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"Blessed are the peacemakers; for they shall be called
the children of God." (Matt. 5:9)

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* God's Peacemakers *

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The theme of this issue is: Being God's Peacemakers. Our job gives us the official capacity and fabulous opportunities for generating peace in the horrendous discord of this world. So let us allow the Bible, God's own Word, to speak to our hearts about us being PEACEMAKERS.

A. God's commands for us:

"Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: 'It is mine to avenge; I will repay,' says the Lord."
(Romans 12:17-19)

"Make every effort to live in peace with all men and to be holy; without holiness no one will see the Lord." (Hebrews 12:14)

"Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification." (Romans 14:19)

(We must make every effort to produce peace, but as we know, some situations require force to restore peace.)

B. God's power for us:

"But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere."
(James 3:17)

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control." (Galatians 5:22 & 23a)

"Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace." (Colossians 3:15)

C. The effect of us being Peacemakers:

"When a man's ways are pleasing to the Lord, he makes even his enemies live at peace with him." (Proverbs 16:7)

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Letters to the "Peacemaker"

Greetings,

I am so excited to hear of the F.C.P.O. An issue was given to me by a friend and I realized that this is exactly what I need to be a part of. I've only been employed as a police officer since the beginning of the year and am still going through parts of my recruiting process. This has proven to be a very stressful time; a time to really lean on the Lord.

Greatly appreciated,

Brett A. Fryer - Saanich P.D.
Victoria, B.C.

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I have only just learned of your organization, and am quite anxious to obtain further information. I feel this may be an excellent opportunity to communicate spiritually with my brother peace officers. I am looking forward to reading any information you can send me. Thank you.

Daniel Graham - R.C.M.P. Cst.
Morinville, Alberta

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Dear Editorial Staff,

I am a new born Christian. I was saved just shortly after starting on the force here, thanks to 3 fellow Christian police officers who are on the force. They knew I was searching and showed me the way. There's a special prayer in my heart for them for showing me the right path to follow.

I would also like to thank you for sending this magazine to our Dept. It is truly wonderful to see what God is doing in the lives of fellow police officers.

Keep up the good work, and may God truly bless you and the "Peacemaker".

Together in Christ,

John T. Kennedy - Cst.
Dalhousie, N.B.

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I am a Christian police officer and a police officer trying to be a Christian or a Christian trying to be a good police officer working within our Lord's will. I feel a need to grow, understand more and to have support. Therefore, I am interested in your organization. Thank you.

In Christ's name and will,

Bob Baum - Wyomissing P.D.
Bernville, Pennsylvania

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Dear Christian friends,

I have recently been transferred to the Victoria, B.C. area and, after a number of years of hearing about an organized group of Christian peace officers, I now have

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your address. I would like to know more about the organization, specifically I am interested in knowing whether there is a local Chapter. I look forward to being involved in the F.C.P.O. and involving a friend who has just come to Christ.

In Christ,

*Matt Logan - R.C.M.P.
Saanichton, B.C.*

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Upcoming Events

ABBOTSFORD, B.C.:

November 1-3, 1985 We are having a Western Canada Convention of the Canadian F.C.P.O. on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Our guest speaker will be James Rackley from Augusta, Georgia. James was a Georgia State Trooper for many years and was also the Governor of Georgia. James is now a travelling Evangelist for Jesus Christ and has a wonderful testimony to share. His wife, Billie, will share also in a Seminar for the wives, and James will be doing a Seminar for the men also. You won't want to miss this great time.

3RD CANADIAN F.C.P.O. NATIONAL GENERAL MEETING:

September 20-22 This year the Meeting is to be held all weekend long, September 20-22, 1985, centering at the Calvary Church, 89 Scott Street in St. Catharines, Ontario. It promises to be a very exciting time with special speakers and music, a Friday night corn and weiner roast with a Sharing and Praise Festival, the business meeting and Chapter reports on the Saturday morning, tours of Niagara Falls area in the afternoon, a scrumptious Saturday evening Banquet, and a coordinated Peace Officers' Church Service and luncheon on the Sunday. There is free billeting, or you can stay in the motel of your choice (off-season rates). Babysitting will be provided. So plan now to attend. And begin praying that God will continue to direct and bless His C.F.C.P.O.!

