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A New Breed Of Modern Preachers*by brother Greg*

A new movement of fearless uncompromising preachers

A NEW BREED

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D.M. McIntyre spoke of this same heavenly principle: "Before the great revival in Gallneukirchen broke out, Martin Bocos spent hours and days and often nights in lonely agonies of intercession. Afterwards, when he preached, his words were as flame, and the hearts of the people as grass." Oh these men will be "much with God" and "little with men." The things of earth to them will grow strangely dim. They will be strange men to the ways and systems of the world. They will speak against the hypocrisy in the pews and the hirelings in the pulpits. The fear of man will not have any hold on these men, the holy fear of God will be their overwhelming vision. They will speak the "word of the Lord" in due season and not refrain from being a mouthpiece in the hand of the Lord.

PROPHETIC PREACHING

A.W. Tozer spoke of this new breed of preachers in his short article "prophetic preaching"™ this is the need of our day and it will come: "If Christianity is to receive a rejuvenation, it must be by other means than any now being used. If the Church in the second half of this century is to recover from the injuries she suffered in the first half, there must appear a new type of preacher. The proper, ruler-of-the-synagogue type will never do. Neither will the priestly type of man who carries out his duties, takes his pay and asks no questions, nor the smooth-talking pastoral type who knows how to make the Christian religion acceptable to everyone. All these have been tried and found wanting. Another kind of religious leader must arise among us. He must be of the old prophet type, a man who has seen visions of God and has heard a voice from the Throne. When he comes (and I pray God there will be not one but many), he will stand in flat contradiction to everything our smirking, smooth civilization holds dear. He will contradict, denounce and protest in the name of God and will earn the hatred and opposition of a large segment of Christendom. Such a man is likely to be lean, rugged, blunt-spoken and a little bit angry with the world. He will love Christ and the souls of men to the point of willingness to die for the glory of the One and the salvation of the other. But he will fear nothing that breathes with mortal breath. This is only to say that we need to have the gifts of the Spirit restored again to the Church. And it is my belief that the one gift we need most now is the gift of prophecy."

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He stepped in unbelief. David Wilkerson said once "only praying men touch God." These men will be "men of God" that touch God and hear from Him. Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Amos, Joel, Hosea, Zechariah, these men will find good company with the coming prophets. They will be fully accepted of God and fully rejected by men. God will call them "blessed" and men will call them "cursed."

PICTURE OF A PROPHET

Leonard Ravenhill in his book "America is too young to die" speaks of the true picture of the coming prophets to Christendom. Oh how sorely we need them: "The prophet in his day is fully accepted of God and totally rejected by men. The group challenged by the prophet because they are smug and comfortably insulated from a perishing world in their warm but untested theology are not likely to vote him 'man of the year' when he refers to them as habituates of the 'synagogue of Satan!'"

He is unpopular because he opposes the popular in morality and spirituality. In a day of faceless politicians and voiceless preachers, there is not a more urgent national need than that we cry to God for a prophet! He has not price tags. He is totally "otherworldly."

He lives in the heights with God and comes into the valley with a "thus saith the Lord." He is the villain of today and the hero of tomorrow. He is excommunicated while alive and exalted when dead! He walks before men for days, but has walked before God for years.

He announces, pronounces, and denounces! God talks to him about men. He talks to men about God. There is a terrible vacuum in Evangelical Christianity today. The missing person in our ranks is the prophet. The man with a terrible earnestness. The man totally otherworldly. the man rejected by other men, even other good men, because they consider him too austere, too severely committed, too negative and unsociable.

Let him be as plain as John the Baptist.

Let him for a season be a voice crying in the wilderness of modern theology and stagnant churchianity.

Let him be as selfless as Paul the apostle.

Let him, too, say and live, "This one thing I do."

Let him reject ecclesiastical favors.

Let him be self-abasing, nonself-seeking, nonself-projecting, nonself-righteous, nonself-glorifying.

Let him say nothing that will draw men to himself, but only that which will move men to God. Let him come daily from the throne room of a holy God, the place where he has received the order of the day. Let him, under God, unstop the ears of the millions who are deaf through the clatter of shekels milked from this hour of material mesmerism.

Let him cry with a voice this century has not heard because he has seen a vision no man in this century has seen. God send us this Moses to lead us from the wilderness of crass materialism, where the rattlesnakes of lust bite us and where enlightened men, totally blind spiritually, lead us to an ever-nearing Armageddon. God have mercy; send us PROPHET S!

RUN FOR YOUR LIFE

The message of these men will seem strong and extreme to most. They will call for utter immediate implicit obedience to the commands of the Lord. They will call for a turning away from sin and from sinful practices. They will preach a God exalting and men abasing message. They will not be worried about men's self-esteem or happiness but rather their clarion cry will be: "Holiness Unto the Lord!"

