

The Vision

The Vision of Deborah Arise International! Is to see women investing time daily and if possible praying weekly in pairs or triplets-interceding for the current generation of young people. As we move together we will more effectively take back ground from the enemy and rescue our captive generation. We will seek God for his strategies for the battle, supporting and encouraging each other as we move on.

Six years ago our young people did not want to come to church; they were embarrassed and felt intimidated by their peer group. We began fasting and praying for our young people the first three days of each month. We saw a real breakthrough with a couple of them and we have continued to see a wonderful change in our young people. Now they lead our worship, march with banners, preach, lead small groups of younger children etc. Our church strategy is to continue the three day fast. We have found this to be of tremendous value. We feel strongly that the place to start is with prayer for the CHILDREN IN OUR OWN FAMILIES and THE YOUNG PEOPLE IN OUR OWN CHURCHES, and then we move on to prayer for our city, the nation and the world.

Battle Cry for a Generation

RON LUCE of Teen Mania Ministries calls for Christians to rise up and rescue a generation of young people in his new book 'Battle Cry for A Generation' He says 'There is a holy urgency burning in my soul to capture the heart of this generation NOW, while there is still time.' He is partnering with Joyce Meyer ministries to 'enlist a coalition of concerned adults who will fight for a generation.' This cry will potentially reach millions of Christians around the world through Joyce Meyer's media network.

On his way home from church one-day Ron's brother Ralph became an unassuming hero. On August 16th 1998 on his way home from church he was following a car carrying two teenage girls. He witnessed a terrible accident as a pick-up truck ploughed into the side of the car carrying the girls at an intersection. The car instantly exploded. One girl was thrown out and instantly killed and another trapped in the burning vehicle. Ralph jumped out of his car and managed to rescue the girl from the burning vehicle. Soon paramedics arrived and took her to hospital.

Ron asked Ralph what thoughts had been going through his mind as he approached the burning car. He replied 'I didn't do anything that probably anyone else in my position would not have done... **when the car is on fire, you do whatever you have to the get the girl out !!** '

THE CAR IS ON FIRE!!

After travelling in youth ministry for eighteen years and speaking to millions of students Ron Luce is ready to sound an alarm. He says 'I was radically saved and changed by Jesus at the age of 16 yrs coming out of drugs and a broken home. Since then the Lord has given me opportunity to share with many hurting teens. I have seen the worst of the worst and I know that no-one is beyond the reach of God's hand. But something is happening right now that demands our attention. It is a well documented fact that Bible believing Christians have been steadily decreasing in the USA from generation to generation. Think what our society looks like now with the boomer generation in leadership:-

- Hollywood TV and movies laced with blatant sexuality
- Perverted lyrics in today's most popular music
- The Internet laden with pornography and other garbage
- The fight for gay marriage
- The removal of the Ten commandments from courthouses
- Signs of Christianity deleted from public holidays and local government logos
- 50% of marriages ending in divorce



To Women of Empty Nests

The following is taken from Gwen Shaw's prayer letter to her 'Daughters of Gwen'. She is over 90 years old and has been an inspiration to women for many years.

She is a wonderful Godly lady.

During a time of prayer recently God began to reveal to me that He is yearning for the women of the empty nests (those whose children have left home, whose husbands have died or are emotionally absent and those who have never had children or husbands, to present their empty nests to Him so that He can fill them with eggs that He himself has fertilised. He is needing those women to brood over them and hatch the purposes of God. He is asking them to stop searching around for things to fill the nests themselves just so those nests won't be empty. He needs and desires to have women who have room to receive him and fill their lives with

his own purposes. He has designed this time for himself. He is saying 'Let me be your husband, your children. Please don't fill up the empty place and try to comfort your loneliness and emptiness with other people and things. I need women with space for me and if you let me use your empty nests I will birth glorious children through you. You look at your life and see emptiness. I see a resting place for MY glory. You see loneliness. I see a lover I can commune with, partner with, to whom I can pour out my heart. I have patiently waited for your nest to become vacant so that I could use it. You have time to listen and a mother's heart to hear. If you let me I will begin to fill the earth with our offspring because you have not filled up your life with other distractions. Open your extra time that has been freed from children and husband to me and I will become your reward. The Kingdom of God needs nests from which to spring. Give me yours. Stretch wide

