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Luke 4:18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and

recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.

A New Beginning

A new beginning is only possible because of the Lord Jesus Christ and the healing, deliverance and freedom that is found in Him. (See Luke 4:18) That is good news to someone that is struggling and in pain. It was for me over 20 years ago when I was struggling in pain and in chains. I was and will forever be grateful for the people in my life that made it

possible for me to find freedom. Truly a new beginning, on this journey called life. It was a difficult journey and the hardest work I ever did but the best thing I could have ever invested in. Since the "New Beginning," God has placed a burden on my heart for others that are struggling in pain and fear.

As we voluntarily placed ourselves into the hands of God and said, "Here am I, for You Lord in the work of your kingdom," He opened doors we continue to marvel at. Shortly after that commitment we were asked to help at Eagle Wings and we served there for over 5 years. After sensing God's call for us to leave Eagle Wings, we moved back to the Listowel area and got a part time welding job along with working as a mentor out of our house. There were a number of ministers, along with a few others involved in this work for a number of years. The

schedule continued to fill up, and after being scheduled out for over a year, in Oct. of 2015 I quit my part time job. It was then recommended to form a board and in January of 2016 a number of people met to discuss this endeavour. At that meeting it was decided to proceed with setting up a board and by January of 2017 Peaceful Heart Ministries was a registered charity.

Quitting my part time job helped ease up the schedule and bring it back to being scheduled out only six months. Now two and a half years later the schedule is again booked well over a year. The need for more help is needed.

With having another mentor to help with the work, we also need more office space. The need is great and the workers are available but we need people like you who are willing to help with the finances to support another mentor along with office space.

There are pastors, leaders, hurting people, and people who have found freedom who are pleading to keep on and continue on as a ministry, which is only possible as finances are available to do so.

Would you as a church, business, or individual consider supporting the need of this mission here in our home community to help those in our communities that are in need?

God Bless you as you work for Him!

In His Service, Dave Lichty

2019 Fall Seminar Oct. 26, 2019 Emotional Health

Theme: Negative Thinking vs. Healthy Thinking

Topics: Who Am I?..... Lester Martin
Lies and Agreements Dave Lichty
Practical Application....Lester Martin
Renewing the Mind......Dave Lichty

Place: Moorefield Mennonite Church 102 McGivern Street, Moorefield, ON

Cost: Freewill Offering
Any Amount over \$20.00 is Receiptable

Plan to Attend: Please PreRegister, Contact info below.

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If you did not register and want to attend you may still

Please Bring Your Lunch

Coffee and snacks at breaks will be provided

Needs

- Finances to support another mentor.
- Finances for more office space.

Prayer Requests

- Dave for wisdom and guidance from the Lord as he meets regularly with people.
- The board as decisions are made for the work of this ministry.
- Upcoming Seminars and speakers.

Ps 91:1 ¶ He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. Ps 91:4 He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

These are precious verses. They speak to my heart; safety, shelter, protection, just simply being cared for. Knowing that whatever comes my way will never catch God off guard or by surprise. Even when I don't understand, and situations don't make sense to my earthly way of thinking, or fit into my plans, God has my best interest in mind.

It reminds me of a story about a prairie fire that swept across the Great Plains and left everything devastated in it's path. As the rancher looked across the landscape, all he could see was charred black ruins, burnt buildings, lots of hard work, and dreams gone up in smoke. Even some prairie chickens hadn't been able to escape the fire. In disgust and heartache the rancher kicked a dead chicken lying at his feet. To his surprise, out from under the charred and black wings of the dead chicken ran several chicks, safe and unharmed.

As the rancher marvelled over this gift of life in the midst of ruins, he saw in it a reflection of God. The prairie chicken had sheltered her young under her wings and gave her life to protect them.

God also gave His only Son to die for us so we can have Eternal Life, and that we can dwell under the shelter of His wings, safe, secure, and protected. I thank and praise Him for such wonderful love. By Gerald Weber

- **1. Fall Seminar Oct 26,** See details on the front side of this newsletter.
- 2. Premarital Group Sessions For engaged couples, but married couples are also welcome.

We will cover some fundamental issues in relationships as a group, with the option of working privately on personal issues as a couple if required. Date to be determined when 2 to 6 couples have registered. Please contact Dave Lichty to register.

- **3. Grief Share Starting** Nov. 5, 2018. If you are interested in joining in the future contact Dave to sign up or for more information. Some have already signed up for the fall of 2019.
- **4. Presentation** There have been some inquiries about doing presentations at churches. We would gladly come and share with your congregation about the work of the ministry. To schedule a presentation please contact Dave Lichty or one of the board members.

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