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## A VERY SPECIAL MILESTONE FOR THE PRAYER SEMINAR

[Founded as J. Gordon Henry Ministries in 1984]

### INSTALLATION FOR ADAM NATHANSON

President/Chairman, Board of Directors

Saturday, April 30, 2022 10-11 a.m.

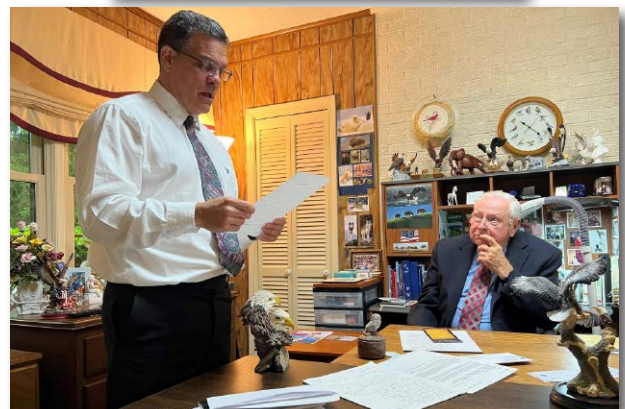
An Installation Service took place on Saturday, April 30, 2022 when **Adam Nathanson** was officially installed as the **second president/board chairman** of **The Prayer Seminar** [Founded as **J. Gordon Henry Ministries** in 1984]. The private event took place at the JGHM Home Office at **1127 Lakeview Drive, Lynchburg, Virginia**. The pictorial elections are from the **Photo Gallery**, Spiritual preparation began at 10 a.m. in the Henrys' living room with **Mona Thomas** at the piano playing and singing three selections: *Teach Me to Pray, I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go*, and *Ready*. The tone was fixed with the unction of the Holy Spirit present throughout. The group retired to the Upstairs Work Station for the official installation.

**Dr. Henry** presided. **Mark Schollaert**, who was the lead missionary for Adam and Dianna's first missionary assignment in **Belo Horizonte, Brazil** and now pastor of the **First Baptist Church in Monongahela, Pennsylvania** blessed Adam and his future as the leader for the prayer seminar ministry. His wife, **Paula**, shared her heart and love for the **Nathanson family—Adam, Dianna, Daniel, and David**. **Sue Henry** prayed the installation prayer. The seamless transfer of leadership that we have been working toward became a reality a little before 11 a.m. with everyone gathered around Adam praying for God's special anointing as the leader for the prayer seminar. Daniel and David, wholeheartedly affirmed their father's selection. The anointing of the Holy Spirit upon this event will be forever remembered. **TO GOD BE THE GLORY! ONCE AGAIN, GREAT THINGS HE HAS DONE. Now, onward and upward for the prayer seminar ministry!** A newly organized Board of Directors assumed responsibility for the prayer seminar ministry on May 1, 2022. Dr. Henry becomes "Founder, President Emeritus, and Chief Financial Officer." He will be responsible for the **Reflector**, the **ROPEHOLDER DOORKEEPER PROGRAM**, the JGHM Museum, and will be the liaison for the international branches. **Mona Thomas**, and **Paula Tipton** from the JGHM BOARD will continue as board members.

## A WORD FROM ADAM

What a joy to serve the Lord wherever He may lead us. As we obey His voice and follow the leading of the Lamb we sense the urgency to share the prayer seminar, but also the Gospel that changes and transforms lives for all eternity. I ask that you continue to pray for the continuing work of The Prayer Seminar as we share in the USA and overseas. Certainly the fields are white and the time is swiftly passing. Thanks for your prayers and support as we go forward in these days of opportunity.

*Adam Nathanson*



Compliments of  
JGHM Museum Photo Gallery



## THE DOMINO EFFECT THE SUPREME COURT GAY MARRIAGE DECISION A NATION IN CRISIS



**Thirty-five Years Ago.** The following article was reported in the January 1988 issue of **The Doorkeeper Report** [also known as the **Reflector**].

### COURT REJECTS SCHOOL PRAYER AGAIN

The U. S., Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit has ruled that Christian prayer in school commencement activities violates the principle of separation of church and state required by the First Amendment to the United States Constitution. The decision, handed down July 6, 1987, involved the use of prayer in a graduation ceremony in public schools in Plainwell and Portage, Michigan. The Court held that such prayer "symbolically places the government's seal of approval on one religious view—the Christian view." The Court added that the use of "civil invocations or benedictions would be acceptable. The case is known as *Stein vs Plainwell Community Schools*.

The prophet, Hosea, warned Israel that they were sowing to the wind, and they would reap a whirlwind. At the highest judicial level, the Supreme Court, took Bible reading and prayer out of the schools. They were sowing to the wind. Look around you. Between then and now, additional rulings have legalized many acts that God names as abominable. The whirlwind has been set loose and is intensifying.

## SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST

Pray for Martin and Anne Shikuku who are visiting the USA during the month of June from their home in Kenya.

## ROPEHOLDER/DOORKEEPER REPORT

*"We give thanks to God always for you all, making mention of you in our prayers."*

1 Thessalonians 1:2"

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## IN LOVING MEMORY

### DOORKEEPERS

**Dorothy Farrar Brooks (Mrs. Clint)**

**10/19/1929-4/22/2022**

**Lynchburg, Virginia**



**Joyce Brown Pillow (Mrs. Willis)**

**4-8-1936-May 12, 2022**

**Forest, Virginia**



## "Walk in Faith"

A marginal note from my 2013 Study Bible struck my attention as I was reading **Ecclesiastes 8:17**: "then I saw all the work of God, that a man cannot find out the work that is done under the sun. For though a man labors to discover it, yet he will not find it; moreover, though a wise man attempts to know it, he will not be able to find it." The marginal note: "God has so arranged things that a man cannot put all the parts of the puzzle together."

Reading further, "I considered all this in my heart, that I could declare it all: that the righteous and the wise and their works are in the hand of God" (**Ecclesiastes 9:1**).

**CONCLUSION:** My **walk of faith** takes God at His word and trusts God completely, stepping out and boldly believing the things He has promised. There is never a knot that God cannot untangle. Learning to walk in faith is a process in which we learn that God's ways are higher than ours and His thoughts than our thoughts" (**Isaiah 55:9**).

*J. Gordon Henry*

*How beautiful are the feet  
of those who bring good news.*

**Romans 10:14-15**