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HEALTHCARE CENTERS:

Bertharine Burton, Maudie Jones, Ruby Harrison

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AM SERMON - BEN WRIGHT - THE PLACE CALLED CALVARY

PM SERMON - BEN WRIGHT - GOD CHOSE ME

OUR MEETING WITH CHARLES BOX IS AUG 1-5. SERVICES ARE SUN-THUR NIGHTS AT 7 PM. THERE WILL BE LUNCH FOLLOWING SUN AM SERVICES

VBS AT WINFIELD JULY 25-29

SEE GENE OR LINDA FOR BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE COURSES

SEE DAVID FOR TAPES

BIRTHDAYS:

July 25: Ann Myers

ANNIVERSARY:

July 26: Bobby & Sandra Myers

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TIMES OF SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING

BIBLE CLASS 9:30

WORSHIP 10:20

SUNDAY EVENING 5:00

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00

ELDERS:

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RECAP OF 2010 CAMPAIGN TO LAURINBURG, NC

Ben Wright

As those who have been on campaigns in the past can attest to, you rarely know what to expect when arriving in a town for a campaign. All of the seventeen campaigners arrived in Laurinburg, NC on Saturday. The town of Laurinburg has a population of around 9,000 according to Wesley Williams, who is the preacher for the congregation with whom we worked. While talking with him, he informed us that the unemployment rate is 17.9% in the county in which Laurinburg is located.

When we arrived for services at 10 AM on Sunday morning, we outnumbered the members of the congregation that were in attendance. The congregation there was planted about four years ago. The ones who planted it had been attending services at a congregation that was 35 miles away. They decided that it was time for a congregation to be planted in Laurinburg and set about to do so. They have been meeting in the small facility in which they now worship for nearly two years.

When Monday morning rolled around, our group of 17 gathered at the building to begin making calls. Monday morning usually sets the tone for the rest of the week. Thanks be to God that we got off to a wonderful start. In the three hours of calling prior to lunch on Monday, there were well over 70 people signed up for Bible Correspondence Courses. For the day, there were over 120 that signed up for the courses.

That night, a couple with two children came to the services that had been contacted by phone that morning. The husband was to have back surgery the next day so it was the only night that they were able to attend but this also caused rejoicing because we could see the fruits of our labor.

As the week progressed, there were visitors that we called who attended each night. Also, the members invited their friends and, of from these invitations, one lady came and brought people with her both Tuesday and Wednesday nights. It is not usually the case that visitors are present at the services during our campaign, but each weeknight of the meeting there were visitors, for which we give thanks to God.

For the entire campaign, nearly 2,200 calls were made and 281 Bible Correspondence Courses were requested. This is one of the highest totals that we have had in recent years. Please be praying for the brethren in Laurinburg to water the seed that was sown this past week, and we know that God will give the increase (1 Co. 3:6). We know that all 281 souls will not keep up with the course, but we pray that of those 281, there will be those who continue the course and, ultimately, are added to the body of Christ because of it.

Thanks to each of those who attended and worked in this effort. Next year we are to be in Iowa. We need more to come and if you can, go ahead and make plans to attend this great effort that will help encourage you in your living for Jesus.

THE PLACE CALLED CALVARY

I. The _____: “there.”

- A. What does scripture tell us about the place of Jesus' death?
 - 1. It was near the _____ (John 19:20).
 - 2. A _____ was near it (John 19:41).
 - 3. It was near a _____ thoroughfare (Matthew 27:39).
- B. About the name "skull," that is what both the Latin (_____) and Hebrew (_____) mean
- C. Though we don't know the exact place of this execution spot, a place called "_____ Calvary," after the discoverer of the place, is the most likely.

II. The _____: "they."

- A. The pronoun "they" most definitely refers to the _____ that presided over the murder of Jesus.
- B. The Jewish _____ were guilty.
- C. The Jewish _____ in general were guilty.
- D. _____ was guilty.
- E. _____ was guilty.
- F. The _____ who participated in the mocking and death of Jesus were guilty.
- G. Each of us here this morning and every person who ever lives is guilty.

III. The _____: "crucified."

- A. Crucifixion was one of the most _____ methods of execution.
- B. However, Christ was not crucified for being a _____, but for our sins (1 Corinthians 15:3; 1 John 2:2).
- C. Jesus experienced _____ pain on the cross.
 - 1. Before the event, Jesus prayed so hard that _____ came out of His pores on His forehead (Luke 22:44).
 - 2. Jesus was _____.
 - 3. Jesus was _____.
 - 4. Jesus was _____.
- D. Jesus experienced _____ pain.

IV. The _____: "him."

- A. The angels called Him _____ (Luke 2:11).
- B. What do we see when we look at it.
 - 1. We see someone who treated others with _____.
 - 2. We see someone who _____ what He preached.
 - 3. We see someone who _____ to our deepest need.

4. We see someone who cared enough to _____ so that we may live.