

"UNAWARE" LIVING ON THE EDGE

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THE TITANIC REPORT – "LOSS OR SAVED"



"IT'S EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF."

RMS Titanic built in 1909 by Harland and Wolff in Belfast has the most stunning history for our 20th Century. Touring the Titanic Museum in Branson, MO last month with my bride, Nancy, God needed to show me an urgent message. It opened my eyes as a chaplain to truly see the condition with people I see "living on the edge" very day.

"Iceberg right ahead!!" shouted by Frederick Fleet when he first spotted the iceberg with no binoculars locked up in a misplaced cupboard. Frederick survived the Titanic disaster, but after the death of this wife in 1965, Frederick took his own life. Pranksters placed a pair of binoculars on his grave with a note, "Sorry they're 100 years too late."

In 2 hours and 40 minutes the grimmer reality of NO HOPE on the "notoriously safest unsinkable ship" went down. Captain Edward Smith's last words of the Titanic rang out, "Well boys, you've done your duty and done it will. I ask no more of you. I release you. You know the rule of the sea. It's every man for himself now, and God bless vou."

But Smith's words were processed with a threat, "Not even God Himself could sink this ship." That was the last straw at 2 am of any hope for the 882.9 ft. long, 92 ft. wide, 59 water ft. high, 46,328 tons, max. 40 mph's with coal -6000 tons, \$7.5 million Titanic. (\$1.8 billion today) The iceberg crushed six of the sixteen watertight compartments that brought the plunge 300 miles east of Newfoundland, Canada. All Board first, middle, immigrant classes, and coal crewmen forever changed their destiny.



The ultimate tragedy was the state of the art engineered gamble with only 16 (4 capsized) lifeboats out of 64 needed could only accommodate 1,178 out of 2,208 passengers.

Heroic musicians kept playing the entire 2 hours as long as the could to keep passengers calm. Some men prioritized their place in a boat as a coward while the ship engineers, brave men, and 9 ministers assisted women and children on the lifeboats. Improperly trained crewmen lowered the lifeboats for 706 passengers into the frigid 28 degrees water. Their only lifetime memories were haunted watching 1526 passenger's horror screams surrounded with a frozen graveyard of bodies literally everywhere.

Countless attempts of wireless coding and distress rockets called the distant Carpathia ship that came 7:15 am 4 hours too late.

The Titanic's burial monument was discovered 73 years later in 1985 2.6 miles deep. This burial ground has become a worldwide neon light that death is **unplanned**, unwanted, unexpected and inescapable. Every "in precaution of safety man's reasoning" sank to the bottom no matter their status, their money, their influence or their intelligence. The Titanic lifeboats had very little value to the engineers, crewmen, and passengers sinking their trust in the rumor to be an "unsinkable ship". But when life or death was inevitable, those lifeboats became their highest security and priority.







GOD'S BINOCULARS -HIS WORDS - OUR WARNINGS

This museum tour left me spell bound confirming in my heart the urgency of warning people their boat in life is sinking (death) and need a rescue lifeboat! "The earth is the LORD's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it; for he founded it on the seas and established it on the waters. Who may ascend the mountain of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place? The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol (man's state of the art performance) or swear by a false religion god. (Defiance Decree -"Not even God Himself cannot sink this ship.") They will receive Lord blessings from the and vindication from God their Savior. Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face, God of Jacob." PS .24

GOD'S LIFEBOAT -JESUS CHRIST

Jesus said very straight forward and blunt, "What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul (for eternity)? Or what can a man give (their house, job, money, status, intelligence, pleasures, religion), in exchange for his soul? Matthew 16:26

"I am the WAY, the TRUTH, the LIFE BOAT. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6

Jesus' amazing Words of Truth over the centuries have been welcomed, doubted, debated, ridiculed, ignored foolish or even burned around His world. But when 2208 passengers were seeing imminent death at stake, each soul cried out either ready for their Heavenly Home, in defiance to God or repentance to God. Only God judged their eternal destiny day at 2:20 am!

DAILY "AWARE" AND STILL LIVING ON THE EDGE

"Show me, Lord, my life's end and the number of my days; let me know how fleeting my life is. You have made my days a mere handbreadth; the span of my years is as nothing before you. Everyone is but a breath, even those who seem secure. Surely everyone goes around like a mere phantom; in vain they rush about, heaping up wealth without knowing whose it will finally be. But now, Lord, what do I look for? My hope is in you." Psalms 39:4-7

"TITANIC SINKING SHIP"

at **Home Stay** is by far not state of the art or even up to code in Gwinnett County. Yet it is still in operation. It is to the point that the police emergency responds are leaving with no arrests, nor warnings of action for control.

The manager is caught in the middle with his boss. I seek to work closely with him as a chaplain to encourage him when his hands are tied between mercy and judgment of evictions. He faces daily deceptions, disgruntled, and dominating that spirits sometimes plunges into а demonic spirit. Even more tragic are children of all ages are in the middle with little or no supervision. PLEASE PRAY FOR **Backyard Bible Clubs to begin.**



GOD'S BINOCULARS AND LIFEBOATS

Home Stay fits the perfect code where Jesus asked us all to be with the sick, hungry, thirsty, naked, stranger, and prison. To physically Matt. 25:35-37 be on the property at Home Stay is with great anticipation and expectation that God will show up! With the binoculars of God's Word, compassion, and warnings of the sin, we offer the lifeboat of forgiveness, repentance, and reconciliation in Christ. It is shocking for us all to know so many there have had an some upbring in the church. But generational curses through missing fathers, fornication, adultery, incest, drugs, no GED, forgery, theft have caused of total lostness.

BINOCULARS THAT SHOW MORE LIFEBOATS IN ACTION

"LOVE THAT NEVER ENDS"

flyers have been distributed untold



Most people today are totally unaware that God provides at least 100,000 heartbeats per day and the reason why they were given another heartbeat.

thousands of times. We have seen a tremendous reception rate in distribution by virtue of its headlines content. It deals with the most basic needs of every human being (heartbeat and breath) and what is the purpose of their SECOND CHANCE heartbeat on God's earth. When handing out the flyers, I usually ask the recipient to read it out loud the first 4 or 5 lines. They are so surprised and shocked, 'I never knew that!' God just opened the door to their heart for God's grace and mercy.

WE CAN SUPPLY ALL COPIES FOR YOU

VISIONARY PRAYER NEED

- 1. There are families at Home Stay whom the manager has witnessed significant spiritual and emotional changes. These changes can be rewarded bring them together for a "thank you dinner" for their consistent progress. Then connect them with our church and Christian ministries for training in health, wellness of mind, body, spirit, and soul.
- **2.** Mobilize men and women in our church to join up in painting the doors of each unit along with the residents, and the stairs / second story iron railings.