



Revival In The Rockies

Rekindle The Flame Ministries' Sixth Annual National Conference On Revival

September 27 - 30, 2009

Hosted by - Ward Road Baptist Church - 5858 Ward Road - Arvada, CO 80004

Brother Pastor:

It's hard to believe we are inviting you to the *6th Annual Conference On Revival*. Wow, how time flies! The four days we will spend together will touch our lives for time and eternity. When God pours out a reviving, renewing spirit upon us, we can take it back to our churches and families where the increased passion will accomplish much.



Kathee & George Stepan

The individuals God brings together each year come with valuable resources. Everyone is unique and has slightly (or extremely) different ideas about ministry both in form and content. We get together to discuss these things and especially to discuss how we might experience more of God's power in ministry. Our strength is our unity in Jesus, not uniformity in thought.

We will invest the mornings in Round Table discussion where, besides time in the Word, we find out what's working, failing, encouraging, defeating, etc. Unhurried conversation will give us the chance to know each other on more than a surface level. If you have recently discovered a book or resource that is helping you, we'd like to hear about it. If you have found a solution to a problem or really need to hear of a way to address a situation, you can talk about it here.

We do not have any special speakers because Pastors like to preach and do a good job of it. Every Pastor who attends the morning sessions will have the opportunity to preach at least 20 minutes during one of the evening sessions. There will be other opportunities for sharing as well. If you or someone you bring along has a music or some other ministry there will be opportunity to use it too.

If you can be here for the whole time, you will be involved in our normal Sunday morning events. Besides them, we will have breakfast, lunch, an evening session and late dinner that day. Monday through Wednesday we have three meals plus a snack after the evening session. Eating together provides for good fellowship and makes us well-rounded Christians. The afternoons are free, giving you the opportunity to rest, take a trip, see the fall leaves, or whatever you like.

Please read all the enclosed material and prepare a message and more to share with us. Take time to do a little research on Revival and bring some good stuff to the table. Also, please complete the enclosed Registration Form and send it to me as soon as you can. I'm looking forward to all that God has for us!

Conference Schedule Sunday, September 27

8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Prayer
9:30 AM	Sunday School
10:45 AM	Worship
12:30 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Free Time
6:00 PM	Service
7:30 PM	Dinner

Monday - Wednesday September 28 - 30

7:00 AM	Prayer
8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Round Table Fellowship for Pastors, Wives, Men & Women
12:00 PM	Lunch
12:30 PM	Free Time
6:00 PM	Dinner
7:00 PM	Service
9:00 PM	Fellowship/Snack

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Conference Objectives

1. For every person involved to have an intimate encounter with the Lord Jesus.
2. For every person to experience God's touch through prayer.
3. For every person to come to a place of brokenness over and repentance of sins.
4. For Pastors and wives to be encouraged in ministry by a fresh touch from God and by gaining insights through fellowship with others.
5. For Pastors to have a sense of fulfillment through ministering the Word in preaching.
6. For God to touch everyone with a reviving, renewing spirit that we take back to our Churches and families.

Conference Facts

The complete cost for the Conference is \$300 single or \$250 double occupancy. (50% off without lodging)

On a first come, first served basis, there are a few partial scholarships available for hotel lodging and a number of homes in which you are welcome to stay if that could help you and your wife attend.

All meals are served at the Church by caring people who are excited to welcome you and make your time with us as comfortable as possible.

Child care will be available at all sessions.

Pastors get to preach. Musicians get to do music.

Everyone should bring what they have to share and expect to receive what they need to grow.

We will do our best to meet special needs.

If you fly in and need ground transportation, we will gladly provide that.

Revival Thoughts and Quotes

Excerpted from: [Quiet Talks on Power](#) by S.D. Gordon

Everything costs. There is a law of exchange that rules in every sphere of life. It is this, "to get, you must give." It rules in the business world. If I want a house or a hat I must give the sum agreed upon. It rules in the intellectual world. If a young man wants a disciplined mind he must give time, and close application, and some real, hard work. It holds true in the spirit realm. If you and I wish to have business transactions in this upper world of spirit-life we must be governed by this same law. To have power in our lives over sin and selfishness, and passion, and appetite; over tongue, and temper, and self-seeking ambition; to have power in prayer, and in winning others over from sin to Jesus Christ, one must first lay down the required price.

What is the price of power? Turn to Jesus' talk with Peter and the others in the latter part of the sixteenth chapter of Matthew's gospel. Jesus has been telling them of the awful cross experiences which He clearly saw ahead. Peter probably fearful that whatever came to his Master might possibly come to himself also, and shrinking back in horror from that, has the hardihood to rebuke Jesus. The Master, recognizing the suggestion as coming from a far subtler individual than Peter, who is using ignorant Peter's selfishness to repeat the suggestion of the wilderness, again bids him begone. Then in a few simple words of far-reaching significance, He states first the standard of power, and then the price to be paid by one who would reach that standard. Listen to Him: "If any man would come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me."

Excerpted from: [Lectures On Revivals](#) by Charles Finney

There are two kinds of means requisite to promote a revival; one to influence men, the other to influence God. The truth is employed to influence men, and prayer to move God. When I speak of moving God, I do not mean that God's mind is changed by prayer, or that his disposition or character is changed. But prayer produces such a change in us and fulfils such conditions as renders it consistent for God to do as it would not be consistent for him to do otherwise.

