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Back from India



So much has been happening with the Way of the Master, it's leaving us spinning. This includes a whirlwind trip to India (71 hours travel) to teach the principles of Biblical Evangelism.

There Ray and EZ (our General Manager) spoke at [Gospel for Asia](#), a wonderful organization that sends missionaries all over India, Bhutan, Myanmar, Nepal, and Sri Lanka. They have over 14,000 native missionaries in various countries.



Left Behind: World War III

Ray and EZ spent a couple of days in Toronto on the set of the newest Left Behind movie. Kirk is very excited about this movie and its evangelistic potential. While they were there Ray was able to witness to the "antichrist," as well as a number of other members of the cast. Please pray for them.

(EZ is pictured left with Gordon Currie who plays "Nicolae Carpathia" in Left Behind.) Kirk will be including an exciting article in next month's newsletter detailing his witnessing experiences on the set.

NEW COLUMNS



Kirk Cameron

Could I be Wrong?

"Some people have asked me if I could be wrong about my convictions about God and the Bible. Fair question..."



Ray Comfort

The Lightning and Thunder of God

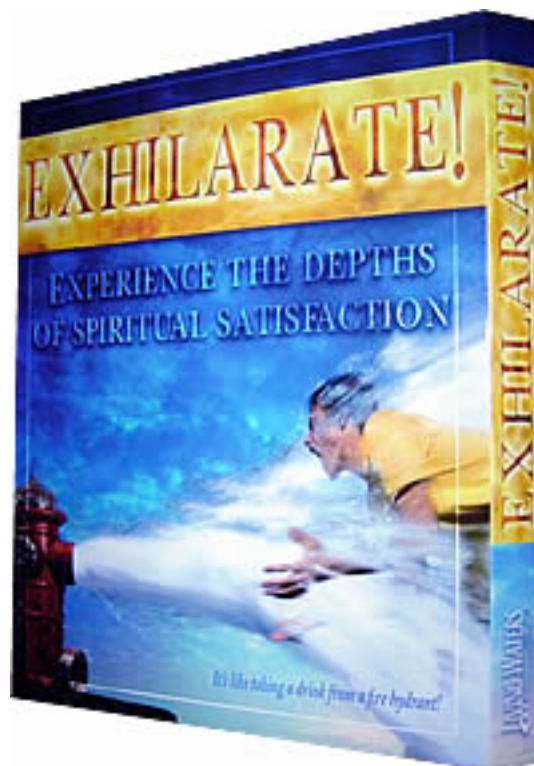
"Recently, Sue and I were preparing dinner when the lights in our house suddenly went dim. A second later we understood why. There was a flash of lightning, then a massive three-fold roll of thunder that shook the house and everything within it..."

Share the Exhilaration!

Have you ever wanted to present the principles of Biblical evangelism to your pastor, youth group leader or a Christian friend? The "[Exhilarate!](#)" package is designed for that very purpose. It contains "Hell's Best Kept Secret" and "True and False Conversion" on CD and the book, *The Way of the Master*.



All together, this makes a very classy gift that should make a great impression on whomever you decide to give it to. \$20 each.



Ridiculed for Witnessing

By Ray Comfort

I was encouraged recently when I received a phone call from a woman who lives in Australia. She told me that 20 years earlier, she had been running along a beach in New Zealand when I ran alongside her and witnessed to her.

She said that she ridiculed me, but shortly afterwards was soundly saved. Since then, she has led half of her family to Christ, including her own father on his deathbed. And now she and her husband travel together and preach the gospel.

Never be discouraged. Even if you are stoned to death for the sake of Christ, God may use your words to speak to someone who is holding the clothes of those who sent you to Heaven. There's no such thing as failure, when you are faithful.

Fruit and Nut

Kirk and Ray spoke at a Worldview Weekend seminar in which they took a number of folks out to preach open air. It rained, so the organizer said that a member of the hosting church owned a supermarket. He led us into the fruit and nut section and we had the surreal experience of preaching "open air" on a soap box in a huge supermarket. We have another [Worldview Weekend](#) coming up in Branson (MO) at the end of April.



New & Improved Millions

Our [Million Dollar Bill](#) has received an extreme makeover. The graphics have been greatly improved on both sides, plus now it even has a touch of various colors (just like the latest genuine bills). The gospel message is still subtle, but much easier to read due to darker text and a cleaner font. Reaction to these is even better.



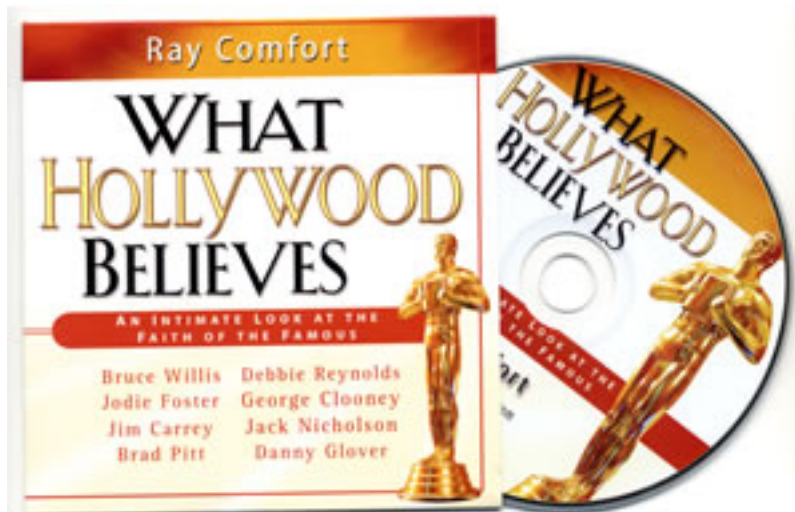
Down Under Agents

We have established Living Waters Publications down-under. Ben and Melissa Day are our zealous agents (graduates of the [Evangelism Boot Camp](#)). They recently hosted a seminar in New Zealand and were delighted with the turnout (many more seminars are planned). See www.livingwatersnewzealand.com for details. While you are there, check out the new Australia and New Zealand million dollar bill tract available for sale on their site.

