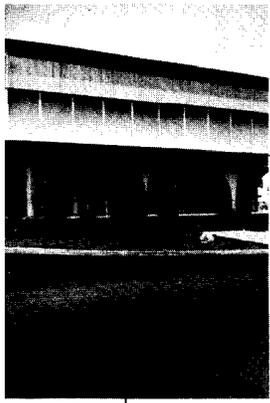


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The Story Behind Our Cover

This is the very fine and modern office building God led His servants to use in carrying the Gospel to the Philippine people. Finally after many centuries of darkness, the TRUTH of God has become available. Once each month, vital, dynamic, light-bringing ads appear in the pages of the PHILIPPINES FREE PRESS to point out the way to real success. All men desire to be recognized and accepted in their own community. This point has been amply demonstrated by the fantastic response to the recent ad—The Seven Rules of Success. Read the full story on page seven.

What our READERS SAY . . .

Increases Property Donations

"I regret to hear that the College in Gladewater might not be started this year. This is why I'm putting an extra \$10 in the Property Fund, and praying that the College *will yet* be able to be started this year. It's needed, and God can change circumstances if enough of us will pray and support this most important Work of God on earth."

Man, California

- *Yes, if enough of us will.*

Smoking Desire Vanishes

"I was baptized the last Sunday in February. I consider that day the most important day of my life. My smoking and any desire to smoke just vanished. It could *only* be through many fervent prayers that that could come about. (I had smoked for nearly forty years.)"

Woman, Washington

Healed of Infection

"Two weeks ago I wrote Mr. Prince for prayer and an anointed cloth for an infection that had started bleeding and running. I mailed the letter in the afternoon and that night it had already stopped itching and bleeding and by morning the place was completely gone. The peace of mind that comes from knowing God will take care of us, if we trust Him, is beyond words."

Woman, Texas

Quits Sabbath-Breaking

"I have been operating a forestry fire tower and it just suited me fine until I got to listening to The WORLD TO-

MORROW and reading The PLAIN TRUTH and the booklets and articles I have asked for. As you probably know, this is a seven day a week job and I have come to the conclusion that the future looks brighter serving God, so I have tendered my resignation. It is a test of faith as I am some in debt and my total assets won't cover the debts, and I am of an age (56) where getting other work may be rather difficult. But I have no doubt that the Lord shall provide an abundant future."

Man, Arkansas

- *With this kind of faith, neither have we.*

Thank You for Recipes

"We are enclosing a big 'Thank You' for the 'Variety Yeast Breads' in the December GOOD NEWS magazine. We wished we knew how to make English muffins and our wish has been granted. We are going to try making confectioner's sugar by putting raw sugar in our blender."

Couple, New Hampshire

Tithing Pays Dividends

"We would like to share our proof that God does bless during the third tithing year. Last year was our first third tithing year and God certainly poured great blessings upon our family. In the spring of 1960 our son was on crutches because of a bone disease in one hip. God healed this completely in our third tithing year. We also had property in another part of the state which was quite

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TWELVE Men Ordained on TWO CONTINENTS!

*Here's wonderful news of GROWTH in God's ministry — of
THREE MORE new Churches — an Australian baptizing tour.*

by Roderick C. Meredith



Mr. Robin Jones



Mr. David Wainwright



Mr. Ben Chapman

HERE'S SOME NEWS TO REJOICE in! This past Sabbath, May 25, we had the largest ordination service in this era of God's Church!

We didn't plan it that way, but when the ordinations were over here in Pasadena and in England as well, it turned out that exactly TWELVE men were ordained on this one Sabbath.

Four Ordained in England

In England, Mr. Herbert Armstrong and the ministers there ordained Mr. Robin Jones, Mr. David Wainwright, and Mr. Ben Chapman as *Preaching Elders* in God's Church. Also, they ordained another Ambassador graduate, Mr. Leon Walker—assisting Dr. Benjamin Rea in the Spanish Department and visiting—as a Local Elder.

Mr. Robin Jones graduated from Ambassador College in Bricket Wood a year ago, after spending two full years here on the Pasadena campus before Ambassador College in England opened its doors. In his senior year, Mr. Jones was President of the Student

Body of Ambassador at Bricket Wood. He has been an outstanding leader in bringing sermonettes, on the Visiting Program and in song leading. Now he has been found qualified to join the ranks of the ordained *ministers* of Jesus Christ.

Before coming to Ambassador in Pasadena for one year, Mr. David

Mr. Leon Walker



Wainwright was a graduate of Oxford University, England. After a year on the Pasadena campus, Mr. Wainwright also returned to his native England to complete his college work in Ambassador, Bricket Wood, and to assist on the faculty as a student-instructor as well. In addition to his responsibilities as a lecturer at the college, Mr. Wainwright has developed as a spiritual leader and minister among God's people—being used in visiting and in bringing sermonettes and full sermons in God's Churches in Britain. Now he can serve even more in these increasing responsibilities as a full *minister* of Jesus Christ.

Mr. Ben Chapman first came to Ambassador in Pasadena as a graduate of the University of California at Los Angeles. After spending two years on our Pasadena campus, Mr. Chapman was transferred to Ambassador in England especially to take charge of the radio studio there and to teach some technical classes in the college for which he was prepared by his training at U.C.L.A.

Meanwhile, his spiritual *leadership*

and *zeal* made him a leader on the Visiting Team of God's Church in the London area, and he began to bring sermonettes and sermons in the churches in Britain. He has grown and matured steadily in these responsibilities, and now, as a graduate of Ambassador as well as U.C.L.A., he joins the ranks of the ministers of God.

Mr. Leon Walker is a graduate of Ambassador College in Pasadena, and was sent to England *after graduation* to assist Dr. Benjamin Rea in the Spanish Department at Bricket Wood. He has grown steadily, and has for several years now been handling increasing ministerial responsibility in counseling the Spanish brethren both in person and by mail, as well as being used in the English Work as time permits. His fruits have now amply shown that *God* has called him to be a *Local Elder* in His Church.

Eight Ordained in Pasadena

At Headquarters in Pasadena, Mr. Ted Armstrong and the Evangelists here ordained Mr. Selmer Hegvold, Mr. Arthur Mokarow, Mr. John Portune, Mr. Dave Albert and Mr. Dennis Luker as *Preaching Elders* in God's Church. Also, Mr. Al Carrozzo, Mr. Al Mischnick and Mr. Thomas Justus were ordained as *Local Elders* to assist in the area churches.



Mr. Selmer Hegvold

Local Elder in God's Church and is being used as the Director over the Visiting Program here in the Greater Pasadena area. He is an older married man with a very dedicated wife and *eight* very fine children!

Now, after being a *faithful* and *producing* member of God's Church for well over ten years, and after completing all of the required *Bible courses* at Ambassador College and being used as an outstanding Local Elder here at Headquarters, Mr. Hegvold joins the ranks of the full *Preaching Elders* in God's Church.

Since I introduced you last month to the other four men ordained now as *Preaching Elders*, let me now acquaint you briefly with the three men ordained here in Pasadena as *Local Elders*. Mr.



Mr. Arthur Mokarow

tion. He is loved and respected by everyone, and sets a wonderful example of *service* to God's people. So we all *rejoice* that he can now be ordained as a Local Elder in the body of Christ.

Mr. Al Mischnick is also a family man with a wife and *six children*! He is a member of the San Bernardino congregation, and has been a faithful Deacon there for some time—assisting Mr. Dorothy in visiting many of the scattered brethren and in bringing sermonettes. He has grown tremendously in spiritual stature and service, and now we rejoice that he, too, can join the ranks of God's elders.

Mr. Thomas Justus comes from the Santa Barbara congregation. He sets a fine example as a husband and father, and is successful in his business—managing a fairly large printing concern in the Santa Barbara area. He has dedicated himself to *servng* the brethren in his area, and has already been used a great deal in visiting, bringing sermonettes and *HELPING* the others in his area in any way possible. Now he has the opportunity to further serve them in the office of a *Local Elder* in God's Church.

Three New Churches Established!

Besides the new churches in Grand Rapids, Michigan; Boise, Idaho; and Mobile, Alabama, which we mentioned last month, three *MORE* churches have been established!

Mr. Waterhouse reports from South Africa that the Johannesburg Bible study has now been converted into a full-fledged *local church*! The latest attendance records were 33 for the Friday night Bible study there, and 41 present for the Sabbath services. The brethren there are really *zealous* and *growing*, and Mr. Waterhouse mentioned that he is certainly inspired by the foundation which Christ has laid in this area.

