



Pastor Samuel Sams

# New Birth Kingdom Ministries International Newsletter

## "Good News You Can Use"

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### Tabernacle Update

New Birth Kingdom Ministries International is building a new sanctuary and we are excited! Continue to keep us in prayer as we forge ahead laboring in the Master's vineyard! Stay tuned for more details...



### Quest For Knowledge –The Temple and the Tabernacle

This year, we are embarking on a journey into the Holy of Holies. We have been seeking the things of God as we learn how to move from the "Porch to His Presence", which is in His Holy Temple.

Not only are we receiving a powerful Word from the Lord, but each Bible Study lesson contains the 'Affects of the Blessing' which Pastor Sams consistently speaks over the lives of the body of New Birth each week.

Come and worship with us on Tuesday evenings at the Quest for Knowledge to discover how to enter into the Awesome presence of God!

Would you like to stay abreast of the Quest for Knowledge lessons? Go to our website—

[WWW.NBKMI.ORG](http://WWW.NBKMI.ORG)

### Message from Pastor Sams

September 1, 2006



In this time of Kingdom awareness, it just can't be something that "you say", it must be something that "you do"! Often times, we use the old adage, "It's not what you say, it's what you do". The body of Christ is being taken to new dimensions. Our God expects and demands us to "Say It" and then "Do It". It can no longer be either, or but rather both!

Romans 4:17 says "Calleth (or speak) things that be not as though they were." The difference between the body of Christ and the world is "we walk by faith and not by sight", which means when we "speak a thing", then "decree it", now we can expect to "see it"!

It's "time out" for "falling out" just because something didn't go as planned. It's time to "fall in" and we must begin to recognize the Kingdom Authority that has been "Given in the Garden"! God gave us everything that we would need to be fruitful and multiply. The challenge that Christians face today is that we have not gotten a handle on the "Multiply" part. Contrary to popular belief, multiply has a greater meaning than our wonderful children.

We must begin to multiply, our Kingdom thoughts, actions and expectations. We must multiply the body of Christ through Marketplace Ministry, Worldwide Evangelism and much more. Then and only then, will the Kingdom of this world, become the Kingdom of Heaven! Prepare to take not only cities, but nations for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

With Kingdom Love,  
Pastor Samuel Sams

### NBKMI Youth: Boys To Men and Vessels of Honor

Elder Julia Neal

The Youth Ministry of New Birth Kingdom Ministries International hosted the church's second annual picnic at Notre Dame Park in Matteson on Saturday, June 24, 2006. The weather was a picture perfect, sunny and slightly breezy 80 degree day! A host of friends and family attended the fun-filled event. This year's theme was a "Hawaiian Luau" complete with pink flamingos and colorful lanterns. Many were accessorized in Hawaiian shirts, leis, and straw hats. We were tremendously blessed by those who volunteered to bring tasty dishes including catered BB-Q from **Kingdom Catering**.

To work off the food, there were plenty of games for everyone to enjoy such as the egg toss, jump rope, relay races and Pastor Sams favorite, softball. The children received a wonderful treat of having their faces painted by Sister Shirley Nealy. A good time was had by all! If you missed this year's picnic, be sure to mark your calendar for next year's outdoor extravaganza in 2007.

Special thanks to our Youth Ministry (Minister Rick Harris, Sister Rochelle Owens and Brother Cornelius Sams) for a job well done!



### A SINGLE MIND WITH A DOUBLE BLESSING



Pastor and First Lady Sams

customized just for the single man and woman of God.

Who said one is the loneliest number? Are you fed up with friends and family always equating your single status as a handicap? Well, keep your eyes focused on this column for an exciting inspiring word that will be

The bible never said that our Father's love and favor was only reserved for the married but rather for all who worship him in spirit and in truth. To all singles, prepare to be one with Him and receive a double portion of His blessings!

