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A monthly newsletter from Reach Ministries Int'l



It's A Great Day For A Workcamp!

Merry Christmas Reach,

Can you believe it's only 22 days until Christmas? We here at Reach Workcamps know that this can be a stressful time, but it shouldn't be! So, we've compiled a list of 10 Christmas Gifts to help de-stress your Christmas shopping. Maybe with the extra time we're saving you, you can spend time in His word and focus on the best gift we've all received.

1. [Magazine Subscription](#)
2. [Bible](#)
3. [Music / Worship CD](#)
4. [Reach Wear](#)
5. [Video or DVD or Book](#)
6. [The Bible Challenge Game](#)
7. [Apples to Apples, Bible Edition Board Game](#)
8. [Christian Concert Tickets](#)
9. [Gift Certificate to a Reach Workcamp](#)
10. [Massage Therapy](#)

Merry Christmas,
The Reach Workcamp Staff
<http://www.reachwc.org>

Behind-The-Scenes Tour...

Ever wonder what the Reach Workcamp Office looks like? Here's your chance to see where all the magic happens. Check out this highly entertaining video at <http://www.youtube.com>.

[View The Office Tour](#)

Reach Devotional...

I have always been intrigued with the use of acronyms; Be a FAT servant (Faithful, Available, Teachable) or have SMART goals (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Realistic, and Time-related). I believe you get the point...



freshly baked goodies, and hear some familiar tunes on the radio that pop up once a year. It's great to be alive and active in this season!

Therefore, I have made an acronym for you to complete. He truly is the reason for the season and I encourage you to complete your personal acronym on why you celebrate this season. I would love to see what you come up with. Merry Christmas to you all and have a wonderful New Year!

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Amen,
Craig A. Burden

[Email Craig](#)

Reach Trivia...

November's trivia question required a keen eye and the ability to correctly age Reach's staff members. The correct photo arrangement (from left to right) was Craig, Annie, Paul, Mike, and Heather with a combined age of 171. The correct answer came from Paul Nolden. Enjoy the fruit of your keen eye, Mr. Nolden, as you proudly advertise for Reach Workcamps with a new Reach Workcamps sweatshirt.



Now, for the highly anticipated last trivia question for 2007:

Reach Workcamps recently had exhibit booths at the Youth Specialties Conventions in St. Louis and Atlanta. As part of our continual service to youth leaders, we print out labels to be used at the convention. Your trivia question relates to these two events.

How many youth leaders came to the Reach Workcamps booths to participate in this service?

Email us at workcamps@reachwc.org with your answers. We will take answers until December 20th, but only the first correct answer wins a Reach sweatshirt.

[Submit Your Answer](#)

2008 Workcamp Schedule...



- June 15 - June 21 [Greenup, Kentucky](#) (186 registered)
June 15 - June 21 [Mississippi Gulf Coast*](#) (20 registered)
June 22 - June 28 [Mississippi Gulf Coast](#) (82 registered)
June 29 - July 5 [Lockport, New York*](#) (138 registered)
July 6 - July 12 [Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio*](#) (CAMP IS FULL)
July 13 - July 19 [Oceana, West Virginia](#) (173 registered)
July 20 - July 26 [Oceana, West Virginia*](#) (92 registered)
July 20 - July 26 [Monroe, North Carolina](#) (ALMOST FULL)
July 27 - August 2 [Monroe, North Carolina*](#) (123 registered)

*Indicates combination Jr. & Sr. High workcamps

Need A Tax Write-Off?...

Make a tax-deductible donation to Reach Workcamps before the end of the year. You can either send a check to our office, donate your car, or even transfer stock on-line. We

are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization and we will send you a receipt for any donations received.

Send checks to:
Reach Workcamps
PO Box 789
Galeton, CO 80622

or call (888) REACH-WC for more information.

Tired of Eating Ramen Noodles?...

Yes, that's you, college students!!! We have begun the application process for the 2008 Reach Workcamps Summer Staff! We are looking for anyone who has a commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord of their life, a servant's heart, is a team player, and is at least one year out of high school. We hold them to a high standard of service and integrity. Check out <http://www.reachwc.org/pages/summerstaff.shtml> for more information. What a great way to spend a summer serving God! Applications are due December 31st.

[Email for More Information](#)

Humor Corner...

Q. What kind of man was Boaz before he married?

A. Ruthless.

Q. What do they call pastors in Germany?

A. German Shepherds.

Q. Who was the greatest financier in the Bible?

A. Noah. He was floating his stock while everyone else was in liquidation.

Q. What was the greatest female financier in the Bible?

A. Pharaoh's daughter. She went down to the bank of the Nile and drew out little prophet.

Q. What kind of motor vehicles are in the Bible?

A. Jehovah drove Adam and Eve out of the Garden in a Fury. David's Triumph was heard throughout the land. Also, probably a Honda, because the apostles were all in one Accord.

Q. Who was the greatest comedian in the Bible?

A. Samson. He brought the house down.

These jokes were found at: <http://www.crosswalk.com/fun/>.

Reach News...

- **2008 CAMP LOCATIONS** - Find out more information about each of the [2008 Locations](#) such as things to do in each area and local restaurants.
- **ON-LINE GROUP INFORMATION** - Once you register for camp, view your group's current registered campers and print forms on-line with our web features that aren't available anywhere else in the industry. [LOGIN NOW](#).
- **ON-LINE HANDOUTS & FORMS** - We've recently added more of our handouts, forms, and information to the website for you to print out for parents, pastors, meetings, etc. [Check 'em out!](#)
- **FACEBOOK** - As you decide which camp you're attending, join the Facebook group and see who else is going. There are also some general Reach Workcamps groups that have been started for you to say hello to previous workcampers. Visit www.facebook.com to get started.
- **REACH WEAR** - Forget to buy cool Reach Merchandise at camp or maybe they didn't have your size? [Check out the full supply of Reach Wear](#).
- **20,000+ PICTURES** - Check out our website for [all pictures](#) that were taken during the 2007 Workcamp Season.
- **DONATE TO REACH** - Making any on-line purchases soon? Be sure to join [iGive](#) to raise money for Reach Workcamps with every purchase. It costs nothing to join and works behind-the-scenes while you shop.

Thanks for a great 2007 Summer! We look forward to serving with all of you in 2008! Please call us at 1-888-REACH-WC (1-888-732-2492) for more information about Reach Workcamps or check us out on the web at <http://www.reachwc.org>.

Blessings,

The Reach Staff

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