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FROM CLICKS TO CONVICTION: THE POTENTIAL OF THE INTERNET IN STRENGTHENING CHRISTIAN FAITH

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The internet has become the driving force behind most spheres of life in the 21st century. Its impact on the way we think and live cannot be overstated. With its widespread connectivity, the internet has bridged gaps and brought people from all corners of the globe closer together. With the click of a button, believers around the world can access a wealth of spiritual resources, connect with fellow Christians across continents, and engage in profound discussions on matters of faith. The internet has become an unprecedented catalyst in strengthening Christian conviction, propelling believers from mere clicks to unwavering faith.

The 2021 population and housing census of Ghana reports a staggering figure of approximately 9.7 million individuals belonging to the Pentecostal/Charismatic group. Within this sizable population, a significant number of Christians now utilize and have access to the internet. This technological advancement has given rise to numerous benefits for present-day Christians, which we will explore in the following paragraphs.

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The internet has significantly expanded the availability and accessibility of resources related to the Christian faith. Online platforms offer a plethora of materials that Christians can readily access to delve deeper into their spiritual journey and gain a comprehensive understanding of their faith. One notable example is the abundance of Christian books available online, authored by renowned individuals such as Ashish Raichur, Jonathan Edwards, Andrew Murray, and many other esteemed writers. These books cover a wide

range of topics, including the supernatural ministry, the gifts of the Holy Spirit, the renewing of the mind, marriage and family dynamics in a Christian home, and countless other subjects of spiritual significance. In the past, acquiring physical copies of these books often required considerable effort, such as visiting libraries or bookstores, but now, with just a few clicks, readers can access a vast digital library filled with inspiring and insightful Christian content.

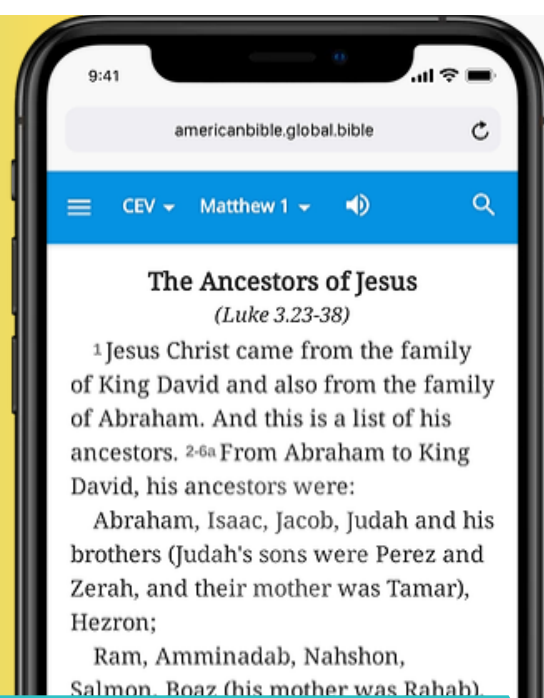


The internet, with its vast array of technological tools, has played a pivotal role in facilitating the spread of the gospel. Nowadays, we witness preachers utilizing online platforms such as YouTube and various social media channels to proclaim the message of God. This digital medium has become a powerful avenue for sharing the teachings and principles of the Christian faith. Thanks to the interconnected nature of the internet, the gospel of God has transcended geographical boundaries and reached millions of people across the globe. This achievement is truly remarkable, as it signifies the global impact of spreading the word of God. The internet has essentially constructed a bridge, enabling individuals from every corner of the world to access and engage with the divine message.

As Christians, it is our divine mandate to make disciples of all nations and to preach the word of God. The internet has revolutionized this mission, offering us an unprecedented opportunity to fulfill this calling on a scale never seen before. Through online platforms, believers can share sermons, testimonies, and teachings with a vast audience, fostering spiritual growth and nurturing the faith of individuals worldwide.

Furthermore, the internet provides an unparalleled level of speed and convenience when it comes to accessing information. It remains accessible at any given minute or time of the day, allowing Christians, particularly the youth, to promptly find answers to any questions or concerns they may have regarding their faith. The internet has become an invaluable tool for individuals seeking Christian materials, such as texts and videos, to expand their knowledge and explore various aspects of their faith. It serves as a virtual wellspring of information, offering a wide array of resources to cater to different interests and spiritual needs.

However, While the internet offers an abundance of resources, not all of them align with orthodox Christian teachings. This can pose a challenge for young believers who are navigating their faith journey in an era of information overload. Therefore, it becomes crucial for Christians, especially the youth, to exercise discernment and critical thinking when engaging with online materials, ensuring that they align with biblical principles and doctrinal integrity.



PNEUMATIKOS CONFERENCE

EXCERPTS FROM THE 4-DAY REVIVAL CONFERENCE

By Ruth Nortey

»»» PS. JONATHAN EBO QUAYE

“The Spiritual gifts will enable you to operate in the supernatural realm when others are limited to the natural.”

“The diverse workings of the Holy Spirit referred to as the Energemata manifests itself as the dynamic divine energy of God, God's power in action and ways in which His divine power is applied.”

»»» PS. BEN NOYE

“Just like a giant who starts as an ordinary child, our growth and development will gradually unveil our unique attributes as people born by the Spirit of God.”

The process of recruiting soldiers and equipping them falls within the domain of the army. Thus, it is God who empowers us, as He has summoned us to partake in His glorious purpose.

APS. DR. DR. J.I.T. BUERTEY

When the Spirit of the Lord moves:

- Hope and sanity is restored
- Transformation occurs, giants are raised, and the seemingly impossible becomes possible
- Prison doors are flung open, symbolizing liberation for those who have been confined and limited.
- Light emerges, dispelling darkness
- Abundance is created.

»»» PS. EBENEZER K. AGYAPONG

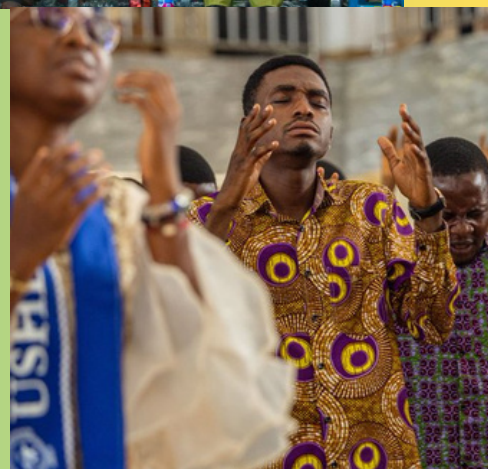
“God is a rewarder of those who diligently seek him. There are all sacrifices that you have to make, you must let matters of the spirit interest you and draw closer to God so that you may encounter the Spirit of God”

“For the Gifts of the Spirit to manifest, there has to be a desire and corporation from you as a child of God”

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PERSONALITY OF THE WEEK CORNER

MAY 2023

JOANNA ASIEDU

First year Biochemistry student
Resides at University Hall
Enjoys reading in her pastime
Currently single

Department: Bible Study

Walk Word: But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me



AKOSUA OWUSUWA BIOH

Fourth year Mathematics student
Resides at Westend Hostel
A big fan of cartoons, enjoys dancing in front of her mirror and watching cooking videos.
Currently single

Department: Bible Study

Walk Word: "This is real love — not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins."

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