SASKATOON CHAPTER:

October 25-27, 1985 CHRISTIAN PEACE OFFICERS' CONFERENCE, at Arlington Beach Camp Conference Centre, Cymric, Saskatchewan (on Last Mountain Lake). Circle these dates on your calendar and start saving now for this event. We as a committee are excited and are expecting great things to happen this year at the Conference.

SPECULATOR, NEW YORK:

September 26-29 Policemen's Couples Fellowship Retreat during September 26-29, 1985 at Camp-of-the-Woods, Speculator, New York.

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"In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." (Matthew 5:16)

"Peacemakers who sow in peace raise a harvest of righteousness."
(James 3:18)

D. God's reward to us:

"There is no deceit in the hearts of those who plot evil, but joy for those who promote peace." (Proverbs 12:20)

". . . there is a future for the man of peace." (Psalm 37:37b)

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God."
(Matthew 5:9)

What more can I add except to say: Let us be God's agents of peace and share in the blessings He has promised.

In Christ's service,

Editors

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Poetry

THANK YOU, LORD

Thank you, Lord, for taking my hand
and guiding me to the promised land.
I silently strayed from Your flock,
getting farther away with a steady walk.
Then through Your servants You've shown to me
the path I was taking for eternity.
You gave me the strength, though, to turn around,
to face my temptations and turn them down;
To see the world in a brand new light;
To witness with all my Christian might.
Now I'm off to spread Your Word
so others may hear what I have heard;
So they may too rejoin the flock
and walk the path that I now walk.
To feel the power of our heavenly host;
To witness under the influence of the Holy Ghost;
To walk hand in hand with the Lord above;
To blanket the earth with His word of love.
Thank you, Lord, for giving me
the chance to share Your eternity;
Also, Lord, for taking my hand
and guiding me to the promised land.

--John T. Kennedy
(Cst., Dalhousie, N.B.)

"PEACEMAKER" DISTRIBUTION

Dear Readers:

Have you ever read a publication and wondered who the people behind it were? The "Peacemaker" did not come into being without much prayer and thought. Many of you have contributed, as seen by the letters and stories being submitted.

I am the volunteer distributor of your paper, and in that capacity I thought, for the sake of the approximately 1,500 families that it now reaches across Canada, the U.S.A. and some in Great Britain, that it would be fitting for you to have some knowledge of the staff involved. Let me begin by giving you some background of me.

I retired from the Toronto P.D. in April 1981 after serving 35 years, beginning in a busy downtown station for 13 years patrolling by motorcycle. This is what was commonly known as divisional police work. Then I transferred to the traffic unit. I continued riding motorcycles, and for the sake of you motorcycle buffs, I rode Harleys all the way. I had 24 years of riding for Metro and, along with my army days escorting Gen. E.L.M. Burns of the Canadian Army in Italy and service in England, Holland and other places, I was fortunate to survive all those years without serious injury. I married a Dutch girl from Amsterdam, Holland whom I met during the War, and after 37 years we have two grown children for which we are grateful.

I took on the job of distribution of the "Peacemaker" to help get it mailed out to you--something like the TIMES of London, you know!! I couldn't help but think that, as I perused the hundreds of labels from A to Z, I thought of the many personalities with all of their related needs that this paper reaches. The purpose of the magazine is to communicate the message of God to you. I would ask that you continue your input to YOUR paper from far away places so that every two months we feel that we have received a letter of information relating to our personal needs by way of testimonies, success stories and stories of your tribulations, for we all experience these from time to time throughout our life. We all have stories to tell of mutual interest, as we are one large family mainly of peace officers and relatives. If you have a particular need, let us know so that we may pray for you.

Since I became a Christian 2½ years ago at the age of 61, the Lord has called me through His Holy Spirit to begin a visitation program for many of our sick, retired officers who need guidance and prayer. Many others are lonely and look forward to a visit. I have been sick with cancer for the past 2½ years, but through prayer and skillful doctors, I am now in remission.

