

# Pescadores Progress



## New Wine

*By Donna Posey, Fourth Day*

I have wondered , when and if, I was asked to do the meditation, what would it be, what would I say, what message would God have me give.....you know we try to out guess Him, we try to be one step ahead of Him , so I had in my head what I thought it would be. Well, we know what happens when we do that.....what God laid on my heart was not even close to what I had decided it would be.....

New wine.....God is making new wine out of me.

Jesus told Matthew, a tax collector, to follow Him...and he did....Matthew had a big party for Jesus and invited all his tax collector friends. The Pharisees asked Jesus why His disciples didn't fast, why were they eating and drinking and, ON TOP OF THAT, with tax collectors! Matthew 9:14-17 14 Then the disciples of John came to Him, saying, "Why do we and the Pharisees fast [c]often, but Your disciples do not fast?"

15 And Jesus said to them, "Can the [d] friends of the bridegroom mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them? But the days will come when the bridegroom will be tak-

en away from them, and then they will fast. 16 No one puts a piece of unshrunk cloth on an old garment; for [e] the patch pulls away from the garment, and the tear is made worse. 17 Nor do they put new wine into old wineskins, or else the wineskins [f]break, the wine is spilled, and the wineskins are ruined. But they put new wine into new wineskins, and both are preserved." When you make wine, it ferments and the goat skin stretches.....an old one would bust...it's no longer usable for new wine.....Jesus is explaining the new Covenant that He represents....the old covenant no longer applied...And He is describing us....when He takes us thru seasons....some marvelous, some devastating.....in the crushing, in the pressing, God makes new wine out of us...and we have new wine skins, the used, worn, old ones fall away. I have had so many "seasons" in my life, a tornado that took everything we owned, A wreck that took my oldest son's very best friend, the miraculous birth of amazing grand children, circumstances arose that we had to step in and raise two of those grandchildren, the unique situation

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## October 2019

GMTD #85 Men's:  
Feb 13-16, 2020

Rector: Randy Goodson  
Send-off:  
Thurs., Feb 13th • 6:30 p.m.

Serenade:  
Sat., Feb 15th • 6:30 p.m.  
Arrive at 5:30 p.m.

Closing:  
Sun., Feb 16th • 5:00 p.m.

GMTD #85 Women's:  
Feb 20-23, 2020

Rector: Billie Cameron  
Send-off:  
Thurs., Feb 20th • 6:30 p.m.

Serenade:  
Sat., Feb 22th • 6:30 p.m.  
Arrive at 5:30 p.m.

Closing:  
Sun., Feb 23th • 5:00 p.m.

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of moving in and taking care of my mother with those grandsons, having three generations in one home.....but in making New Wine out of us, we grow in our relationship with Abba Father, we learn to trust Him, to have faith that He is going to make good out of everything. Romans 8:28 28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. And for all those years I lived in the flesh, God restores them. Joel 2:25 25 "So I will restore to you the years that the swarming [k]locust has eaten,

Thru all those seasons, God knew the beginning, the middle and the end....what I thought would kill me, saved me... Therefore, as the song says ... So I yield to You and to Your careful hand, When I trust You I don't need to understand. Make me Your vessel, Make me an offering, Make me whatever You want me to be, I came here with nothing, But all You have given me, Jesus, bring new wine out of me

This is my anthem!

De Colores!

## Georgia Mountain Tres Dias Secuela

November 2, 2019  
6:00 p.m.

Church at Winder  
546 Treadwell Road  
Bethlehem, GA 30620



Do you know how to lead worship?

Do you have the gift of singing or playing an instrument?

We need you! Please go to the website [gmtd.org](http://gmtd.org) and find the Secretariat button on the top bar and send an e-mail to Todd Pealock, our Secretariat Worship Director.



GMTD Community: We are currently planning our renovation project at the Camp of Colors. Thank you for your patience as we work out the dates with the Camp and for your willingness to serve!



We would like every member of the GMTD Community to stay connected by getting a copy of this Newsletter. Please share this info with your GMTD family and let them know to sign up to receive their own copy at [www.gmtd.org](http://www.gmtd.org).

- 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 to the Secuela or make arrangements for another GMTD Community member to bring them.
- ◆ Childcare will NOT be provided.