the edges of your nests for I am about to fill them with more fertile eggs than you have dreamed of. I have placed within you eggs of promise, waiting for a time of intimacy when I could fertilise those eggs. I have waited for the time when you could wait on me as I hover over you. This is that time. Don't miss it by trying to assuage your emptiness with more empty things. And if I might ask this generosity I would like to bring the orphaned eggs to your nest; eggs that have been abandoned and neglected; spiritual children that I desire to add to my family who will die without a mother to nurture them. Will you become the mother of my spiritual children? If you will brood over these eggs of promise, I myself will come and feed you. With my own hand I will place the food in your mouth. I will come and give you waters of Life freely and sit beside you listening to your heart and sharing mine.'

Battle Cry for a Generation

If these are the struggles we face now where will this new generation take us? What sort of world will our children and grandchildren grow up in?. Studies have shown that 90% of people who come to Christ do so before the age of twenty. Young people are in the most mouldable time of their lives before they become adults. There is a HOLY urgency burning in my soul to capture the heart of a generation NOW whilst there is still time . The next five to seven years will determine the direction this

generation takes. . This is our defining moment! Will we prove we were ready for the challenge of our day?

What can I do?

This is the question we should all be asking. The time is now for us in the body of Christ to rally around these young ones. We must transform our churches into hospitals for a broken-hearted generation. Even if you do not feel called to youth ministry reach out to a young person near you.

Go to your church's youth leader and ask how you may help them. Can you love? Smile? Go out for a Coke? . Log on to www.battlecry.com now and discover how you can play an important part in rescuing those who are battered by the world. When the car is on fire, it demands our response. It demands we get out of our comfort zone and take a risk. It compels us to do something. Who knows you could be the next unassuming hero to rescue some of these teens caught in an explosive culture'



DEBORAH ARISE CAMEROON

Pastor Ruth Mwagalwa, leader of Deborah Arise Africa reports on her trip to Cameroon, July 2005

I left Entebbe to fly to Nairobi and asked God for a genuine person to sit with from Nairobi to Douala. I did not expect to have anyone from Entebbe to Nairobi but our God is a miracle working, faithful God! When I took my seat in Entebbe a woman sat next to me who was travelling back to Yaounde, the capital city of Cameroon. She was 'born again', halleluia! I wanted to jump for joy in the plane. I had been unable to arrange my visa before leaving for Cameroon and the lady was able to help me. When I told her that I was going to a conference in Douala and that I needed to get my visa on arrival, she told me that it would cost me \$100 and not to fear. Another lady joined us in Nairobi and the first lady introduced me to her and asked her to help me organise my visa on arrival. We stopped for 45 minutes in Yaounde and then continued to Douala, arriving there at 9.45pm (11.45 pm Ugandan time). I thank God that I was met by a lady waiting for me who had written to immigration regarding my visa. We had to wait for 1 ½ hours for my visa to be issued and once we had collected my cases we met up with four other lovely ladies. We left the airport at 11.20 pm and drove for about an hour to our accommodation. I stayed in the home of a widow whose husband had died in 1987. She had four children; two lived in France, one in the USA and the other in Yaounde. Although she did not speak English God helped us to communicate.

On the Sunday morning we travelled to the church and met with Apostle Brown, who is a man of God. There were about 60 people in the service and after he preached he introduced me and invited me to greet the people and close the service.

The conference started on the



Monday and two women pastors from Nigeria joined us. I told the conference about June Richards and the vision of Deborah Arise International. I shared the prophecy given by Bobby Conner about the coming World Wide Youth Revival and the goals of Deborah Arise. I preached about the Fires of Revival and recounted the history of Uganda. I also gave my own testimony. The presence of God was tangible; men and women went down on their knees and started to pray. We entered into intercession and repentance.

The service was good when we launched Deborah Arise Cameroon.

