

# Good Shepherd Baptist Missions

## Quarterly Letter

### Emergency Road Help

I am an Independent Baptist church planter in the state of Wyoming. This story is truly a testimony of the loving, protecting and providential hand of God.

After turning our first work over to another pastor, we returned to the East for a period of five months to raise needed support to begin a new work. In August we were on the way back to our field of service. About fifty miles south of Sioux City, Iowa the antilock break system (ABS) light came on and it seemed that something was not right with the front of our truck. We drove on to Sioux City and upon arriving there we searched for a place to stay. After finding a motel, I walked around to the passenger side of the truck to find that our wheel was about to fall off. I checked our family into a room and began to make some phone calls. I called my dad who is a pastor in Buffalo, Wyoming to get some advice and he told me about a ministry known as Good Shepherd Baptist Missions. This ministry helps traveling pastors, preachers and missionaries by getting them in contact with pastors who are close to where they are broke down. Bro. Easter put us in contact with Bro. James Pointer, who is the pastor of Sioux City Baptist Church.

Pastor Pointer and his church allowed our family to stay the next three days in their prophet's chamber while Bro. Dean, a man in the church did the repairs to our truck. The pastor also allowed us to use his truck to get around. While there, we were asked to preach their Wednesday night service and the church took an offering which paid all but \$200 of our repair bill. The bill was for the cost of the parts only. The man who worked on the truck has had his own business repairing trucks for more than twenty-five years. He did not charge us any labor.

The Lord greatly used my dad, Bro. Easter and GSBM, Pastor Pointer, Sioux City Baptist Church, and the man who repaired the truck to be a tremendous blessing to our family. God protected our family in holding our truck together until we got to Sioux City. God also gave us more dear friends

in the ministry. The friendship that was gained by this event in our life is proving to be the hand of God.

As I sit to write this note of thanks, I have just been scheduled to go back and preach a special Sunday for Pastor Pointer and his dear church. If this turn of events had not taken place we would have driven by Sioux City and never become acquainted with Bro. Easter or Pastor Pointer. To God be the Glory, Great things He hath done.

Serving in Wyoming,  
Jeff, Angie, Jeffrey,  
Bradley, Matthew, Andrew  
& Samuel Perry

### Pastors Training School

When we returned from PTS in Spencer, Ohio, this e-mail was in my box:



PTS was a phenomenal experience for me and I leave humbled and lifted-up, both at the same time. I wanted to let you know that I am praying for all you men and the ministry God has placed you in. Every time the deep basses, baritones, and the few tenors would sing a song, I felt as if I were a soldier surrounded by fellow soldiers, preparing for battle. I could imagine the shout in heaven as the saints prepare to return with Christ one day.

I pray that God uses PTS and everyone involved greatly for His Glory. Peace and Blessings in the Lord to you all.

Church Planter  
Bob Senz

Brother Matt Morrison from Big Springs, West Virginia also writes:

Words cannot express the gratitude I have to GSBM for being so concerned as to what kind of pastor I am and can be.

It is such a crucial work that each of you are doing. I will always hold dear each instructor and GSBM, near to my heart for the investment they have made in my life. As I return home, I believe there is a family, a church and a community that will benefit from this week. Above all, and in all things, the precious Savior was represented and exalted so well. I'll be honest; there is a sense of sadness to separate from this week and its fellowship. It's made such an impact on me personally. Thank you again for each of your sacrifices, burdens, and passion you so clearly exemplified. To God be the Glory...Great things He hath done and is doing.



GSBM is very thankful for God's blessings on the Training Schools and every aspect of the ministry. We see His hand in the daily aspect of the Mission. Please recommend 2008's schools to each pastor or missionary you contact.

### 2008 PTS and MTS

Please make a note of the following dates for Missionary Training School and Pastors Training School.

#### MTS Locations and Dates

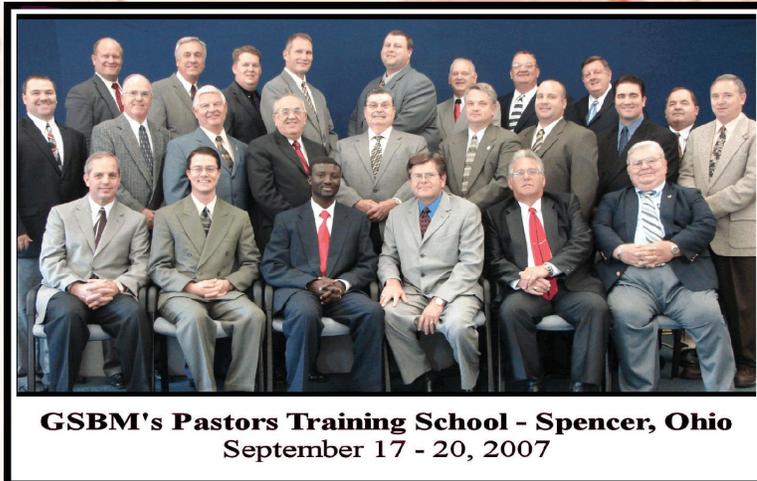
First Baptist Church, Spencer, OH - Last full week of April  
East River Baptist Church, New Caney, TX - 2<sup>nd</sup> full week November

#### PTS Locations and Dates

First Baptist Church - Spencer, OH - 3<sup>rd</sup> full week September  
East River Baptist Church, New Caney, TX - 3<sup>rd</sup> full week February  
Forest City Baptist Church, London, Ontario - 3<sup>rd</sup> full week June  
Oaksides Baptist Church, LaGrange, GA 3<sup>rd</sup> full week September

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God bless you and your family. Please continue to remember us in your prayers.



**GSBM's Pastors Training School - Spencer, Ohio**  
September 17 - 20, 2007



Ministry of East River Baptist Church - New Caney, Tx - Roger Hoots, Pastor \* Founded by Dayton Smith - 1880s, AR

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