You Probably Know This Woman!
By David W. Daniels

To the Aztecs, she was known as Tlazolteotl (TLAS-ohl-tay-OH-tul), the goddess of filth, gambling, prostitution and witchcraft, among other things. She was also known to the Aztecs as Coatlicue (co-AT-li-KWAY).

In the form of Coatlicue, she was a “virgin goddess” who became pregnant. The son she bore was supposed to be Huitzilopochtli (WHIT-sil-oh-POHKT-lee), the chief god of the Aztecs, reincarnated as a baby.

She was the goddess of the moon and of the morning/evening star (Venus). People who spoke different languages in other parts of the world called her by other names. Some of them are Hecate, Astarte, Ishtar, Aphrodite, Venus, Isis and Semiramis.

She is also known as the Roman Catholic “Virgin Mary” goddess.

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Is Trust in the Bible Important?

A recent issue of a national Christian magazine carried an article about a young man who lost faith in the Bible while in Bible school and now considers himself a “happy agnostic.” How did this happen? He began to read the Greek. The problem was that he read the wrong Greek. It was the Greek that was the source of the modern perverted forms of Semiramis as the image gravitated to the Americas. She was also a virgin who gave birth to the sun god. On the side, she was the goddess of prostitution. (See Babylon Religion, pages 88, 203-204)

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Archeologist William Kelso is excited about a well. This is not just any well, it may have belonged to Captain John Smith, who founded Jamestown, Virginia 400 years ago. The well was uncovered recently under the brick ruins of a large fireplace as part of an extensive excavation of the original Jamestown fort.

After the well was no longer used to obtain water, it became a trash pit. Archeologists love trash pits. This well contained thousands of items tossed there hundreds of years ago. Some are submerged in the water at the bottom of the well and are well preserved. Things like leather shoes, seeds, fish and animal bones, copper utensils, jugs and wooden containers all tell the story of the inhabitants who lived at that time.

But trash, or the lack of it, can be an embarrassment, especially to someone who writes a history book that stretches the truth. When Joseph Smith wrote the Book of Mormon (or supposedly translated it from Moroni’s golden plates) he included elaborate stories of early Jewish settlers in the Americas.

Joseph Smith claimed that one such group came right after the tower of Babel and eventually was annihilated by war. Two other groups arrived about 600 years before Christ. One group was also killed off but the other became the ancestors of the American Indians.

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Tracts + Web Site = More Ways to Witness.

Chick Publications has another dimension that some are discovering. When a tract sparks an interest in the gospel, some soul winners are taking the person to the www.chick.com web site for further information. Consider this testimony:

I took her to the web-site and showed her the tract Are Roman Catholics Christians? To make a long story short, I lead her in the Prayer for Salvation this morning!! She gave her heart to JESUS!!!!!!!!!!! 44 years of pagan Catholic teaching has been removed and this woman is living for JESUS now!!!! We had a little gathering in her yard and broke all of the rosaries, statues and little prayer cards to Mary that she had and she is already witnessing to other Catholics... all in 10 hours.

— S. T., Email

We have hundreds of testimonies of people using the web site to enrich their witness. In many cases, they would stumble onto the site while searching for something else.

I became a born again Christian over 18 years ago and it was through Chick Publications that my faith and walk soared. I moved to upstate New York where no one sells your products. It was only recently my brother and I found your web site and literally cried when we found we could order all the comics that gave us so much to learn so that now our children can be blessed. Thank you for heeding to your call. God bless you so very much. — A. D., Email, New York

Others find more ways to combine the web site with their tract ministry. Notice the international reach of the soulwinner in this example:

Hi I’m Josh. I’m 14 and I live in Maryland. About a month ago I started

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New KJV Workbook Helps Clarify Bible Versions Issue

A little boy sat beside his father in the pew, proudly cradling his new Bible. As the pastor stood to speak, the boy opened his Bible anticipating the pastor’s sermon text. The pastor announced it and the boy quickly found the verses.