# GMTD #84 - MEN'S

September 19-22, 2019

Rector: Joe Johnston

"I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

John 14:6

As rector of GMTD#84, I was blessed with a phenomenal team.

My prayer was that the Holy Spirit would reveal each team member's anointing. Then those blessings from this team would flow to the candidates and this is what happened.

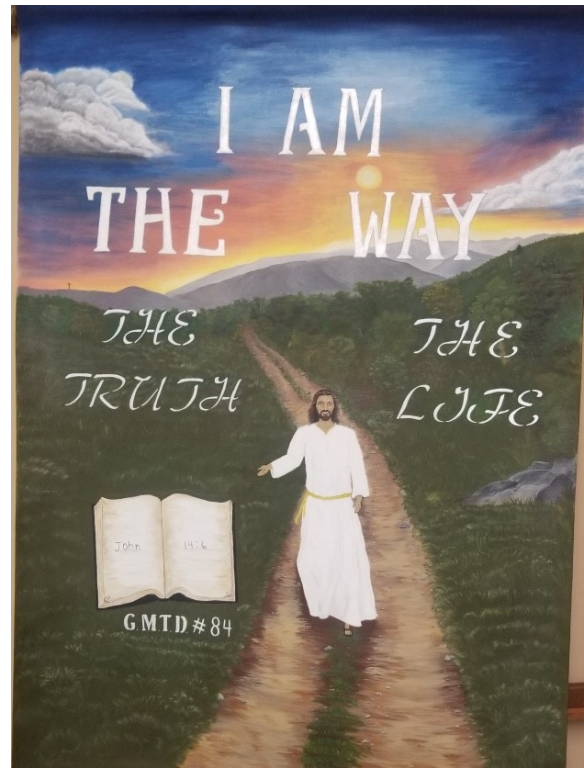
Our Spiritual directors are a blessing to Tres Dias as well. These men served the candidates and team in an exemplary manor. You could tell that the Holy Spirit guided every talk including those talks by the professors and as well as our worship leader.

All the support teams showed God's presence through their actions – what a blessing!

The prayer team in the background supported the whole camp as evidenced by the Holy Spirit's presence. How could it have not been a phenomenal weekend? Love was predominant among the team and candidates. I think that is what our God wanted on the weekend; a close association between the team and candidates as orchestrated by our God. He showed up and ran the weekend.

I have been rewarded by blessings many times in my life, but this experience of love from Jesus has humbled me even more than ever.

Thank you for the honor of serving,  
Joe Johnston, Rector GMTD #84  
DeColores!



## *The Men of GMTD #84 - Welcome!*

### **Table of Luke**

Brandon Burton  
Dustin Free  
Dale Kinnell  
Matthew Lewis  
Benjamin Wright  
Cody Grant

### **Table of Peter**

Bronson Crawford  
Todd Bowdon  
Joe Campbell  
Thomas Sweatman  
Lee Knight  
William "Bill" Smith  
Brent Rutherford

### **Table of Mark**

Steve Reems  
Mark Rogers  
Donnie Robinson  
Shawn Carter  
Allan Autry  
John Kimbrell  
Jonathan "John" Bennett

### **Table of Matthew**

Daniel Rider  
Joseph Henderson  
Rodney Gardner  
William Lopez  
Chris Johnson  
James Dugas  
Lewis Wilbanks

### **Table of John**

Tony Freeman  
Chris Kennedy  
Douglas Stump  
Lee Champlin  
Stoney Ervin

### **Table of Paul**

Andres "Dre" Vargas  
Mark "Jordan" Bruce  
Robby Clark  
Timothy Altmiller  
Joe Duncan  
Shane Taylor  
Kevin Morris

# GMTD #84 - WOMEN'S

September 26-29, 2019

Rector: Kathy Crawford

“and she, as poor as she is, has given everything she has.” Luke 21:4b TLB

I truly don't have words to express how amazing God is! The entire weekend was overwhelming! At times I wanted to fall on my knees before the Lord, overwhelmed in His presence! The presence of God surrounded us with the beauty of His Holiness radiating everywhere. We saw candidates transformed right before our eyes from lost, lonely, hurting, bitter, deceived ladies to beautiful offerings filled with salvation, healing, peace, love and commitment. We saw 6 persons respond to give their lives to Christ and 6 more for rededication and 100% outwardly agree to give their lives totally to God, offering everything they have to Him! Glory to God! The team gave their beautiful offering too, loving and serving the candidates with their hearts filled entirely with Jesus and with the unified Spirit of the church! It was an amazing thing to experience, once again, the servanthood and love of Jesus Christ in such magnitude! Thank you, Beautiful Offerings of GMTD 84, for your self-sacrifice and for saying, “Yes” to God's call. What an amazing team God put together! I also give thanks to God and to the Secretariat for allowing me the opportunity to lead the amazing team of GMTD 84. I remain honored and humbled. The entire journey has