Their message might sound like this excerpt of a message preached by Carter Conlon: "Run from gospels that focus on your success and prosperity. Run from those that use the name of Jesus Christ only for personal gain. Run from those that are picking your pocket in the name of Jesus Run! Run from gospels that focus only on self-improvement, or on the three steps to a better personality. Run from churches where men and not Christ are glorified. Run, get out of that place! Run from churches in America and Canada where there is no Bible, no cross, no searching Word, no repentance from sin. Run when there's no mention of the blood of Jesus. It's an unclean place, so run! Run from churches where the worship leaves you cold, where there's no sense of God's presence, because they don't know God. Run! Run from churches where you're comfortable in your sin. If you enter God's house with sin in your life, but you're not convicted of it, you're sitting at a table of devils. Run! Run from pulpits that are filled with politically driven men"

en who use the pulpit of God for a personal agenda. Run! Run from those who preach division between races and cultures. Run! Run! Get out! Turn it off. They know nothing of God. Run from ungodly, spasmodic movements and endless empty prophesying. Beloved Church. Run for your life! Run from preachers that stand, who tell only stories and jokes. Run like you've never run before. Run from those that are only after money and they use one gimmick after another to get your money. One foolish thing after another to get your money. Run.

God is going to get the attention of us. He is going to shake everything that can be shaken. We should be on our face brothers and sisters. Great times of shaking are coming. Are we standing firm on truth of God or are we allowing the world and its cares to choke our spiritual life. God is going to raise up a new modern breed of preachers that will be uncompromising and unrelenting in their proclamation of the heart of God. Hear this blunt blaring word from the late Dr. Joseph Parker: "Oh, ye white-faced, weak kneed believers! Believers in what? Ye shifty speculators, stealers of prophetic mantles! go, drink yourselves to death, and go to your proper devil! Ye are not the Church of Christ, might well be the speech which ascended Paul's might deliver to us, as we reshuffle the theological cards, and rearrange our creenda, and modify and dilute our doctrinal positions and enthusiasms." Let us also hear one of Mr. Ravenhill's often quoted lines: "Our pulpits today are occupied with puppets rather than with prophets, with organizers rather than with agonizers." Does that smite? It is true! Let us start praying to see God revive, restore, renew and revolutionize the Church as we know it. We need a mighty touch of God's Spirit and men that will speak with that anointing from heaven. God is raising a new breed of preachers in these last days. Oh how we need them!

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by hmmhmm (), on: 2007/4/4 5:08

Quote:

sermonindex wrote:
it will offend many but save many

Amen

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by nadine, on: 2007/4/4 5:41

Quote:

Run from churches where you're comfortable in your sin. If you enter God's house with sin in your life, but you're not convicted of it, you're sitting at a table of devils. Run!

AMEN!!!!

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by RobertW (), on: 2007/4/4 8:02

Quote:

Run! Run! Get out!

This reminds me of Finney when he opened up once to the passage in Genesis, "Up- get ye out of this place for the LORD will destroy this city!"

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by enid, on: 2007/4/4 8:37

A very pointed article.

Much controversy in it for those who find today's 'Christianity' acceptable.

God has His prophets. He always has had.

We are somewhat fearful of labeling them as such.

Good article.

God bless.

Re: - posted by sermonindex (), on: 2007/4/4 12:07

Quote:
-----This reminds me of Finney when he opened up once to the passage in Genesis, "Up- get ye out of this place for the LORD will destroy this city!"

We need such preaching again brother. This is the great need. We don't need finnyites, we need finneys!

Re: - posted by sermonindex (), on: 2007/4/4 13:54

comment on this article:

Quote:
-----Yes - this is what the Holy Spirit is telling those who have ears to hear and a heart to accept what the Holy Spirit is saying to the churches.

It certainly will be a piercing message and unacceptable to those who have hardened their hearts - but will bring - TRUE - salvation to many.

Lord - I plead - PLEASE - send your Prophets - for the salvation of many. AMEN

Re: - posted by pastormarcy (), on: 2007/4/4 20:59

If I may reply with this...

Oh is the congregation of the churches ready for such a thing. Should God now bring forth the hidden one who is to bring the conviction of the Lord against the sins of the people out.

Are they truly ready, I know the fields are ripe for revival as I feel this within, BUT are they ready to face the conviction of their sins which they do willingly against God Almighty.

OOHHH how The Lord cries for the souls which are dying in their sins, and Christ stands between us and God with His wounds still bleeding for us speaking out on our behalf...and yet sin still remains within the walls of the House of God...OOHHH how sorrowful is this.

Is it truly time for the hidden one to come forth, Is it time for the one who carries the mantle of Elijah to come forth and bring the peoples back to their God that they may become a church without spot or blemish.

