

Wow! I Never Knew it Could do That!

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A core value of Tom Short Campus Ministries concerns the Word of God -- it must be foundational and central in all that we do. Do you realize the power of Scripture? Here is a list of verses I shared at this year's Faithwalkers conference that show the benefit of Scripture. These are 36 reasons I read the Bible every day and make it the focus of my preaching. I hope you make the Scripture a central part of your life in 2012 as well. Also, a special thanks to all my ministry partners who make it possible for me to take God's Word and all of these benefits to the campuses of America.

Tom



- 2 PETER 1:3** It provides everything pertaining to life and godliness
- 2 PETER 1:4** By it we escape the corruption that's in the world by lust
- 2 PETER 1:4** By it we become partakers of the divine nature
- PSALM 19:7-9** It restores our soul, enlightens our eyes, rejoices our heart, makes us wise
- PSALM 19:11** It warns us and rewards us
- 2 TIMOTHY 3:16** It teaches, reproveth, corrects and trains us in righteousness
- 2 TIMOTHY 3:17** It makes us adequate for every good deed
- PSALM 119:105** It gives us direction when our path ahead is dark and confusing
- PSALM 119:98-100** It makes us wiser and gives us more understanding than our enemies and older people
- PSALM 119:9,11** It keeps us pure from sin
- PSALM 119:38** It produces a reverence for God
- ROMANS 10:17** It produces faith
- 1 PETER 1:23** By it we are born again
- 1 JOHN 2:14** It makes us strong so we can overcome the evil one
- EPHESIANS 6:17** It is our spiritual weapon – the Sword of the Spirit
- HEBREWS 4:12** It is able to discern and expose our heart motives
- 1 TIMOTHY 1:5** It produces love
- JOHN 5:39** It testifies of and teaches us about Jesus
- ROMANS 15:4** It gives us hope, encouragement and perseverance
- 1 PETER 2:2** It enables us to grow in our salvation
- ACTS 20:32** By it we are built up
- 1 THESSALONIANS 2:13** It performs God's work in us
- PSALM 1:1-3** It makes us prosperous with good fruit and deep roots
- JOSHUA 1:8** It assures our success
- 1 JOHN 2:1** It keeps us from sin
- JOHN 16:1** It keeps us from stumbling
- ISAIAH 55:11** It will accomplish God's purposes
- EPHESIANS 5:26** It cleanses and sanctifies us
- MATTHEW 24:35, ISAIAH 40:8** It gives us an eternal perspective
- EPHESIANS 6:17, MATTHEW 4** It enables us to resist the devil
- DEUTERONOMY 32:47** It gives us life and prolongs our days
- JOHN 14:21** It gives us the knowledge of God
- PROVERBS 1** It gives us wisdom
- EPHESIANS 4:14** It keeps us from being deceived and tricked
- MATTHEW 4:4** It is food for my soul
- REVELATION 1:3** It blesses us!

FAMILY NEWS



From Left: Tim, Carlos, Steve, Sarah, Tom, Roz, Dan, Ally (and Benjamin), Jonathan, Christine

Its been quite some time since I've sent an update on my family, so here we go...

Sarah and Carlos Garcia live in Orlando. Sarah is an account manager for a hospice company and Carlos is director of operations for Great Commission Latin America.

Steve lives in Columbus and prepares food in a French gourmet bistro.

Dan and his wife, Ally moved back to Columbus from Austin this past May. They also recently gave us our first grandchild, Benjamin. Dan is the business administrator of a start-up company that generates wind power.

Christine and Jonathan Kimball lead music on a new church plant in urban Columbus. They have taken several trips to India and are getting more involved in missions there.

Tim is completing his degree in financial mathematics, leads a college ministry at Ohio State and does the administrative, web, video and a host of other work for Tom Short Campus Ministries.

For the first time in our 34 years of marriage, **Roz** is not the primary care-giver to either our children or an aging parent, but is enjoying being a grandmother, supporting her husband and taking an art class.

LOOKING BACK

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DECEMBER SCHEDULE & EVENTS

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Faithwalkers East Conference
Great Commission Churches
Asheville, NC | December 27-30



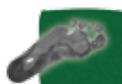
My messages (and all the messages from Faithwalkers) are available online at FAITHWALKERS-EAST.NET

Our Faithwalkers East conference was a wonderful time of experiencing God's blessing. Over 900 mostly young people attended. Our theme was "Blessed" and our messages focused on how God has blessed those of us who follow Him. My messages, The Blessing of Living by God's Word and When Life's a B***** seemed to have a big impact on a lot of people. After my message on God's Word, hundreds came forward for earnest prayer committing themselves to not only obeying the Word, but also to teaching it with power and authority. (Note, in that second message, the "B" stands for "blessing." When things go wrong, do you finish that sentence with "blessing" or some other word?!) To hear these messages, go to faithwalkers-east.net

LOOKING AHEAD

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JANUARY

There is continuing and severe civil unrest where I usually go to India during the month of January, so that trip was cancelled and I will be home this month. I may fit in a trip to India later in the Spring. There's still plenty to do to prepare for the winter/spring tour of our nation's campuses which will begin in early February. Pray that I make good use of my time in organization, planning, writing and, of course, prayer.



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