

## April 2025 Ministry Report

Greetings!

I am so excited about the return of warmer weather! I am anxious to be doing both motorcycle and off-road ministry as the weather has warmed up!

We completed two M.A.D. Live Events in April. I am also presenting Ron Hutchcraft's 6-week training called, "Your Hope Story" in our home church. Are you born again? If so, you have a story that you can tell that can impact someone's eternity. Psalm 107:2 says, "Let the redeemed of the Lord tell their story." While discussing "religious" topics can open the doors for disagreements, or worse yet, arguments, no one can argue with "YOUR" story! Can you tell your story? This 6-week video series and workbooks can be downloaded for free, or the books may be purchased. They can be used individually or in a small group setting. Consider downloading this and going through it by yourself or with a small group. Go to www.yourhopestory.com.

I was blessed to have taken my Pastor (Cody) to a Pastors' Luncheon, sponsored by "The Light FM" in Greenville, SC. About 100 pastors attended, and we had a great time with the radio station staff. The food was great, Brandon Heath sang a few songs, followed by a funny Christian comedian, and a short encouraging message for the Pastors by. "The Light" staff stuffed each of the Pastors' gift bags with one of our new M.A.D. flyers. So far, I haven't heard from any of the pastors, but please pray they read the flyer and contact me about coming to their church to help equip their people.

Here's a few short testimonies I received this month:

"Dear Don and Cathy, I was just reading about the off-road ministry and the special PTL tracts you put together. May the Lord continue to bless this outreach and your ministry. It's been over 10 years since we attended our first MAD event and was introduced to sharing our faith like never before. Thank You! Now we are Gideons but still use PTL tracks in jails and prisons and Interstate Rest Areas. We have been blessed to be a blessing to share the Gospel."

"On the way to a recent doctor appointment, I got to share the Gospel in the taxi with Alvin while driving there; he's Muslim. On the return trip, I shared the Gospel with Dan, who thinks there may be a God, but doesn't know who He is. Lord please save them!"

According to the notes in my "Divine Appointment" book, I was blessed to sow Gospel seeds in the hearts of 35 people this month. Here's the breakdown:

6 - Police Officers 4 - Veterans 25 - Others

413 Cedar Grove Road - Johnson City, TN 37601-7069 P - (423) 444-5594 E - <u>don@donsunshine.org</u> W - <u>www.donsunshine.org</u> We have had to do a few repairs and make some modifications to the Newmar coach we were gifted with. We will be taking it on our first overnight trip to North Carolina this weekend for a M.A.D. Live Event as a checkout trip. Lord willing all of the plumbing and other utilities will work flawlessly. We have been so blessed with this gift from the Lord which will make ministry travel much easier for us as we continue to serve Him as He has called us to do.

## SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT 3 MONTHS

- May 3 M.A.D. Live Event # 806 Double Springs Baptist Church, Shelby, NC
- May 17 M.A.D. Live Event # 807 Grace Bible Church, Newfane, NY
- May 18 M.A.D. Live Event # 808 Avoca Baptist Church, Avoca, NY

• June 28 - M.A.D. Live Event # 809 - In partnership with "The Light FM" - Park West Church, Valley Campus, Knoxville, TN

## We need bookings! We have either a 3 or 4-hour Live Event that we can teach. Please pray and help if you can.

## PLEASE PRAY WITH US

- Schedule As you can see, we have many, many open dates. It starts with prayer, but if you can help with your church's leadership or pastors that you know, that would be a blessing!
- Thank the Lord for answering our prayers for a motorhome to travel in.
- For good health so we can continue to travel and equip the body of Christ
- We are awaiting the final edited videos of our 90-minute version of our M.A.D. Live Event. Please pray for God's wisdom and guidance as to where and how to use our new videos of our M.A.D. Live Event to equip more people and open new doors of ministry for us to do the full training.
- With the slow schedule, please pray that God will continue to supply our financial needs that He normally provides through the love offerings. With no Live Events....no love offerings. We pray the funds will come in through other means.
- For God to use the many Divine appointments that He provides to save the people that I have shared with

Love in Christ,

Cathy and Don