Also, he has begun regular Bible studies in Durban, South Africa, and has had an average of 26 in attendance



Mr. Al Carrozzo — Mr. Al Mischnick — Mr. Tom Justus

Since I described the background of many of these men last month in connection with their coming responsibilities this summer, I will just briefly introduce you to those men about whom we have not yet written in this connection.

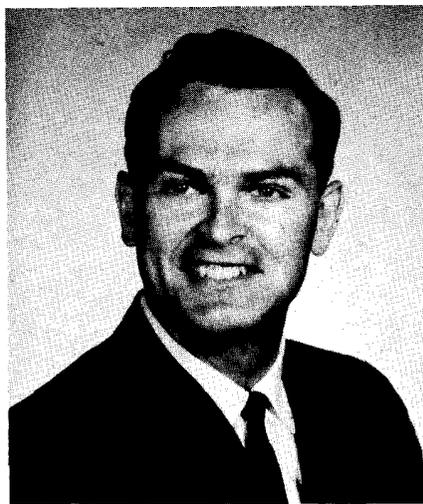
Since he is remaining here at Pasadena, Mr. Selmer Hegvold was not described in the article last month. However, many of you will recall that you are *already* hearing from Mr. Hegvold in these columns in *The GOOD NEWS* magazine! For Mr. Hegvold—even before this ordination—was already a

Al Carrozzo is a family man who came into God's Church in the local San Diego congregation. Showing real *dedication* and a *spirit of service*, he was ordained as a Deacon in the spring of 1960. Later, as a service to the Church, he was asked to move up to Pasadena to assist in certain college projects related to his business and to enable him to take certain Bible and speech classes here in Ambassador College to prepare him for further service.

For the last year or more, he has been virtually *acting* as a Local Elder in the Los Angeles Church congrega-



Mr. John Portune



Mr. Dennis Luker



Mr. Dave Albert

for the first three studies conducted there. Mr. Waterhouse comments that the people there manifest real zeal and fine attitudes, so he feels justified and happy in traveling a good distance to serve them even though the numbers are not large as yet.

But let us rejoice, and PRAY for God's blessing upon His Work as it begins way down in South Africa!

On the Sabbath of May 18, the Bible study in Reno, Nevada, was converted into full Sabbath services. Mr. McCrady reports that there were 67 in attendance for the first services, and a good potential for the future. Even though the area is a center of gambling and vice, the Eternal GOD has called some of His people to a knowledge of the purpose of human existence in this area. So let our prayers and best wishes be with them always!

Last Sabbath, May 25, the monthly Bible study in Atlanta, Georgia, became a full church! The brethren there in Georgia have been hoping and praying for this for a long time, and Mr. Craig reports that they really appreciate

this opportunity to worship God together. Attendance at the first services totaled 191. This is certainly a fine start for this new church, and because of Atlanta's location in the center of a new area for God's local churches, it should only be the beginning and foretaste of much growth in the future!

Meanwhile, all of God's Churches continue to show encouraging, and, in most cases, rapid growth. The Grand Rapids Church started off with 131 in attendance—still leaving well over 300 attending the South Bend Church! The recent attendance at the Minneapolis, Minnesota Bible study totaled 84—and should rise to many more if we are able to establish a church there in the future.

The two rather new churches under Mr. Carn Catherwood continue to zoom ahead in setting new attendance records. Latest attendance reported was 330 in Indianapolis, and 310 in Cincinnati! So Mr. Catherwood, as well as many of our other ministers, now has well over 600 people under his charge

to counsel, anoint and "shepherd" as his personal responsibility.

When thinking of these rising attendance records, be sure to remember ALL of God's ministers in your earnest prayers! And remember the continuing need for more Local Elders and assistant ministers who may be sent to aid them from Ambassador College.

Australian Baptismal Tour

Mr. Wayne Cole, Evangelist in charge of God's Work in Australia, sends in an inspiring report of God's adding to His Church there. Mr. Cole writes:

"The most fruitful baptizing tour yet taken in Australia was completed in March of this year. The tour was very successful and a substantial increase was added by God to His Church in this 'land down under.'

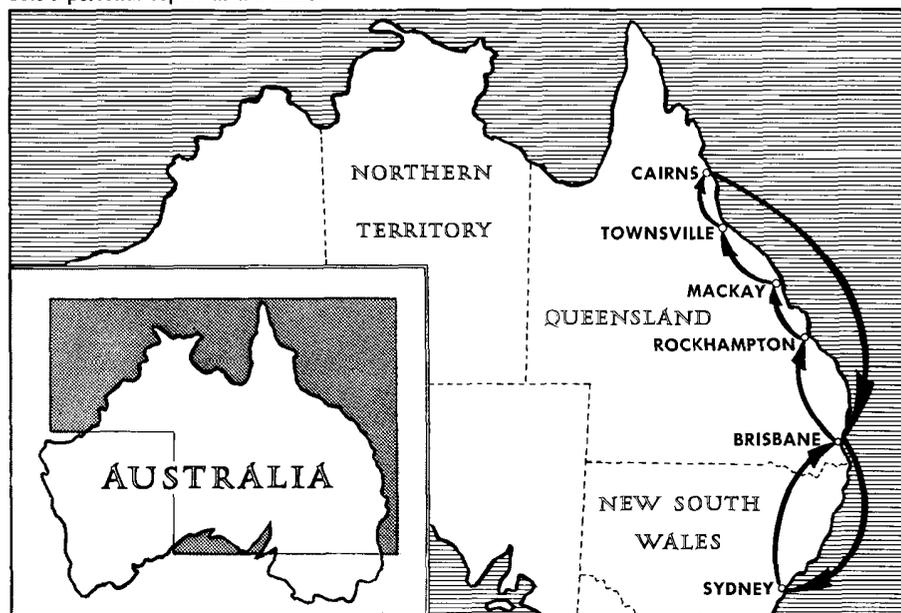
"Mr. Frank Simpkins, the leader of the tour, and Mr. Don Abraham left on March 13th by car. They visited and counseled with several groups during the next few days as they made their way to Brisbane. They arrived in Brisbane the following Sunday morning, in time to meet me at the airport as I arrived for the Brisbane Bible study.

"After the conclusion of the study, Don Abraham and I proceeded by airplane north in Queensland to Rockhampton, Mackay, Townsville and Cairns. While Mr. Abraham and I were on this northern part of the baptismal tour, Mr. Simpkins remained in the Brisbane area to visit with some attending the Brisbane Bible studies and also to counsel with many baptismal requests.

A Good Percentage Baptized

"Having completed our trip north by the following Sunday, one week later, we flew back to Brisbane where Mr. Abraham rejoined Frank Simpkins and I returned by plane to Sydney. Frank Simpkins and Don Abraham completed the necessary visits in Brisbane and re-

The map below shows the cities in the area covered by the Australian baptizing tour—read Mr. Cole's personal report in this article.



turned to Sydney by car making several counsel stops on the way.

"The encouraging totals for the tour are: On the North Queensland trip, Mr. Abraham and I met 24 and baptized 15 and solid seed was sown in those not baptized. An amazing thing was that 100% of those we had on our list as definite baptismal requests appeared for the counseling.

"On the tour to and from Brisbane and the work in the Brisbane area, Mr. Simpkins and Mr. Abraham met 49 and baptized 27. Altogether we counseled with 73 people and baptized 42. The Brisbane Bible study has been given a fine boost by this tour and the attendance has now climbed to nearly 20 in attendance at each meeting.

"One inspiring way in which God intervened for the tour was in the weather. This past March was one of the "wettest" Marches for the coastal regions of New South Wales and Queensland in many years, with the most rain since 1942. In Sydney it rained 26 days during the month. However, in spite of all the adverse weather and flooded road conditions, etc., God intervened in such a way that not a single group or person had to be missed due to weather or flood hindrance.

"In many cases there were storms ahead of the tour or storms and closed roads behind the tour but *never* at the place of contact. On the trip north from Brisbane to Cairns, Mr. Abraham and I had fine warmth and sunshine all the way and then *after* our last contact on the Sabbath in Cairns it began to rain and Saturday night we had a genuine tropical storm. The next morning it was still raining but had cleared up sufficiently for us to leave on the flight to Townsville and Brisbane. It truly is encouraging and inspiring to see the intervention of an Almighty God in seeing to it that His Work can be accomplished."

Ministerial News and Changes

For the first part of this summer, Mr. Raymond Cole and his wife are visiting Ambassador College in Bricket Wood and also seeing some of the important cities on the Continent, in the Middle East and in the Holy Land particularly during this overseas visit. Mr. Cole is Evangelist in charge of all of God's Churches in the Pacific Northwest—and, by the first of August—will be switching with Mr. Carlton Smith to become District Superintendent over the churches in the Northeast District of the United States.

