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**Make no mistake-sin has
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Hosea 4:1-9; 5:13-15

By Leroy Fenton

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Disaster led to forgiveness of persecutor in Sri Lankan village

By Craig Bird

Baptist Child & Family Services

BATTICALOA, Sri Lanka (ABP)—The four previous encounters between the Hindu man and the young Sri Lankan pastor had been violent. Each time, Balram (not his real name) led a mob attacking Vijayaraj, the young pastor. Each time Vijayaraj was tied up and severely beaten and his church set ablaze.

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By Robert Marus

ABP Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON (ABP)—While stopping short of labeling the humanitarian crisis in the Sudan's Darfur region "genocide," a long-awaited United Nations report lays blame on the Sudanese government for creating the crisis.

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WASHINGTON (ABP)—A group of prominent evangelical Christian leaders—including heads of two Texas Baptist schools—have asked President Bush to pay more attention to poverty issues in his second term.

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By Marv Knox

Editor

WACO—Baylor University President Robert Sloan will step down June 1, concluding one of the stormiest periods in the 160-year-old school's history, an era marked by expansion but also by division.

Sloan's critics, friends alike express thanks_20705

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By Ken Camp

Managing Editor

WACO—Expressions of gratitude and best wishes for the future of Baylor University greeted Robert Sloan's announcement that he will step aside as the school's president after the spring semester to assume the chancellor's role.

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Ross
Dudney,
pastor of
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Church in
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and Javier
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Open Door
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Baptist
Church in
Alice,
listen
during a
gathering
of area
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The
ministers
come
together to
learn from
and
support
each other.
(Photo by
John Hall)

South Texas pastors discover their similarities transcend differences

By John Hall

Texas Baptist Communications

ALICE-When Lupe Martinez, pastor of Encino Baptist Church in Encino, runs into Jerry Tanner, pastor of University Baptist Church in Kingsville, the ministers do not simply shake hands. They embrace.