But as the pastor began to read, the boy’s face clouded with confusion. The words he was hearing were different than what he was reading. He double checked the verses—then stared at the pastor in bewilderment. Glancing back to his Bible, he again struggled to follow along. No use. He finally closed his Bible and tried to focus his attention on the sermon. After all, the pastor was the PASTOR; he must have the right Bible. Something must be wrong with MY Bible, thought the boy.

How sad, that, in this true story, the pastor has replaced the written Word as the final authority for biblical truth. We are fast becoming no longer “people of the Book.” How can we be when there are so many “books” that all say “Holy Bible” on the cover, but disagree in so many ways? Confidence in the written word is being replaced with confidence in the opinions of imperfect men.

Like the little boy in our story, many of

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Getting Ready to Leave?

Some soul winners have been blessed with more than they need and want their surplus to continue winning souls, even after they are called home. One way to do that is to finance the distribution of thousands of paper missionaries. When Chick tracts are seeded into a foreign field, they continue winning souls for years to come.

Chick Publications has been able to ship large quantities of literature to missionaries because of sizable contributions to the Chick missions fund. Chick Publications is unable to issue a tax-deductible receipt, but we know of missionaries who can put the literature to good use.

Some contributions have come from the settling of a Bible-believer’s estate. A provision is included in the will or trust for a donation to provide Chick literature to extend the outreach of foreign ministries.

For those who want to invest in missions, Chick Publications can help locate missionaries and get tracts into their hands. 100 percent of the money goes to purchase literature and pay for shipping. In some cases, we have paid the shipping cost as a gift of our own.

Orders in large quantities can be printed very cheaply and thus qualify for substantial discounts, stretching the dollars.

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If this were true, then modern archeologists should find some of their “trash.” For example, the book of Mormon claims that the Jews found “beasts in the forest of every kind, both the cow and the ox, and the ass and the horse, and the goat and the wild goat.”

But those who examine ancient trash can find no bones of these animals that date earlier than the arrival of Columbus. They were all brought over by the Europeans a thousand years later.

The Book of Mormon also describes the Jewish settlers using iron and steel tools and weapons. No such tools have ever been discovered in the trash heaps left by the Indians.

Author Thomas Heinze points out other difficulties with the historical account of the Book of Mormon. In Answers to My Mormon Friends, he mentions that, if the Book of Mormon is correct, many Native American languages should have root words that go back to Hebrew and Egyptian spoken by these “immigrants” from the Middle East. No such linguistic connection has been found. Besides, scientists have found that the Indians are genetically much closer to the Mongolians than the Middle Easterners.

At one point, Mormons claimed that the Smithsonian Institution used the Book of Mormon as a guide to almost all of the major discoveries in the history of the New World. When asked about this, the Institution politely replied: “Smithsonian archeologists see no connection between the archeology of the New World and the subject matter of the book [of Mormon].”

Heinze’s book contains other helpful material when witnessing to Mormons. He covers Mormon “salvation,” Mormon church doctrine and how it relates to the Bible. He also describes Joseph Smith’s occult background, bizarre “translation” methods and his failure to measure up to the proofs of a prophet.

Answers to My Mormon Friends is a small but concise book giving the soul winner much help in witnessing to Mormons or inoculating someone who is considering joining them.
our young people are under stress because of the variety of Bible “versions.” Publishers are targeting the kids for acceptance of the polluted versions at an early age.

Pastor Gary Miller has devised a simple “workbook” to help his people understand the Bible version issue and why the King James Version is God’s perfectly preserved words in English.

The workbook is called *Why the King James Bible is the Perfect Word of God.* In five simple lessons the student is walked through the issues, using scripture to prove that God inspired His words, God preserved His words, that God has a purpose for His words and that we can find God’s inspired and perfectly preserved words in English in the 1611 King James Bible.