In 1988 God had spoken to Apostle Brown telling him to prepare the way for a revival in Cameroon. In 1997 God spoke to him again telling him that revival would come through the women. Apostle Brown has churches in ten provinces and he said that they were going to start Deborah Arise in their churches

and then they will take the project to other churches. On Saturday we prayed for Anne Theresa who is going to be the co-ordinator of Deborah Arise Cameroon, she is a hard working lady. Apostle Brown's sister, Mrs Azubike Bbiandu, has agreed to be the co-ordinator for Deborah Arise in Port Harcourt, Nigeria.

Let's praise God for these two ladies and ask for His protection over them as they take the vision of Deborah Arise into Cameroon & further into Nigeria.



Haystack Prayer

Rich Wilson, the network manager for Fusion, contacted us recently inviting us to partner with them in a year of prayer for student mission. The year would focus on the 200th anniversary of the Haystack Prayer meeting, which took place one sultry afternoon, in the summer of 1806. Five students sheltered from a thunderstorm under a large haystack. It was in this field that Samuel J. Mills shared his burden that there would be a mobilisation of students for world mission. It was this catalytic moment that paved the way for a great awakening. It birthed the American bible society, YMCA and later the student volunteer movement where over 20,000 students set sail and allowed the Holy Spirit to blow them and the gospel to the nations. God's heart is still for the nations to be impacted and we align ourselves with the same flow and spirit of mission. 1806 was the year of the Haystack prayer meeting and the 'spirit' of the haystack was prayer, mobilisation and mission. 200 years

on in 2006 the same challenge is faced, only this time on our doorstep as the nations gather in UK universities for education and inspiration.

Fusions aim is to profile 2006 as a year of prayer for student mission, when students, graduates, parents, churches and organisations are to be encouraged to pray for student mission.

There will be Haystack Prayer events. The Haystack challenge to students is to pray for their field, to commit to mission in their universities and to mobilise workers.

Let us pray for the following

- *Witness of Christian students*
- *Raising up of student workers*
- *Release of finance for student mission*

If you would like to know more about the work of fusion or the year of prayer contact:

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Thankyou for praying for students as requested in the last newsletter. Ruth Holiday who wrote that article has since reported an increase in the number of students attending prayer meetings at her college, more passion for Jesus amongst the Christians and she and a team recently had a very successful week of 24-7prayer with students from a number of colleges – a first for the city of Durham !!!
Hallelujah !

Transmission

Transmission is taking place this summer at YWAM's Harpenden base with up to 1,000 young people camping on site. There will be a focus on mobility and world mission – responding to God's call to the nations. Different streams for discipleship, evangelism, church planting, justice, those called to business, politics, education, media, and music are going to be available. The Transmission team are

partnering with Fusion, NGM, Share Jesus, YWAM , native teen missions and individual church groups. Please pray for:-

- God to be calling young people to commit themselves to radical, passionate, mobile lifestyles out of a desire to serve Jesus Christ to the full

- For God to be encouraging those who would benefit from being at Transmission to be prepared to come.
- For 24-7. Share Jesus and YWAM as they get the programme ready and for all the logistical practicalities to come together in such a way that honours God.



Deborah Arise in Ireland

We are absolutely delighted to be able to introduce Helen Ritchie to you – our Deborah leader in Ireland.

Helen writes:

‘ My name is Helen Ritchie and my husband Don and I are the parents of three sons and 6 grandchildren aged between 2 and 6 years old with another expected in July! We are members and cell leaders in Christian Fellowship Church, Standtown, Belfast. I have been involved with working with children and young people for many years. In more recent years I have been working with women i.e. prayer ministry, counselling and prayer groups etc. I heard June speak at a conference in Dublin about Deborah Arise and I felt the Lord really speak to me about starting a Deborah group in my home. We grew to nine women from a variety of churches, all



different but all with a heart for children and young people and a

deep desire to cry out to God on their behalf. When I was asked if I would co-ordinate Deborah Arise in Ireland I felt challenged, excited and inadequate and asked God to show me His will and desire. Through prayer, the Bible and the encouraging word of friends e.g.

women praying for young people. ‘Helen- that’s just you!’ the Deborah Arise group and myself felt that as we trusted the Lord Jesus He would enable us to do this in His strength and love. June and her lovely secretary Maggie came over to see us and we were so blessed and envisioned afresh as we met with them.

