



The fine folk at Breadalbane Baptist!

January 6 Breadalbane Baptist Church Dalkeith, ON, Canada

Shawn preached at Breadalbane Baptist Church in Dalkeith, Ontario, Canada. The congregation was founded two hundred years ago by Scottish immigrants to Canada.

Shawn taught at the Sunday school on "The Cross: Different Benefits, for Different People, Under Different Conditions," and then again in the worship service, "Walking By Faith, Not By Sight." The messages were very well received. Shawn's friend, Vahag Santourian, an elder at the Church, arranged the visit, and it was very much appreciated. We need to get a grace newsletter established in Canada.

Lii Bible Study January 18

On Friday night I spoke at a high school Bible study near SMU in Dallas. It was at the home of Mike and

Letitia Lii. Their son Payton is a senior who is now making college plans.



Shawn and Vahag

I spoke on worldview. Students must work hard to maintain a Christian worldview. Most colleges and universities promote an atheistic or agnostic worldview. Life really doesn't have any meaning (nihilism). There is no creator. We simply evolved after a big bang. Luck over time.

I urged them to plug into a solid church during college. Plus try to find a good Christian organization on campus. And see if they can find a group that has a conservative worldview like Prager Force, Young Americans for Liberty, Turning Point USA, and the Young Americans Foundation.

Winter GES Board Meeting January 11-12

We had a very unusual meeting. Because Sharon was having her first chemo treatment on Day 2 of the



The Board: Bob, Shawn, Ken, Brad, Tony, Bernie, and JB



Board supper: Bob, Ken, Brad, Tony, and Bernie

meeting, we got all of the major items of business done on Day 1. It was a very productive time.

On Saturday the board, minus me as I was with Sharon in chemo, spent time in brainstorming and fellowship.

December giving was great. We are in good shape entering the second half of our fiscal year.

This meeting introduced a new board member: Tony Taffar, from South Carolina. He becomes our young guy. He's just 55.

Our thanks to Brad Dorskocil, Bernie Hunsucker, J.B. Bond, Tony Taffar, and Ken Yates for their outstanding service.

BTW, Sharon's first chemo went great.

GES's 23rd Annual Conference: The Grace Conference May 20-23 The Hope Center, Plano, TX

We are very excited for the National Conference. We will be going through Paul's letter to the Ephesians verse-by-verse.

We'll be back at the Hope Center. This year we've organized the meals better than last year. Boxed lunches will be an option. And the Tuesday night banquet will be held at the Lutheran Church that shares a parking lot with the Hope Center.

Last year, Shawn took a small group of book nerds to the enormous Half Price Books warehouse. He'll do that again for anyone who loves to browse used bookstores.

Special Publications Updates

The one-volume reprint of *The Grace New Testament Commentary* is on track to be ready for the National Conference.

Ken's commentary on *Hebrews* is next to be typeset. Look for it in the coming months.

Bob is putting final touches on his *Repentance* book. We're hoping for a Conference release date.

And Shawn continues to write his book on *Final Punishment*. He's hoping to finish by the Conference, but there are so many other projects.

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"Dear Shawn, I finished reading your book, Beyond Doubt. I believe and know that I have eternal life right now, at this very moment in time, because it is based on Jesus' promise. Your book was simple, clear, and easy to understand. I will definitely recommend this book to as many people as I can. Thanks and God bless." ~T.A., mail