The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways. Proverbs 14:14

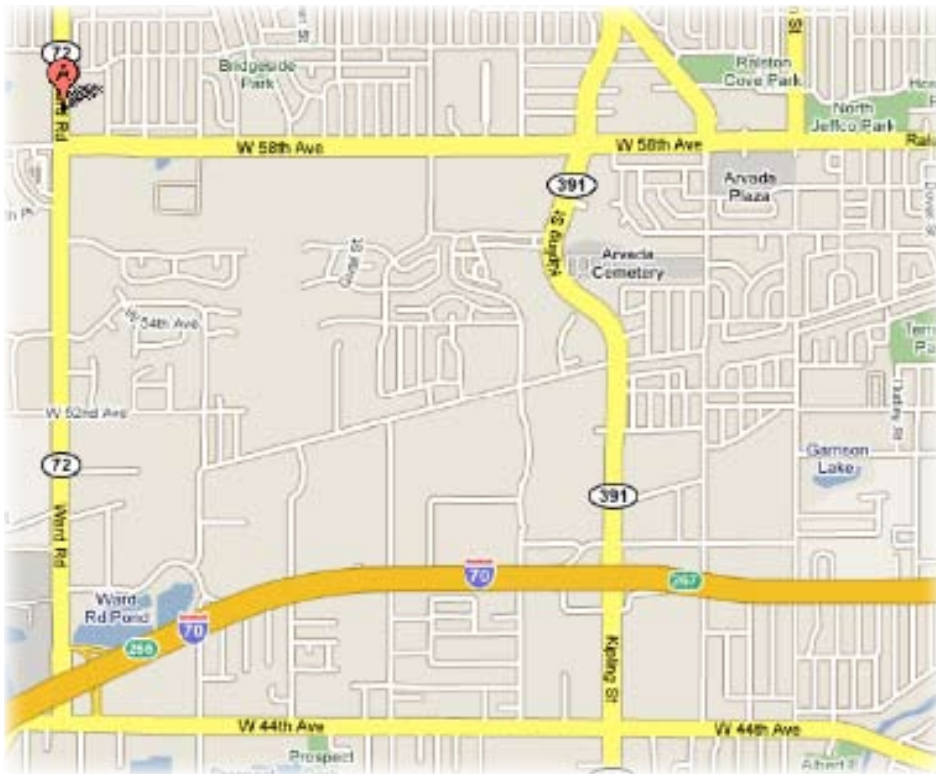
Indication #21 of 27 that a heart is backslidden: Absence from stated prayer meetings for slight reasons is a sure indication of a backslidden heart. No meeting is more interesting to a wakeful Christian than the prayer meeting, and while they have any heart to pray, they will not be absent from prayer meeting unless prevented from attending by the providence of God. If a call from a friend at the hour of meeting, can prevent their attendance, unless the call be made under very peculiar circumstances, it is strong evidence that they do not wish to attend, and hence, that they are backsliders in heart. A call at such a time would not prevent their attending a wedding, a party, a picnic, or an amusing lecture. The fact is, it is hypocrisy for them to pretend that they really want to go, while they can be kept away for slight reasons. If it were any place where they much desired to go, they would excuse themselves, and say, "I was just going to ride," or, "I was just going to such a place," and away they would go.

Excerpted from: [The Prayer Life](#) by Andrew Murray

Many a one has turned to his inner chamber, under bitter self accusation that he has prayed so little, and has resolved for the future to live in a different manner. Yet no blessing has come—there was not the strength to continue faithful, and the call to repentance had no power, because his eyes had not been fixed on the Lord Jesus, if he had only understood, he would have said: "Lord, thou seest how cold and dark my heart is: I know that I must pray, but I feel I cannot do so; I lack the urgency and desire to pray."

He did not know that at that moment the Lord Jesus in his tender love was looking down upon him and saying: "You cannot pray; you feel that all is cold and dark: why not give yourself over into my hands? Only believe that I am ready to help you in prayer; I long greatly to shed abroad my love in your heart, so that you, in the consciousness of weakness, may confidently rely on me to bestow the grace of prayer. Just as I will cleanse you from all other sins, so also will I deliver from the sin of prayerlessness—only do not seek the victory in your own strength. Bow before me as one who expects everything from his Saviour. Let your soul keep silence before me however sad you feel your state to be. Be assured of this — I will teach you how to pray."

Nothing but the knowledge of God, as the holy one, will make us holy. And how are we to obtain that knowledge of God, save in the inner chamber? It is a thing utterly impossible unless we take time and allow the holiness of God to shine on us. How can any man on earth obtain intimate knowledge of another man of remarkable wisdom, if he does not associate with him, and place himself under his influence? And how can God himself sanctify us, if we do not take time to be brought under the power of the glory of his holiness? Nowhere can we get to know the holiness of God, and come under its influence and power, save in the inner chamber. It has been well said: "No man can expect to make progress in holiness who is not often and long alone with God."



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For I will pour out water on the thirsty land and streams on the dry ground; I will pour out My Spirit on your offspring and My blessing on your descendants . . . Isaiah 44:3

To Arrive At Ward Road Baptist Church

Take I - 70 to the Ward Road Exit. Go north approximately
1 mile on Ward Road and take the 1st right north of 58th Avenue