

# **LifeWay Explore the Bible Series for Feb. 29: Financial wisdom for financial managers\_22304**

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**LifeWay Explore the Bible Series for Feb. 29**

## **Financial wisdom for financial managers**

*Selected Proverbs*

**By John Duncan**

*Lakeside Baptist Church, Granbury*

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## **LifeWay Explore the Bible Series for March 7: The gospel**

# **is all about changing people's lives\_22304**

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**LifeWay Explore the Bible Series for March 7**

## **The gospel is all about changing people's lives**

*1 Timothy 1-2*

**By David Morgan**

*Trinity Baptist Church, Harker Heights*

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## **LifeWay Family Bible Series for Feb. 29: Serve God for his glory, not for earthly gain\_22304**

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# Serve God for his glory, not for earthly gain

*Matthew 20:20-28; Romans 12:9-13*

**By David Jenkins**

*New Hope Baptist Church, Big Sandy*

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# LifeWay Family Bible Series for March 7: God selects his leaders from those who listen\_22304

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# God selects his leaders from those who

# listen

Judges 4:4-10, 14-16; 5:1-2, 6-9

**By Rodney McGlothlin**

*First Baptist Church, College Station*

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## Christian Fitness Body & soul\_22304

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Southern  
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the SBC  
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of a variety  
of health  
screenings  
including  
blood  
pressure,  
cholesterol  
and blood-  
sugar  
checks.

## **Christian Fitness: Body & soul**

**By Adelle Banks**

*Religion News Service*

Pittsburgh, Pa. (RNS)-Larry Swain of Pittsburgh is proud of the fact he's lost more than 50 pounds in the last year and a half.

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# **Health-conscious Christians ask, 'What would Jesus eat?'**\_22304

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## **Health-conscious Christians ask, 'What would Jesus eat?'**

**By Alexandra Alter**

*Religion News Service*

WASHINGTON (RNS)-If doctors had to identify the deadliest sin affecting Americans today, they probably would name gluttony as the No. 1 killer.

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# **Filibuster halts lawmakers' attempt to limit or undo gay marriage ruling\_22304**

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## **Filibuster halts lawmakers' attempt to limit or undo gay marriage ruling**

**By Greg Warner**

*Associated Baptist Press*

BOSTON (ABP)-The Massachusetts legislature adjourned its historic constitutional convention Feb. 12 without reversing the state supreme court's recent legalization of gay marriage.

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## **Follow Christ's call without regard to consequences, Mercer tells students\_22304**

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**By Charles Richardson**

*Hardin-Simmons University*

ABILENE—One biblical promise kept Heather Mercer from losing hope when she was imprisoned in Afghanistan: Jesus' pledge to be with his disciples until the end.

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# **IMB reports passing half-million mark in baptisms worldwide for first time\_22304**

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**By Mark Kelly**

*International Mission Board*



RICHMOND, Va. (BP)—Southern Baptist missionaries witnessed double-digit increases in eight of their 13 categories of work in 2003, including for the first time more than 500,000 baptisms, trustees of the International Mission Board learned this month.

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# Texas Baptist Forum\_22304

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## TEXAS BAPTIST FORUM

### Confusing partnership

FamilyNet, the Southern Baptist Convention's television entity, has just entered a three-year partnership with FOX News.

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Is it just me, or does it seem strange that the SBC announces it will do business with the FOX network at the time the SBC Executive Committee votes to completely withdraw support from the Baptist World Alliance? Isn't it odd that the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship is the enemy and FOX, known for sleaze, is now a business partner?

What's next? FamilyNet promos for “The Littlest Groom” and “My Big Fat Obnoxious Fiancé”? SBC ads during “That '70s Show”?

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# **Logsdon student returns to South Africa for 10 months of study, service\_22304**

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**By Loretta Fulton**

*Abilene Reporter-News*

A summer trip to Africa two years ago evoked two powerful emotions in Jessica Glaze- homesickness and a deep sympathy for the poverty-stricken people she encountered.

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## **NAMB stops endorsing women**

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## **NAMB stops endorsing women for military, federal chaplain positions**

**By John Hall**

*Texas Baptist Communications*

ALPHARETTA, Ga.-The North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention will stop endorsing women to chaplain positions "where the role and function of the chaplain would be seen the same as that of a pastor."