

THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS

CHURCH SERVICES & FAMILY MUSICALS

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We are joyful to be writing our November 2018 newsletter to let you know many things that have happened, are happening, and will be happening.

To stay current with The Devine Inspirations please follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/devineinspirations2012. This is the best place to learn about daily occurrences as well as upcoming events.

To learn about the many services that we provide, to see pictures, and to see musical descriptions, go to our web page at www.TheDevineInspirations.com.

Rev. Adam Devine is the current contracted pastor of community outreach with The Devine Inspirations for Atlantic Community Church. The church has a new head pastor, Rev. Doug Tucker, and we are excited to continue this partnership with Atlantic Community Church. Rest assured that the partnership is strong with church encouragement and support given to us as well as we continue to encourage and support the church needs. Your financial donations to The Devine Inspirations through Atlantic Community Church are tax deductible and 100% of your donations are deposited directly into our church account to be used on ministry needs based on priority. If you would like to financially support The Devine Inspirations on a weekly, monthly, or one time frequency, please see the form at the end of this newsletter.

REMEMBERING 2017 HIGHLIGHTS AND FAVORITES

Bellina: I cannot pick just one thing.

- The baptism at Jellystone Park at Kozy Rest stands out to me as a very special day. The sun shown brightly, the testimony given from the heart, and the peace of the Holy Spirit could be felt by all.



- I loved giving gifts to people at nursing homes. They were so happy to get something as simple as a postcard picture, a prayer sheet, or a few CDs. Holding their hands for a few minutes and feeling their cheek against mine as we parted are very special memories.
- The Fifth Birthday Bash fundraiser was so much fun I loved preparing for the event, serving the food, and watching all of the entertainment. It was nice to get to relax, enjoy, and have fun!



Cole: I loved going back to Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park, but this time as the preachers. We used to camp there and don't anymore, it is great to make more, new memories there.



Rev. Rebecca:

- ✧ For me, 2017 was a time of God strengthening my faithfulness in God as the provider of physical needs with complete dependence on Him. So many tears were shed in prayer. Now, so much testimony can be given as He showed me in my real life. Not just read about. Not just heard about. I know because I've seen it!
- ✧ Campfire Church on a church lawn (2017 Atlantic Community Church) was a vision given to me many years ago and it was nice to see this come to be. This Tuesday night in the public outdoor time together with God was my favorite service of the week. So much laughter, joy, praise, prayer, and learning, even in the cold mist or baking sun all while sitting around a crackling campfire.



- ✧ The service project fundraiser at Grove City County Market was a long couple of days with big rewards. We didn't have enough volunteers so Adam, Ricky Rowe, and I bagged groceries for the Halloween Madness Sale for the whole 22 hours over two days. Advil and Mt. Dew were my friends



while many real life friends came through the check out lines. Serving others is a passion of mine. I'm so happy when I serve!

- ✧ There was a morning that I was preaching to the students at Portersville Christian School elementary chapel about trying to hide things from God but God already knows everything about you and still loves you. I played a reflection song at the end with intentions of the children listening to the words and thinking about the lesson. I sat down in the front row with my back to the audience praying and listening to the song when 100 students grades K - 6 sang softly and beautifully in the small white chapel. It was the sweetest sound that I've ever heard.

Lillian: My very favorite thing that we did all year with The Devine Inspirations is when we traveled to the middle of Pennsylvania (Pleasant Ridge) and stayed all week in a cabin and taught the children every day! I love to sing for them, play with them, and to be a part of all of the kids being taught about the Bible.



Rev. Adam: What stands out to me about 2017?

◆ Hearing testimonies of lives being changed, like a boy when I was preaching at the Wild Game Dinner at State College, and people wanting to know more about going to a church.



◆ Preaching at Mountain Top Cowboy Church as the interim pastor and the POWER of the Communion Hall that God had us build there ... taking communion not as a tradition but understanding the reason why we take communion.

