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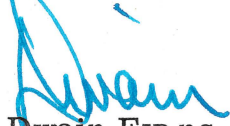
Mr. John Allen Chalk
Box 576
Cookeville, Tennessee

Dear John Allen:

Your address, "The Search for Renewal," was a masterpiece. I don't see how one could state the case for renewal better than you did. This address set the pace for the entire retreat.

It is gratifying to know that a man of your great ability is a fellow laborer in the kingdom. God bless you for your boldness and your faithfulness to His word.

Yours in the Way,



Dwain Evans

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January 19, 1966

Mr. Hubert G. Locke
2016 W. Boston Blvd.
Detroit, Michigan 48206

Dear Hubert:

Your contribution to our retreat was profound. Your remarks were thoughtful and so stirring. All of us were convicted of sin. God bless you for your faith and courage.

Enclosed is your manuscript. Thank you for loaning it to me. I am looking forward to our next retreat. God bless you in His service.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

Encl.



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January 20, 1966

Mr. Gary Freeman
Church of Christ
3425 Mayfield Road
Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio

Thank you so much for your moving contribution to the retreat. I know that all of us have been changed for the better. God bless you for the provocative roll you are playing.

If I think of someone who could serve with you as an associate, I will make a recommendation. Right now I don't know of anyone.

Give Betty my regards.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

P. S. Enclosed is a copy of a recent letter I received.

January 20, 1966

Dr. M. Norvel Young
Pepperdine College
79th St. at Vermont
Los Angeles, California

Dear Norvel:

On behalf of the committee, I express to you our deep appreciation for the challenging and thought provoking address you delivered on Materialism at Nashville. I think that every one of us can say that we were shaken to the depths. The spirit manifested by everyone at the meeting was commendable indeed.

I appreciate as well your invitation to serve on the Editorial Council of Power for Today. I will be happy to accept and make what contribution I can to the magazine, both through encouraging subscriptions and suggesting writers and themes. I do think it is one of the finest publications we have.

God bless you in your efforts for quality Christian journalism.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. Ray Chester
College Church of Christ
712 East Race Avenue
Searcy, Ark. 72143

Dear Ray:

Thank you for your thoughtful, probing address at Nashville. I am especially grateful for your willingness to speak on such short notice. I believe that God blessed us in a very profound way. Surely none of us will be the same.

I am looking forward to your address at Abilene. This has been an area of personal concern for some time. I know that what you have to say will be very helpful to me.

God bless you in the challenge He has placed before you at Searcy.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/h

January 20, 1966

Mr. George Gurganus
Harding Graduate School
Memphis, Tennessee

Dear George:

Thank you for your assistance in leading the group discussion at Nashville. Your contribution is appreciated by all of us. I feel that this retreat has profoundly affected all of us.

I am looking forward to seeing you at Abilene. God bless you in His service.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. William C. Martin
Seven Eastman Circle
Wellesley, Mass.

Dear Bill:

Thank you for your courageous and challenging address on "The Church and Modern Man." None of us can ever be the same again after hearing it.

Your love for Christ and the church is commendable indeed. I am looking forward to seeing you in Abilene.

May His grace be with you in a lavish measure.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. Paul Easley
Brentwood Church of Christ
Austin, Texas

Dear Paul:

Thank you so much for your provocative address on the Holy Spirit. Few men have given the study you have to this great theme. You have given me some things to think about for a long time to come.

I will be anxious to receive your completed manuscript.

God bless you in your service to Him.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Dr. John C. Stevens
666 E. N. 15th Street
Abilene, Texas

Dear John:

Your provocative address was one of the highlights of the retreat. I am not really disturbed by Brother Baxter's reaction and feeling. I really think that everything ended on a very good note. I assure you that your address was appreciated by most who were present. You said some things that have needed to be said for a long time.

God bless you for your courage and faith. I look forward to seeing you in Abilene for the lectures.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Dr. Frank Pack
Pepperdine College
79th St. at Vermont Ave.
Los Angeles, California

Dear Dr. Pack:

Thank you for your stimulating address at the breakfast hour at the Nashville retreat. I do feel that this retreat was the most provocative I have ever attended. All of us appreciate so much your contribution.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the ACC lectures.

God bless you richly in your service to Him.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. J. Raymond McDonald
Shaw Street Church of Christ
Pasadena, Texas

Dear Brother McDonald:

Thank you so much for your stimulating discussion, "An Elder's Critique of the Church." I do think that everyone was challenged and that we will never be quite the same again.

Thank you so much for your willingness to come and for your contribution.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. Franklin Florence
37 Reynolds
Rochester, New York

Dear Franklin:

Words cannot express our appreciation for your message at Nashville. None of us will be the same after hearing it.

I hope you will call me when you come to New York City. Perhaps we can meet for a meal together.

I am thrilled to learn that arrangements have been completed for your \$6000 loan.

God bless you in your service to Him.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. Wesley Reagan
Northside Church of Christ
3330 Walnut Lane
Dallas, Texas

Dear Wesley:

Thank you for your contribution to the Nashville retreat. Your message was short but extremely provocative. I feel that all of us have been changed for the better.

You have a unique capacity to communicate God's will. May He bless you richly in your mission for Him.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Dr. Batsell Barrett Baxter
David Lipscomb College
Nashville, Tennessee

Dear Brother Baxter:

Thank you so much for your splendid contribution to the Nashville retreat. The spirit of Christ that emanates from you always has a powerful influence wherever you go.

Thank you for your willingness to rearrange your schedule so that you could be present. I think for the first time I saw brethren disagree and yet disagree in a spirit of love and mutual concern.

May He keep you in His strength and power.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

James Walter Nichols
916 Westwood Drive
Abilene, Texas

Dear James:

Thank you for the stimulating address you delivered at the Nashville retreat. Your message was stimulating and provocative. I feel that all of us have been deeply changed.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the ACC lectures.

God bless you in your service to Him.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh

January 20, 1966

Mr. Jim Bill McInteer
1100 Belvedere Drive
Nashville, Tenn. 37204

Dear Jim Bill:

Thank you for your participation in the Nashville retreat. God has blessed you with a tremendous style in your communication of His will. I believe that our lives have been deeply touched by the discussions and the lectures.

May His richest blessings be with you.

Yours in the Way,

Dwain Evans

DE/dh