been totally incredible and I will never forget the



weekend experience. Every aspect will remain in my heart forever. And thanks to the community for the sweet palanca with which we were so blessed! It's such an honor to be part of the incredible family of Georgia Mountains Tres Dias and I genu-

inely look forward to what God will continue to do through all of us! The Lord bless you and keep you and may His face shine upon you all!

Kathy Crawford Rector, GMTD 84

## *The Women of GMTD #84 - Welcome!*

### **Table of Ruth**

Charla Freeman  
Tonia Mulligan  
Vickie Crane Barrett  
Nicole Wright  
Sally McClary  
Kerry Champlin  
Vicki Ervin  
Brianna Helton

### **Table of Elizabeth**

Lindsay Crawford  
Kristen Mote  
Linda Kirby  
Stacie Sweatman  
Kayla Knight  
Barbara Smith  
Marina Rutherford  
Wanda Shirley

### **Table of Rachel**

Wendy Wilson  
Lisa Howser  
Patricia Smith  
Caitlin Free  
Pam Kinnell  
Dayane Lewis  
Emily Grant  
Gail Maxwell

### **Table of Esther**

Debbie Grimes  
Mindy Rogers  
Amanda Robinson  
Joanna Campbell  
Lindsey Carter  
Trina Robinson  
Cassie Bennett  
Tammy Rauch

### **Table of Rebekah**

Joanna Lee  
Crystal Halligan  
Dede Spain  
Tracie Gardner  
Cameron Lopez  
Shelby Griggs  
Kelly Norris

### **Table of Sarah**

Wanda Ayers-Sievering  
Denise Davis  
Kiersten Bruce  
Cindy Clark  
Diane Campbell  
Linda Garrett  
Amanda Morris  
Laurie McCafferty



# Secretariat Spotlight-Leaders Couple A!!!

The Constitution and By-laws state the following in regards to the Leaders Couple: There will be two couples serving in the Leaders position, with each couple having one vote. It is noted that one leader's couple may actually be two individuals, not married to each other, in this instance each individual would have one vote. (Effective 01/04/2002) They will share the position and alternate responsibilities each weekend. The Leaders Couple will be the mentor to each new rector and facilitate the training of the rector and the team leadership. The Leaders Couples duties include the following: Meet with each new rector during Orientation with the Chairman and Head Spiritual Director and help schedule training dates for the team. Train the rector on Policy, Procedures, Essentials, Team Selection and Team formation by providing training materials in these areas. Work with the rector in approving each team member selected and assist the rector in documenting their choices in an organized digital spreadsheet. This spreadsheet will be presented to Secretariat Leadership (Chairman and Head Spiritual Director) for approval. Train the Heads (Head Cha, Asst Head Cha, BUR, Head Kitchen and Asst Head Kitchen). Train the Professors and Area Heads. Attend the second team meeting and provide instructions and encouragement to the team. Regularly update the Secretariat on the rector's and team's progress. Meet with the rector after their weekend to be debriefed concerning any issues or questions that may have occurred on the weekend in an effort to improve the process for future weekends. All Training will be facilitated by the Leaders Couple and digital copies of the training material will be emailed to each individual unless they are not computer literate and in that case a paper copy will be provide. Participate in the overall guidance and planning of the Tres Dias activities.



## Your Current Leaders Couple A

### Kevin and Mickey Hill

Kevin and Mickey live in Mt. Airy, GA. They attended Georgia Mountains Tres Dias #34. Kevin sat at the Table of Luke and Mickey at the Table of Elizabeth. And they have never been the same! They have 2 daughters, Hillary and Taylor, 1 Son-In-Law, Seth and their baby Barkley who is a Yorkie. Kevin and Mickey attend The Torch Demorest. Kevin is an electrician with the Habersham County School system in the maintenance department. Mickey is the Controller for The Torch.