What Hollywood Believes

"I've seen the *results* of this CD message after I've given away this to people. Praise God!" Steve M., Maryland.

Please take advantage of the [What Hollywood Believes CD](#). It is low cost, answers a number of the questions and objections of celebrities, and has a very clear gospel message.



We also received this encouragement about the [What Hollywood Believes book](#): "I just wanted to let [you] know that my father was converted reading *What Hollywood Believes* . . . I will pray for you and your family daily, as well as Kirk and his family, Mark and EZ and all your friends and fellow laborers. May God truly bless His great work in you. -- Ty and Barb."

Please do pray for our staff. Seven (out of ten) of the ministry staff's wives have been struck in recent months with very serious health problems -- from breast cancer, to panic attacks, to miscarriages, to lock jaw, and arthritis. The wives' names are: Sue, Becky, Sarah, Chelsea, Kim, Yasmine, Laura, Rachel, Carol, and Anna. Thank you.

By the way, *Charisma* magazine kindly asked Ray to write an article on faith in Hollywood. It is in their April edition: <http://www.charismamag.com/>.

Ex-Atheist Hooked on Coins

Sent in by Darin S.

This is the second package of [Ten Commandments coins](#)

I've ordered from you. I really like them. A lot of tracts, people will just look at and put back down -- but a nice big shiny coin attracts attention the way paper tracts just don't. It's a great feeling being able to leave them around in places like fast food restaurants, restrooms, and store counters. It really feels like I'm accomplishing something for God. It's like throwing out seeds. If just one of them moves someone even a little closer to salvation in Christ, it was more than worth the price of the whole bag. (I was an atheist for most of my life.) -- Sincerely, Darin S.



Free--take one

Sent in by Sean S.

I work in a call center and I don't have a lot of time off the phone to actually witness to co-workers. So, I have put up a sign that says "Free--take one," and I leave your tracts in it. I had heard people say that non-believers would ask for more of your tracts but never had it happen to me until yesterday. A person I didn't even know came and was looking through the tracts for a new one. I was able to give her the test your reading skills. Thanks again, I love your ministry and can't thank you enough.



Grab a cup of coffee and dig in. We offer these stories to encourage you that ANYONE can share their faith. These are real people, just like you... if they can do it -- you can do it!

Life is quick -- stay focused.

...: Showing the Church that ANYONE Can! :...

Sent in by Craig H. (Linton, IN)

We have been studying [biblical evangelism] at our church and I kept hearing people say "normal people couldn't do that like Ray and Kirk do." So another member and I decided to make our own "Way of the Master" video and show the church that truly **anyone** could walk up to a stranger and witness using this method. We went to Indiana University and just began to walk the campus and talk to people. It was so easy and a very wonderful experience. In about a two hour period we were able to witness to a Muslim, a Buddhist, two Jewish girls (who claimed that Jews did not believe in the Ten Commandments), a Mormon student, and two atheists. We were just so encouraged that we were able to share our faith with these people. Thank you for being so faithful and for teaching me how to truly witness to someone without just inviting them to go to church with me. By the way, I have now begun to use many of your tracts at my work place to witness to my co-workers. I work in an underground coal mine and let me just say that it isn't the best environment to witness to people in but your tract's have made it extremely easy to do. Thank you!

...: Those 'Hard-to-talk-to' Family Members :...

Sent in by Kim S.

One thing that has always been an inspiration to me about Ray is how he is faithful in the little things. I remember reading once that he said you have to be creative. I have been wanting to witness to my 86 year old Grandpa for a long time. He lives a couple of hours away from me and we do not have a very close relationship yet I see him a few times a year and I send him cards in the mail. This year as his birthday approached I was thinking hard about what I could do for him. He has a very hard heart and my parents have tried witnessing to him a few times this year and he did not take it well at all. I knew a phone call

was not the route to go and he is not a reader so a letter would not do either. I decided to make a cassette of me sending him a "birthday message". I started in the natural and talked about how long he has lived and how I was proud to be a part of his big family and then I swung it to the spiritual and shared the Ten Commandments and the realities of hell and what the Bible says about it. (my parents told me he said he was not afraid of hell because he just believed he would cease to exist when he dies). I was able to sit and go through the law and the gospel and plead with him about the realities of the Bible...all in a relaxed atmosphere knowing I could always stop and rewind and start over if I felt I was messing up. Though I didn't have to do that....my first try the Holy Spirit really helped me with the right words. I am going to start doing this for other family members and friends who live far away who I don't see too much that have been on my heart. What a great way to share the gospel in a personal way and I really think people will appreciate the time taken to do that. Anyway, that is my little idea on a creative way to share the gospel with others...it's also nice for those of us who are new at sharing our faith. Thanks Ray for encouraging me to get creative!

Do you want to contribute your witnessing experiences, tract stories and creative evangelism ideas to the "Coffee Break" column? Send them to: share@wayofthemaster.com, and maybe we'll use yours!

(Please include your first name, last name, and location, in case we use *your* story!)

God bless,

Kirk Cameron, Ray Comfort, and The Way of the Master Staff

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If they like it, encourage them to [sign-up to receive it themselves](#). We want to build and equip a massive army of Christians to reach out to the lost, and the newsletter is an ideal way to keep in contact with them.

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