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BlackSDA _ 3ABN _ Doug In Denial? Or Danny's Bluff?

Posted by: Pickle May 4 2007, 04:27 PM

http://www.3abn.org/pdf/world/3ABN-World-2007-06.pdf. The cover story is all about the merger, and the cover says that the magazine is "Published Monthly by 3ABN/Amazing Facts."

I still haven't heard Doug come out and state how he feels about Danny covering up his brother's child molestation allegations, or Danny's divorcing Linda when he didn't know whether or not she had committed fornication. Anyone know where Doug stands on these questions?

Notice how the ASI president who also sits on the ASI Mission, Inc. board, Debbie Young, has an article in the magazine too. Does that suggest that the ASI Missions, Inc. board will indeed be the new constituency?

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Posted by: SoulEspresso May 5 2007, 07:16 AM

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered May 5 2007, 10:40 AM

I also am giving Doug the benefit of the doubt at the moment. However, Eve believed what that serpent told her when it would have been better for all if she had attempted to confirm whether or not what the serpent had told her was true **before** she put her trust in him.

Posted by: Noahswife May 5 2007, 12:05 PM

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NW and R4H are both right--AF donors ought to hold off awhile, and Doug really should know better. But the truth is, it's not the easiest thing if you've been friends with someone awhile to believe such bad things about them. Of course he should be investigating, but he's as busy as any of us and relies on people to tell him what to believe on this. I'm not commending him for it, but it's probably how it is.

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it's beginning to look like the new 3abn and the new 3abn board is going to be a union between ASI, Amazing Facts & GC (in the sense that ken denslow was on the 3abn board). we were talking about this scenario last night and although it's good that "one" person is not in full control, it most likely will also mean that "the undiluted message" will disappear. this is where the "veil" is hung up and DS, etal's sins shall be hidden and "be as if they never were" and life goes on.

this is the time for deepest prayer and strong actions. time for us to do our writing with pen and paper and when we do that, we must make sure we have our information and our attitude correct lest our words come back void.

i propose a vigorous, honest and sincere writing campaign among all of us.

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so moses said that he met with the suits at dish during the convention and that they told him they had been inundated for so long to put 3abn on dish network that they finally decided to do it. so........3abn will be on dish which can be acquired through the skyangel "dish" dish (lol) and receiver that we already have, but it will not actually be from or through skyangel. skyangel being the middleman per se. to sum it up: it will come through the same equipment but it will come directly from dish network, not skyangel network. it's so

hard to explain conversations. $\lceil \cdot \rceil$ hope that makes sense and is somewhat close to correct.

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Posted by: PrincessDrRe May 5 2007, 09:34 PM Umph! x sna

Posted by: mozart May 5 2007, 09:42 PM

I just watched Wintley Phipps on the TCW. His sermon was Thou Shalt Not Steal.

It was pretty good. He talked of Judas taking money from the bag to pay himself as he saw fit. A few dollars for "holding the bag", a few more for "protecting the bag" and a few more for "counting the money in the bag". He also talked about how Lucifer stole the hearts of the angels by deceiving them and making them promises of enlightenment as he did with Eve. It was pretty interesting the way he elaborated on that.

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Posted by: Skyhook May 5 2007, 10:05 PM

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VACACIONESCO (100 MINOR CONTRACTOR CONTRACTO	I believe something may have been mentioned about Skyangel on the April 19 merge announce show but I don't know details. I will check the show when I get back home unless someone has the information sooner.
	They did mention something about Skyangel. It sounded a little confusing to me, but I wasn't very interested in what they were talking about. It sounded like they were saying they would be on Skyangel and Dish, but

at the time I was not clear about what the	-	•	-	•	,	-	•

Posted by: Pickle May 5 2007,	10:05 PM

QUOTE(mozart @ May 5 2007, 03:11 PM)

we must speak in the defense of having the freedom within our denomination to always be able to do that without being sued.

What an interesting thought. It conjures up images of the time, foretold under the third angel's message (undiluted), when we will not be able to speak and practice our faith. That's why Seventh-day Adventists have spent so much money over the years defending the rights of citizens to both practice and speak about their faith.

Posted by: Jnana15 May 5 2007, 10:15 PM

SE, thank you for ALL of the addresses! I'm about to get stupid busy writing letters and passing this information on to my friends.

Posted by: runner4him May 5 2007, 11:20 PM

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Posted by: calvin May 6 2007, 12:23 AM

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Posted by: watchbird May 6 2007, 05:42 AM

This is a great idea, Soul. But it would be nice to have email addresses as well as snail mail ones. Most Conference websites have email addresses. General conference email addresses are not so easy to find, but I understand that the address format is lastname first initial... with no space between them, and the address itself is @gc.adventist.org ... (examples wilsont@gc.adventist.org, finleym etc.) except for the GC president. But Vice Presidents are sufficient anyhow, for part of their duties is to inform the GC president of email that is pertinent to him. Names of other VPs can be found at http://www.adventistyearbook.org/default.aspx?page=ViewAdmField&Year=9999&AdmFieldID=GC

NAD names with email addresses are at http://www.adventistyearbook.org/default.aspx? &page=ViewAdmField&Section=General&Search=Divisions&AdmFieldID=NAD

It would also be well to include the conference and union where Amazing Facts is located,

http://ncc.adventist.org,

http://www.puconline.org, where there is an email link on the president's page.

And also, of course, http://www.amazingfacts.org itself, where there is a "contact us" form where you can specify administration.

And also Jim Pederson, who is both president of NCC as well as chairman of the board of Amazing Facts, JPedersen@ncc.adventist.org .

