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MARY K. THOMAS AWARDED THE 2005 PRESIDENT'S VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD!



Mary K. Thomas, Director of Assessment and Financial Aid and

faculty member at Tri-State Bible College, has earned The President's Volunteer Service Award. It was presented by the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. Ms. Thomas served at the Hospitality House in Huntington, WV, from 2002 to 2006 along with her responsibilities at Tri-State Bible College.

In the accompanying letter from the White House,

President Bush wrote, "Congratulations on receiving the President's Volunteer Service Award from the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. Through service to others, you demonstrate the outstanding character of America and help strengthen our country."

The members of the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation include Darrell Green, Chair; Robert Dole and John Glenn, Honorary Co-Chairs.

The Retired & Senior Volunteer Program United

Way of Central WV wrote, "You share your time day after day in schools, senior centers, hospitals, emergency facilities, health care agencies, and many other places throughout the community. Because of your dedication, the hungry are fed, the lonely are comforted, the abused are sheltered and those in need are cared for. Your efforts make our world a better place to be."

On behalf of the board, administration, faculty, staff and student body of the Tri-State Bible College, I extend congratulations to Mary K. Thomas in recognition of this prestigious award.



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Annual Banquet 2007



The Annual Banquet is scheduled to begin promptly at 6:00 p.m. on March 31, 2007, at the Sybene Senior Citizen Center of Burlington, Ohio. The meal will be catered by the reputable Stephen Crabtree; bring your appetites with the intent of having them satisfied.

Then plan to enjoy special music, student and alumni

testimonies, and a solid message from the Word of God. You may even win a door-prize!

Our featured speaker this year is Rev. Robert Barbour, Pastor of Union Missionary Baptist Church, Chesapeake, OH.

The college is asking individuals and churches to

bring a special offering to be used solely toward the training of faithful servants for tomorrow – today!

Your participation in response to the Lord's prompting will make this a special and successful banquet.

TO HELP US BETTER PREPARE, PLEASE RSVP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!



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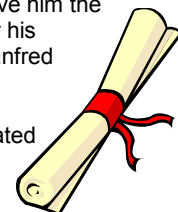
Faculty Member Earns MBS Degree from PBU



On August 31, 2006, Manfred Langer, Assistant to the President of TSBC, earned the Master of Science in Bible degree from Philadelphia Biblical University (PBU). Professor Langer attended PBU for six consecutive summer sessions of one-to-two week increments each session. As a pastor, his expenses for these courses were supplied by the Bowen Charitable Trust which is set up to help people who want to dedicate their lives to Christian service. Why did he choose

Philadelphia Biblical University? First, the Master of Science in Bible degree would be recognized by TSBC's accrediting association (ABHE). Second, of the 60 hours needed to complete the degree, thirty hours were accepted by PBU from his previous training at TSBC. Finally, the reputation of the in-house and adjunct faculty really drew him to the institution. Dr. C.I. Scofield, editor of the *Scofield Bible*, was quite instrumental in getting the college started. Some of his teachers included: Dr. Earl Radmacher, editor of the *Nelson Study Bible*; Dr. Sid Buzzel, who wrote the Book of Proverbs entry for the *Bible Knowledge Commentary*; and Dr. Chris Miller who is

now the Department Chair of the Bible for Cedarville University. Since Professor Langer studied Hermeneutics under Dr. Earl Radmacher, he was able to contract Dr. Radmacher to be the graduation speaker at TSBC in 2001. Even with the challenging pre-post class work required for these excellent teachers, he maintains that his earlier training at TSBC gave him the biblical basis necessary for his graduate work at PBU. Manfred Langer, a highly respected professor at Tri-State Bible College, is to be congratulated for this significant achievement.



Online Education Program



What is OEP?

Ever wish you could get an education, but simply didn't have the time to go to school? You're not alone. Tri-State Bible College's **Online Education Program** is meeting the needs of busy individuals who want to take courses online or who want to supplement their on-campus experience with additional classes. The

numerous educational websites and points of interest, our online courses are both fun and interactive!

Currently Online

BI 404 – D
THE BOOK OF REVELATION (2 Hrs.)

A detailed study of the book of Revelation from the premillennial viewpoint.

AB 102 – D
BIBLE GEOGRAPHY (2 Hrs.)

A study of the major geographic locations related to the Bible including, but not limited to, Abraham's, Jacob's, David's and Paul's journeys; Joshua's military campaigns; the divisions of the land; the topography of Palestine, etc.

BI 272 – D
OLIVET DISCOURSE (2 Hrs.)

This course consists of a careful examination of Matthew 24 & 25 in the context of the Second Coming of Jesus Christ

AB101 – D
BIBLE INTRODUCTION (3 Hrs.)

An introduction to the Bible including inspiration, manuscripts, canon, textual criticism, backgrounds, key problems, and contemporary issues.

BI 201 – D
GOSPELS (3 Hrs.)

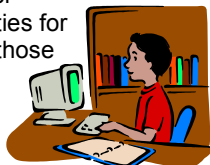
A survey of the Gospel records with an emphasis upon the argument of Matthew's Gospel.

How do I get started?

Simply download your application at www.tsbc.edu, call us to have one mailed, or come in to pick up an application packet. Mail it back to us with your \$25 application fee. Our Academic Dean will help you line out the courses you want to take and our Financial Aid Director will help you discover if you qualify for any grants or scholarships. *That's it!*

Can't come to campus?
NO PROBLEM!

Certificate of Biblical Studies is a 32 hour program designed as a stepping stone to lead to greater educational opportunities for both lay persons and those contemplating a life time of vocational ministry. As excitement in this fast growing program continues to explode, degree programs like the Associate of Arts and Bachelor of Arts degree in Bible/Theology will develop.



Students already enrolled are finding that an online education is rewarding and as challenging as on-campus courses. With audio and video lectures, PowerPoint presentations, online testing, and links to



TSBC MISSION STATEMENT:

The mission of the Tri-State Bible College is to **"Train Faithful Servants for Tomorrow—Today"** by offering a Biblically oriented program which provides for a thorough knowledge of the Bible and for the ability to use effectively the Word of God in Christian living and Christian service.