

Pescadores Progress

Georgia  Mountains Tres Dias

May 2013

GMTD Secretariat Position Openings

Palanca: Jan 2014 – Dec 2016

A married couple. Pray for and then send general palanca letters to the weekends of the communities we support. Request and receive general palanca letters for Weekends of Georgia Mountains Tres Dias from other movements. Arrange for prayer palanca for each Georgia Mountain Tres Dias Weekend, beginning at 6:00 p.m. Thursday (or Send-off day if not Thursday) until 6:00 p.m. Sunday (or third day if not on Sunday) so that between these times there is an unbroken prayer vigil for the candidates, the team, the families of both, and the community. Solicit the donation of banners for the Weekend and other forms of permanent palanca. Participate in overall guidance and planning of the Tres Dias activities.

Webmaster: Jan 2014 – Dec 2016

A single or married person. Responsible for maintaining GMTD website, including changes as needed for upcoming weekends, secuelas, and publishing newsletters to the web.

All Secretariat members must have the following qualifications:

- A. Maintain a lifestyle commensurate with Biblical leadership.
- B. Demonstrate a record of support of the Tres Dias movement.
- C. Have served at least three teams.
- D. Possess the skills required by Secretariat job descriptions.

If you or someone you know is willing to be considered, please contact any member of the Secretariat prior to June 14, 2013. All Secretariat positions are filled by nomination from the GMTD community and then election by the sitting GMTD Secretariat board.

For additional information on these openings and the requirements of those who will fill the position(s), please refer to the GMTD Constitution and Bylaws at the following link:

<http://gmtd.org/GMTD%20Constitution%20and%20By%20Laws.pdf>

GMTD #65 Men's:

May 30 – June 2, 2013

Rector:

Ricky Castleberry

Send-off:

Thurs., May 30 • 6:30 p.m.

Serenade:

Sat., June 1 • 6:30 p.m.

Arrive at 5:30 p.m.

Closing:

Sun., June 2 • 5:00 p.m.

GMTD #65 Women's:

June 6 – 9, 2013

Rector:

Marla Flake

Send-off:

Thurs., June 6 • 6:30 p.m.

Serenade:

Sat., June 8 • 6:30 p.m.

Arrive at 5:30 p.m.

Closing:

Sun., June 9 • 5:00 p.m.

Mark Your Calendar

Our next Secuela:

Saturday, June 29, 2013

Freedom Tabernacle

2160 Freedom Parkway

Cumming, Ga. 30041

770-887-4679

www.freedomtabernacle.org

Please arrive early.

The Secuela will begin promptly at 6:00 pm.

Come and get a HUGE blessing!



Bring your favorite covered dish, enough to serve at least 10 people.

Sponsors: If you have sponsored candidates and have never brought them to a Secuela, please plan to bring them this time, or make arrangements for someone else to bring them.

Childcare will not be provided.

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Georgia Mountains Tres Días #65

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Rector: Ricky Castleberry

And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth. John 1:14

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Spir. DirectorJoe Wigington
Spir. DirectorJason Jones
Head ChaJames Maynard
Asst. Head ChaJerry Pruitt
BURJonathan Terrell
RoverKevin Hill
WorshipDoug Nadin
Head ChapelGeorge Drake
ChapelMichael Hall
ChapelEarl Humphries
ChapelJack Wood
Head StoreroomLeon Parr
StoreroomSteve Sexton
Head GopherPatrick Shurtleff
GopherJake Castleberry
Floater/SupplyRick Martinez
Tech ChaScott Pike
CommunicationKeith Canup
Prof. IdealAustin Jones

Prof. LaymanChris Blalock
Prof. PietySandy Reece
Prof. StudyDavid Turpin
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TableHoward England
TableJohnny Hulsey
TableRandall Adams
Head PalancaRace Thornton
PalancaTony Owenby
PalancaAndy Morgan

