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Dear Friend in Christ,

I am writing this as I prepare to leave for my 7th trip to Uganda, East Africa. By the time you read this, we will be in the middle of conducting two pastor's training schools and one crusade. (April 24—May 8). In six other trips to Uganda, we have had over 3,000 register for our training schools all over the country.

We will do one training school in Mukono and one school and crusade in Katosi, which is a fishing village on Lake Victoria, and the home of Timothy Kakooza, our coordinator there.

Here are some interesting facts about Uganda.

- The median age of the country is 15.
- The life expectancy is about 53 years.
- The population is 42% Christian, 42% Catholic and 12% Muslim. (this is interesting since Idi Amin tried to make the country a Muslim state in the 70's.)
- 40%-60% lack access to safe water, but it is worse in rural areas.
- 90% of people in Katosi suffer from waterborne diseases because they drink water out of Lake Victoria.
- 35% of Ugandans live below the poverty line and many live on a few dollars a day.

As you can see there are many needs there, not the least of which is training for pastors. Please pray for us as we equip ministers for the work of the ministry.

The doctor will not let Bob Stewart travel yet, so he is sending his son to help me with the conference. Timothy Kakooza, our coordinator, will also bring some of the messages.

The conference in Katosi will be made up of "island pastors" from the islands of Lake Victoria. Most of these pastors have never been to a conference of any kind. And, most of those islands have no electricity or running water. It will be a great opportunity for training. We will house and feed between 150-200 of them for a week so that we can teach them all day long.

We continue to pray that God will raise up new people to help us who have never helped us before. We need your help! And you can know that our Advisory Council oversees every dollar. It is an investment in missions.

Thank you for your prayers and your financial support.

In Christ,

Larry McFadden

P.S. If you would like to see some pictures of our April 16th golf tournament, please go to our website.

P.P.S A pastor friend of mine, Jim Palmer, from Summerville, SC, wrote something that I want you to see.

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IF I WAS THE DEVIL

1. **I would change preaching into motivational speaking or psychological discourses.** I would give people what they want, not what they need. My emphasis would be making people happy and relevant, not holy and Christ-like.
2. **I would build the church on excitement, happiness, activities/programs, and fellowship;** then do away with doctrine. The Bible would be honored but never opened; the gospel believed but never proclaimed; scriptures used but never expounded simply put, I would seduce the church not with false doctrine but no doctrine.
3. **I would use status and size to measure spiritual strength.** The evidence of God's blessings would be seen in congregational numbers, property acres, programs offered and money in the bank. The changing of lives, saving of souls and the fruit of the Spirit (Gal. 5:22 ff) would have no place on the "success scale".
4. **I would bring "peace-breakers" and "trouble-makers" into the church to demoralize and divide.** I would use a few vocal critics and complainers to make life miserable for the staff and majority.
5. **I would burden the Pastor and staff with roles and responsibilities that will "tie" them down.** I would make them babysitters, referees, fundraisers, social workers and problem solvers; thus keeping them from prayer, study and effectively ministering the scriptures.
6. **I would make worship appealing, accommodating and attractive to the worldly, carnal man.** From "music to message" nothing will be sung or said that will bring challenge, conviction or correction to anyone.
7. **I would use ordinances, litigation and taxation to cost the church thousands of dollars in defense.** From restrictive codes to frivolous lawsuits to service fees, I would make life hard on the church evangelistically and financially.
8. **I would promote "civil war" among good Christian men using Bible translations, music preferences and re-marriage/divorce as point of contention.** I would use bull-headed men of both sides to "flame the fires" constantly.
9. **I would put the church in high debt.** This debt would divide our people, make money the focus of everything and "cripple" evangelism/missions. Much of this debt would be "keeping up with the Jones" debt not needed or necessary but only a desire for something new or better.
10. **I would use "false messengers" to tell people we are having "revival" in the church.** I would use Hollywood hype and Disneyland doctrines to make people think God is pleased with us, when in fact the Lord is not even part of our man-centered worship and ways.
11. **I would confuse and/or dismiss any teachings on the second coming of Christ.** With wrong teaching or no teaching, I would do away with the "Blessed Hope". I would give people the impression "all is well" no need to hurry or worry about personal holiness or lost souls.
12. **I would bring a "me-centered" Christianity into the church.** I would make the focus "what God can do for me" not "what I can do for God". I would replace honor, duty and sacrifice to Heaven's Commander-in-Chief with comfort, convenience and cheapness.