Word comes from England that they are having a wonderful and profitable visit, and have just returned from a

most enlightening tour of Rome, Cairo, Jerusalem and other important cities in the Middle East and the Holy Land. On this trip, they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunting—now stationed at Ambassador College in England.

News of another overseas transfer came to light recently. Mr. John Portune received the shocking news just the day after his ordination that he was being sent to England within *five or six weeks!* After receiving word from Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and Mr. Chapman in England, Mr. Ted Armstrong found it was necessary to have Mr. Portune to go to England right away in order to be there at least a week or so before Mr. Chapman returns here around the 10th of August.

This is in order that Mr. Portune may be familiarized with the radio studio and the entire broadcasting setup there in England. He will be replacing Mr. Chapman in this responsibility. So Mr. John Portune and family will only get to be in the Oakland-Sacramento area for about five weeks before turning it over to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Luker! In this Work, you never know what's going to happen tomorrow!

But their friends and brethren will certainly be glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chapman back in this country after their stay of some three years at God's

College in England. They will be returning for a visit to Pasadena, and perhaps later will be traveling to Big Sandy, Texas, where Mr. Chapman will oversee the establishment of the radio studio there at the new college as he did at the college in England.

Time marches on. And God's WORK goes forward with increasing power!

As *your part*, brethren, be sure to really PRAY for these newly ordained ministers and *thank God* for making possible their ordinations! *Pray earnestly* for all the men going out this summer in the summer *harvest season* in God's Work. Many of you will recall that when the summer harvest is being reaped Satan often strikes more than ever!

It seems also that *demon problems* seem to manifest themselves more during the warm summer months. And often *family quarrels, sex problems* and just plain *human nature* in EVERY aspect seem to come to the surface more than ever during the summer doldrums.

So don't let down!

Let us unitedly beseech our Father that He will *protect, guide* and *empower His* servants this summer more than ever in reaping the bountiful harvest that He is making possible!

Your Bible Questions Answered

Please address any questions YOU would like answered in this column to the editor.

Was Jesus Christ Under a Nazarite Vow?

In Numbers 6:1-27, Almighty God gives the requirements of a Nazarite vow. By comparing these with the life of Jesus Christ we will see whether Jesus was or was not under a Nazarite vow.

First of all, a Nazarite was FORBIDDEN to use *any product* obtained from the grape vine. This prohibition specifically included *wines*. Notice it in Numbers 6:3-4. "He shall SEPARATE HIMSELF from *wine* and *strong drink*. . . ALL THE DAYS OF HIS SEPARATION SHALL HE EAT NOTHING THAT IS MADE OF THE VINE TREE, from the *kernel*s even to the *husk*."

Jesus Christ, however, drank wine! In His *final supper* with His disciples, Jesus DRANK WINE—just before He was led away by the religious leaders.

At this time He said, "I will not DRINK henceforth of THIS FRUIT OF THE VINE, until that day when I drink it new with you in my FATHER'S kingdom" (Matt. 26:29).

Matthew 11:19 tells us that the Pharisees accused Jesus Christ of being a "winebibber"! But Jesus didn't use wine in *excess* as the Pharisees implied. He DID DRINK IT. He encouraged the use of wine at the wedding feast at His *first* public miracle (John 2:1-11)!

There was a *second restriction* placed on the Nazarite. His hair had to grow without being trimmed or cut for the FULL DURATION of his vow (Num. 6:5). This *change* in his outward appearance would identify *anyone* who was under a Nazarite vow ON SIGHT!

But there was NOTHING about Christ that would distinguish Him on sight! Luke 22:47 illustrates that Jesus had to be *specifically identified* by Judas. Otherwise, the soldiers who
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The Work of God In The Philippines!

Here is an intimate sketch of how the Work of God began and developed in the far-off Philippines — designed to bring you closer to the happenings of the WORLD-WIDE scope of this endtime Work. These interesting details and candid photos will help you in your prayers asking God's blessing in fulfilling the gigantic commission He has given His Church.

by Leslie L. McCullough

FROM THE rain forests of the Congo to the concrete jungles of New York, no area is so isolated or far removed that it is unable to hear the TRUTH of the Creator God.

The booming voice of The WORLD TOMORROW encircles the globe probing its way into every inhabited continent of the world in search of those God is beginning to call. One here, two there, prick up attentive ears to the "good news" being beamed their way. Slowly step by step or suddenly with a blinding clarity, they realize that **HERE IS THE TRUTH!** Here is a man who **KNOWS** what he is talking about.

Insignificant Beginning

This has been the story of God's Work from the time it first began on a tiny, insignificant 100-watt radio station in Eugene, Oregon, to the more than **TWENTY-TWO MILLION WATTS** of radio power now blanketing the entire earth.

In the beginning, only a tiny handful of poorly educated Oregon farmers

were privileged to hear the Gospel being proclaimed. Slowly, painfully slowly, more radio stations were added. Listeners wrote in for The PLAIN TRUTH magazine they heard offered and the Work began to grow.

Letters began to trickle into the post office in Eugene from such far-away places as Texas, Florida and other points of the United States. The trickle swelled to a steady stream until it became apparent that rural Eugene had been outgrown.

In 1947, the office was moved from Eugene to Pasadena, California. Nationwide broadcasting was undertaken and thousands more letters were received.

Finally, international broadcasting opened up. In 1953, just *nineteen years* after the first broadcast on that tiny station in Eugene, Jesus Christ flung wide the doors of mighty Radio Luxembourg and all the European continent.

Three years later on April 14, 1956, Australian broadcasting began over 2CH in Sydney. Following both of these mighty surges forward, came the expected increase in mail requesting

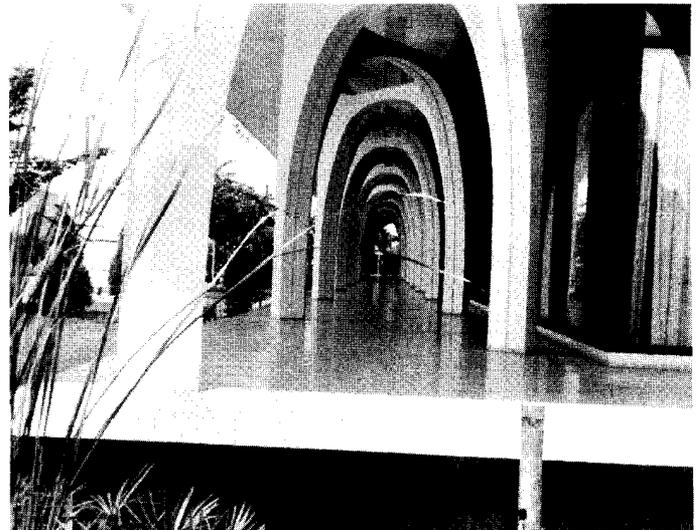
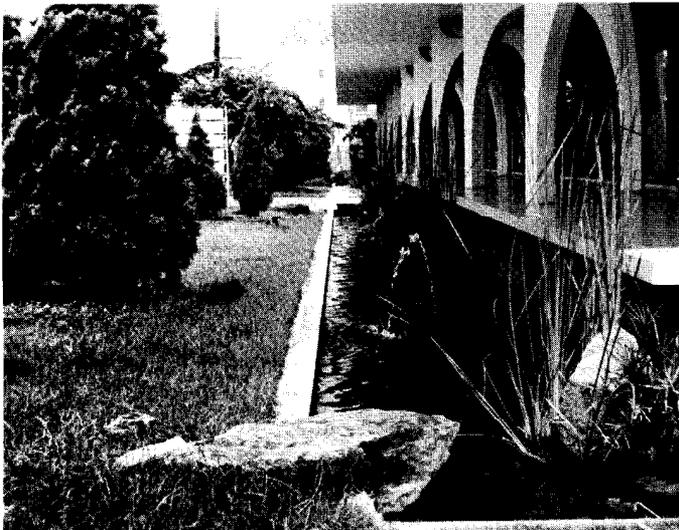
more of this priceless truth as it was offered in booklets and magazines. Offices finally *had to be* established to handle the thousands of requests which came pouring in from the hungry listeners.

Breakthrough To the Philippines

Then on April 14, 1957, just one year later, another great leap forward was made. The job of carrying the Gospel to all the world as a witness was expanded even further, and the radio waves over another vast area beamed the voice of The WORLD TOMORROW to the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS!