I would love to hear from any of you in Ireland who have a Deborah Arise vision and would be glad to meet up with you so that together, with our Lord, we can fast and pray for and encourage this generation of young people in Ireland and throughout the world.

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Two Latest Crazes - Reason to Pray!

The Times newspaper April 28th 2005 carried an article discussing the hedonistic lifestyles of teenagers in the UK ‘involving unprecedented levels of group and under- age sex that risks an epidemic of health problems’. They reported nurses working with young people noticing reports of a new craze as large groups of young people meet together for sex where young people will go from one partner to another- known as ‘ Daisy Chaining’

Another craze is known as ‘happy slapping’ where completely

innocent people are attacked and the episode is recorded on mobile phones and shared around for ‘entertainment.’ Recently a girl was beaten unconscious, in another case a girl aged 11 was raped and the episode shown round her school, and in another somebody sleeping on the street was set on fire sustaining very serious injuries.

We have recently received a letter from one of our Deborah ladies in London urging us to encourage you to pray following an incident she witnessed in the area where she

lives. A gang of youths surrounded a group of children aged 3-6 years old and forced them to fight one another whilst they recorded it on their mobile phones. One child was punched to the ground while the other child was forced to kick and jump on him, before anyone was able to intervene!

Whilst the enemy is hard at work trying to destroy this generation of young people we know that our God has a destiny and purpose for each one – please pray.



Ready - Aim - Fire !!!!

A prophetic word by Bill Yount. www.Billyount.com

BABY ALERT! HELL TREMBLES AT LIFE IN THE WOMB FOR IT SEALS HIS DOOM!

Exodus 15:3 'The Lord is a man of war. The Lord is His name.'

Recently while ministering, I saw children as though they were being shot out of cannons, like cannon balls flying into the nations! I sensed the Lord saying "There will be a proverb in the earth in the days to come: 'This is how the West was won! This is how the East was won. This is how the North and South gave up and surrendered to the Kingdom of God....' Those 'cannon balls!' Balls of fire coming out of wombs, nurseries and children's churches!"

Wombs nurseries and children's churches were turning into ammunition depots where spiritual weapons of mass destruction were being built!

I saw God's fire igniting the inside of wombs nurseries and children's Sunday school classes. It was not

normal Sunday anymore- it was SON- day!

Luke 11:41 'And it came to pass that when Elizabeth heard the salutation of Mary, the baby leaped within her womb for joy and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit.'

I sensed once again many wombs will experience babies not only kicking but also leaping with such joy. Filling mothers with the Holy Spirit. Babies will be born crying 'Abba... daddy... give me to the nations!'

Twins will be double trouble for the devil. There will be multiplied anointing upon babies. Twins will be born with a double portion anointing that will be multiplied in the Spirit. One will chase a thousand, but two will put ten thousand to flight. Triplets and so on will surprise the enemy with

dynamite power that cannot be reckoned with 'a three fold cord cannot easily be broken'. Suddenly surprise babies will surprise many parents, but these babies have always been in my plans! Remember if you suddenly discover you are expecting a child when you weren't expecting it ... the Father has kept it a secret, and unplanned by you, so that He could spring a greater surprise on the enemy, putting him in 'shock and awe'!

If you want to laugh like Sarah laughed, just wait until you hear God's plans – and you will laugh like Sarah laughed!

I hear the 'man of war' shouting louder 'It's time to release My weapons of mass destruction against the enemy. Load the cannons with children and aim for the nations!'

Summer Events for Young People

Please remember to pray for the many events happening over the summer in different nations for young people - bible camps, mission trips, etc., those going on Christian gap year programmes including the new

24-7 prayer gap year opportunities based in prayer Boiler rooms in different nations.

