



Group upon arrival at Ben Gurion Airport in Tel Aviv

INTERNATIONAL SINGERS MAKE FIFTH ISRAEL TOUR

The fifth tour of the International Singers to Israel came right at the aftermath of the "Peace for Galilee War" against the P.L.O. forces in Lebanon. Israel's image in the media around the world was at an all-time low. It was a most appropriate time to appear on the scene with a message of friendship, encouragement and hope. The Singers didn't go just to the Holy Land; they went to the people, and they felt the immense pressures under which the Israelis are living. Pressure brings out both the best and the worst in people, and both extremes were apparent. What would Americans do if they were under the same kind of pressures the Israeli's are living under?

THE LORD IS WITH ISRAEL

Israel will be all right. They will surely survive and ultimately fulfill their God-ordained destiny, because the Lord is with them. He is faithful. He has

promised that their enemies that rise up against them shall be confounded and ashamed.

It appears increasingly clear that those facing the bigger test in this hour of history are the Christians. Some of them will be faithful and stand with Israel and encourage the Jewish people, as the Scriptures say to do, and others will join with the ever-growing majority in the world who criticize, condemn and forsake Israel. Faith Bible Chapel is determined to be among the former.

SINGERS APPEAR ON TV

Therefore it was a great opportunity for the International Singers to sing to civilians in the metropolitan areas of Israel and to soldiers in the field. A special blessing was the opportunity to appear on one of Israel's most popular television programs, "The Good Hour," with host Manny Peer. This program is similar to NBC's "Tonight Show." It is

estimated that 80 percent of Israel watches this program. The group performed two songs, and Pastor Hooley and his wife Carol were interviewed.

CHRISTIANS CHALLENGED

Another great opportunity was the appearance at the Feast of Tabernacles Celebration sponsored by the Christian Embassy in Jerusalem. The Celebration was held at the Binyanei HaOoma, Jerusalem's largest concert hall. The Singers performed the second night of the conference to a crowd of between 2,000 and 3,000. Brigadier General Natke Nir, Chairman of the Association for the Welfare of Soldiers in Israel, addressed the gathering of Christians who represented countries from around the world. International Singers president Robert Hooley also addressed the conferees and encouraged them to get

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**Amen
Corner**

**T. V.
PROGRAM**

by Dr. Robert Hooley

On Friday, October 15, the International Singers were privileged to appear on Israel's most popular nighttime television program. During the program the host asked my wife and I the question: "Have you ever been discouraged in the work you are doing on behalf of Israel?" I said, "Yes, but I've learned what to do at such times." Then I quoted in Hebrew from Psalm 121, which says, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth." I stressed that this was the message of hope which the Hebrew biblical writers had taken to the world, and that this also is what Israel needs to do in this difficult hour of her history.

Numerous times during the days following, Israelis said something to me about the television program and the quotation from Te-hi-lim (Psalms). One

day I was high up in the mountains of Lebanon walking among a small forest of "Cedars of Lebanon," often mentioned in the Bible. Here in this remote spot two middle-aged men stopped me and said, "You are the preacher we saw on television. Can we take a picture together?"

I'm very thankful for the blessing of sharing a portion of the Word of God via television in Israel.

News Capsule

NAOMI SHEMER VISITS CHURCH

Naomi Shemer, Israel's national composer and lyricist, visited FBC Sunday, Oct. 31, and honored us by singing and playing several of her famous songs. She and the International Singers have appeared together in concerts in Israel.

MEN TO HAVE BIBLE STUDY

To be held at church Wednesday, November 3, at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND LUNCHEON PLANNED

To be held at church Tuesday, Nov. 9, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.



Pastor Robert Hooley is greeted by Israel's President Navon



Violin duet: "Country Medley"



Scene from "Heroes of Israel Medley"



Ammunition Hill relived



Scene from "Heroes of Israel Medley"



Wounded soldiers join civilian audience in Haifa



The grand finale — taking a bow

Youth on the Move

The feel of Autumn in the air is exciting, and the change of seasons, with its brilliant colors and cool air, seems so refreshing. Autumn also ushers in the football season, with all its excitement and action.