The ALTO Broadcasting System was chosen to carry the urgent message of these perilous times in which we live to the **TWENTY-SEVEN MILLION FILIPINOS** for the *first time in their history!* Such exotic and historic places as Luzon, Mindanao, Manila and Leyte resounded with the vibrant message of hope for a better world. The voice of Mr. Armstrong surged across war-torn Corregidor and down the straits once

These pictures show the lovely architectural and landscaping details of the building which houses the Philippine offices.





The Philippine brethren are shown here observing the Days of Unleavened Bread, 1963, at Kiara, Maramag, Bukidnon, The Philippines. Mr. Ortiguero is seated at the head of the center table, but his back is to the camera.

sailed by Admiral Dewey, in search of those who had an ear to hear.

The response was somewhat disheartening at first. It seemed *no one* in all the Philippines REALLY cared to know the way to a better life. Finally, however, in the little village of San Nicolas, five, long, hard hours by bus from Manila, *one man* cocked an ear and drew closer to his radio.

HERE WAS WHAT HE HAD BEEN LOOKING FOR! Here through the static was the Bible being preached just as Jesus Christ had preached it. Many things were unfamiliar—Holy Days, church government—things the Sardis Church, although they didn't call themselves that, had never taught. These new doctrines would take much study.

Pedro S. Ortiguero soon began to correspond with faraway Pasadena, California. His correspondence eventually came to the attention of Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong, who via air mail, encouraged and exhorted him to *obey* the living truths he was learning.

It soon became apparent that God

was calling Mr. Ortiguero to the realization that his affiliation with the Sardis era of the Church of God should be dropped. Finally the day came when he, after much prayer and study, mailed his ministerial credentials from this DEAD era (Rev. 3:1) of God's Church to the LIVING, GROWING, DYNAMIC PHILADELPHIA ERA Headquarters and asked to be considered as a member, or counseled for baptism or *whatever* it was he needed to do to obey God.

A Time of Trial

Immediately Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong and later Mr. Albert J. Portune began to lay out an intensified course of study and prayer for Mr. Ortiguero to follow. After a *long* period of testing and DOZENS OF LETTERS, it was determined that he could once again begin to conduct a weekly Bible study for the tiny handful of people who followed him out of the Sardis Church.

That number dwindled until just a

few really dedicated servants of Jesus Christ remained with him. These few then formed the nucleus and foundation for the small church which was finally raised up in San Nicolas.

During the slow agonizing months of testing and proving, the mail from the ALTO stations climbed gradually upward. Additional letters were received from others who were associated with the Sardis movement and wanted to know more about these strange new truths they were hearing preached. Names such as Almere, Cambare, Benitez and many others began to come into Headquarters requesting *large amounts* of literature for their followers.

These men were tribal as well as religious leaders of their people and wanted to know how to teach them the ways of the Bible. They spoke of representing *several hundred* natives and wanted literature in such strange sounding languages as Ilokano, Visayan and Tagalog. Obviously the Work wasn't equipped to handle these requests. But

here were HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE seeking the way of life.

This was *important!* Just how important it was hard to say. If God was dealing with such a large number of people, WE COULDN'T IGNORE IT! Yet it was *impossible* to determine by letter just how big a work God was preparing there. An around-the-world baptizing tour was being projected for some time in the future, but THIS COULDN'T WAIT!

How To Do the Job?

Someone would have to go there and give an on-the-spot appraisal of the need. WHO WOULD IT BE? Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong, the Director of the Overseas Work, couldn't go. He had too many other duties—teaching, counseling and most important of all, the radio broadcast—to be able to leave the United States.

He appointed his personal assistant, Mr. A. J. Portune, who had been reading all Mr. Ortiguero's letters as well as those from the other leaders, to take the emergency trip and look into things. Mr. Portune was to be met in Manila by Mr. Gerald Waterhouse who was at this time *pioneering* the Work in the new office in Australia as well as having served for many months in London, England. It looked as though we would have to open an office in Manila *immediately!* These two men would have the tremendous responsibility of evaluating the needs there and making recommendations to Headquarters.

Then there was the language barrier they were sure to face. It was decided

The Ortiguero family standing in front of their home in San Nicolas—this home was constructed almost entirely of Philippine Mahogany, and is the finest in the community. Mr. and Mrs. Pedro S. Ortiguero are on the right.

Mr. Ortiguero, who speaks the three main dialects of the Philippine Islands as well as English, would meet and accompany them to handle this difficulty as it arose.

New Problems To Face

Finally, just before Passover in 1961, the trip was taken. It was disappointing in many respects and very heartening in others. There weren't nearly as many *really converted*, consecrated natives in the group as we had hoped. Most of them were very poorly educated and *many* couldn't even understand English. They had to rely entirely on their leaders to teach them this new way of life.

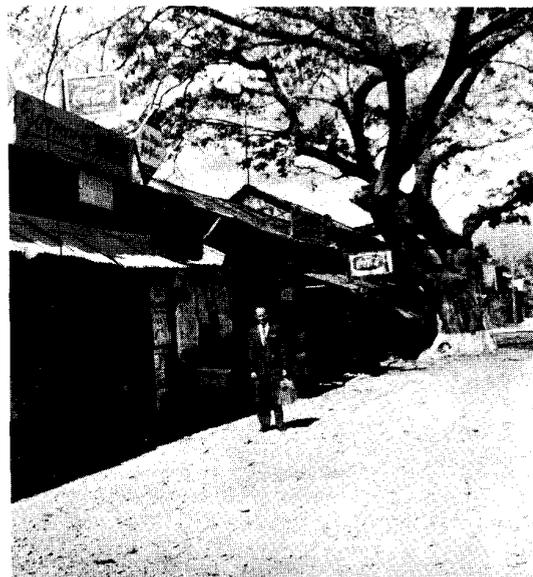
Without The WORLD TOMORROW broadcast—something most of us *take for granted* and don't *really appreciate*—to teach and guide them, they understood *very little* about even the MOST BASIC DOCTRINES of God's Church. Those who could understand English had to gather in groups around the ONE RADIO IN A WHOLE VILLAGE to hear Mr. Armstrong's voice fade in and out of the static. Many even of these would fall asleep during the broadcast because the time was late—far beyond the bedtime of these simple people.

On the heartening side, however, Mr. Ortiguero was a *deeply converted* and yielded man willing to do anything to help his people. And the people honestly did want to change. They just didn't know how.

It was obvious Christ wasn't as yet leading and forcing us to open an of-

fice in the Philippines. Yet there was a need! A whole nation was crying to be fed.

Mr. Portune and Mr. Waterhouse found that radio coverage was spotty. Something else was needed to carry the Gospel, BUT WHAT WOULD IT BE? Since Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong had instituted the ads in *Copper's Farmer* and *Reader's Digest*, perhaps



Mr. Waterhouse is shown here, standing in the main street of San Nicolas, on the trip Mr. Portune and he took in 1961.

magazine ads could be an effective way of reaching these people.

It was found that in spite of the rather poor over-all education, ALL the educated and professional people and even the *bulk* of the others could read English. The many years of control by the United States were to be thanked for this. Without the blessing of having been directly under the control of one of the tribes of Israel, the Philippine Islands might *never* have been able to receive the true Gospel of Christ in this age. They then were reaping in a roundabout way the blessing of the obedience of Abraham.

Mr. Portune returned to the United States and Mr. Waterhouse to Australia. Their recommendation was that no office be established *at that time*. The Work would have to develop further before we could justify that big a step.

A Possible Opening

Among the magazines brought back to "the states" by Mr. Portune was one that seemed to be just the thing we were looking for. It was about the size of *LIFE*, although not of as high a quality. It had a *nation-wide* circulation of nearly HALF A MILLION and was looked to and read by all the better





Mr. Guy Ames, presently in charge of the office responsibilities in the Philippines.

educated as a magazine of some character. The *Philippines Free Press* seemed to be the answer to our question of how to reach the masses more completely.

The question now was, would they accept ads from us and more important—HOW MUCH WOULD IT COST?

Some time was required to handle all these things by mail. It took discussion on the part of the ministers at Headquarters. Then letters to Mr. Ortiguero who checked with the publishers and later transmitted the information back via air mail.

In the meantime, Mr. Waterhouse was transferred back to the United States and assigned the responsibility of establishing the Church in Alabama.

Astonishing Results

Although the wheels ground slowly, they nonetheless ground relentlessly on toward the goal God had in mind. On May 26, 1962, THE VERY FIRST AD appeared in the *Philippines Free Press*. That ad, "Who Will Rule Space?" brought an *astonishing* and totally *unexpected* ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TEN responses and requests for The PLAIN TRUTH magazine.