◆ St. John's Burry's Church had an over 90's banquet. The room was packed with family of many members of the church over 90-years-old. We sang the At the Cross musical on a stage surrounded by stained glass windows. It must have been 100 degrees that day. We forgot many lines as the heat was so intense. Even though it was not our best performance, this banquet, with these people, left an impact on me about standing together as a family, as a church, for whole lifetimes.



2017

Preach - Speak	79
Musical	44
Prayer	23
Men's Group	13
Other	10
Children's Evangelist	7
Fund-raising	5
Total Events	181

2016

Musical	68
Preach - Speak	24
ETC - Dance!	15
Prayer	14
Other	14
Men's Group	9
Fund-raising	5
Total Events	149

Yearly Income by Month - before expenses and taxes

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Jan.	\$1,764.00	\$1,382.00	\$45.00	\$253.00
Feb.	\$1,156.85	\$1,720.00	\$1,360.00	\$400.00
Mar.	\$2,054.00	\$1,105.00	\$2,131.95	\$300.35
Apr.	\$1,606.65	\$1,537.00	\$1,497.38	\$610.00
May	\$1,719.00	\$3,254.00	\$2,584.19	\$2,026.15
Jun.	\$730.00	\$1,556.00	\$2,207.55	\$421.68
Jul.	\$1,289.50	\$3,655.50	\$2,214.00	\$400.00
Aug.	\$4,381.00	\$2,686.20	\$1,738.08	\$1,381.00
Sep.	\$1,582.00	\$2,862.00	\$2,308.00	\$447.00
Oct.	\$2,993.20	\$2,892.00	\$3,889.00	\$465.00
Nov.		\$2,195.48	\$1,482.00	\$2,491.00
Dec.		\$6,981.30	\$4,775.49	\$3,788.50
	\$19,276.20	\$31,826.48	\$28,248.64	\$14,998.68

2018 Campfire Church

2018 was the second year of Campfire Church for The Devine Inspirations. Every Sunday evening from Memorial Day to Labor Day, we held church service on the lawn of New Lebanon Community Church. This very public setting on Rt 173 leaves no question about what happens at the church service to those who are driving by in car, truck, or even Amish buggy. About 55 people attended the campfire services over the summer.



Sometimes, walking through the doors of a church is too difficult, too intimidating, leaves too much question, and is too much for newcomers to overcome and thus they do not go to church. This Campfire Church service, even if the passersby don't stop in, helps the general public to see Christians singing to God, raising their hands in praise, openly praying, listening to preaching, and gathering together to draw closer to Christ....all while sitting in lawn chairs next to a warm crackling fire at sunset.



On the last day of Campfire Church, as the nights were getting darker earlier, we gathered for some marshmallow roasting, S'mores, and fun time after the service. Thank you for all who attended Campfire Church this year!



Campground Church

From opening day in April through Labor Day 2018, Rev. Adam Devine and The Devine Inspirations were at Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park at Kozy Rest in Harrisville, PA every Sunday morning at the Kozy Rest Chapel. Some old friends, new friends, and one time visitors attended these services. Open to the public, not just to campers, others from the Grove City and Mercer areas attended church at the campground. We are thrilled to be considered part of the Yogi Bear family at this award winning park. We are excited at their commitment to not only bring family friendly entertainment and experiences but also to have Christian church services available every week.

Church Services

Throughout 2018, The Devine Inspirations completed three times as many church services as musicals. This shift in focus has brought various changes and challenges to our household that we take in stride knowing that God's plan is to provide hope and a future, and not to harm. We welcome these long days of writing, planning worship sessions, and Sundays going to up to four different churches. We are honored that God has entrusted us to go to Atlantic Community Church, Quality Life Services - Grove City, Salvation Army - Sharon, New Lebanon Community Church, Oak Grove United Methodist Church, Reno United Methodist Church, Portersville Christian School, The Windmill Center - Sandy Lake, and New Lebanon Community Church.



