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WHAT AN AWESOME KICK OFF TO 2015

1000'S REACHED FOR JESUS

WEST COAST THUNDER:

Wow, what a wild and crazy day that was! The Roadhouse Freak Show was there in force, as usual, doing what they do best; sharing Jesus with a lost and broken world. I'm not sure if there was ever more than 5 minutes of break time between the waves of riders stopping to spin the wheel and get some prayer.

The event was actually bigger than the last couple years, maybe that was due to Big and Rich being the main attraction. Most of us didn't ride in the "parade" but made our way to the same spot we have been for the last 3 years, tucked in the corner, at the end of the vendor line. I cant help but wonder if that was intentional, at first, as a "not so good" spot. Truth be told, its the best spot in the whole place. You cant miss that big "Sinners Welcome" sign hanging over the booth, as your walking down the road. Either way, its been a huge success for what Dad has called us to do. The totals are always kind of hard to be exact, but from what I'm told, we reached over 800 bikers, with the love of Jesus! And we'll be right back at it next year, same place.

...and then there was: LOST HIGHWAY FEST

I dont think any of us were really prepared for this thing. We had agreed to help out Quaid HD with this event, since we spend so much time there. As we discussed what the event was all about, it became obvious that this thing was gonna be really huge, and it was. Over 20,000 people packed the San Manuel Amphitheater, and we were all over this event. From the Friday night BBQ, and Saturday/Sunday Pancake Breakfast put on by the I.E. and Desert Edge Blacksheep, to the Main event and the RBC Battlegwagon team, taking care of business inside the vendor village. There was even a sweet Military Honor Ride that I was asked to do a bike blessing for, and ride along with some of our most Honored Special Forces members. No posers allowed here!! These guys were the real deal!!! DELTA FORCE, GREEN BERET, SEALS, MAR-SOC, as well as a few others that didn't really disclose much intel (as they would say). The numbers reached in this 3 day marathon were well over 1000 easily. This is just two events, there have been others, and with our own "Special Forces" doing this everyday, only Dad really knows how many have been reached so far this year. Its not that important, what is important is; THEY ARE!!!!

4th of July—SPOKE -N -WORD

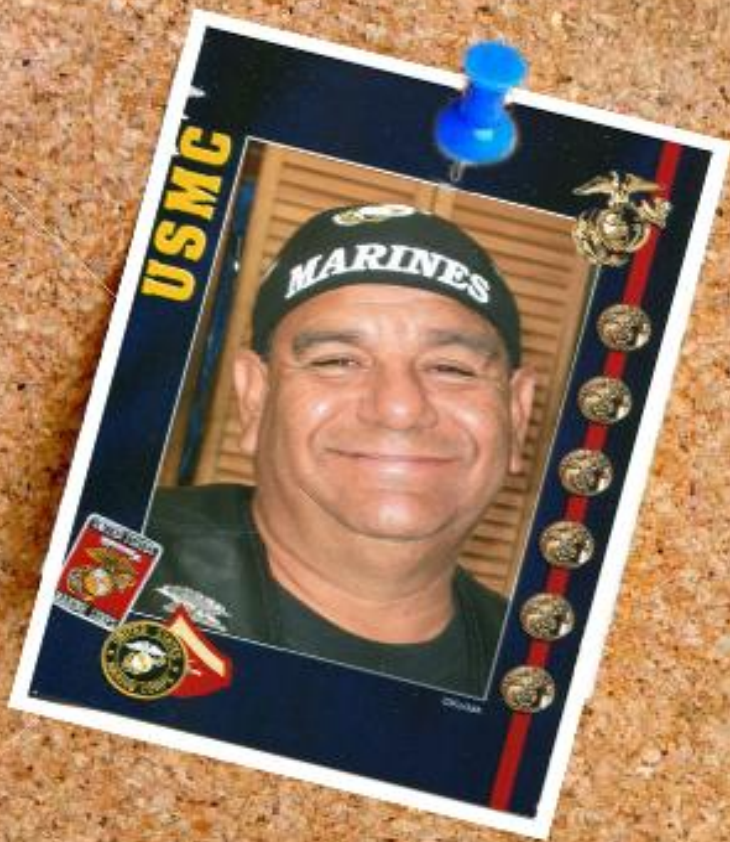


This year the 4th of July falls on a Spoke N Word, and since we always have our party on that night, we decided to combine the two events. We asked for some cool military stories, that we might honor our beloved vets this year, and the response was overwhelming. There were so many stories I could only grab a few to talk about at the Spoke N Word. One was about a fella named Howard who found a Japanese war dog chained up and saved his life, your gonna

love this one. One about a girl born on the 4th of July, and a word from a Vietnam Vet about the hats they wear and what it means to be "thanked" for their service. The Roadhouse Band will be doing their thing, I hear they are pretty good. Mostly we will be hanging out together, as a family, enjoying the company of beautiful people, in a beautiful Country, and yes I still believe that. Our Freedom paid for in blood...sound familiar? KYEOJ



