

The Church Page News

3RD ANNUAL YOUTH REVIVAL SET



The House of Holiness C.O.G.I.C., will be beginning its 3rd annual youth revival conducted by Evangelist Emma Lee Sanders & the Youth Department, this August 1, 1979

Services will be held each night, Sunday through Friday at 7:30 P.M.

On Saturday, August 11, 1979, Bishop L. K. Griggs and his choir from Palm Springs, California will be our special guests and on that night only, service will begin at 8:00 P.M.

Come one, come all and be blessed.

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For more information, call the Church at 648-7937

Reviews:

(For "true believers" and all admirers of courage)

A TIMELY TESTAMENT

A review of *Beyond Defeat*, by James E. Johnson with David W. Balsiger, Doubleday, Garden City, N.Y., 1978, 274 pages, hardcover, \$7.95.

James (Jimmy) Johnson, a proud mixture of Senegalese Watusi and of Blackfoot and Cherokee Indian, is an even more rare "true believer" and lover of his fellow men.

Brought up in the strongly independent-minded home of a nearly seven-foot tall Watusi father and a mother of mixed Original American stock, Jimmy Johnson was suckled on the virtues of self-sufficiency and of hard work. He became a lifelong Republican, a rejector of "welfare as a way of life," even as his father had rejected anything but "eating by the sweat of his brow" during the depths of the Great Depression.

As blacks increasingly question "the welfare ethic," they may be raising even more serious questions about the alternative, as evident in or as symbolized by a Jimmy Johnson. But his example, whether approved and adopted or not, will need to be examined. His is the story of a conservative black man who has relied upon the power of God in himself, as he claims. He founded the celebrated Washington Prayer Breakfast movement and today touches countless lives, both black and white.

WORDS OF LIFE Biblical Inspiration For The Week

"Just and true are your ways."—Revelation 15:3

1. *The ways of God are right.* To be "just" means to be right. A ledger sheet is "justified" when it is brought into balance. A plumb line is "just" when the balance line stands still. Hence, no doubt, God says to us, "Be still; and know that I am God." God wants our lives to be just, that is, exactly true and as precisely right as His own most just life.

2. *The ways of God are true.* God is truth. Only in Him does all life, all reality have its being. Whatever is

not of God, so our Christian Science brothers so aptly remind us, is not reality. It is only the seeming and is not the true.

3. *"Wake up to reality."* This is what a song popular some 30 years ago admonished us. Change and decay in all around we see, but the God who changes not reflects reality. Our life, to be productive, eternal and worthwhile, must find its source and center in the God whose ways are "just and true."

Prayer Poem

The power and righteousness (or rightness) of God are reflected in the memorable words of the hymn or prayer poem, "God the Omnipotent" written in part by Henry F. Chorley. The English novelist in 1842. Subsequently, verses 3 and 4 were added by the famous clergyman and hymnwriter John Ellerton in 1870.

*God the Omnipotent! King who ordainst
Thunder thy clarion, the lightning thy sword;
Show forth thy pity on high where thou reignest:
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord.*

*God the All-Merciful! Earth hath forsaken
Thy ways all holy, and slighted thy word;
Did not thy wrath in its*

*terrors awaken
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord.*

*God the All-righteous One! man hath defied thee;
Yet to eternity standeth thy word,
Faishood and wrong shall not tarry beside thee:
Give to us peace in our time, O Lord.*

*God the All-provident! Earth by thy chastening,
Yet shall to freedom and truth be restored;
Through the thick darkness thy kingdom is hastening:
Thou wilt give peace in thy time, O Lord.*

—Amen

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