2018 Annual Fund Raising Dinner

In August 2018, we were honored by Don Reed Sr. being our keynote speaker at The Devine Inspirations Annual Fund Raising Dinner. Bellina, Cole, and Lillian each served about 24 guests as they each had three tables to serve for the evening. Adam and Rebecca were busy in the kitchen preparing the meal and hosting the event.



The meal began with our favorite 1884 Salad from The Magoffin Inn where Adam and Rebecca worked as teenagers. The guests enjoyed all of the “pasta-bilities” of meals as they chose their menu of pasta and toppings, garlic bread, and home made cream filled chocolates for dessert!



The evening was entertained by pieces from the *Remove Your Mask* musical to include *Princess Lillian the First* puppet show as aired on *Crossing Paths with Don Reed* in June 2016, the *Remove Your Mask* speech, and Bellina’s *Greater* tap dance.

Keynote speaker, Don Reed Sr., taught a lesson about the Arc of the Covenant complete with handouts and props. Don also gave testimony and a preview discussion about his new documentary movie “The Don Reed Story - A Life on the Edge of Eternity.” You can watch Don Reed on *Crossing Paths* on Cornerstone Television and other stations nationwide multiple times throughout the week. See www.crossingpaths.org to watch episodes online or for showing times and channels.



Not Just A Concert... **The Devine Inspirations give full length, full production** **MUSICALS!**

Hearts - By Rev. Rebecca and Bellina Devine

Showing January 1 through February 28
Reserve your musical for Valentine's today!

This musical uses many genre's of music (Christian, Broadway, Show, Old Italian Art song, Disney) along with Bible scriptures to explore many parts of your heart. For example: While talking about service, we sing "Feed The Birds" from Mary Poppins. Throughout the musical the audience works on a paper project exploring their hearts: love, friendship, forgiveness, talents, and more! This is a great concert for outreach as the familiar tunes will keep attention while also being learning God's Word!



At the Cross

By The Devine Inspirations

Showing March 1 through October 31
Reserve your musical for
Easter and Mother's Day today!

This musical leads the audience from Creation through the Resurrection using contemporary music and hymns along with vocal dramatization of Bible scriptures to deliver a strong salvation message. This is said to be the most powerful musical that The Devine Inspirations performs.

CHRISTMAS EVE TRADITIONS -- By The Devine Inspirations

Showing November 15 through December 31 - Reserve this musical early.

You'll feel like you've stepped back in time or into an old-fashioned movie. Watch a family at the church pageant. Then, they travel home to decorate with a tree, wreaths, and a candle. Mom gives a music lesson and Dad reads from the Bible. Then it is one quick gift for each child and off to bed. A variety of traditional and new songs along with prayers & poems lead you through the story.



Community Service

We were pleased to return to Grove City County Market in October to bag their groceries during the Halloween Madness Sale. This is both a community service project and a fundraiser to gear up for winter repair to vehicles and Christmas musical needs. Volunteers came from Pittsburgh, Mercer, Rocky Grove, Franklin, Greenville, Grove City, Sandy Lake, Hadley, and New Lebanon to help bag groceries.

Thank you to all volunteers who helped with this project.

We couldn't have done it without you!



In His Element - Passion for the Outdoors and for Christ!

Rev. Adam Devine was blessed to speak at the Lakeside Evangelical Congregational Church Big Game Dinner in Transfer as well as the Lyona Sportsmen's Banquet. These are times Rev. Adam is the most excited and "at home" as it blends his interest and experience with his heart and service.