GOD BEGAN TO BLESS THE WORK THERE! Mr. Ortiguero was appointed as a representative of the Work in the Philippines over the many leaders who had been writing to Headquarters. Under his able direction proper Church services were formed and reports began to come in of Sabbath services being conducted in Don Carlos, Kiara, Lanao del Norte and other places.

The Work was finally under way in the Philippines! The time had come TO ESTABLISH THE OFFICE.

Hurried plans had to be laid. Mr. Waterhouse received a rush letter from Mr. G. T. Armstrong in June 1962—JUST ONE YEAR AGO THIS MONTH! "Drop everything," it said, "and prepare to leave for Manila." Mr. Arthur Craig was jerked off a baptizing tour and pushed south to relieve Mr. Waterhouse.

Three short weeks later Mr. Waterhouse was on his way. He was met at the Manila airport July 23 by Mr. Ortiguero. There was no time to lose. Office space had to be found, equipment purchased and files for the rapidly expanding PLAIN TRUTH list established *in a hurry*—booklets ordered from Headquarters as more and more letters came pouring in and there wasn't even an office staff to do it.

Mr. Ortiguero's two sons, Benjamin and Jeremiah, had been helping him answer the mail in their spare time, but they weren't even on the payroll. These things all called for *fast action*. But God was on the job.

Space opened in the brand new Commercial Credit Corporation Building and a home for Mr. Waterhouse was leased all in a very unusual manner to show that God was REALLY BEHIND THIS NEW STEP in His Work. Benjamin and Jeremiah were taken on full time and the Work began to settle down.

Time has slipped rapidly by, but the Work of God never stops. Mr. Ortiguero has now been ordained as a Local Elder in God's Church and continues to guide and direct the leaders of the Churches throughout the Philippines.

Mr. Guy Ames, a fourth-year student at the college, has been relieved of his heavy work and class schedule and sent to Manila to take over the responsibilities of the office. This freed Mr. Waterhouse to go to South Africa and establish the much needed Church in Johannesburg and the Bible study in Durban.

The Work in the Philippines, however, continues to grow. A recent ad, "The Seven Rules to Success," broke ALL RECORDS! THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE responses came in from that one ad.

The Work has never found a less expensive way of reaching the people. The *over-all* cost of the ads in this magazine has been *less than* FIFTEEN CENTS PER REQUEST! That is an *absolutely unbelievable* LOW COST for reaching such a large number of people.

In just ONE YEAR'S TIME, The PLAIN TRUTH list has grown from practically nothing to over ELEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED.

Has God's heart been with this new facet of His Work? Jesus summed it up in Matthew 7:16, "Ye shall know them by their fruits . . . every good tree bringeth forth good fruit."

The fruits borne by the Work in the Philippines HAVE BEEN GOOD. Thousands are coming to know more about the TRUE WAY as a result of this Work.

Yes, God's heart IS in the Work there. IS YOURS? It's *your* Work! More important, IT IS GOD'S WORK!

This photo shows Mr. Garner Ted Armstrong on his visit to the Philippine office in 1962. Mr. Gerald Waterhouse seated at his desk in the fine office there. The inset picture shows the same offices as they appeared while being constructed.



"I Can't Do A Thing With My Hair!"

Whether hair is straight, curly, thick or thin—all women utter these words about their tresses! Would you like to remove this oft-repeated statement from your conversation? IT CAN BE DONE! This problem can be remedied!

by Nevelene Swaney, Deaconess and private secretary to
Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong

ARE YOU clever at managing your hair, arranging your hair? You CAN be! You should be able to groom your locks to daily perfection!

Good grooming is one facet of the woman God would have you be! To be well-groomed is to be at EASE—SELF can be *completely* forgotten—your mind is settled and can be used for the important purpose of *servicing others!*

A vitally important TOOL that can be used toward this end is CARE of the *hair!* A well-groomed head can offer more to a charming appearance than does becoming clothing. A woman SHOULD budget *time* and *money*, and conscientiously make an EFFORT to *learn how to manage* her hair so that it CAN become a GLORY to her as God intended.

Do not be discouraged—you with "straight hair"—those with "naturally curly" hair have problems also!

IF time and effort are expended in pursuit of this most important subject the *reward* will prove to be *beyond your highest expectations!* With *unrelenting* determination you can have gleaming, manageable hair that will be pleasing to God and attractive to others!

There Is a WAY!

There is a WAY—one that is practicable and workable! KEEP THE HAIR TRIMMED AND SHAPED PROPERLY! This should be done every 6 to 8 weeks, no matter what length hair. Hair grows $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{8}$ inch per month, and if not trimmed often enough it becomes uneven and bulky in spots—once again it is *unmanageable*—the very thing we should guard against!

EDITOR'S NOTE

Many of the women in God's True Church need helpful information in *good grooming*.

Entirely too few of our women have had instruction in HOW to keep their appearance *pleasing* to God, and attractive and graceful, with right modesty, to their brothers and sisters in God's Church.

In the last issue I explained the principles concerning clothes and hair styles, and the *length* of women's hair. In writing that article, I asked Mrs. Nevelene Swaney, Deaconess in God's Church, and private secretary to my father and me, to supply me with right information concerning *home permanents*, to include in my article. I soon realized the subject of permanents, and of *hair care* was deserving of an entire article in THE GOOD NEWS. It ought to be written to women, from a *converted woman's* point of view. I then asked Mrs. Swaney to write this article for you women of the Church of God, giving you some important factors in good grooming you can't afford to be without. Let's learn to *grow*, even in the comparatively *little* things in life!

—GARNER TED ARMSTRONG

The ANSWER is to find a COMPETENT hairdresser—one that is willing to follow your instructions rather than the latest *fads* in hair styles. Your instructions should be given in a soft-spoken *but* FIRM voice! It would be well to discuss this phase with those women you know who have had satisfactory results.

Choosing the Style and Acquiring the Know-how

The first step is careful planning toward the choice of style that will be most *becoming* to you as an individual. The *simpler* the style—the *easier* to take care of! A general idea of the style desired should be in mind before making an appointment to have the hair trimmed and shaped.

Numerous books and women's magazines contain not only articles on this subject, but also illustrations and detailed instructions for *setting* and *combing* the hair for any given style. They

can be purchased at any bookstore or magazine rack as well as borrowed from a public library.

You can experiment and "*try on*" a new hair style while giving yourself a shampoo—making a few slight changes in your regular procedure. After the first lathering, *gently* press the head with a towel to absorb the excess moisture—immediately lather again. Then wrap the head in a fresh towel for five minutes. Remove the towel and the suds will be gone—your hair will be "putty-like" in your hands. Shape, wave and arrange it to conform to the style that you have in mind. Even though your hair may be straight, you can push it into place. When you have the desired result, continue with your regular shampoo.

If you do not have the know-how for setting and combing the hair, it would be wise to have an operator do it the first time. However, this is more costly than having the hair trimmed and shaped *only*. Watch closely while the hair is being set and arranged so you will be able to do it later yourself.

The second step is *learning* to set and comb out the hair—working toward the goal of arranging the hair in a becoming and faultlessly groomed style. Straggly, unruly, wispy hair is caused by one of two things—badly conditioned hair OR *unskilled* handling!

SETTING the hair at home: The hair *must* be set between shampoos—some will even find it necessary to set it every day to have a smooth-appearing, shining coiffure that crowns your appearance! Hair may be set either dry or wet—following the approximate lines of the style of your hairdo. If set dry, when the curls are in place, dampen the surface of the hair with a

little water or wave lotion, using absorbent cotton. Begin the setting with the top section of hair—complete the entire front section before beginning on the rear, and work from the ear to the center back on both sides.

"COMBING OUT": Your set should be "combed out" with a hair-brush. To give your hair the *smooth* look—brush until every strand is separated and then adjust the hair with brush and palms of the hand. *Time* and *patience* are necessary to become skillful in the "comb out," but the result will be **WORTH** the *effort!*

Permanents?

Home permanents as well as those given at a beauty salon, *can* be harmful. The amount of harm is dependent on the strength of the solution containing the chemical—the ingredient that curls the hair. Damaging effects can *also* result from the condition of the hair as well as the health of the individual at the time of the permanent.

The vast difference in prices of permanents given in a salon is dependent on the services rendered—location, reputation, decor as well as any other extras increase the cost of the permanent. Also the cost is often determined by the time and labor involved; consequently, less care and patience are sometimes used in giving a less expensive permanent!

If a decision is made to use a home permanent—be **METICULOUS** about following every *admonition, advice, precaution* and *instruction* contained in the kit!