PalancaGreg Stephens
Head PrayerRandy Bennington
PrayerRandy Flake
PrayerPaul Moran
PrayerBilly Rice
PrayerGarry Crawford
PrayerRonnie Pendley
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DormAlan Thompson
DormWard Frost
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KitchenLarry Mullinax
KitchenTim Canup
KitchenSteve Taylor
KitchenRichard Faulkner
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KitchenGordon Lonsberry
KitchenVergil Stanfield



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KitchenJeff Bell
KitchenChris Jarrard
KitchenTony Rudeseal
KitchenAllen Boyd
KitchenShannon Shirley
KitchenDarryl Tallant
KitchenSean Rogers
KitchenLawrence Lee
KitchenWade Ledbetter
KitchenTye Overmeyer
KitchenGreg Morrow
KitchenMickey Whitt



Georgia Mountains Tres Días #65

Women's: June 6 - 9, 2013

Rector: Marla Flake

Be still and know that I am God.

Psalm 46:10

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KitchenLisa Mitchell
KitchenBeverly Drake
KitchenAimee Turner

What's a Meditation?

By Joe Johnston

GMTD Secretariat Food Cou- ple In-Training

What's a meditation? To me it's sharing thoughts with me peers. That's my subject on this meditation: THOUGHTS.

I believe it all began as thoughts... the creation. Our almighty God 'thought' and said: "Let there be..."

I propose, that we, God's kids, being created in His image, can mimic on a very much 'lesser' scale of capability, the act of thought.

Isaiah 55:8

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD.

There's hundreds of examples of this fact in the Bible.

Seeing that He created by His 'say-so' and His thoughts, I ponder the fact that we can think. Thinking means we have a choice to act on our thoughts, or not to act. I believe it best that I not act on

most of my thoughts! Can anyone testify?

Recently I received a nugget of teaching during a sermon in a small church we were visiting. The pastor was preaching and teaching on the fact that we all suffer with a 'wandering episode' during the times we ought to be listening or heeding what's going on. Know what I mean? As for me, I have the attention span of a gnat! If it's not flashy and moving, I lose focus rapidly!

The pastor said he has learned to mentally reach and grab the thoughts he should not be thinking, and toss them in the 'trash basket'. That way, he says, he can move focus on what's at hand. It has really helped me to learn this from someone else.

In the past, I had a system of my own. Not nearly as proper as the pastor's way. You see, when someone aggravated me

to the point I would like to act out what my negative thought was, I'd put the thought in my 'mental pocket' so I could retrieve it later. Then, I write the name of the recipient of my ill thoughts on toilet paper and flush it!

Things are created first by thought and then by application. Your thoughts and my thoughts, communicated and combined, can create all sorts of great inspirations.

Corporate prayer...

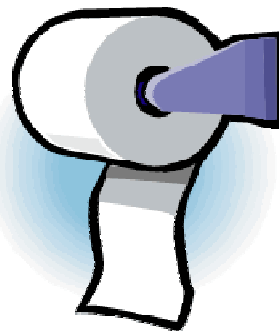
Prayers are first thoughts. I believe the pastor also said, "Prayers penetrate the atmosphere!" Pretty powerful, these thoughts, we usually silently convey as prayers to our God! What a powerful gift - for good or not so good, these thoughts.

I can just see Jesus, standing in the boat, shaking His head while saying, "Oh ye of little faith!" The disciples in the boat

were having negative thoughts.

Because you and I can think, we can get ourselves into more mischief than we can get ourselves out of sometimes. Ain't it great! We have a forgiving Father?!

Thoughts and prayers are as powerful as any physical force in existence. Most of the time the prayers are brought on by pondering thinking, and acting on the thoughts. Some thoughts we want to nurture and pursue... some we may want to:



Apply my remedy!

De Colores!

Upcoming Tres Dias Weekends

Georgia Mountains Tres Dias #66

Men's:

Sept. 26 - 29, 2013

Women's:

Oct. 3 - 6, 2013

Georgia Mountains Tres Dias #67

Men's:

Feb. 20 - 23, 2014

Women's:

Feb. 27 - Mar. 2, 2014

Tres Dias Teams

Interested in serving on a Tres Dias team?