PASS IT ON MINISTRY

A DVD and CD ministry of The Devine Inspirations

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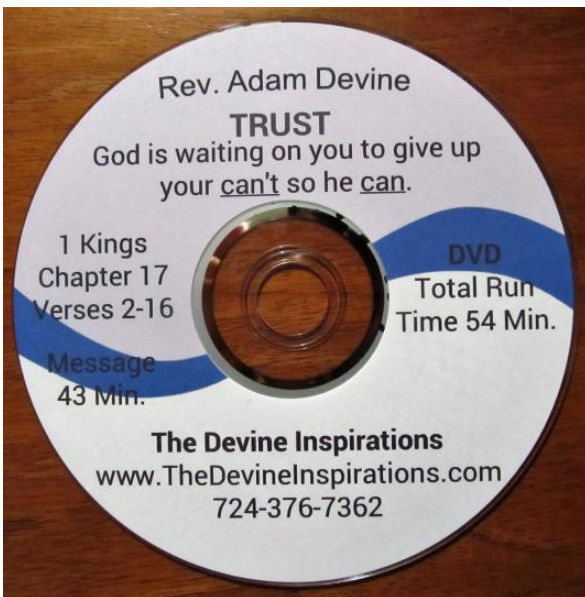
If you are done with it, pass it on!

If you don't want it, give it back and we will pass it on!

These are made for you. Order what you like at no charge.

(Media mail shipping fees are additional.)

If you would like to give a donation to support this ministry, you may indicate this on the form at the end of this newsletter. Ink and Toner recycling also helps to pay for the Pass It On Ministry supplies. If you have empty ink or toner cartridges, please donate them to this ministry.



TRUST - God is waiting on you to give up your can't so that He can.

1 Kings 17:2-16

Rev. Adam Devine

Format: DVD

Total run time 54 minutes

JOY UNSPEAKABLE
Rev. Adam Devine
Format: DVD
Total run time 44 minutes





CROSSING PATHS WITH DON REED DOUBLE FEATURE!!!

1. Interview with Rev. Adam and Rev. Rebecca Devine
2. Interview with Bellina, Cole, & Lillian Devine including "Princess Lillian the First" puppet show

Aired nationally on Cornerstone TV in May & June 2016

Format DVD

Total run time 60 minutes

MUSTARD SEED - a beautiful testimony about how planting a seed of faith in someone will never return void.

DOUBLE FEATURE!!!

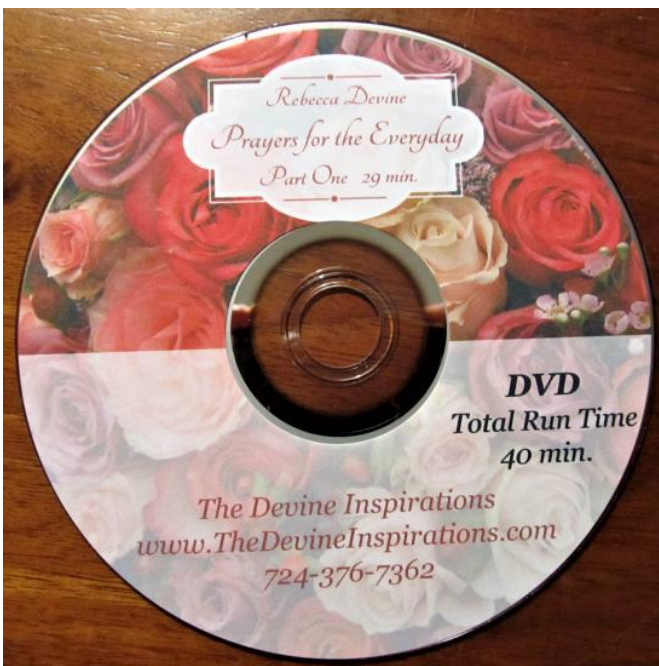
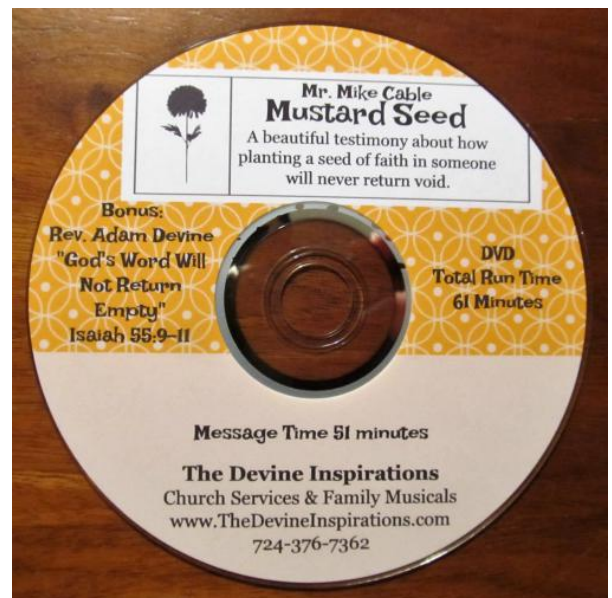
1 Kings 55:9-11