May we also remind you to continue to pray for MERSEYFEST

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www.deborahariseinternational.com



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Travelling the World



June Richards has been suffering with pain in her knee for the past two years, although this has not deterred her from travelling around the world to share the vision of Deborah Arise. Towards the end of her holiday in early July her knee locked and the pain was so excruciating that June was unable to walk. This meant that she had to cancel her trip to Cameroon although our African leader, Ruth Mwagalwa was still able to go. June has since been seen by an orthopaedic surgeon and has undergone an exploratory operation, which showed she had a torn cartilage. This has been repaired and June is recovering remarkably well.

It had been planned that June would go to Indonesia in August/early

September with a mission team from Australia. The Australian team were informed by their contacts in Indonesia that there was an outbreak of bird flu and polio in the area that they would be going. Although these circumstances would not normally deter them when they sought God they felt that were led to postpone the trip at this time.

This means that June's next trip will be to Romania in October, which will give her time to recuperate from any further treatment she may need for her knee.

She is going to travel to Germany at the beginning of November to meet with the leaders of Deborah Arise there.

In February 2006 June is planning a trip to Tanzania with Pastor Ruth Mwagalwa.

Please pray for God to continue to open His doors for us into the nations and that we will hear clearly where His Spirit is leading us. We are constantly amazed at the Divine connections the Lord gives us as we lay the map of the world on the floor and lay hands on it and pray. As we soak in the presence of the Lord, He speaks to us and reveals His heart. We would really encourage you, in your groups to continue to spend quality time worshipping the Lord and soaking in His presence as you enter into your times of prayer.

Indonesian Highlights

Brian Mills from Inter-prayer wrote the following about Indonesia in his recent newsletter

I was in Indonesia for a Transform World conference with about 550 leaders from around the world. To my sorrow, I missed the climax on 5th May, which was a prayer rally in the main stadium in Jakarta. An estimated 150,000 Christians came together there, and up to 500,000 more in 76 other cities, to begin the 10 days of prayer and fasting that preceded the Global Day of Prayer.

Already plans are being made for next year's Day of Prayer on 4th June, 2006 – the same weekend as the International Day of Prayer for

Children at Risk. These events will continue for the next five years, with momentum expected to grow until 500 million Christians are joining together to pray for God to change the world.

Although I missed the final rally of the five days in Indonesia, there were many more highlights for me.

The prayer movement there has 'taken off' in the past five years. They are aiming for prayer towers of 24/7 prayer to be formed in 500 cities (they already have 50,

including Banda Aceh, where the tsunami hit)! I visited one in Jakarta – it was amazing, like walking from darkness into light, with 60-70 Indonesians praying their hearts out. They have two-hour shifts through every day! They also aim to raise up five million intercessors, and to see their country become a Christian nation by 2020!

Let us continue to pray for Indonesia, that God will open the right door at the right time for June to go and share the vision of Deborah Arise there.



Tod Bentley's Fresh Fire Ministry and One Billion Youth

Fresh Fire Ministry have announced the launch of their Joel's Army Youth Department. This had been launched in response to

prophetic words about the 'raising up of Joel's army that will do greater works than even Jesus did.' Their vision is to partner with a

prophetic word given by Bob Jones to see one billion youth come to Jesus and join the army of God!!

Trumpet Call Prayer for Children

There was a passionate time of prayer for children of the nations at the second

'Trumpet Call' day of prayer for the nation at the NEC arena in Birmingham in June. Led by John O'Brien who leads the days of prayer for children in Sheffield we

called forth the destiny of a generation of children and prayed a mighty arrow of God's grace in their direction.

Good News re: 'Calling All Nations'

'Calling all Nations' is an international worship event for young people that will take place at the Berlin Olympic stadium and

hopefully gather young people from across the world to worship our Saviour. After much prayer and preparation we now have a date for

this event, which is **Saturday 15th July 2006**. *Please pray for worship leader Noel Richards and all others involved in this amazing vision*

Thank

Thank you to those who have sent in donations to Deborah Arise. These gifts are always gratefully received so that the work of this vision can continue to expand.

Cheques can be made payable to 'Deborah Arise Europe'.

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