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Dear Joseph,

I never get tired of sharing what God is doing at Buford Grove Baptist Church. After a wonderful Sunday morning service, we had two more people join the church.

Pastor changed things up a little bit on Sunday evening. He has been preaching through the book of Revelation on Wednesday nights. Since we are having a presentation from the "Academy of Arts" on Tuesday the 30th, we will not be having a Wednesday night service on July 1st. Also, on Wednesday the 8th, both Pastor Carringer and Pastor Pruitte will be with the teens at camp. I will have the privilege to preach that Wednesday night service

Wednesday morning Pastor and I went over to Kingsland Georgia to see about getting a spot on the radio for Buford Grove Baptist Church. We hope to hear from this soon. Regardless of the outcome, were pleased to find out they will post upcoming events of the church.

Wednesday afternoon I did some packing to spend a couple days at Northside Baptist Church in Dublin, GA where Chad Kennison is Pastor.

I love our Wednesday evening services. We are still studying the book of Revelation. We had a special treat for our offertory, as one of our young men in the church, James Rash, played for us.


Thursday, I drove up to Dublin Georgia. I use the Carl Vincent VA Medical Center located in Dublin. I am always welcomed with a place to stay the night at Northside Baptist Church. It makes it easier to go to my early morning appointment. This was my annual appointment, and I should get my results back soon.

I was able to have breakfast with brother Eddie Morgan. He is one of the deacons of Northside Baptist Church. After our breakfast and fellowship, I drove back to Hilliard Florida.

I don't have a heavy schedule today. I'm finishing this week's Barna Post and will be sending it out real soon.

I certainly appreciate my faithful readers



Let us continue to pray  one for another.



Pastor Keith Carringer Welcoming Two New Members



One Of Our Young Men, James Rash, Playing The Offertory



I Was At Northside Baptist Church In Dublin, GA
Thursday And Friday

Saturday Eve Barna-Post

“Thoughts To Ponder”

“True Contentment”

1 Corinthians 12:18 But now hath God set the members every one of them in the body, as it hath pleased him.

First Corinthians 12:18 states that God has placed the members in the body as it hath pleased HIM. Romans 12 mentions a number of gifts that HE has given to the members. We need to be content with our position as well as our gift ... WHY ... Because God has decided both. Our job is just to be in our place.

We should also be content to live out the other instructions in Romans 12, even difficult ones like “bless them, which persecute you.” God wants us as HIS children to be content and to rejoice in all the blessings HE bestows, even when we cannot see the blessings right away.

Joseph provides a good example of being content in spite of his evil treatment from others. Even when the table was turned ... Joseph did not return evil for evil but showed his contentment by not retaliating when his brothers came to buy food etc. In fact, he told them... you meant it for evil, but God meant it unto good. Contentment does not come from our carnal nature, but from esteeming God's way above our own. It helps us to overcome self-pity by ... recognizing that what God allows in our lives ... is for our good. Our fleshly nature shrinks away from suffering and persecution, but Jesus said, Luke 14:27 And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple. May we be willing to bear what God allows in our lives.


Living in contentment will also help us to overcome the sins of covetousness. It is impossible to be content while being covetous ... In fact, contentment will ward off a host of other sins as well. To be content is to be satisfied with the blessings we have, whether great or small. We can even be content in times of sorrow ... i.e. When a love one passed away ... financial difficulties ... loss of a job ... and the list goes on. The apostle Paul wrote, Philippians 4:11 Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.

I should always be content with what happens, for I know that anything that goes on in my life is "Father Filtered"

I have no doubt that what God chooses in our lives is much better than anything we would choose.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT 

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Sinner Saved By Grace 

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