**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR
SERVICE**





You Don't Say...by Shelby Paulsen



Biker Church—Saturday 7:00pm
Biker Bible Study— Tuesday 7:00pm
Spoke N Word – 1st Sat. of every month
Busted Knuckles — 6:30pm Wednesday
Men's Fellowship—7:00pm 2nd Friday
Women's Fellowship— 7:00 pm 2nd Friday

When most people think of Fourth of July they think of fireworks, good food, and the American flag. Although these ideas aren't wrong, but they aren't right either. What is Fourth of July? Why do we have this random holiday to blow up things in the sky and dress up like our nations flag? Well... I will tell ya here and now. It is a day to commemorate the adoption of the Declaration of Independence. Strange how a lot of people haven't read this document nor do they have the desire. I have actually read this document several times and each time I get shivers thinking about what these people were thinking. All they were going through gives me a peace of mind. Yes, I will always think of the military when I hear the words "Fourth of July," but I will never forget that this holiday isn't just about fireworks, good food, and the American flag.

Keep your knees in the breeze!!

REACHING A LOST AND BROKEN WORLD
ONE BIKER AT A TIME.



A Word from Pastor Denver.....

Check out: *Psalm 33:12 Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD, the people he chose for his inheritance.* It doesn't take a rocket scientist to see that our Nation was founded on the Word of God. It's all over Washington D.C. in literature, "In GOD we trust" as well as architecture, statues, plaques and painting all depicting the Biblical values our Founding Fathers believed in. There will always be those that want to take away, remove, claim this is not the "truth", and so on. The beauty of this nation is; it is their right to say what they feel, just as it is our right to defend our faith. We are a MOST blessed nation because Jesus is our Lord. Don't worry, God is still on the Throne, and He is still listening. Take the time to pray for our nation, It's not too late. We are still predominantly a Christian Country, lets exercise that faith today. God Bless America.....*KYEOJ*

SEE YOU ON THE ROAD

The GET TOGETHER RIDES have been such a huge and awesome success this year!! They are patterned after the Acts Church, of getting together and fellowshiping, eating and just enjoying each others company as a family. We just added our own twist (so what's new) and threw in a cool ride that corresponds with whoever's home we're rolling out too that month. We have seen some beautiful rides end up at some feasts that rival any buffet I've ever enjoyed, and all for \$5!! You cant even eat at a fast food dive for that price.

Mike and Sharon set the bar pretty high after a cool ride to Tom's Farms. It was a lot of everything!! Beef, Chicken, healthy stuff, and some not so healthy stuff. Dave and Lisa rocked their run with Grilled Chicken and the fixing's, after a sweet ride to The Dowling Farms Fruit Stand. Gordon and Trish went all Italian and then some, The ride was nice up to Oak Glen, but Gordon got a flat and didnt get to finish it, but it all worked out and it was an awesome day. Then came Ralph and Winona's run. We did a long sweeper around the backside of Crestline, and down the 18 to their home, to find Ralph's (I think) Pulled Pork and lots of fruit and such. The coolest part of this for me anyway, is how lovingly these folks all open their homes to the RBC Tribe, and how hospitable they all are. This is truly the spirit of fellowship being lived out, for real, by our amazing Roadhouse family. Its one thing to claim family, its quite another to actually get out there and live it. It s the same with sharing your faith, so many rip themselves off by not stepping out in faith.

Which brings us to: JESUS FREAK 101. Wow, what an adventure that was. This class took over 6 months to write and was under endless attack from day one. I could write volumes of all the things that went wrong, got in the way and just plain tried to stop this class in its tracks, but we kept on, fighting and clawing our way through, until we completed what we called JF 101.

It was such a trip to take age old traditions that paralyze believers into thinking they dont have what it takes, or are not good enough or qualified to share their faith. We were able to break it all down and see that we are already doing the very things we are afraid to do; Share our faith!! The word Testimony has freaked out believers for centuries, and only because its been turned into something bad, something scary. As we worked through the class we discovered, we not only "share" our testimonies, but even more, we "live" them out on a daily bases. Once we were able to really put the various pieces in the right places, the puzzle started to take shape. We saw that being a witness, "martus" was all about seeing things, but being a "martureo" was one that shares it with people. We saw what it means to just be "who you are" in Jesus, and that's more than enough, to be the Jesus Freak He called you to be. It was so cool seeing how everyone got involved with the homework, and applied themselves so much during the class. The discussions were amazing!! It turned out to be one of my all time favorite classes we have done at the Roadhouse. There are more to come, I expect the next will be another TUBB class, a cool one too. I dig my job!