Careful consideration should be given to this topic, remembering that **THE HAIR MUST BE SET**, once or several times a week, *with* or *without* a permanent!

In most cases, the **WISEST** choice is **NOT** a permanent, **BUT** to keep the hair properly *trimmed, shaped, and set!*

Hair Sprays?

Sprays can be damaging to our health as well as to our hair! Difficulties can arise because the sprays cause dryness to the scalp and hair. It is wise to use caution when spraying the hair—some hairdressers will suggest you close your eyes and cover your nose with your hand while they spray the hairdo. In some salons a mask is given which you hold in front of your face while the hair is being sprayed!

A point to remember—sprays *react* differently on each person's hair. It is well to avoid those that leave a sticky or oily film on the hair. A *light* spray that can be brushed out and used on most any type of hair is for sale com-

mercially. Several women in the Church who have had professional experience have suggested one of two products—"STYLE" by Modart or "AQUA NET" by Rayette.

Hair spray should be used very *sparingly*—perhaps on damp and rainy days when the hair has a tendency to straighten out; just before shampooing when a special occasion arises; or in an emergency.

Shampoos

There is a tendency to feel hair can be washed too often! But your hair's health and beauty thrives on cleanliness and the individual treatment best suited to it. How often it should be washed depends on the type of hair—normal, dry, oily. The number of washings does not cause the damage—it is caused by the ingredients used!

Normal or dry scalps respond to a shampoo given every 5 to 7 days. **NEVER** more than a week should go by without a shampoo and set. At least two shampoos a week will show steady improvement and increased attractiveness in oily locks.

For dry hair, a good oil, egg or creme shampoo is recommended. Strong alkaline shampoos which cause additional dryness should be avoided. In the case of extremely oily hair, a soapless oil shampoo, or one which specifies "for oily hair" should be chosen. Don't hesitate to make a test until the right shampoo for your hair-type is found. Some women find that after using one type or brand of shampoo for a certain length of time, it does not perform the task as well as it did in the beginning. If this should occur, it would be well to change occasionally.

A lemon or vinegar rinse will give the hair life and sheen. Strain the juice of one lemon into two quarts of warm water, or add a cup of vinegar to one quart of warm water. The lemon rinse seems to lighten blonde hair and the vinegar mixture to burnish dark hair. After using either mixture, rinse hair with clear, warm water to remove any odor that may prevail.

Avoid rubbing the hair when drying it as this tends to tangle and break the ends of the hair. Gather the hair into a towel and press out the moisture. It is suggested that a coarse-toothed comb be used to untangle snarls, then set the curls and finish drying.

Brush, Brush and Brush Again!

Get better acquainted with your hair-brush!

Proper brushing frees the hair of dust and grime between shampoos and stimulates the scalp. The end product

—hair with a *natural* luster and brilliance—**AND** *easy to manage!*

Brushing should be done with firm, vigorous strokes, making all motions count. Begin at the hairline, continuing through the strand of hair out to the very end. Use a slight rolling motion with the brush, being careful not to tangle the hair. A proper brushing actually encourages "set-ability," rather than straightening out a fresh hairdo as many of us have been led to believe through listening to "old wives' tales"!

Brushing is helpful—even in cases of "oily hair." It helps to prevent poor circulation, a contributing factor to this condition.

In addition to brushing, scalp massage once or twice a week or before a shampoo is beneficial to normal and problem hair.

Helpful TIPS

Many *pitfalls* may be avoided if we use sound-mindedness in our approach to the care of our hair.

These helpful tips—some of them suggested by women in the Church who've had professional experience as beauty operators—will *prove* **WORTH-WHILE** if we establish them as part of our routine.

Dry hair can be caused by improper brushing, combing, the type of shampoo used, *permanents* and too much sun and wind.

There are several remedies: 1) Always brush hair before combing, first applying a *small* amount of creme dressing. 2) An excellent suggestion, of course, is the hot oil treatment. This treatment can be done in your own home. The equipment required is a shower cap, heating pad, large towel, good reconditioning creme, and, *once again, TIME!*

With most cremes you will shampoo the hair first. Next, apply the creme to the wet hair, being sure the ends are well covered. Massage and comb thoroughly. Pile the hair on top of the head, cover with the shower cap, and place the heating pad across the top of the head (hot towels may be used in place of the pad). Wrap with dry towel, secure with a pin or clamp, relax with study material for 30 minutes. Then—remove wrappings, rinse the hair well, and set it in your preferred style. If the hair is *extremely* damaged, this should be done every week for a month, then once a month until the hair is in proper condition. This also helps the growth of the hair.

Growing pains? If you are "letting your hair grow," it is suggested that you keep the broken ends of the hair trimmed evenly. This can be done by

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Increase YOUR Part In God's Work!

Here are some practical suggestions you can put to work in your life NOW — and you'll enjoy the next annual Festival much more.

by Richard H. Sedliacik

MANY MEMBERS in God's Church say regretfully: "If I only had MORE money, I'd give more FINANCIAL SUPPORT to God's Work." But there is something *you*—as an individual—CAN DO to increase YOUR support. Read this article carefully to learn what you can do!

Main Support Through Tithes

First of all, let's *review* what God says about His tithing law in Malachi 3. "Bring ye *ALL* the TITHES into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and *prove me* now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and *pour you out* a BLESSING, that there shall not be room enough to receive it" (Mal. 3:10).

Notice. We're to bring *all*—not a part, but *ALL*—the tithes into God's "storehouse"—His Work on earth.

Have *you* been *faithfully* sending the *entire* first tenth of your income to God's Work? Have you been *saving ALL* of your *second tithe* which enables you and your family to attend the Feast of Tabernacles and God's other Festivals? Or have you been *spending a part of it*? And have you been obediently saving the *third tithe* every third year?

If your conscience is clear *before God* in saving these *three* tithes, this is good and pleasing in God's sight. But there is *still* something MORE which God commands concerning His financial law.

God Also Commands Offerings

Besides bringing *all* the tithes into the storehouse, God commands us to give OFFERINGS. Malachi 3:8-9 shows that this nation has *robbed God* in OFFERINGS, as well as tithes!

"Will a man *rob* God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have

we robbed thee? In tithes and *offerings*."

Yes, God also expects *us* to give OFFERINGS to His Work—but only *as we are financially able*. God allows US to *determine the amount* of our offering. "Every man according as HE *purposeth in his heart*, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a *cheerful giver*" (II Cor. 9:7).

But also remember what God inspired the Apostle Paul to write in the preceding verse: "He which soweth sparingly shall *reap also sparingly*; and he which soweth bountifully shall *reap also bountifully*." In other words, the more you give, the more God will bless you in return! God holds you responsible for giving a *generous and equitable* offering to His Work—*according to your ability*.

So if you have been faithful in *obeying* God's tithing law respecting the *three* separate tithes (Deut. 14:22-29), and giving OFFERINGS as well, then you can hold God to His *promise*: "PROVE ME NOW HEREWITH . . . if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and *POUR YOU OUT A BLESSING*, that there shall not be room enough to receive it" (Mal. 3:10).

God blesses the *faithful* tithe-payer, enabling him not only to have more money for himself, but also to have MORE *tithes* and *offerings* for God's Work!

Special Holy Day Offering

God also commands His people to give a *special offering* OVER and ABOVE their *regular* tithes and offerings. But notice. This special offering is to be given *only* at certain *specific "times"* of the year. "Three times in a year shall all thy males appear before the Lord thy God in the place which he shall choose; in the feast of un-

leavened bread, and in the feast of weeks, and in the feast of tabernacles: and they shall *not appear before the Lord EMPTY*: Every man *shall give* as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord thy God which he hath given thee" (Deut. 16:16-17).

These "three times," or *seasons* obviously include all *seven* of God's annual Festivals. It is during *each* of the *seven annual* Holy Sabbath convocations that God's Church takes up this special offering for the furtherance of the Gospel.

Every October, God's Work suffers a *sharp drop* in income from *regular* tithes and offerings. This is because *some* brethren in God's Church place their *regular* tithes and offerings into the collection during the Feast of Tabernacles, instead of giving a SPECIAL offering which is OVER and ABOVE the *regular* tithes and offerings they normally *send* to the Work during that time!

Brethren, this SHOULD NOT BE DONE! God intends these special Holy Day offerings to be an *additional source* of income to help further His Work. If a large percentage of members just give their regular tithes and offerings on these special days, then it's *obvious* that the income of God's Work is not being increased *over* and *above* regular tithes and offerings! But if all of God's people give *generous* SPECIAL offerings during this Feast in ADDITION to their regular tithes and offerings, then *October* will always be the *biggest month* of the year for the Work!