The temple is not yet built, the plans are set forth but all is not yet in place, BUT yet it shall begin in a small congregation of the church, the prophet shall come forth beginning on Resurrection Day, Yes she shall come forth she and her sons to begin the cleansing of the House of God.

She does not like sin of any kind yet she will condemn no one, she will bring forth the mercy and judgment of God and yet she will judge no one, But yet she will bring forth conviction within the heart of the people from the testimony of Christ the Lord of all.

She has tasted of His blood and she has eaten the flesh of her King, she has been persecuted and ravished by the people

les of the congregation of the church, she has wallowed in the world for a time as God permitted that she would gain experience of the world and she has become what God has intended of her through chastisement and sorrow, she fled from her function many years ago and God brought her back and now she sits upon the right hand of God and kisses His cheek, she is kissed by the Son and held within His arms day and night, she sits at the Sons right hand and kneels at His feet and kisses them thinking it will ease His sorrow for His people, it is her who shall come forth and defend the Lord and His testimony of Love and speak of His judgments to come.

What shall man do, nothing, but they will think her a fool for they think it will be a man who begins this great event, but the wisdom of man is foolishness to God and God will do as He wishes to bring about this event.

There is one and she is coming and it begins soon.

Pastor Marcy

Re: - posted by sermonindex (), on: 2007/4/8 0:06

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RUN!

Re: - posted by pastormarcy (), on: 2007/4/9 15:28

If I may reply to this...

Should we not go out and rebuke the brethren who are in sin...I say yes for they are our brethren and God wishes deep within His heart that none should perish...Also is not scripture for reproof, edification, and correction...when one of the brethren suffers do not we also suffer with him...We are to care for one another...love is the command wither we have faults or imperfections...should we leave them to sin and not tell them of their wrong doing, nay we must tell them for it is our responsibility for if we see one sin who is of the brethren (also calling on the lost) and do not scripturally correct them and we let them fall into sin then their blood can rest upon our souls...we must warn them for we are one united in Christ, when one of us go into a backslidden state we must warn them...are we not one body with many members... Look at the scriptures below.

God told Exekiel may things BUT one thing God said to him this...

Ezekiel 3

20. Again, When a righteous man doth turn from his righteousness, and commit iniquity, and I lay a stumblingblock before him, he shall die: because thou hast not given him warning, he shall die in his sin, and his righteousness which he hath done shall not be remembered; but his blood will I require at thine hand.

21. Nevertheless if thou warn the righteous man, that the righteous sin not, and he doth not sin, he shall surely live, because he is warned; also thou hast delivered thy soul.

This also...

Galatians 5

13. For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.

14. For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this; Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.

15. But if ye bite and devour one another, take heed that ye be not consumed one of another.

Galatians 6

1. Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.
2. Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.
3. For if a man think himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself.
4. But let every man prove his own work, and then shall he have rejoicing in himself alone, and not in another.
5. For every man shall bear his own burden.
6. Let him that is taught in the word communicate unto him that teacheth in all good things.
7. Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap.

James 5

19. Brethren, if any of you do err from the truth, and one convert him;
20. Let him know, that he which converteth the sinner from the error of his way shall save a soul from death, and shall hide a multitude of sins.

I do understand we are to not be with them and such of who are disorderly brethren...but how will they know they are wrong if none of the true brethren speak up...now if one speaks up and corrects them through the scripture and they hear not then we should take our leave from them for they heard and received not the correction...Also are we not to call the ungodly to come to the Lord that he may come to the gift of saving grace...Did not Jesus command us to go out and bring the lost...those whom this person speaks of are lost

Upon judgment day if we are asked the question by God of which says

When your brother fell from grace and you knew of it were you there for Him to pick him back up and place him back up on the correct path...how would you answer

Just a thought

Marcy

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by repentcanada, on: 2007/4/9 16:47
THIS IS TRUTH!

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by myfirstLove (), on: 2007/4/9 17:28

Quote:
-----God is going to raise up a new modern breed of preachers that will be uncompromising and unrelenting in their proclamation of the heart of God.

Re: - posted by pastormarcy (), on: 2007/4/9 19:03

My words were not for the article down on the bottom...it was for the article quote of run from the church...its about three below this one.

And, Yes God is going to raise a new breed of Preachers, ones filled with fire and will not be changed from the truth, they will speak solely for the heart of God...

I know this because I have already went to a few churches and spoke to those pastors who speak ticklish words to bring their portion of the flock astray.

This is what I teach...

Hebrews 10

26. For if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins,
27. But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries.

I also teach no one who sins will enter into heaven...not even those who claim to be saints...one must take up their cross and follow Christ and truly repent (turn away from) sin period, WE MUST WEAR CHRIST UPON US.

