



# NEWS from Bringing to Light

The Entrance of Thy Words Giveth Light.

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## "The Victory That Overcomes"

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America celebrates July 4 as the day that our country's leaders declared our independence from England. The mother country had strapped our early fore-fathers with laws that hindered religious freedoms and forced unreasonable taxes. Through the spilling of much blood, America became the "land of the free; one nation under God with freedom and justice for all." We rejoice in the freedoms that have been given to us in America; yet, we stand in awe of what is declared as "freedom" in our land.

Are Americans free to slaughter the unborn child? Where is the baby's freedom? Does freedom include two men being allowed to marry, or two women being married? Does "Freedom of speech" mean the freedom to spread pornography through the internet or spew the dregs of venomous words through our televisions, radios, etc.? Do we applaud the freedom for anyone to come into America, lift up their gods, while they disdain Christians?

I cry out, "Oh God forgive America. We have failed You. Please be merciful to our land. You still have Your children here who acknowledge that their freedom is in Christ Jesus and no other." I see God's hand of mercy to His own throughout scripture. Yes, God destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah, but He delivered Lot, his wife, and two daughters. Yes, the world was destroyed by a flood, but God led righteous Noah to build an ark that saved him and his family. Do we see trouble in America? Yes, on every side. Fear attempts to grip our hearts. What does the future hold? I do not know how much trouble we will see, but God promised that "He would never leave us nor forsake us" and that "the gates of hell would not prevail against the church" (Heb. 13:5; Mt. 16:18).

Church, you born-again ones, I encourage you, "fear not." In John 16:33 (Amp.), we read, "I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have [perfect] peace and confidence. In the world you have tribulation and trials and distress and frustration; but be of good cheer [take courage; be confident, certain, undaunted! For I have overcome the world. [I have deprived it of power to harm you and have conquered it for you.].

## Rays of Light



A man and woman went out for supper at a local restaurant. They drove by Park West Church on a Sunday evening and felt compelled to come in, not knowing what would be going on. Charlotte was teaching her class, Homebuilders, in the sanctuary. They listened attentively. Charlotte was led by the Holy Spirit to talk about making sure that we were born again. "Jesus is

coming soon, and we must be ready," she said. At the conclusion of the service, the couple made their way to the altar for prayer. Others wanted prayer as well. The woman rededicated her life to the Lord and her husband was marvelously born again. He responded, "I've never felt the Lord like that before." Praise the Lord!

## Taking the Light



- Monday-Friday - 7:00am WITA Radio 1490 AM
- WVLR TV 48-Monday, 9:30am & Friday, 8pm  
Our program may be seen on the web, WVLR. Also visit us at [www.bringingtolight.org](http://www.bringingtolight.org)
- TBN-Friday, 8:30pm (Comcast cable only)
- Teaching at Park West Church every Sunday evening at 6pm, except the last Sunday of each month, with prayer for needs following the teaching.
- Community Evangelism each Tuesday evening at 6:30pm at Park West Church.

## Prayer Requests



- Please pray that the Lord would draw people to our BTLM broadcasts and minister to them exactly what they need.
- Let's believe the Lord for His ministering salvations, rededications, healings, and miracles.
- Lord, please send revival across America.
- The upcoming Presidential election.
- Please pray for Charlotte as a wife, mother, grandmother, minister, counselor, and student.
- Please agree for the finances needed to be met in every area

**Lord, we honor every man and woman who died to make America free! Thank You, Jesus, You have made us free – free indeed!**