Mr. Michael Cable

Rev. Adam Devine

Format DVD

Total run time 61 minutes



PRAYERS FOR THE EVERYDAY - PART ONE

Rev. Rebecca Devine

Format DVD

Total run time 40 minutes

GOD'S AMAZING LOVE - forgive and love like God commanded us to do. Anyone who loves God must also love others.
A message of God's Love and Salvation.
1 John 4:7-21
Rev. Adam Devine
Format DVD
Total run time 40 minutes



Other PASS IT ON titles include

VOICE OF TRUTH - lyric study - Rev. Rebecca Devine - DVD - 46 min.

P.A.S.S.I.O.N. - (Sportsmen Message) - Rev. Adam Devine - DVD - P. 61 min.

DEEP ROOTED - It can be anything that uproots your tree allowing you to lose your peace with the Lord. - Rev. Adam Devine - DVD - 48 min.

WORDS OF WISDOM - It begins in our hearts! - Rev. Adam Devine - DVD - 45 min.

EASTER - DOUBLE FEATURE! - THE LAST NIGHT - WE ARE BLESSED - Rev. Adam Devine - DVD - 67 min.

HAVING A VISION - Rev. Adam Devine - DVD - 54 min.

STOP PLAYING CHURCH AND START BEING THE CHURCH - Rev. Adam Devine - Audio CD - 53 min.

Praises, Prayer Requests, and Needs

Praise the Lord for all of the people that we met this year doing His work! Praise for all of the tears as an outward expression showing the inward change, conviction, and healing of the Lord! Praise the Lord for all of the opportunities that God entrusted to our care to deliver His message to the right people at just the right time! Praise for all of the prayer requests entrusted to us to lift up for others.

Praise the Lord! We got a new roof on 1/2 of our house/ministry building! "The upper roof is in bad shape," says the roofers. Praying that God will provide the funds to get the rest of the roof replaced during 2019.

Praise for safety in travels while conquering work, school, and ministry schedules in our tired bodies. Praise for making it through as a family, not falling apart, and recognizing (and rebuking) the devil's attacks trying to drive us apart.

Prayer need for a new vehicle. The GMC conversion van is a 23-year-old summertime camper van. It is not meant for the winter travel with a trailer as we use it. It is dangerous, difficult, and expensive to drive. We spend over \$500 per month on gasoline, which really hogs up the ministry donations. Prayers for a newer, smaller, more gas efficient, safer van and a smaller trailer.

FUND RAISING

AS MUCH AS WE WOULD LIKE IT NOT TO BE, WE'VE LEARNED THAT FUND RAISING IS A PART OF MINISTRY. THIS SADDENS US AS WE WOULD LIKE TO JUST FOCUS ON THE WORK OF THE LORD AND NOT ON OUTSIDE JOBS OR FUND RAISING.

MUCH OF WHAT WE DO WITH THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS IS UNPAID. FREE WILL OFFERINGS AND DONATIONS ARE FREQUENTLY \$50 OR LESS. OFTEN, THE PRICE OF GASOLINE, TOLLS, AND FOOD IS NOT COVERED BY THE DONATION OF THE EVENT COSTING US MORE TO GO THAN WHAT IS GIVEN.

MUSICALS EARN THE MOST MONEY TOWARD THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS MINISTRIES. HOWEVER, GOD HAS SHIFTED THE EVENTS SO THAT WE ARE NOW COMPLETING THREE TIMES AS MANY CHURCH SERVICES AS MUSICALS.

