### **Eleventh Annual Conference**

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19 and the Power of the Word of God to change the lives of believers who respond to it. Everyone present hopes he comes back next year to speak to us again.

All of us face trials and suffering in this life. Dr. Kem Oberholtzer gave a very practical and motivating message on our perspective in trials and suffering.

My message on the tragic state of Christian education today was the last message of the conference and I heard lots of positive comments. I had good feedback on my other two messages as well: "Trusting in the Lord vs. Believing in Him," and "The Current State of Grace."

Pastor Brian Fisher joined us for the first time and he did not disappoint. The audience loved him and his message. He spoke on the need to pass the grace message on to the next generation.

Colonel Ken Yates also gave his first plenary message with us and the crowd was moved by his explanation of the difference between being a child of God and being a son of God. He spoke with power and taught us the meaning of the Army expression *Hooah!* 

Dr. J. Paul Tanner was another first-time speaker at our conference and he gave a super message on a punishment worse than death (Heb 10:26-31). This is Paul's first year back in the States after 20 years teaching in Singapore and in Jordan.

We've put some pictures in this newsletter. For a slide show on the conference, go to our website at www.faithalone.org and click on Conference 2006.

If you missed this year, register now for the 2007 conference! PG

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### **Spotlight on Your Support**

I constantly marvel at what God allows us to do. I can't imagine that there are four people, Jennifer, Jeremy, Daniel, and Brandon, all of whom are financially supported to work at GES by gifts from partners. Plus we have a nice office to work in, excellent computers, high speed internet, and even a break room with a microwave and refrigerator. Your partnership also allows us to publish several books and booklets each year.

Our website reaches thousands of people every week from all over the globe. That amazes and thrills me. That all takes money from people who are burdened about this message every bit as much as any of us on staff is.

I am able to travel around the U.S. and even around the world (like New Zealand and Australia) sharing the grace message because of your sacrifice.

We are a small ministry as ministries go today, but our impact is great. The reason, I believe, is God's blessings. And His blessings come in great part because you partner with us. PG

### Grace on the Go

#### March

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1-2	GES Conference, Dallas, TX
5	Church of Hope, Laguna Hills, CA
10-13	New Church, Hamilton, MT
17-19	Jansen (NE) Bible Church
24	ETS Regional Mtg., Fort Worth, TX
25-26	Alvin (TX) Bible Church







# Eleventh Annual Conference Dallas, TX

### February 27-March 2

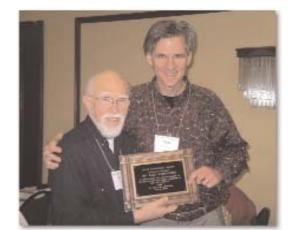
Wow. What a conference. We didn't miss a beat moving to a new hotel in a different city, The Crowne Plaza in North Dallas. In fact, everything seemed to go even better.

Zane Hodges brought his "A" game. His message on unlimited atonement was amazing in the insights he delivered. He also gave a fascinating message on the person who claims to be saved, yet who believes he can lose it. Using an imaginary dialogue, he showed how people who believe they can lose salvation really are claiming only that they are safe for the time being. Yet Zane showed that such people are not even temporarily safe.

In a reprise of a message he'd given as a workshop the year before, Pastor Bob Bryant gave a challenging message on the necessity of believing in eternal security in order to be born again. This messages led to lots of talk among the conferees.

Dr. Ryrie spoke at our conference for the first time and wowed everyone. He received a standing ovation when he went up on the platform. He spoke on Acts

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GES honored Dr. Earl Radmacher at the conference for his dedication to the gospel for the past five decades



Board Members: JB, Jeff, Bob, Ralph, Troy, and Brad

# GES Board Meeting Irving, TX

#### February 13

We had another super board meeting. We have added two members to the board, one brand new and one who has been on the board before.

Ralph Grant is 65 years old and has been on the board before. He has retired from both the Army and the City of Dallas and he worked for several years after that at Oak Cliff Bible Fellowship. Currently he is retired, but he's thinking of taking part-time work because he's getting bored.

Jeff Bryant is our youngest board member at 31. He is the son of frequent GES speaker and writer Pastor Bob Bryant of Marshall, TX. Jeff is a computer whiz and he brings a lot of business experience to the board.

One of our big decisions is to move forward on plans to begin offering residence classes and even to seeking accreditation.

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# The Grace Conference 2006



John Niemelä presenting his workshop

I enjoy hearing what is going on in the Grace Movement from all over the world



Bob and Sharon Wilkin and Bob and Sherry Bryant

The people were so nice and friendly



Daniel Mosburg presenting a workshop on the Emerging Church



GES staff with Dr. Ryrie

Max and Marlene Mills

I was introduced to contro-

versial topics that I have

never thought about before



The 2006 Grace Conference!

The Student Ministry workshop was over the top! I'm anxious to share with my church



Bob's workshop



Conferees enjoying the banquet

The confer-

ence was won-

derfully

informative

and thought

provoking



Drs. Charles C. Ryrie and C. Gordon Olson both spoke at the conference this year

I love being with like minded people



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— in Grace

I got the chance to see that I am not "all alone" in a

"grace

theological"

understanding

Zane Hodges, Rene Lopez, Charles Ryrie, Al Valdes and others enjoying lunch

The conference was great

This was the best conference yet in my opinion



The next generation of Free Grace



Jamey Bryant leading in song

I appreciated all of the different options for workshops



Shawn, Kelsey, and Hannah Leach



Bob Vacendak presenting a workshop on the Book of Revelation



