

THE SWINGIN' DOORS

SINNERS WELCOME

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THE ADVENTURE CONTINUES!

The Adventure has been W.O.T. (Wide Open Throttle) all year long. There has been very little time to stop moving, before we we're up and running to next gig, or ride. It's been a powerful first half, with every indication the second half will be even more intense. One of the coolest was the ordination of our first Associate Pastor: Gordon Robertson. No doubt Dad has a big plan here, and Pastor Gordon has the desire and the calling on his life to take that next big step in leadership. He has worked very hard in his studies of God's Word, his ability to be available to the Roadhouse Freak Show and a willingness to be teachable and continue to learn the ins and outs of being a pastor. The Roadhouse is truly blessed to have him in this place, and I am very proud of the man Dad has raised up and continues to raise up and use for His Glory, well done Pastor Gordon!!

The rest of the year has been a blur of "coolness"!! Lots of rides, and the super cool Get Together Runs, the last one being at Mark "The Grill Sargent" Johnson's home. "Oh my", is the best description. The Kalbi ribs, tri tip, grilled shrimp, and fixins' were amazing!! Not to mention, he did all the cooking himself. Dude seriously needs to open a BBQ shop...I'd be a regular!! The fact is, all the Get Together Runs are amazing, its such a fundamental biblical tradition, that very few understand. Once a year does not constitute my idea of "family" doing life together. The monthly GT Runs however, does!!

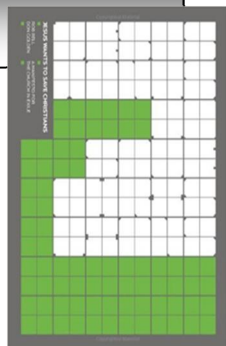
It's not only about dinner, Barry asked to bless everyone with a killer breakfast at his pad as a jump off to the Calico Ghost Town Run. The breakfast was awesome!! Calico was real cool too, its been a while since I was there, and this time a whole lotta Roadies rolled up for that one. We invaded the serene peace and quiet of the tiny desert town with loud laughter and general jubilation that comes from people that love to be together having fun. Yep doing life together!! (Thank you Jesus for Barry's successful surgery too.)

We sent another American Flag out under Rolling Glory 2. At press time it made its way to New Mexico on its way to New York, our way of uniting the West Coast and the East Coast Terror Attack Victims. It was quite a "Freedom Train" for sure, rolling down the 10 freeway. We saw another Jericho Run with some powerful prayers sent out by faithful brothers and sisters, and there's still more to come.....KYEOJ

GREAT READS

by Amy Ramirez

I've recently re read "Jesus Wants To Save Christians" by Rob Bell. I love his unique writing style in this particular book that causes you to pause and consider things before moving on to the next. You may find that you don't always agree with his personal perspective on things (or maybe you will!), but I think that is okay. It may cause you to think through things and challenge yourself enough to determine what you really believe and why. He has a wonderful way of making sense of specific correlations between the old and new testament. It's a great read in my opinion, enjoy the journey! AR



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

So many people have served our country in all the branches of the military. Isn't it about time we start recognizing these people?! Especially the people who have died in their service. My grandpa Ray served in the military and I was very proud to recognize his service on Memorial Day. A simple placement of a flag in your yard can make the day for a vet and their family.

KEEP YOUR KNEES IN THE BREEZE!!



REACHING A LOST AND BROKEN WORLD

A Word from Pastor Denver.....

Check out: *Luke 5:29-30, Then Levi gave Him a great feast in his own house. And there were a great number of tax collectors and others who sat down with them. And their scribes and the Pharisees^a complained against His disciples, saying, "Why do You eat and drink with tax collectors and sinners?"*This will always be an issue with some Christians: 'Why do they hang out with them?' Well, the fact is if you want to catch fish you gotta go to the water. It's usually a little dirty, and even uncomfortable. But the Word says. "How will they hear if no one preaches" Don't worry about what "they" say, follow the Holy Spirit and watch what He will do, through you!!.....KYEOJ

SEE YOU ON THE ROAD

It's a Wild Summer comin' at ya, fer sure!!

With West Coast Thunder in the rear view mirror, we are setting our sites the 2nd Annual Lost Highway Fest in July and then the 10th Annual Eagle Run in September. WCT was an amazing day of prayer, and is the kick off for the "big" events of the year. But we are seeing Quaid Bike Night taking on a life of its own lately, with 100's of bikers rolling to hang out , have fun and enjoy that I.E. Black Sheep BBQ action. Not to mention the Desert Edge Black Sheep Bike Night jumping off at Farm's House Restaurant in Banning. complete with vendors, bike games and Karaoke to boot!!

There are so many events, rides, runs and whatever else we can come up to do, you can pretty much sleep well knowing that you will not have a boring second all year around here.

Spoke N Word has stayed true to bring incredible stories and music, and killer food served in the new "Awesome" room!!

Lots of people jumped in on that project, designed and spear headed by Amy herself. Its a work of art, fer sure!! It serves as our meeting room, Prayer Room and Youth Room too.

It just goes to show ya, just like the cool new roof over the sound booth, the Roadhouse is a work in progress, that I don't expect to see finished this side of Heaven. If you have ever felt "led" to get more involved with "church" stuff, this is your year. We are most definitely on the move, in the house and on the street. The Freak show at its best!!!

Which brings me to "Rides" in general.

We have started up a couple new things this year, like the Ride Bys. The first one was at Loma Linda. We took water, Cookieman Cookies and a tribe of Jesus Freaks bent on praying for total strangers!! And that's just exactly what happened, and lots of them I might add, all over that hospital. We moved in all military style, taking the hospital at several points and direction, so the security people couldn't keep track of all of us at once. Turned out they were totally cool with us being there, but it was still fun doing the Mission Impossible thing, I even hummed the tune while slipping into the elevator.

The guys had a SWEET Mens Shooting Day that was so AWESOME it's hard to describe, but safe to say, we had from 12 to 60 somethings up there, with everything from .22 caliber rifles to full blown assault weapons of every kind. It just makes me feel warm and fuzzy inside knowing how well armed the Freak Show really is, and how well they can handle those arms. I'd say Drake Paulsen got top shooter for the day. At just 13 years old, on his first time out, he fired EVERY weapon on the line!! Handguns: 9mm, .40 cal, and .45's too. The long guns: SKS 7.62x39 and AR15 .223, a crazy WW2 Russian Mosin-Nagant 7.62x54 that shoots rounds as big as my index finger, as well as my own sawed off 12 gauge pump! All the guys took turns keeping an eye on him, but he handled himself like an old pro on the firing line!! Kudos to Drake! And all the guys for a great day, and no one got shot!! I call that a win!!