Begin To Save Now!

Many of God's people have *begun* LAYING ASIDE a certain amount of money *each week*—according to their ability. They want to be sure to have a *generous* offering *ready* and *waiting* for the special Holy Day collections.

Suppose you immediately begin to

save just one dollar per week for your special Holy Day offering fund. You really won't miss it. And think how *overjoyed* you'll be when you come to the Feasts—not "EMPTY-HANDED"—but with a purse *full* of money! By diligently saving *just one dollar per week*, you will have saved a *total* of \$50.00 in a year's time!

Many may be able to save much MORE than one dollar a week. It all depends on *how much* God has blessed you.

Astounding as this sounds, if EVERY regular tithe-paying member in God's Church saved *only one dollar* a week for this special offering, then the Work of God would receive an *additional* income (OVER and ABOVE regular tithes and offerings) of at least \$450,000 in one year!! Imagine how much *good* this amount would do in helping to send the Gospel to the world!

But remember, this is only a MINIMUM figure based on *one dollar per week*. The actual amount would be MUCH LARGER since many will have saved up *more* than a dollar each week! And many others will be inspired at the last moment to give an *extra* amount in addition to what they have saved already.

If you have *not* been putting aside a special savings, then begin to do so AT ONCE—as God has prospered you. You will then have a *generous* offering to give the next time it is taken up at one of God's annual Holy Days. Then you will not be *tempted* to deceive yourself or God by putting your regular tithes and offerings into the basket and letting that *soothe your conscience* into thinking you've made a "special" offering!

Even if some *very few* of you aren't able to save as much as a dollar a week, you *can* PRAY that God will cause others who *are able*, to give VERY GENEROUSLY!

Not Blessed Very Much?

Some *few* in God's Church are not being blessed very much financially if, seemingly at all—even after having *faithfully* tithed and given offerings to God's Work for some time.

There definitely is a REASON why they are not receiving *as great* a blessing as God would like to give them. Perhaps He is just *testing* them for a while to see if they will *continue* to faithfully tithe and give offerings. Or, perhaps their ATTITUDE in tithing is *not quite right*—perhaps they are just *selfishly* desiring God's blessings so they can heap up more material

wealth *for themselves*. You must search your own heart in this matter.

But it is also possible you are *not fully DOING YOUR PART!* Perhaps you are not applying *other* laws of God which operate *hand in hand* with tithing. Stop for a moment and ask yourself these questions. "What kind of a *worker* am I on my job? Am I like the ordinary run-of-the-mill labor union employee who is out to GET all he can for as LITTLE EFFORT as possible?"

Frankly, brethren, some of you still have *remnants* of this modern worldly attitude toward working today! We have all been brought up completely under the sway of this world's God-rejecting ways. But God commands us to *come OUT of this world* in EVERY WAY! (Rev. 18:4).

How can anyone expect God to bless him financially if he *doesn't deserve* it in the first place? No, he can't! God says, "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man *soweth*, that shall he also REAP" (Gal. 6:7).

If you still have tendencies toward being lazy on the job, *uninterested* in your work, not THINKING about what you are doing—not striving to *improve* the QUALITY of *your work constantly*—then you certainly cannot expect God to cause your employer to *suddenly raise* your salary just because you are tithing—can you? Of course not!

Notice what God says is the *inevitable* reward of the slothful, as contrasted with the diligent: "He *becometh POOR* that dealeth with a SLACK HAND: but the hand of the *diligent MAKETH RICH!*" (Prov. 10:4).

An Example of Industry

I know of a *widow* in God's Church who supports herself. She has been faithfully tithing and giving *generous* offerings to the Work ever since she was converted. Just recently, she *joyfully* told me she received a RAISE in pay!

Besides being faithfully obedient to God's tithing law, she has been obeying *another* very important principle revealed in God's Word. *She is INDUSTRIAL!* She spends ALL 8 hours of her workday *WORKING* for her employer—not *DAYDREAMING*—but keeping *BUSY ALL OF THE TIME!* Her employer showed his appreciation by *giving her* a RAISE!

This lady believes and applies the scripture which says, "WHATSOEVER *thy hand findeth to do*, DO IT WITH *THY MIGHT* . . ." (Eccles. 9:10). She doesn't do a job half-way—she does it with all the strength and ability

she can muster, THINKING about what she is doing all the time!

Working for Jesus Christ

This particular widow understands that working for her earthly employer is just the *same* as if she were working for *Jesus Christ Himself!* "Servants [employees], obey in all things your masters [employers] according to the flesh; not with eyeservice, as men-pleasers [not only when the boss is *looking*]; but in singleness of heart, fearing God: And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, *as to the Lord*, and not unto men; Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for YE SERVE THE LORD CHRIST" (Col. 3:22-24).

By working hard for your employer as if he were Jesus Christ, you are building the kind of *righteous* character God desires. By being *faithful* to your *earthly* employer, being *diligent*, using your mind and becoming a *trustworthy* employee, God knows that when you begin serving Him for ALL ETERNITY, you will also be a reliable, *trustworthy*, HARD-WORKING SON OF GOD!

"He that is faithful in that which is *least* is *faithful also in much*: and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much . . . if ye have not been faithful in that which is *another man's*, who shall give you that which is your own [eternal life with *riches, glory, and honor*]?" (Luke 16:10, 12).

God knows that if we are *lazy*, and *daydream* on the job—if we won't serve our earthly employer with ALL OUR MIGHT—then we wouldn't serve God in *His Kingdom* with all our might either!

The way we serve our *earthly* employer NOW will determine, to a very great extent, the future position (or the *lack* of it) to be given us by our heavenly Employer for ALL ETERNITY! That is *why* we are COMMANDED to serve our present employer as if he were Jesus Christ.

Because so many people who have money are sinful—money *itself* is considered evil. This is the *world's way* of defining sin—*cards* are sin, alcohol is sin, money is the root of all evil. God plainly shows, of course, that it is the USE of these things—not the *things themselves*—which is sinful—OR RIGHT.

Your USE of money is *very important* to GOD! "If therefore ye have not been *faithful* in the unrighteous mammon [if you have not USED MONEY RIGHTLY], who will commit to your trust the true riches [how

can God give you the WEALTH of His Kingdom?]" (Luke 16:11).

As God's servants, we are not to *worship* money, nor to *waste* it! We must USE IT WISELY—and how more wisely can money be used than in God's own Work!

The Diligent Rewarded Now

In Titus 2:9-10 we read: "Exhort servants [this certainly applies to HIRED as well as bond servants] to be *obedient* unto their own masters [employers], and TO PLEASE THEM WELL IN ALL THINGS; not answering again [not talking back]; Not purloining [to *delay* or to STEAL], but shewing all good *fidelity* [loyalty]; that they may adorn the doctrine of God our Saviour in all things."

If you obey this scripture by really PLEASING your employer in ALL things—if you don't *argue* with him, if you don't STEAL from him by not keeping your mind on what he has hired you to do and by *not* arriving to work on time—if you *prove* to him that you are FAITHFUL, that you can be *trusted* to do what he has instructed you to do EXACTLY THE WAY HE SAID TO DO IT—then you will be a VERY VALUABLE EMPLOYEE indeed!

Your employer will notice you are *different* from his other employees who are out to give as *little* as possible for *all* they can GET! He will see to it that your wages are INCREASED sooner or later—thus enabling you to have *more money* to better help support God's Work. It is NEEDED *now* MORE *than ever before!*

Another way to *serve* your employer well is to be willing to work *overtime* if he asks you—and even *offer* to work overtime *if it is necessary* to get a particular job done on time. Your employer will really appreciate your willingness to co-operate in this way. Remember Christ said if we only do that which is expected of us, we're *unprofitable* servants! (Luke 17:10).

In order to be truly *profitable* servants and work for our employer as we would for Christ, then here is something else we should be doing.

Study To Increase Job Knowledge

The widow, whose example I mentioned previously, is setting another fine example which all of us would do well to follow. She is taking a home study correspondence course dealing with her particular line of work. Her employer was *very pleased* to hear she

was so interested in her work—that she was willing to spend *extra time* increasing her knowledge of the job.

Whatever your occupation is, you should continually strive to *increase your knowledge* of your job. For example, if you are a gardener, *read books* on gardening and related specialized fields. *You can always learn more.* I know of a man who never went to high school, yet he studied on his own and *applied himself* until he is now one of the leading floriculturists in the country. He even lectures to college and television audiences!