Kevin and Mickey are currently serving on the GMTD Secretariat as Leaders Couple A. They train the rectors in choosing their teams and preparing for their weekends. They thoroughly enjoy spending this time with each new Rector and watching what The Lord does for every weekend.

Kevin and Mickey are a part of The Generational disciples Reunion group and also several other small groups in their Church. Every group is Christ centered and strives to grow in The Lord together.

We encourage everyone to get involved in their church and the Tres Dias community. No one should face the enemy without an ARMY!!

# Announcements & Reminders

## GMTD SECRETARIAT

The next secretariat meeting is January 10, 2020 at the Dahlonga Assembly of God at 7pm.

## GMTD APPLICATIONS

The quickest way to register to attend a weekend is to go to [gmtd.org](http://gmtd.org), select application and click online application twice. Fill out the Online Registration and Submit. You can also download and print an application which then can be completed and scanned to email to [gmdapps@gmail.com](mailto:gmdapps@gmail.com). If you are unable to email, then place the completed application in an envelope and mail to:

**Stephen & Beth Dacus**

**ATTN: GMTD**

**8340 Waldrop Rd**

**Gainesville, GA 30506**

For additional info, email questions to [gmdapps@gmail.com](mailto:gmdapps@gmail.com) or call 678-575-3724.

**GMTD** weekend fee is **\$110** per person.

## 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, 81 for team. Team members may receive individual bed palanca. Palanca for specific candidates will be placed in their Sunday bags.

**Kitchen Palanca** – 125 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.

## PESCADORE'S PROGRESS

Subscribe to the Pescadore's Progress at [www.gmt.org](http://www.gmt.org). To receive your Pescadore's Progress in the U.S. mail, please send your name, address and weekend attended to:

Kim Echols

95 Crystal Creek Way  
Jasper, GA 30143

## 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, Greg Purcell at [gregcpurcell@gmail.com](mailto:gregcpurcell@gmail.com)

*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. We appreciate your understanding and compliance with these Tres Dias requirements.

## GMTD Secretariat Members

|                                 |                               |              |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Chairman .....                  | Fletcher Holliday.....        | 770-401-0308 |
| Chairman Elect.....             | Kevin Hill.....               | 706-768-5301 |
| Database .....                  | Greg Purcell.....             | 706-768-6897 |
| Food Supply .....               | Bill & Casandra King.....     | 678-591-2195 |
| Fourth Day.....                 | Raymond & Donna Posey.....    | 706-973-0757 |
| Leaders-A .....                 | Kevin & Mickey Hill.....      | 706-768-5301 |
| Leaders-A (In Training).....    | Randy and Marla Flake .....   | 706-344-8338 |
| Leaders-B .....                 | Rick & Mary Martinez.....     | 470-248-8719 |
| Newsletter.....                 | Kim Echols.....               | 678-378-5335 |
| Palanca .....                   | Glen & Donna Nix .....        | 770-654-7611 |
| Palanca (In Training).....      | Darryl & Eileen Payne .....   | 770-894-2708 |
| Pre-Weekend .....               | Kevin & Holly Salisbury.....  | 770-235-6619 |
| Pre-Weekend (In Training) ..... | Stephen & Beth Dacus .....    | 678-469-1035 |
| Secretary.....                  | Layne Frantz.....             | 706-692-6267 |
| Spiritual Director.....         | Sam Snider .....              | 706-889-4096 |
| Treasurer .....                 | Brian & Diana Cartwright..... | 706-244-4173 |
| Webmaster .....                 | Brad Whitener .....           | 706-499-2790 |
| Webmaster (In Training).....    | Bryan Epps .....              | 678-557-8076 |
| Weekend .....                   | Chris & Chrissy Owenby .....  | 706-768-5325 |
| Worship Director.....           | Todd Pealock.....             | 706-949-4251 |

Find e-mail contact info at [www.gmt.org](http://www.gmt.org)

## Georgia Mountains 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 and is \$100 for team members. If you have a teenager who you would like to sponsor, you can download an application at the web-site [www.gmvm.net](http://www.gmvm.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=8DNU99f2Hko](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8DNU99f2Hko).

Georgia Mountains VN currently holds two sets of weekends a year, one in the spring and one in the fall. The next set of weekends are October 17-20, 2019 for the Young Women and October 24-27, 2019 for the Young Men.