QUOTE(SoulEspresso @ May 5 2007, 05:26 PM)

Great idea. Let's all of us, denizens and lurkers, write to:

Local Conference:

Illinois Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

Kenneth Denslow, President 619 Plainfield Rd Willowbrook, IL 60527-8437

Union (one level up):

Lake Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists Walter L. Wright, President PO Box C Berrien Springs, MI 49103-0904

Division (two levels up):

North American Division of Seventh-day Adventists Don Schneider, President 12501 Old Columbia Pike Silver Spring, MD 20904-6600

General Conference:

General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists Jan Paulsen, President 12501 Old Columbia Pike Silver Spring, Maryland 20904-6600

Elder Denslow is the local conference president; writing him is good if for no other reason than to encourage him to publicly remove himself from the board (and I don't care if his parents work for 3ABN). Danny outweighs him in power by many orders of magnitude, though, and one has to write at higher levels to encourage the church to distance themselves from him.

Here are a few more addresses:

Amazing Facts Doug Batchelor, President P.O. Box 1058 Roseville, CA 95678-8058

Weimar Institute Don Christensen, President PO Box 486 Weimar, CA 95736

ASI Ministries 12501 Old Columbia Pike, Silver Spring, MD 20904

The following are ASI officers. I include all their names because as long as they affiliate themselves with 3ABN, they bring shame on themselves, their organization, and the church.

President - Debbie Young
Secretary/Treasurer - Ron Christman
General Vice President - Chester Clark III
Vice Presidents - Viorel Catarama, Chip Doss, Leasa Hodges, Doreen Schmidt, Barbara Taylor
NAD appointees - Juan Prestol, Don Schneider, Halvard Thomsen
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Conference ASI Secretary - Duane McKey
Union ASI Chapter Presidents - Lorayne Barton, Chester Clark Jr., Gayle Clark, Steve Dickman, Sharon
Erickson, Elizabeth Gonsalves-Remington, Sandy Miller, Dan Ross
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Posted by: mozart may 6 2007, 10:03 AM
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QUOTE(from-the-pew @ May 6 2007, 08:42 AM)
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Posted by: runner4him May 6 2007, 10:05 AM
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It made me sad to get this response from a friend and I would feel the same way if I would receive this kind of reaction from anyone who presents themselves as a staunch believer. I just cannot relate or understand these kind of remarks.
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Amen! Like I said earlier let's remember those early Christians and what about LutherWe are thankful for his couragehis questionshis search for truth and what about those who died at the stake for His Word. We are not even facing that degree of persecution yet but let's ask ourselves are we like that frog sitting in the pot of water that is slow being heated upnot knowing that it could easily jump to safety but instead sits in the pot of hot water until life is gone and it is too late.
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Posted by: Snoopy May 6 2007, 01:33 PM
QUOTE(Noahswife @ May 5 2007, 06:33 PM)
[color=#993300]Now Mo, i suppose we should be nicer to the newly departed by choice but it really is a funny statement and one some of us really like based on personal experience. Do you think Lee is missing

us?
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Posted by: runner4him May 7 2007, 09:13 PM
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Posted by: PrincessDrRe May 13 2007, 07:37 PM
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Posted by: Snoopy Jun 2 2007, 09:03 PM
QUOTE(runner4him @ May 5 2007, 01:05 PM)
I agree with you, Noahswife! If even a Peon (talking about me) can read what is on the internet here and at save3abn then someone like DB who has a "competent board" (to quote you) and who knows other solid SDA friends/ministers/evangelists/officials of the church in high places should be able to ask his own questions while sifting through all the "stuff". It is not that difficult to come to an intelligent conclusion. I do

not want to judge him or his motives but it does look too cozy for me. My donations stopped going to AF when I first heard of the merger with no pronouncement of cleaning house. We must not hide behind the cloak of apparent christianity and remain silent about real issues...that leaves me with a bad taste in my mouth. Back to standing up for truth....and principles...and rights of victims...and the pure unadulterated Gospel. There is always a lesson in everything....pray that we might not be puffed up and forget our total

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Posted by: mikell Jun 3 2007, 01:24 PM	
QUOTE(Pickle @ May 4 2007, 04:27 PM)	
http://www.3abn.org/pdf/world/3ABN-World-2007-06.pdf. The cover story is all about the merger, and the cover says that the magazine is "Published Monthly by 3ABN/Amazing Facts."	

I still haven't heard Doug come out and state how he feels about Danny covering up his brother's child molestation allegations, or Danny's divorcing Linda when he didn't know whether or not she had committed fornication. Anyone know where Doug stands on these questions? Notice how the ASI president who also sits on the ASI Mission, Inc. board, Debbie Young, has an article in the magazine too. Does that suggest that the ASI Missions, Inc. board will indeed be the new constituency? The way this issue is put together you'd think Doug and Debbie are 100% behind Danny. Is that reality or is this just an illusion created by Danny? Pickle, I sure HOPE not! Db is a very intelligent person, one would think he knows it all! Db ought to know is being used by ds to cy(h)a for him to continue his abuse wthin 3abn, having db upfront. It is like spreading am on top of what you and I have stepped into a few times while walking across a lawn, for many gullible 3DA's supporters to swallow, but it is the same stuff! ave3abn.com escue3abn.com Posted by: inga Jun 3 2007, 02:15 PM QUOTE(Observer @ Jun 3 2007, 11:59 AM) 🗌 Re: " . . . considering that Gailon Joy can squander a whole lot more money on lawyers. . ." I do not think you meant to say Gailon Joy. Perhaps you meant Garwin McNeilus? 'es, I meant Garwin McNeilus, and I've corrected the entry. t's amazing what my fingers will type, without input from my brain. Posted by: mikell Jun 3 2007, 02:44 PM QUOTE(inga @ Jun 3 2007, 10:29 AM)

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