Go to www.gmt.org or come to the next Secuela to sign up!



It Only Gets Better...



GMTD Secretariat Members

Chairman	John Rhodes	770-904-3144
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Spir. Dir. (In-Training)	Gerald Faulkner	770-365-6324
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Leaders-B	Dwayne & Pam Watkins	706-273-0869
Pre-Weekend	George & Gail Drake	770-318-4851
Fourth Day	Dan & Jerilyn Harder	404-509-2460
Palanca	Don & Melanie Pruitt	706-864-0374
Weekend	Tony & Ella Sewell	404-488-2173
Food	Pam Layfield	678-313-0832
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Database	Lisa Mitchell	770-842-5423
Treasurer	Henry & Chrissie Paseur	706-889-0659
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Announcements & Reminders

GMTD SECRETARIAT: The next secretariat meeting is scheduled for Friday, June 14, 2013 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at North Grove Hall in Dahlonega, GA

GMTD Applications may be downloaded at www.gmt.org. Please mail to:

GMTD Pre-Weekend Couple
George & Gail Drake
2638 Waters Edge Drive
Gainesville, GA 30534

When sending, please include \$10.00 application fee. Please call Gail at 770-318-4851 C or 770-718-1052 H.

GMTD weekend fees are \$110.

PALANCA GUIDELINES – (Burning CDs of copyrighted music is a violation of copyright laws, and burned CD's of copyrighted music cannot be accepted as palanca.)

Table Palanca – 6 tables, minimum of 65 individual items.

Bed Palanca – 45 for candidates, 75-77 for team. Team members may receive individual bed palanca. Palanca for specific candidates will be placed in their Sunday bags.

Kitchen Palanca – 117 place settings.

Oven Palanca – Please drop off at the Palanca room, not the kitchen.

Palanca Letters – Write the candidate's name on the letter and in the left upper corner write who the letter is from: sponsor, husband, wife, friend, etc. Letters from family and friends need to be at the camp no later than Saturday night. The earlier the better.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PESCADORE'S PROGRESS at www.gmt.org. To receive your Pescadore's Progress in the U.S. mail, please send your name and address to the return address at the top of this page.

SPONSORS Please remember to stay with your candidate until they have been completely checked in during their weekend and all information and fees have been provided.

UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFO! If your address, phone number or e-mail has changed, please notify GMTD Database Manager, Lisa Mitchell at:

records-database-manager@gmt.org, or 770-842-5423, or go to

www.gmt.org/PescadoreUpdateForm. The database is confidential and for GMTD use only to contact sponsors, team members, rector nominees, secretariat nominees, and for general GMTD purposes.

REMINDERS FROM THE SECRETARIAT:

Weekend rosters are confidential and are not to be used for solicitations or anything other than Tres Dias. The Secretariat would also like to remind you that it is inappropriate to bring children to send-off, closing, serenade or secuelas. Further, only those that have attended a recognized 3-day weekend may attend Tres Dias functions. We appreciate your understanding and compliance with these Tres Dias requirements.

Vida Nueva



Vida Nueva is a weekend retreat for young men and women ages 15-20. Vida Nueva is Spanish for "New Life" and like the Tres Dias, VN weekends are intended as an encounter with Jesus Christ. The weekends are similar to the structure of a Tres Dias weekend with certain changes to make it more relevant for teens. VN weekends begin on Friday evening and end on Sunday evening. The cost to sponsor someone on a VN weekend is \$80. If you have a teenager who you would like to sponsor, you can download an application at the web-site www.gmvt.net. A group of teens who have made a Vida Nueva weekend recently put together a video to tell what VN has meant to them. The video can be found at www.youtube.com/watch?v=8DNV99f2Hko. Georgia Mountains VN currently holds two sets of weekends a year, one in the fall and one in the spring. The next set of weekends are October 25 - 27, 2013 for the Young Women and November 1 - 3, 2013 for the Young Men.