WE ARE ALSO STRETCHED VERY THIN, TIME WISE, ENERGY WISE, PATIENCE WISE, AS REV. ADAM WORKS A FULL TIME JOB WITH THREE CLIENTS, REV. REBECCA TEACHES THREE GRADES (INCLUDING HIGH SCHOOL) AT HOME, AND THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS HAS 100+ EVENTS IN 2018. IT IS EXHAUSTING AND WEARING US VERY THIN.

WE DO A FEW FUND RAISING EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR: A DINNER, BAGGING GROCERIES, AND SOMETIMES A CHARITABLE GIVING EVENT. WE ALSO SELL A FEW ITEMS WHICH BRINGS IN MINIMAL PROFIT BUT HELPS A LITTLE. THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS HAS BEEN MOSTLY FUNDED DURING 2018 BY TWO HANDS FULL OF DONORS. TWO FAMILIES GIVE MONTHLY AND WE ARE THANKFUL TO BE ABLE TO COUNT ON THEM. ANOTHER TWO FAMILIES GIVE VERY GENEROUSLY PERIODICALLY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR AND ALWAYS RIGHT AT THE MOMENT THAT IT IS NEEDED THE MOST. MANY OTHERS GIVE WHAT THEY CAN WHEN FEELING LED TO DO SO. WITHOUT THESE INDIVIDUALS, WE PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO DISCONTINUE OR GREATLY DECREASE THE WORK OF THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS. WE THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

WE ARE LOOKING TO HAVE MORE MONTHLY, WEEKLY, OR PERIODICAL FINANCIAL DONORS TO JOIN US IN THE WORK OF THE DEVINE INSPIRATIONS. WITHOUT YOU, WE CANNOT DO WHAT WE DO. YOU ARE VERY IMPORTANT. WE NEED YOU. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GET TOGETHER FOR COFFEE WITH REV. ADAM OR AS A FAMILY, WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET WITH YOU TO GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER. WE LOOK FORWARD TO A PARTNERSHIP WITH YOU IN PRAYER, ENCOURAGEMENT, PRAISE, DISCIPLESHIP, AND BROTHERHOOD IN CHRIST.

WOVEN RIBBON CROSS

These ribbon crosses make excellent bookmarks or ornaments. They mail well without extra postage in a card as a birthday, Christmas, thank you, congratulations, Mother's Day, or other small gift gesture. Wonderful as a banquet favor to take home. They fit well in your pocket, purse, cup holder, desk drawer, or night stand to remind you of God's love that was poured out for you on the cross.



- Available in Assorted Colors Only
- 4 for \$10.00
- 10 for \$25.00
- Can be shipped for additional costs

REMOVE YOUR MASK CD

Recorded at Daywind Studios in Nashville, TN, this is The Devine Inspirations Remove Your Mask musical soundtrack! Enjoy 10 contemporary Christian songs that you will know from the radio! Five narrations including: "Princess Lillian the First Puppet Show" and "Remove Your Mask". It doesn't stop there as we made Daywind Studios history being the first time that they recorded TAP DANCING! Listen for Cole's and Bellina's taps as part of the percussion of two songs! Your whole family will love this CD.



- Regular price \$15.00.
- Sale price \$10.00
- Can be shipped for additional costs.

DON'T JUST SAY IT. PRAY IT. RIGHT NOW. T-SHIRT

Thinking of you. You are in my thoughts. I'll put you on the prayer chain. I'll pray for you. But, do you? Will you Are you? Don't just say it. Pray it. Right now.

