

Truth For The World

Newsletter

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The World Is Hungry—Help Us Feed Them!

Something strange is going on in my hometown of Duluth, Georgia. First it was the Burger King. That large edifice advertising its chicken fries to all who passed by on the highway has closed its doors, now an empty, sad looking building. Next was Sonic, which also went under recently, despite being located at a fairly busy intersection in town. If I had only gone there more often to have a Blast, perhaps I could have saved it from such a demise!

Also in Duluth is a different kind of establishment. From the highway, it looks like a little house, and only upon further inspection will you notice that it's actually a sizeable two-story building, expanded towards the back. At this place, instead of feeding people burgers and ice cream, a steady diet of God's Word and the good news of Jesus Christ goes out to all who will hear or read it. This is where I work, and it's called *Truth For The World*.

You may think it odd that I'm drawing comparisons between an evangelistic work and fast food restaurants, and of course they are quite different in their goals, mission, and everyday operation. However, one thing that they all have in common is a need for money to continue operating.

A childhood hero of mine, Doctor Dolittle, wisely said "Money is a nuisance." I tend to agree with him, but the fact is that the reason Burger King and Sonic went out of business, is because they weren't making enough of it. Apparently the people of Duluth just didn't feel like eating any more flame-grilled burgers, and that was that.

Interestingly enough, Truth For The World is not having that type of problem. In fact, the number of people coming to us hungry for God's Word is only increasing, and what a blessing that is! Food from Sonic will not last (although you will probably still have the taste in your mouth until the next day). But the gospel of Jesus saves souls for eternity.

Despite this, however, I am concerned. Not concerned about a lack of demand for Bible burgers, but concerned about the continued operation of Truth For The World. Because we teach the saving message for free, our income comes from people who, out of the kindness of their heart, share with us what God has blessed them with financially. And unfortunately, people like that seem to be in short supply right now. I have been informed that Truth For The World is running on fumes, so to speak. We have enough in the gas tank to keep going for the time being, but unless more Christians pitch in to keep this car running, we're going to run out of gas quite soon.

So I would like to ask you a favour. Please take a look at your finances, and see if you can spare some money to make sure Truth For The World can keep going. I have high hopes for Truth For The World. I would like to see us expand in the future, and hire some great talent from the brotherhood to improve what we do, and to do even more. But first we need to stay afloat with what we have.

Please join us financially. Tell other people about us. Get the ball rolling for a Truth For The World presentation to be made at your congregation. What we're doing is so much greater than fast food, and you can be a part of helping this work continue.

—Benjamin Bruce

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*"And they that are wise shall shine
as the brightness of the firmament;
and they that turn many to righteousness
as the stars for ever and ever."*

(Daniel 12:3 ASV)

New Podcast Series

Part of the work of Truth For The World is to educate Christians about how to go about doing mission work. And to that end, we have recently started a new podcast series in which Lee Davis and Benjamin Bruce talk about the various aspects of mission work.

The episodes go out every other week, and you can subscribe with any podcast app. For more information, take a look at the podcast page on our website:

truthfortheworld.org/podcast

If technology isn't your thing, you can alternatively listen to the podcast by calling our AudioNow number. Just call 712-432-6882, and then press 2 to listen to the latest podcast.

We've already covered several interesting topics, and we have even more planned, so please subscribe!



Spanish Tracts

Do you have Spanish-speaking friends, or are you planning a mission trip to a Spanish-speaking country? Over the past few months we have been working on expanding our collection of tracts in Spanish. Thanks to our volunteers, we now have 26 Spanish tracts on different topics. Check them out at laverdadparaelmundo.org !

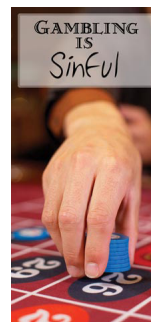
New Tracts

We recently released 12 new tracts on our website. The titles are:

- Gambling Is Sinful
- No Sprinkling or Pouring
- The Church Built by Jesus
- The Easy-to-Read Version
- The Fear of Men
- The Sin of Euthanasia
- The Sin of Lying
- The Vine and the Branches
- There Is One Body
- Unless You Are Converted
- What Does the Bible Say About Bribes and Extortion?
- What Does the Bible Say About Dancing?

All Truth For The World tracts are free to download and print from our website. You can see these tracts specifically on this page:

truthfortheworld.org/new-tracts-in-2016



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Take a look at the *global* evangelism of Truth For The World.

Television

- Available in the U.S. and the Republic of Palau
- On-demand on Roku® in U.S.A., Canada, Ireland, and the U.K.
- Online 24/7 TV channel

Radio

- Available on AM and FM in the U.S., Nigeria and the Philippines
- Online 24/7 radio station

Podcast

- Discussing mission work

Print

- Tracts, Articles, etc.
- Questions and Answers

Bible Correspondence Courses

- 6 courses, averaging 9+ new students a day!

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