craig
Doug Cunard
Greg Little
Jim Hall
John Devall
John Dupree
John Gamble
Josh Freeman
Larry Powell
Lee Barfield
Patrick Martin
Perry Powell
Rickey Kelly
Rob Winch
Ron Ingle
Sam Hyde
Sanford Tapley
Scott Tittle
Starline Baker
Tim Powell
Tod King

Blessed are those who have not seen And yet have believed—John 20:29

Women's #1
Aug. 25-28, 2005

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Bev Plowman, rector

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Anna Willoughby
Barbara Rickles
Cathy Tapley
Debora McCormick
Denise Silvers
Donna Craig
Doris Barfield
Ginny Chandler
Heather Feazell
Judy Jones
Kathy Garmon
Lisa King
Melissa Little
Michelle Martin
Monica Green
Natalie Waite
Regina Dupree
Renie Hyde
Sandra Ingle
Sandra Leonard
Teresa Kight
Theresa Cole

See I have engraved you on the palms of my hands—Isaiah 49:16

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Team Reflections (cont'd from pg. 2)

that the first women Pescadores to come out of the "Foothills" were going to serve God in a whole new way!

They ministered to me so much as they spoke. I had tears in my eyes and I was Praising God! My heart was so touched by them all weekend and it culminated at closing. I was so blessed to serve God on the Foothills weekend and hope to work again soon! - **Denise Fowler**, NGWTD #82, Midway Macedonia Baptist Church

Thanks

"Special thanks to the North GA Tres Dias community for being our sponsoring community and helping us make Foothills of GA Tres Dias #1 the very best it could be and we look forward to our continued relationship on future weekends."

Other News & Announcements ...

With all the sadness and trauma going on in the world at the moment, it is worth reflecting on the death of a very important person which almost went unnoticed recently.

Larry La Prise, the man who wrote "The Hokey Pokey" died peacefully at age 93.

The most traumatic part for his family was getting him into the coffin.

They put his left leg in, and then the trouble started.....

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All joking aside, we should remember all the thousands whose lives have been turned upside down from Katrina's devastation .
Let's not forget God's word in 1 John 3:17—But whoever has this world's goods, and sees his brother in need, and shuts up his heart from him, how does the love of God abide in him?

May we respond accordingly...

Prayer Request

Please begin praying for our upcoming spring weekends & especially for our spring rectors, Don Stewart and Patricia Argo.