The heart of God is right in the bible my friend...He called and called upon His children to repent and circumcise their hearts...BUT His people said I love you--but I am not going to obey and I am going to do what I want. Then they would say I Love you and then turn their backs again on God...Then God's plan with Jesus came to affect...the new covenant came...and STILL His people (even the non jewish ones) say I love you and turn their backs and sin against their God...And G

ods tears fall and His heart says...My people My people they die for lack of knowledge...My people My people They place themselves in hell and do not look for me to embrace them...His heart cries out as it did for thousands of years come to me circumcise your hearts, be holy be spotless be PURE IN HEART and be of sound mind and I will cover you and make you whole...I will bless you and be with you...His tears come every day, and Jesus stands there in front of Him with His wounds that God will not smite the earth before its time saying Father I did this for the children...BUT upon judgment day He will have no mercy toward anyone and those who are written in the book of life will live with Him on the new earth and there will be no more tears, no pain and NO SIN

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by a_nobody (), on: 2007/4/16 11:20

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I would love to see it - and be a part of it. Great article!!!

Re: - posted by RumbleBee, on: 2007/4/19 20:54

We have revival breaking out in our Sunday School class. Our prayers have been focused on revival for the whole church, but we seem so alone. Our pastor is afraid that convicting sermons will run people off. My wife and I feel it would run the Devil off. At this moment our mission field is inside our very own church.

This message has emboldened us to pray even harder.
We need more like this.

Re: - posted by rlh (), on: 2007/4/19 22:23

I'm new to this forum thing. I sit here weeping after reading your true, Godly, timely article. Lord may it happen quickly!

Re: - posted by mingjeff, on: 2007/4/20 11:13

Amen, amen and amen. May I be among that young people that God is calling to restore back the true gospel of God. A gospel of truth, power and authority, where the truth of God will not be compromised in any way. I strongly believe that revival is going to take place in the young generation, but first, there must be that deep cry and prayer with an earnest heart to see the losts getting saved. Then only God can work through our lives. Thanks for the beautiful article. Although our young generation is pathetic because of lack of spiritual values, but I believe that God has His remnant with Him, who will stand for the truth of the Word of God.

Re: - posted by sermonindex (), on: 2007/7/16 3:27

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Re: - posted by Talkn2u, on: 2007/12/3 14:31

Yes, Greg!!! This is what I was talking about!

I didn't realize you had these articles on the forums...
They are God breathed and timely.

I am so glad I ran acrossed this thread. Thank you !!!

B.

Re: - posted by sermonindex (), on: 2007/12/4 8:51

Quote:

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Brother,

here is the archive of all the articles I have written so far:

Greg Gordon Articles

http://www.sermonindex.net/modules/newbb/viewtopic.php?topic_id=13962&forum=16&18

Re: - posted by murrcolr (), on: 2008/1/4 11:49

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Pastor Marcy

Pastor Marcy what planet is she on because it does not sound like you are on this one.....

Read the sermon from Greg Gordon and take note how the False tries to sneak in. You Pastormarcy should be called what you are.

A wolf in sheeps clothing.....

Re: A NEW BREED OF MODERN PREACHERS by Greg Gordon - posted by MavMin (), on: 2008/1/22 11:11

"Uncomprimised, unsettled, unyielding, unmovable, unshakable! These men will come with unbelievable message to those stepped in unbelief."

Sadly, that kind of preaching is considered legalistic and lacking grace in this age of spiritual pabulum and tripe.

Dr Parker's comments would get him kicked out of most churches and he would be hard pressed to ever find a place to preach again.

May God truly raise up prophets in these last days to wake up His people and save some more souls! Maranatha!!!

Re: - posted by ccchhrrriiiss (), on: 2008/1/22 11:53

Hi MavMin...

Quote:
-----Dr Parker's comments would get him kicked out of most churches and he would be hard pressed to ever find a place to preach again.

I suspect that you're correct!

I've often wondered what would happen if Paul (the apostle) were to walk into many of today's Churches and preach. Since few could physically recognize him (since his image hasn't appeared on billboards, magazines, television, the backs of books, etc...), then people wouldn't recognize him. He would preach a message similar to those found in his New Testament epistles. I've often imagined that the response of most Churches and pastors would be to stop Paul mid-message and "politely" throw him out of the back door. Of course, I imagine that there would still be a minority of believers who would also walk out the front door to listen to his words.

What a terrible condition in which the modern Church sits! We are filled with people unwilling to hear such truth. And amongst those who are willing, we have individuals willing to point the finger of heresy at anything that doesn't line up with their doctrinal ideas! We truly need a real revival of God more than ever!

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Re: - posted by Miccah (), on: 2008/2/12 23:23

Just found this. Amen brother.