So no matter what your present occupation is, STUDY to increase your knowledge of your job—whether you take a correspondence course, or just read books on your occupation from the library and take *periodicals* dealing with your line of work.

Your employer will soon recognize your *earnest desire* to do your job *well* and will hold you in high esteem, considering you to be one of his *most valuable employees!* If a layoff should occur, your chances of remaining on the job will be greatly increased. You will still have a job and be able to continue *supporting* God's Work financially, as well as yourself and family. And besides, you will sooner or later receive an *increase in pay* which will mean *more money* for you and *more tithes* and offerings for God's Work.

Make Extra Money, Too

There are many ways in which you can earn some *extra money* for God's Work. For example, I know of a single girl who makes money selling homemade leathercraft and paintings. I also know of a housewife who owns a female Siamese cat for a household pet. Siamese kittens sell from \$15 to \$25 each! So if one is going to own a pet, why not have one of *value?* Some older women and widows, and some younger ones, too, can make a *few* extra dollars sewing.

The children will also enjoy earning *extra money* for themselves, and will *experience the great satisfaction* and JOY of saving their tithes and offerings for the Work. Boys can do odd jobs such as mowing lawns, delivering papers, etc. Girls can earn EXTRA MONEY, and learn responsibility at the same time, by baby-sitting.

Perhaps you would prefer to *faithfully save EVERY nickel or dime* you find in your change. You'll never miss it, and just think how much money you can *save* for *additional* offerings.

These are only a FEW of the myriad ideas to be thought of for making

EXTRA money. Look over your *own* situation, and determine how you can *best* save something MORE for the Work.

Remember, only \$5.00—or *more*—per month from each member would amount to \$50,000 or \$75,000 *additional income* each month than God's Work presently receives! Nearly a MILLION DOLLARS MORE a year!!

Your Part Is Great!

The dollars you are sending to God's Work are having a *tremendous IMPACT* upon the world! Your dollars help make it possible for Mr. Armstrong to THUNDER The WORLD TOMORROW broadcast—WORLD-WIDE—as a *witness!*

Your dollars are helping to make possible the publication of The PLAIN TRUTH and The GOOD NEWS magazines. Yes, and your dollars are helping to send out The Ambassador College Bible CORRESPONDENCE COURSE—*free of charge*—to all who request it.

As a *direct result* of the program YOU help support, *thousands* are being converted to God's joyous, *prosperous*, and ABUNDANT way of life. But *without* your dollars, no future ministers could be trained in Ambassador College to shepherd these flocks. In fact, there *wouldn't* even be an Ambassador College! And there would be *no* WORLD TOMORROW broadcast!!

If you begin to *earnestly apply* the principles from God's Word that have been set forth in this article, then you can look forward to a *wonderful experience*—the great satisfaction of knowing that the *extra money* you will be sending to God's ministry will be used to convert *more* precious lives for His Kingdom—to live and reign with Christ *forever and ever!*

Notice the MAGNITUDE of the *infinite glory* God promises to give those who have a part in this great Work of *turning* MANY to righteousness: "And they that be wise shall *shine* as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the STARS FOR EVER AND EVER" (Dan. 12:3).

Yes, YOUR PART in God's Work is VITAL! *Never underestimate it!*

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Nazarite Vow

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arrested Him would NOT *have known* which one of the disciples He was!

Finally, a Nazarite could not become defiled by touching a *dead body* (Num. 6:6-7). We find in Mark 5:41 that Jesus DID touch a *dead body*—the body of a girl He raised from death to life again by a miracle! If Jesus had been a Nazarite He would have BROKEN HIS VOW with God by *touching* the girl's dead body (Num. 19:11)!

Once a man had taken upon himself a Nazarite vow, he was BOUND BY AN UNCONDITIONAL OATH to keep all of the restrictions that went with that vow. If he failed in *any one* he would have broken his covenant with God. This would have been a SIN!

Jesus Christ NEVER SINNED! Yet He didn't *keep* a SINGLE REQUIREMENT of a Nazarite vow! He *could NOT have been* under such a vow. Jesus Christ was not a Nazarite!

But in Matthew 2:23, Jesus Christ is called a "Nazarene".

What is a Nazarene, and why was Jesus called by that name?

Smith's *Dictionary of the Bible* explains that a Nazarene was merely an *inhabitant of Nazareth!* He was called, "Jesus of Nazareth" (Matt. 26:71), or a Nazarene, because He was *reared* in this small town. Just as today we call a man from Texas a "Texan," and a man from Europe, a European. Christ was a NazARENE, NOT a NazARITE!

Jesus Christ was called a "Nazarene," not because He had taken a Nazarite vow, but because He had grown up in the *town of Nazareth!*

Readers Say

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a financial burden to us. It sold during our third tithe year. God also blessed us with a business of our own during our third tithe year and it is doing very well."

Couple, Oregon

Medicine Chest Cleared

"We just finished studying your booklet on healing. We have just cleared out our medicine chest, and from now on are going to eat right and trust completely in God for our health."

Couple, California

Letter to President

"I believe my discharge may be coming through in about two weeks. I would like to thank you for the letter

you sent to my chaplain. I sent a letter to the President and he answered it personally. That's what started them 'moving.'"

A Soldier

- *Sometimes it pays to be resourceful!*

Donates Entire Check

"Last Sunday I opened a tortilla factory. The enclosed check is the entire gross income for our first day of business as the firstfruits of a factory that has just come into existence. I am happy to say this much, Mr. Armstrong, you have a part in this business. I started to follow the seven laws of success at the age of sixty-three."

Man, Texas

- *And it's never too late to start!*

Record Blessing

"This is our third tithe year and God *has* been blessing us abundantly. So much that we have to make a record of the things He is blessing us with. Both spiritually and physically. God has promised to bless us if we obey Him. He sure is doing just that, which proves another point that God does exist."

Couple, New York

- *Far more brethren need to learn it is only faithful tithing that God will bless.*

Increases Pledge

"I'm sorry to hear of the postponement of the College in Gladewater. I know God lays this responsibility upon our shoulders and it is our solemn duty to take care of this grave necessity. So I hope to exceed my monthly pledge and send in more."

Man, Missouri

- *A fine example for thousands of us to follow!*

Hair Care

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having $\frac{1}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of the hair trimmed off every 2 to 3 months. When split, damaged ends are present, they are continually being broken off every time you comb or brush your hair. Keep your sights on the final style you wish to achieve. Then you can begin immediate training of your locks. By the time the desired length is reached you will have a perfected style as well as good grooming during the interval.

Rear views! A plastic rearview mirror that fits around your neck is the least expensive type of accessory with which to view yourself from the back.

The well-groomed look must be an *all-around one!*

Curler type for your hair problem! Is your hair *thick*? The "bushy" look may be controlled by professional shaping, thinning and then choosing a plastic-mesh-roller size that will take well to a one-inch-wide strand of hair.

Do you have *coarse hair*? A large-roller setting preceded by an after-shampoo creme rinse can do wonders—your hair acquires a new-found smoothness.

Fine hair holds its set longer when curled on small or medium-sized rollers. This gives a tighter setting.

Medium length and a medium-sized-roller setting makes the most of *thin hair*—giving it spring and making it appear more abundant.

Beribboned! If *necessary* to have your hair in rollers and/or pin curls during the night—attractive, frilly, feminine, colored nets and hair coverings can double as a security measure while covering the curlers or holding the hairdo in place.

An *inexpensive*, portable *hair drier* is a wise investment for at-home care of the hair. The effectiveness of using a hair drier has frequently been questioned. But there is little confirmation for the claim that hot air, for the short time required, causes a dry condition! On the contrary, quick drying is preferable for a variety of reasons: the set is longer-lasting; the hairdo has a smoother appearance; the drying time involved is lessened, leaving one free for other important tasks! If the hair and scalp are in an unusually dry condition, a small amount of creme dressing can be applied to the scalp before using the drier.

In checking into the price range of driers (approximately \$9 to \$25), it was found the reason some are less expensive is that they have only two heat-control settings—hot and cool—which I find sufficient. "Hot" regulates the heat to "medium" which will prove to be the most comfortable setting for the average person. However, this takes about an hour to dry medium-length hair, whereas the more expensive driers with several settings can accomplish it in 15 to 20 minutes using a VERY HIGH HEAT—which can be detrimental to the scalp! The expensive driers also contain unnecessary "extras" such as a carrying case, fingernail-polish drier, etc.

The suggestions and tips covered in this article are just a few aspects of this fascinating subject—giving you keys to unlock it to further STUDY!

NEVER grow complacent about your hair-care routines! Experiment and learn!