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### Devotional Forgive Me . . . For Not Including You! Pastor Samuel Sams

How many times have you felt confident that a difficult challenge has been resolved only to be faced with that very same challenge again? This time, it has not only returned to plague your life, but it has changed direction and headed south. That problem that we thought had become a thing of the past, **Just Didn't Last!** As a matter of fact, it's now worse than it was before. We consult friends in the morning, co-workers during the day and our spouses at night hoping to bring resolution to our circumstances. Its now 4:00 a.m. and Holy Spirit sends an instant message that says, "That's what happens, when you **don't** include me!"

**Psalms 1:2** states, "***But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.***" Meditation on Him can't be time sensitive or take place only when we have problems. It must be continual and it must always include Him. When we include **HIM** in our decisions, desires and thoughts, it gives us **POWER** over **THEM!**

### Ministry Overview Minister Rick Harris

The Youth Ministry at New Birth joyfully ministers to children ranging from ages 3 to 17. We are committed to teaching all children the ways of God through Bible Study Groups, most notably Youth Quest (Tuesday Night Bible Study).

As the Youth Ministry leader, I feel the role of the ministry is to equip our youth with sound biblical teaching, to encourage them to be participants in kingdom building, as well as teaching and training them to be aware of who they are in the kingdom.

Each year, the Youth Ministry has activities and events to support the youth. They include arts and crafts, bowling, mentoring and teachings that relate to the basic biblical principals of Kingdom Living.

The Youth Ministry has impacted the Englewood community with our Back-to-School Fair since 2002 and again this year. We have been able to bless thousands of children with free book bags complete with school supplies. More importantly, prayers are spoken over every school aged child.

The NBKMI Youth Ministry is on the move for Jesus Christ!

### A Financial Word Unwise Money Moves

#### Grabbing a 'No Interest for a Year' Deal

These days, you can't go into a furniture or electronics store without seeing a "No Interest for a Year" offer. Sounds enticing: You get the product now, interest-free if you pay it off within the specified time frame. Such offers are now available at stores like Sears, CompUSA and Crutchfield.

But be careful with these deals. To get them, you often have to apply for a store credit card. What happens then? If the balance -- even a penny of it -- remains unpaid once the interest-free period is over, all interest payments that would have been charged without the offer are typically slapped onto your balance. "You'll still owe all the interest, and oftentimes it's at 20% APR or higher," warns Pam Poldiak, a fee-only Certified Financial Planner (CFP) in Roanoke, Va. Worse yet, if you make nonpromotional purchases on the same card, your payments are usually applied toward the no-interest balance, while new purchases accrue interest at full speed.

To protect yourself, read the fine print before you charge up that new card: Companies are obliged to fully disclose the terms of their promotional offers. Just recently, Home Depot and GE Capital Corp. agreed to pay \$672,000 for pulling this exact trick on its customers in Connecticut and not disclosing their practices properly.

### Raise Your Praise!

James 1:17: *Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.* (NIV Bible)

Mozel Thurman received a special Father's Day gift a few days early this year: He was given legal custody of his 19 month old daughter, Moziah. It was a God-filled surprise!

For five months, Mozel had been seeking to gain custody of Moziah. He traveled back and forth from Chicago to Minneapolis, dealing with the court system. He never imagined that when he made the decision to seek custody of Moziah he would get it, but two days before Father's Day, the judge legally gave him FULL custody of his daughter, Moziah. Mozel is grateful to God for the perfect gift that He sent from above.

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NBKMI  
UPCOMING  
EVENTS

WOW—Women's  
Retreat  
September 15-16  
Gurnee, IL

Vessels of Honor  
and  
Boys to Men  
Youth Event  
October 21<sup>st</sup>

Thanksgiving  
Blessing Day  
November 23<sup>rd</sup>

Family Skate  
Night  
December 1<sup>st</sup>

### Ask Dad

If you have a  
question that you  
would like to ask  
Pastor Sams,  
please  
e-mail it to  
[askpastor@nbkmi.org](mailto:askpastor@nbkmi.org)

Services held at 6730 S. Halsted, Chicago, IL 60621

Sunday Morning Worship at 7:30 a.m.—Tuesday Evening Quest for Knowledge (Bible Study) 7:30 p.m.

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