- Limited availability in assorted color and styles.
- Regular price \$20.00-\$22.00
- Sale price \$10.00
- Call or email to check inventory. 724-376-7362
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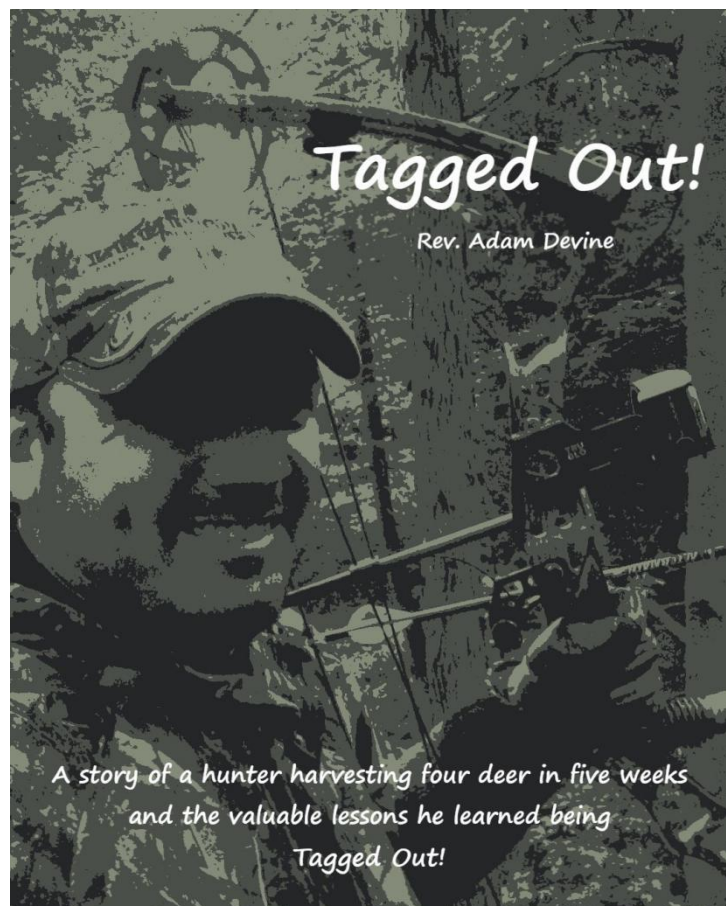


TAGGED OUT

Rev. Adam Devine is in the editing stage of his first book Tagged Out. A story of a hunter harvesting four deer in five weeks and the valuable lessons he learned being Tagged Out.

If you would like to pre-order this book, please indicate on the form at the end of this newsletter. You will be notified when it becomes available for purchase.

If you would like to make a donation to help fund the editing and publication of this book, please indicate this on the form at the end of this newsletter.



Is your church or community hosing a game dinner, sportsmen's banquet, men's group, or other outdoors-men event?

Contact Rev. Adam Devine for your Keynote Speaker needs!

PERSONAL GOALS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Cole got his first big buck as a Jr. hunter at age 11. He is earning the \$644.50 to pay for the taxidermy mount. He is making and selling these one of a kind, camo, glass ornaments.



- \$5.00 each
- \$4.00 each if you purchase 5 or more
- Choose blue, pink, or green camo
- Personalizing available
- Allow 3 weeks for crafting
- Cannot be shipped



Bellina is working toward a high school diploma in fine arts dance and music. She is earning \$1500 to go to Dance Master's of America SHIP (Student Honors Intensive Program) at New York University. She is making and selling tablecloths, napkins, and pillowcases.



- Tablecloth \$22.00
- Napkins \$8.00 set of 4
- Pillowcase \$8.00
- Shipping fees are additional



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PASS IT ON	QTY	
TRUST	.	I'd like to get together to talk about _____
JOY UNSPEAKABLE	.	_____
CROSSING PATHS W/DON	.	I'd like to become a financial partner _____
MUSTARD SEED	.	
PRAYERS FOR THE EVERYDAY	.	The enclosed donation \$_____ is for:
GOD'S AMAZING LOVE	.	___ Greatest Need
VOICE OF TRUTH	.	___ Gasoline
P.A.S.S.I.O.N.	.	___ Different Vehicle
DEEP ROOTED	.	___ Roof
WORDS OF WISDOM	.	___ Pass It On Ministry supplies
EASTER	.	___ Tagged Out editing and publication
HAVING A VISION	.	
STOP PLAYING CHURCH	.	Money paid toward the purchase of items are not tax deductible.