If you like the reading material in this magazine--YOUR magazine--remember to keep the letters and stories coming in so that this F.C.P.O. family may grow in the Lord and be strengthened and encouraged.

May God bless you all.

Your distribution friend,

Jack Turner

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Don't just defend the faith; spread it!

Devotional

"Blessed are the Peacemakers . . ."

Today the world is longing for peace. As the Bible says, it seems, when we call for peace sudden destruction comes. In this dangerous world in which we reside, many have taken up the challenge to be peacemakers.

Either it be marching on Parliament Hill calling for the end of the arms race, mediating a labour dispute, or bringing a broken family together. To back up their claims, many quote a Bible verse: "Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God" (Matt. 5:9).

Working towards peace is a highly commendable task, but we must be careful in claiming Matt. 5:9 as our reference point, stating we are God's peacemakers, when we do not fully realize the implications of this verse.

What then does it mean to be God's peacemakers?

First of all, we must recognize that Jesus Christ is the true peacemaker. Because of our sin, disobedience to God, we were out of fellowship with Him. God hates sin and we were under His wrath. But Jesus Christ (when He didn't have to) became the perfect peace offering, laid down His life for us so that we might be reconciled to God once again.

Secondly, because of what Jesus Christ has done on the cross, we must make our individual peace with God.

Have you made your peace with God?

Have you recognized you are a sinner?

Have you repented of your sins and asked Christ to forgive you? (1 John 1:9)

If you have not made your peace with God, you are in error, claiming you are His peacemaker no matter what good works you have done.

Thirdly, as we make our peace with God, Christ through His Holy Spirit will come and live within us and, as we allow, He will transform us into His peacemakers.

Fourthly, as God's peacemaker, not only will we make peace with God, but we will make things right in our own relationships, amongst our families, friends, workmates, business associates.

How can we honestly march in a parade for peace when there is bitterness or hatred for a brother, sister, wife or husband? It's the very same seed of bitterness and hatred that has caused all the wars, that have and do afflict our planet.

Yes, the world needs peacemakers, and thank God for those that are sincere in this area. But let us become truly effective peacemakers that will make an impact upon this world. Let us come into fellowship with the true peacemaker, Jesus Christ.

When we make our relationship with Him and become His peacemaker, it is then that we are the children of God.

Rev. Gerry D. McMillan (taken from the
Religion section of the Goderich Signal
Star, Wednesday, July 3, 1985, page 12A)

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PRAISE

- * Praise the Lord for His faithfulness in providing the funds for us to carry on His work. He never lets us down.
- * We are thrilled to report that 3 people gave their hearts to the Lord throughout the weekend of the annual picnic, August 17 and 18. To God be all the glory! Their names are now written in the Lamb's Book of Life!

Needing Prayer ...

- * Please pray for the new Board of Directors being elected at the 3rd National General Meeting that the Lord will equip each one and give them wisdom in carrying on this mighty task for Him.
- * We have many financial needs and one of them is for a computer to handle our mailing list, the Peacemaker, all our printing, etc. Please remember to pray that the Lord will supply the money for this expensive but needy piece of equipment.
- * Continue to pray for each F.C.P.O. Chapter across Canada and the United States that God will strengthen and motivate the leaders to further expand this great work and lead many peace officers and their families to the Master.

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News

On Saturday, August 17, 1985, the Kingston Chapter once again sponsored their fabulous barbeque beef and corn roast picnic. The food was great, but the fellowship was even better as about 60 of us gathered at Mohawk Park, Deseronto, to listen to singer John Bersche and testimonies by Art Francis, Jack Turner and Jeff Williams (all from the Toronto area).

But the best news was that, over the weekend (at the picnic and at several churches on the Sunday), 3 people came to know the Lord as their personal Saviour! We were all encouraged in our faith.

Thank you, Tom and Larry, and all who helped make it such a success. Keep up the good work for Jesus!

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Don't expect God to change things to suit you unless you are willing to let Him change you to suit Him.