Recently the youth group and single adults joined together in several cars and went to Colorado Springs to see the Air Force/Navy football game. Leaving early enough in the morning, everyone was able to take a wonderful tour of the many attractions that are located at the Air Force Academy, such as the field house, information center, and the unique chapel. The tour was great, but the interaction of fellowship, good humor and time spent together was even greater.

The Saturday following the Air Force/Navy game, the guys got together and had their own touch football games. There were so many participating that the group had to use four football fields in Northglen. While the guys were having a great time of outdoor activity, the girls went bowling together in Applewood.

It is more apparent every day that good, wholesome fellowship in Christ is far greater than anything the world has to offer.

Christian Ed. Notes

Is it really profitable to memorize Bible verses? God tells us that if we hide His Word in our hearts, it will keep us from sin. In addition, meditating on His Word and allowing it to change our behavior will give us successful lives. We certainly desire these benefits for our children.

Showing your child that you value memorizing verses in your own life teaches much more than giving him a list of reasons. Make memorization part of your family time together. Use your child's Sunday School verse as a goal for the whole family each week. Idea sheets will be sent home with your children for helping your family become more successful with memorization.

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actively involved with the support of Israel, and particularly Israel's people, through the support of the Association and other worthwhile projects that are aimed at improving the quality of life of Israel's population.

A SONG OF THANKSGIVING

For manifold blessings — trophies of love,
Gifts good and perfect from Heaven above;
Life, food and shelter; family and friends —
What wealth is revealed in such dividends —
... for this we are Thankful.

For the blessed Old Book, God's Word so complete

With counsel and wisdom, as problems we meet
A light on our pathway; a comfort in sorrow;
Unfolding God's plan today and tomorrow —
... for this we are Thankful.

For the plan of salvation — no merits we claim:
To Him be the glory, oh praise His dear Name!
It's grace, love and mercy (not our works
we're told),
Ours is to enter that Heavenly fold —
... for this we are Thankful.



THE BOOK SHELF

Many people are afraid of failure. In fact, very few people will even admit it when they fail. The question that many might ask: "Can I really overcome my failures?" is answered in Jill Brisco's latest book, *How To Fail Successfully*. The facts in this book will enable one to do more than overcome failure; it can be used as a springboard to a new winning life in Christ. Look for it in the new book section of the Library.

THANKSGIVING EVE COMMUNION SET

On Wednesday, November 24, at 7:30 p.m. Faith Bible Chapel will have a Communion Service. The Midweek Service regularly scheduled on Thursday will be cancelled. This will give families an opportunity to be together in their homes on Thanksgiving Day and to enter into heartfelt thanks unto God for the blessings we have received as individuals and as a nation.

We wish everybody a very happy THANKSGIVING DAY!

Afar from this fold — a slave unto sin,
Discouraged, distressed and wounded within,
From out of the depths, with fear in control
I cried, and the answer: "He restoreth my soul" —
... for this we are Thankful.

Blessed deliverance — Christ breaks every chain!
Blessed the cleansing — He removeth the stain!
Blessed assurance — Oh, what a refrain:
"Chords that were broken now vibrate again!"
... for this we are Thankful.

Schedule of Services

The presence of the Lord has been so real and precious in all the worship services at Faith Bible Chapel. Be sure you don't miss your portion of the blessing in this active and growing church. Come and join in with the worship and fellowship.

SUNDAY

- 7:45 a.m. — 1st Worship Service
- 9:00 a.m. — 1st Sunday School
- 10:15 a.m. — 2nd Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. — 2nd Worship Service
- 7:00 p.m. — Evening Service

WEDNESDAY

- 6:00 a.m. — Men's Prayer Meeting

THURSDAY

- 7:30 p.m. — Midweek Service

In Luke 18:1, Jesus said that men ought always to pray, and not to faint.

In James 5:16, the Apostle James said that the effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.

Come early and fill God's house with prayer for a half hour to an hour before each Worship Service on Sunday and on Thursday.

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