

MEN'S ISSUES IN THE FIREPROOF SEMINAR

THE CURRENT SITUATION

95% of church men say they don't have male friends

According to *New Man Magazine*, "The typical U.S. married couple only spends four minutes per day in 'meaningful conversation' with each other."

On average, men spend one hour a year reading the Bible

The typical U.S. congregation draws an adult crowd that's 61% female, 39% male. This gender gap shows up in all age categories.

At least 70 percent of Christian men and 20 percent of women struggle with Internet pornography.

WHY MEN RE FOUNDATIONAL...

When a mother of a family is the first to accept Christ, the rest of the family will follow 17% of the time. But when dad turns to Christ first, *his family will follow 93% of the time.*

TESTIMONY ABOUT THE SEMINAR

"It is well conceived, professionally prepared and presented, and will drive home several spiritual lessons which are important for every Christian man...I highly recommend the program..." From Barry in Springfield VA

WHAT'S THIS ABOUT?

Are You Ready for Life's Firestorm?



Fireproof for Men Only Seminar explores what it means to be a man – a real man, an authentic man. We'll

look at how real men live life, especially in times of trials, temptations and firestorms. We all come from different places. We're all at different stages in life and in our faith journey. Yet at any given time, every one of us is either emerging from being tested or we're heading into a time of testing or we're already in the firestorm.

Jesus promised that in this world you will have trouble. (John 16:33). Times of trouble and testing will come your way no matter who you are. When they do come, either you'll be scarred or consumed or you'll come through stronger and better for it. *Fireproof for Men Only Seminar* will help prepare and equip you for those times.

"Be on your guard, stand firm in the faith, act like men; be strong..." 1 Cor16:13

WACMM

Washington Area Coalition
of Men's Ministries presents....

"Fireproof Your Marriage, Family And Life" Seminar

...an awesome multi-media, interactive presentation featuring fourteen riveting video clips for men

Saturday March 19, 2011

8:30 am –12:30 pm

Mountain Christian Church

1824 Mountain Road Road

Joppa MD



Fireproof Your Marriage, Family and Life: For Men of All Ages & Stages

Purpose: Using 14 video clips with strong masculine themes from *Fireproof* and other movies, the seminar will help men "fireproof" their marriages, families and lives. With solid biblical teaching on authentic manhood, men will gain insights and practices to be godly husbands, loving fathers and faithful friends who can also with-



When the fire comes
will you be able to
withstand it?

stand the "fire" of trials and temptations.

Format: Four topical presentations with video clips followed by table talk using prepared discussion questions. Having seen the *Fireproof* movie is not required to attend this seminar.

Audience: Married, separated, divorced, and single men ages 18-81 are all welcome!

Presenters: Dave Brown, WACMM Director and Pastor, will teach and facilitate interactive discussions.
Cost: \$35 (includes registration, coffee & pastry and a twenty-eight page workbook); \$40 at the door.
Schedule: Check out upcoming *Fireproof* events at www.wacmm.org
Register: online www.wacmm.org or call us at 703.323.5040 or email at info@wacmm.org

SEMINAR SCHEDULE AND FORMAT

8:00-8:30 AM—sign-in, coffee and pastries

8:30-10:15 AM— First Session

"Equal but Not the Same"

Understanding the differences between men & women; Improving communication in your marriage

Table Discussion with prepared questions

"The Battle"

Dealing with temptations, "parasites", spiritual warfare

Table Discussion with prepared questions

10:30 AM—12:30 PM—Second Session

"Living and Leaving a Legacy"

Exploring your relationship with your dad; Being a Godly father to your children

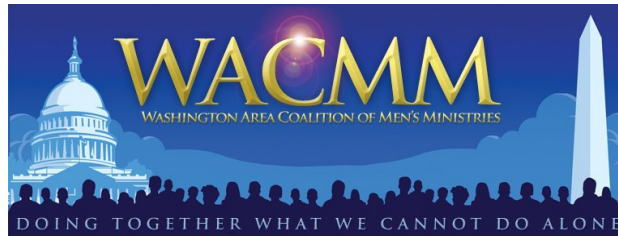
Table Discussion with prepared questions

"Your Identity and Destiny in Christ"

Finding your true identity and your purpose in Christ

Table Discussion with prepared questions

12:00 – 12:30 PM Q & A Session



Started in 1999 by a group of pastors and men's leaders with a passion to minister to men in local churches, the **Washington Area Coalition of Men's Ministries (WACMM)** is a nonprofit, non-denominational, training, speaking, consulting and event-sponsoring ministry to men in the mid-Atlantic Region.

WACMM has led retreats, seminars, workshops and sponsored major events for men of the Region and across America. Such gatherings have included special conferences with Stu Weber and John Eldredge; Closing the Gap DC Region Men's Rallies, Men First Conference with author David Murrow, the 2004 National Coalition of Men's Ministries Annual Conference, Breakfasts with Coach Joe Gibbs, Stand in the Gap 2007 on the National Mall, and ten ISI Conferences and RED ZONE 2010. WACMM provides comprehensive leadership and discipleship training resources through its "WACMM University". It is also the founding ministry of the Christian Men's Wall of Honor and the Foundation for Manhood and sponsored Stand in the Gap 2007 on the National Mall.

YOUR ONE-STOP FOR MEN'S RESOURCES



If your church would like to host a *Fireproof* seminar or other WACMM seminars and events, contact WACMM at 703.323.5040 or info@wacmm.org

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