THE POWER OF PRAYER

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Moses prayed and God reversed the judgment of annihilation on the children of Israel.

Jonah repented of sin in the middle of a fish and prayed and God spared his life and gave him another chance to preach.

Joshua prayed and the sun stood still in the heavens for about a day.

Esther prayed and her whole nation was saved from destruction.

Elijah prayed and it didn't rain for 3½ years. He prayed again and the drought was broken.

Isaiah prayed and the sun stood still for part of a day.

Hannah prayed and a mighty prophet of God was given to a desperately needy nation.

The early Christians prayed and Peter miraculously escaped from prison.

Paul and Silas prayed in prison and an evangelistic service with conversions took place in the middle of the night.

Jehoshaphat prayed and God miraculously diverted the oncoming armies and wrought deliverance and victory over the enemy.

Job prayed for his friends who had misjudged him and God restored his fortunes and increased them.

Nehemiah prayed and the king gave him leave of absence from his butler duties to lead the rebuilding of the wall in Jerusalem.

Daniel prayed and God sent an angel into the den to close the lions' mouths.

Solomon prayed and the glory of God filled the temple.

David prayed and deeply repented of sin and God released forgiveness, mercy, and restored leadership to him.

As we take time to know God and study the principles from His Word by which He operates, we too can have audience with God and see dramatic changes take place in the lives of individuals and nations.

Why not stop right now and ask God:

- 1) to bring a revolution of righteousness into our nation at every level of society,
- 2) to meet the need of another individual, and
- 3) to meet a need in your own life.

Your prayers, like the prayers of those above, definitely make a difference.

Joy Dawson (taken from "Christ
for the Nations", February 1985,
Vol. 37, No. 11, p. 12)

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Testimonies

THE VOICE OF HOPE * * * * *

"Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and those who hear it shall live" (John 5:25).

I am presently employed as a Community Relations Officer, and part of my duty is to return to the scene of "domestics" after they have "cooled off", and try to determine the problem to prevent a reoccurrence. Sometimes a referral can be made to family services for counselling, or Alcoholics Anonymous, if that is the problem, or whatever agency is necessary. Sometimes when everything has been tried it is difficult to find any kind of help, especially when the complainant is unwilling or unable to help himself. In those situations uniform police often have to return to the scene time after time until finally the situation is resolved. Sometimes that means one of the parties going to jail, leaving the area, or sometimes committing suicide.

The story I'm going to relate will illustrate that there is another kind of help available which many people ignore. Being a recent Christian, I'm often unsure about when to witness to someone or even when to tell someone that I'm a Christian. The situation I got involved in left little doubt that I was to speak up.

While I was working afternoons I attended a callback in an apartment building in the division. This was one of the better ones and, as usual, other than the brief 275 (Domestic Occurrence) filled in by the investigating officers, I didn't have much to go on. It was the usual father/daughter domestic.

The father, it turned out, was a self-confessed alcoholic. He was self-employed and, from his story and the look of the apartment, he had once been fairly well-to-do. His attitude was one of dejection and despair. His daughter, the product of his recently failed marriage, had been laid off and, due to problems of her own, had been under a doctor's care. The doctor had prescribed the usual array of depressants to help her cope with her problem. In addition, she had begun to drink with her father. It wasn't long before they began blaming all their troubles on each other.

Then I come into the picture. It wasn't long before I ascertained that this was one of those situations where there wasn't much to be done that hadn't already been tried before. It was easy to imagine the father as an overdose and the daughter eventually spending her life in a mental institute.

All of a sudden a strange thing happened. This old drunk starts to tell me how he has tried everything to help himself but can't seem to find a solution. He tells me he's been an atheist all his life. Then he starts talking about the church near his apartment and how he sometimes sees up to 200 cars there on a Sunday. He tells me about how he watches all the T.V. evangelists. Finally, he says, "Since nothing else has worked, I'm thinking of turning to God."

Could any Christian ask for a better cue! I began telling him I was a Christian and how God had helped me. He was a little surprised but asked many questions, some of which I couldn't answer, so I left him my New Testament and encouraged him to seek for himself. I've been back since and he's been reading at a furious rate.

