

THE LORD GOD IS MIGHTILY USING YOU



GRACE MARTIAL ARTS

A Ministry of

Set Free Youth & Family Ministries

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Powerfully Connecting With Our Kids' World While Affirming Them With Vital Christian Family Values

Grace Martial Arts Bible Clubs



Students Learn 3 Forms of Defense

- First** Students acquire Christ-Defense through Scripture memorization, Bible study and prayer. The students develop Biblical life-skills that equip them to readily employ Biblical principles and help them to make wise lifestyle choices.
- Second** Students acquire Mental-Defense that builds Godly character assets and Christ-centered confidence while strengthening disciplined direction for their life relationships and education.
- Third** Students acquire age-appropriate Physical-Defense, with a maximum efficiency of self-defense skill and advanced kinetic movement principles, to promote optimal health and well-being.



Many of the Grace Martial Arts Bible Club children's families are financially challenged. The parents sincerely appreciate the free club memberships, t-shirts, uniforms and Bibles that their children receive.

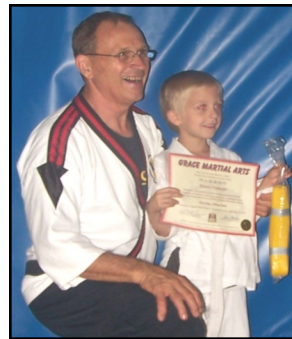
Very often I thank the Lord for prompting your heart to co-labor together with us in America's gigantic mission field of reaching youth and families with the glorious Gospel of Christ. You have been making an everlasting difference by investing in the eternal destiny of our own nation's children.



Living Examples of Iron Sharpening Iron

The Lord Jesus Christ is using you to help break through the destructive cycle impacting so many children in our nation's communities.

Every week, over 200 children and teens are being equipped to present the Life-Changing message of the Gospel of the Grace of God to their friends and families. The Lord has mightily used your loving support to establish five Grace Martial Arts Bible Clubs in the Greater Tampa Bay area.



Students receive awards and certificates, but most importantly, students learn that:

"They can do all things through Christ who strengthens them."



Five years ago, all of the students in the picture above were White-Belt beginners. NOW, 12 of these same students are Black-Belt Servant Leaders. Some have gone on to college, but many remain in the area and love helping me instruct the younger students.



Students Develop Christ-Confidence

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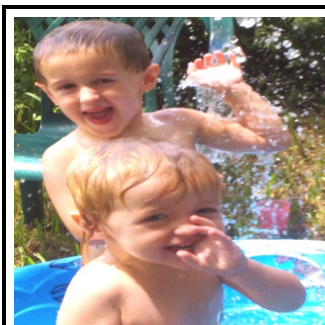
One year ago Beth's mother had a serious stroke. Beth has been caring for her mother in Ohio for nearly a year. The Lord has taken us through many challenging family dynamics.



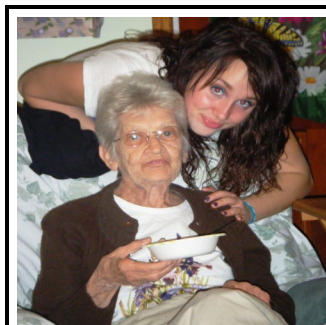
Faith after trial truly is much more precious than gold. My beloved Beth is now back home with me caring for her mom here in Florida. Thank you for your prayers!



Son Jonathan's wife, Rachel, gave birth to their first son, Jackson, one year ago. Jonathan has just been accepted into Physician's Assistant training.



Joshua begins Awana and Isaiah will soon. Rebecca to give birth to their 3rd child Julianna this Christmas. Chris has become a Certified Paramedic.



Daughter Rachel with her grandmother. Our family is a blessing, above words. Rachel is doing wonderfully at the State College of Florida.

It is Easier to Build a Child Than to Repair an Adult



Our Challenge

Our challenge is to lead every child to know the Lord Jesus Christ and His Word so well that he/she will readily employ Biblical principles and will make wise lifestyle choices.



Grace Martial Arts' Mission

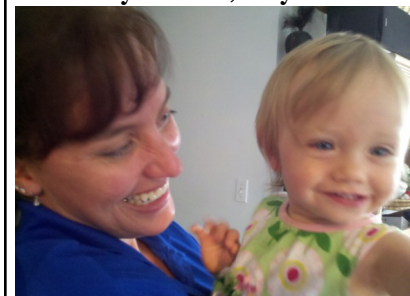
In response to God's love, grace and truth, our purpose is to glorify God through teaching the life-changing message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to youth and their families and to assist the Church in evangelizing and discipling a sea of lost, destitute souls in our own nation's communities.



Goals

To equip all students with the ability to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to reach the lost in their communities.

Our Malinda with her 1-year-old, Daylan



Our family just celebrated two grandchildren's 1st birthdays.

You have been a key blessing from the Lord to Beth and me. We have had the wonderful privilege for the past 30-plus years to witness the transforming power of the Gospel of Christ working miracles in and through the lives of lost, destitute youth and families. We sincerely believe that we have found grace and favor from the Lord through your prayers and ministry support. We are eternally thankful!

We pray that, by Christmas, every one of the 200 students we instruct weekly will be equipped to share the Gospel with his/her friends and family.



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