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Words of Exaltation

- "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

John 15:13

- "Yea, the LORD shall give *that which is good*; and our land shall yield her increase."

• **Psalms 85:12**

- "For thou wilt light my candle: the LORD my God will enlighten my darkness."

Psalms 18:28

The Reason for Second Chances

Greetings to our readers!

May this newsletter give you spiritual enlightenment and renewal!

Many people are looking for help, hoping and wishing for second chances. They think they have failed; not only themselves but also others. Why is there such a stigma against admitting failure when we know that even the most successful people fail along the way?

Can you imagine how Peter felt when he saw Jesus for the first time after he denied knowing who Jesus was? Remember, there was a time when Peter was too preoccupied to recognize God's presence with him. However this time Peter hurried to see Jesus after his failure. What is keeping us from running or hurrying to see Jesus? What personal fears do we have and how do they motivate us to compromise our conviction to succeed? Are we preoccupied or too busy to see the most important person in our lives?

People of all ages experience failure which they let impact them for the rest of their lives. If Peter had failed to look ahead he would have let fear take hold of his mind, body and soul. The moment he looked ahead and focused on Jesus his life was changed.



Her Grace Dr. Archbishop Deloris Seiveright

THE POWER OF FAITH CONQUERS FEAR.

What failure in life do you need to revisit with greater awareness of God's presence? You can stand in God's presence. Do not be afraid to reach out, heal your wounds and and sail through life. You can and will move from failure to success. It is amazing to know that you can function better when you accept your failure and more on to a healthier life. Fear only drains your life energy. Move on and pursue positive changes in the presence of God's fullness.

Welcome alteration or transitions without doubt and fear. Have confidence and embrace the joy of God's presence.

Reading: John 21:1-11, Psalm 42

God Bless you and have a great summer and 2006 in God's presence.

18th Church Anniversary

History

In 1988, Shouters NESBF International Centre of Canada held their first worship service at Eglinton Ave. West Toronto, then moved to Scarborough.

They have struggled for respect and unity in Toronto, Ontario and all of Canada.

In 1974 the Shouters Baptist faith came to Canada brought by the immigration of Caribbean people.

Since 1988 Archbishop Seiveright has been the overseer of seven (7) NESBF churches in Toronto, Ontario also including Montreal, Quebec

Present

Today Shouters not only addresses spiritual needs but also the social needs of the community. Come and celebrate with us as we appreciate our journey thus far.



Please enjoy us on our 18th anniversary on Sunday, August 27th, 2006.

SUMMER CAREER PLACEMENT

This is the 7th year Shouter's has introduced the Summer Career Program, under the leadership and direction of Dr. Archbishop Deloris Seiveright. This program was created to give an opportunity for those youth who want to earn more employment experience. Youth acquire leadership and teamwork skills as well as to help build their future careers. This year's program has two very dedicated students: *Kerry-Ann McAnuff and Adia Ward.*



Kerry-Ann is in her fourth year at the University of Toronto, studying English and Architecture. Adia is in her second year of Multimedia Design at Humber College. Both of these students are very pleased to have had this opportunity to work along side the Archbishop this year.

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*****Message from Abroad*****

For the Members of NESBF known as The Shouters

By: His Grace Archbishop Clarence Baisden, NESBF, Trinidad and Tobago

Greetings and blessings to all of our bretheren and to those who have not yet been drawn by the Father to Jesus. May you soon know the blessings that await you in Christ Jesus, to the glory of God. Many years ago when I was told by an aged person that our faith came from southwestern Nigeria with slaves which were originally sages of Afan of Ifa – an authentic African Secret society. These in their travels met John the Baptist, were converted, baptized and when the Baptist was martyred, accepted the way of Christ and in Persia they and other Johannine Christians were called Tarsa or Shakers because in worship they exhibited Glosolalia (tongues) and theolepsy, the shaking and falling in the Spirit, or under the influence of the Charismata. Other things came to my attention in the discussion with this ancient one. Among them that the early initiates were secluded and their faces and body covered, set to fast from 3 to 7 days, the beginning of one ceremony during which they were supervised by an elder who had been guided to this position by the direct inspiration of the Spirit and enabled to see what is the direction of the Spirit for each person sent to him. This was and still is the Elder's special gift. The candidate had to first withdraw from companions and outer stimuli and in silence learn not only who he is in truth, but more importantly who his God is, then after this rigorous silent solitude having gained the gift of spiritual discernment, he could be permitted to return. There is no room of withdrawal and return in any of our biblical writings that I know of, so it must have come from another source. No sentence as "Jesus, son of David, have mercy on me," nor "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me," except in the spiritual teachings of the monks of Athos which practiced Hesychasm and enjoined their candidates to guard the deposit, the Arrabon: "keep safe what we entrust to you." How close to Timothy 6:20 and yet this was the Shouters initiatory meditation word or key (mantra) if you will certainly; it could not have come from the Merikins or the Baptists who converted them but did not have a place of withdrawal and return, and if no race, mind, thought-form drove our spiritual progenitors, why this aptitude for secrecy and Africa in their liturgy and music; our chants and special supernatural charismata enabling unlettered mankind to teach, preach, heal and convert. Why, despite syncretisation do our secret traditional rites persist as the true basics of the Shouter's faith, the things we hope for and only in the rite of separation are experienced? I believe that our spiritual progenitors exiled in slavery because they dared to become converted and strayed from the tradition of the African Secret Societies and some of the teachings of the 16 Tablets of Ifa, so sacred that no dilution of the unprofanable tradition could be tolerated, as this could lead to impure false sages of the tradition for impure reasons could infiltrate the land and lead the innocent into fatal disillusion and error. In the diaspora, women would be the best to transfer the basic tradition because of the limitations of servitude. This led to spiritual mothers who first prepared the child born with certain signs and aptitude and persistent tendency to spirituality, together with mental alertness, good intelligences and an almost faultless memory and recall. As you listen to the many voices which seek to mold you with false history, just remember only a few of us respected the persecuted elders enough to ask: where did all this come from, conjecture? Read this account carefully, ask questions. Maybe this is a new day in our search for ancestral truth before the true oral tradition fails.

*To: Our Archdiocese and
Affiliated Church
We send our Love
and Prayers*

In Enclosed Envelope:
We are depending on your kind
generosity and implore you to



Baptism 2006

Upcoming Events

AUGUST 27
Shouters 18th Anniversary Service
Shouters NESBF, 447 Birchmount Road

SEPTEMBER 16
Bowl-a-thon
Bowlerama, Thorncliffe Park

NOVEMBER 4
**18th Annual Gospel
Concert**
The Church of the Epiphany,
700 Kennedy Road



Thank You
These events would not be possible without the
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www.syep.ca
Female Crime Prevention Program-
www.sisterspeak.ca

**Church Services/
Programs**

SUNDAY
Worship - 10:00am
Sunday School
(Youth) - 9:30am
TUESDAY
Mediation Classes
WEDNESDAY
Bible Services/
Classes - 7:00pm.
FRIDAY
Choir Practice -
6:30pm.
YOUTH PROGRAMS
9am-4pm Mon.-Fri

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