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From there I finished my tour of duty and nothing much happened until the second night. No one was home at one of the appointments I had made, so I decided to do a callback at a mother/daughter domestic near the first appointment. This was the 28th of February during the worst storm of the year and I didn't want to drive too far. I had been dreading this callback a bit because it was over a month old, and the daughter was apparently undergoing psychiatric treatment for violent attacks. The fits of rage the daughter was having were escalating to the point where the mother had been assaulted and lived in fear of her daughter. Part of the problem in getting back to this appointment was the fact that the mother works during the day and couldn't be reached.

In any case, when I arrived at the house unannounced, I guess it was a bit of a "shocker" to both mother and daughter. I could sense that the atmosphere was very tense. I don't quite recall what it was the mother said, but I know I wasn't in the house more than a couple of minutes when I began telling this woman that I was a Christian. At this point the mother broke into tears and the daughter ran upstairs. I thought to myself, "What have I done this time?" Eventually the mother began to relate that she and her daughter were also Christians and that they had prayed for a week for someone to come and talk to them. The situation had come to the point where at 15 years of age the daughter was moving out (assisted by Student Welfare). Both the mother and daughter were very frightened by what could possibly happen as a result of the daughter's condition. I was able to refer them to a Christian Psychologist I had met recently, but just the fact that I had showed up seemed to be all they needed. I had never been the answer to a prayer before!

In the time that I was there, we all shared several verses from Scripture. I was offered Christian records to take home, loaned a Christian book and even given a New Testament to replace the one I had given away. I explained that I had no trouble getting a Bible as I knew a Gideon who would be happy to replace mine. The lady's answer was, "Well then, maybe someone else can use it."

I left the house feeling very good, and headed back to the station. As I had previously mentioned, this was the worst storm of the year, and major streets were not yet completely plowed. Sidewalks were non-existent. As I approached a main intersection, I saw someone walking in the roadway near the curb. As I came closer, he stuck his thumb up in the classic gesture of a hitchhiker. Having done my share of it in the army I stopped and gave the guy a lift. It soon became apparent that he had been indulging in the "juice of the grape". I was whistling a little bit and he said, "Are you always like that?" I replied, "No, but it's better to have the world smile with you than to cry alone." Just then the dispatcher spoke on the radio, and he became quite agitated and asked if he was in a cab. I explained, "You're in a police car." Since we used unmarked foreign cars I could appreciate his not recognizing that it was a police car, even if he had been sober. The thing that surprised me was that, when he found out it was a police car and not a cab, he relaxed.

We turned into the station lot and I explained that I was going off duty, but if he cared to wait a few minutes I would drive him home. (He lived in my neighbourhood.) He agreed, and when I came out of the station, I found him cleaning the snow off my car. He started to ramble on about how he wished he could have been a policeman. I told him I had the best of both worlds, being a policeman and a Christian. He told me how he felt his sister (who was a missionary) had wasted her life. He said he came from a religious family who would have nothing to do with him because of his drinking problem. He shared about his son who was abusing drugs, and about his own lack of friends. Best of all, he told me about

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Many of you reading this will say these things are just coincidence. Perhaps you think I'm a victim of wishful thinking, or that I'm deluding myself into seeing things that are not there to support my belief. I can only tell you that, as far as I'm concerned, these dear people partially fulfill the Scripture at the start of this story. All over this world the "dead" are hearing Christ's message of hope and are being brought to life. To God be all the honour, glory and praise!

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* ATTENTION: "Peacemaker" Pieces NEEDED *

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Letters, news items, mini-devotions, drawings, and especially short testimonies are needed. Please keep most articles within 500 words or less. This is YOUR magazine, after all, and it cannot continue without YOU!

Music Softened My Heart

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Prior to being led to the Lord on October 3rd, 1968, I had been listening to Christian music from a variety of TV and radio evangelist programs. Music was always in my family, and it was just a matter of God reminding me of what I heard as a child from very sincere singers and musicians.

What I want to say in the next few paragraphs is more of a challenge than anything, and I pray it will find its mark.

When you think of Billy Graham, who else do you think of? Of course, Bev Shea, and perhaps Cliff Barrows, and then to really check the reality of it all there is a Board of Directors behind their ministry. They all work together as a mighty team, and you will agree that one could not do without the other, humanly speaking.

Now, as a recording gospel vocalist for one year, I can truly say that I have noticed how music speaks to the heart. I have watched countless expressions from up on the platform. The people enjoy the music and some even close their eyes. I can feel them enjoying it and listening to every word. Music, being universal, can prick the heart of everyone. It doesn't matter what nationality you are . . . it just speaks to the soul.

If you have been wishing that you could start a Chapter of the C.F.C.P.O. in your area, perhaps you should think MUSIC. If I was unsaved and invited to a church or home to hear a preacher or, worse still, to be preached at, I might not be excited. On the other hand, if I was invited to something in the way of a musical night or jamboree, I might be more inclined to go. I do like music, after all. I think most people do.

In recent days I have heard present members of the Fellowship say, "I didn't realize we had so much talent amongst our members." I must agree! Even before Dick Hayward talked to me, I heard Neville Eccleston (Metro Toronto P.F.) sing and other officers take part in a service musically.

We have in our Fellowship Christian officers that can sing, play guitars, trumpets, pianos, violins, drums, etc., etc. In fact, I long to see us have our very own Quartet and choral group.

Let us take advantage of this talent in our own people, including wives, sons and daughters, mix in the odd outsider and conduct music nights everywhere across this nation. It would be a great way to raise money to carry on our endeavours and help spread the Gospel.

May I urge you to consider arranging for one in your local school, church or hall, and advertize, then watch God bring those officers and their families in to hear the Word MUSICALLY.

Let's consider drawing on the talent of others to further testify of the God we love and adore. There are many we can contact who can sing or play an instrument quite adequately to touch the heart.

At present there is a variety of Christian music available, and with the help

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of the local Christian Book Store to co-sponsor it with our Fellowship, it can all fall into place.

I feel very confident in what I am saying, and with God's help, lots of prayer and working shoulder to shoulder as a team, we can see many more officers finding Christ as their Saviour.

Out of all this will pave the way for new Chapters to spring up in different areas, and additional money will be available to further the circulation of the "Peacemaker" magazine, secure video tapes, produce radio programs and the printing of tracts to hand out.

May God help you to catch the vision.

Bob Hooper - O.P.P. Cst.
Durham Regional P.F.

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Hymns We Sing And Don't Mean

Have you ever been convicted by a hymn that you find yourself singing in church? Here are some thoughts to ponder:

Why do we sing:

"Heavenly Sunlight" and stay away from church when it's hot!
"Sweet Hour of Prayer" and skip the Prayer Meeting!
"Onward Christian Soldiers" and then go A.W.O.L.!
"O For a Thousand Tongues" and don't use the one we have to tell others about the Lord!
"We're Marching to Zion" and won't even walk to Sunday School!
"Throw Out The Life-Line" and are content to throw out a fishing line instead!
"I Love to Tell the Story" and yet we never tell it!
"This is My Father's World" and throw garbage on the roadsides!
"Lead Me to Calvary" and ask the way to the ball park!
"Faith is the Victory" and then depend upon our feelings!
"Make Me a Blessing" and pray "give ME a blessing"!
"Oh, to be Like Thee" and then imitate the T.V. stars!
"All That Thrills My Soul is Jesus" and seek worldly pleasures!
"Jesus Loves the Little Children" and refuse to teach a Sunday School Class!
"Burdens are Lifted at Calvary" and make an appointment with the psychiatrist!
"Oh, Say but I'm Glad" and walk around frowning!
"A Mighty Fortress is Our God" and put our trust in our bank account!
"When We All Get To Heaven" and live as though we plan to stay on earth forever!
"My Faith Looks Up To Thee" and then trust our own abilities!

--Submitted by Bob Hooper
O.P.P. Cst.

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