The workbook provides fill-in blanks to keep the reader focused on the subject. It uses dozens of scriptures to prove the points. When finished, the student has both a new understanding and appreciation of the KJV, and a 48-page booklet to refer back to when future Bible version questions arise. He can share it with friends (and anyone else) who may also be confused about this issue.

While the book is simple enough to use in a young people’s Sunday school class, it makes an excellent guide for adult training sessions on this subject. The inexpensive format allows each student to have his personal copy when completed.

Chick Publications has made this workbook available to youth leaders and other pastors and teachers who need help bringing clarity to this issue.

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*a little club of me and some other guys to go soul winning on the internet and your site has been very, very helpful with that. Just this week I’ve been able to show 8 people salvation. Your on-line tracts and your on-line Meet Jesus page are very helpful with this and I seriously appreciate this and my church has been growing in Christ thanks to Chick tracts. I even talked to a Hindu; I luckily found *The Traitor* which helped him.* — Josh, Email

Here is another one from the other side of the world:

*I think your web-site is great. I live in Australia. I really appreciate being able to pre-read the tracts prior to ordering (and re-read some of the ones I read as a teenager 25 years ago).* — A. M., Email

Here, the web site, combined with the tracts, helped this person see how late and urgent it is that we get the gospel out while there is time:

*Your tracts, Battle Cry and online reading sections are outstanding! I have found out so much information and have seen such a great testimony to the truth and preservation of God’s words (and words). I also am encouraged by the articles that give witnessing and evangelization tips, and I’m concerned by the articles I’ve seen about the changing of the spiritual landscape of our day. As we move forward, each day brings us a step closer to the return of Christ for His people (Blessed Hope, or Rapture). Just as your tract “The Last Generation” shows that the environment will be hostile, or downright deadly, to those who put their trust in the Jesus of the Bible, the Son of God.* — S. J., Email

This person discovered another way to witness through the web site:

*I have been using Chick tracts for years! What a great opportunity to email a tract like Why is Mary Crying to someone. Thank you for your innovativeness.* — D. A., Email
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Her son had many names as well. Some of them are Horus, Harpocrates, Mithras, Sol Invictus, Hercules, Attis and Tammuz. What do these god-babies have in common? Well, for one, they were all born on December 25th.

For another, they are also known as the Roman Catholic “baby Jesus.”

Roman Catholicism is not Christianity. It is Satan’s blend of ancient pagan religions made to look like Christianity.

How did people come to worship an ancient goddess as the “Mother of God?” How did her son get turned into the “baby Jesus?” How did all these pagan myths get turned into Roman Catholicism? Am I under her spell? And what does that mean for my Roman Catholic friends and loved ones? Read *Babylon Religion: How a Babylonian Goddess Became the Virgin Mary* and find out. You will learn the difference between the real Mary and the fake Mary goddess, the Lord Jesus Christ and the fake Jesus god-baby.

It makes a great deal of difference which one you worship. It’s the difference between life and death, heaven and the lake of fire. See for yourself. The truth will make you free.

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of the “Greek” only added to his struggle. He says, “I kept reverting to my basic question: How does it help us to say that the Bible is the inerrant word of God if in fact we don’t have the words that God inerrantly inspired?” Finally, he gave up on the whole thing and became what he describes as a “happy agnostic.” He now explains his understanding of life after death: “I think you just cease to exist, like the mosquito that you swatted yesterday.”

This is exactly the dilemma that author David Daniels speaks to in his book, *Did the Catholic Church Give Us the Bible?* He points out that there are really TWO Bibles originating from two streams of “Greek” manuscripts. One of these streams is polluted with the copying errors that tripped up our “happy agnostic.” He was only told about one of these Bible streams. And when he dug into the Greek manuscripts behind that Bible, he found so much pollution that it destroyed his faith.

A hundred years from now he will realize that he has not ceased to exist, but has been the victim of one of Satan’s most clever and dangerous deceptions. “Believers are totally in the dark over this issue,” says Daniels, “because the truth has been clouded over.”

He points out that faithful copies were made of the original texts that are totally accurate and reliable. Moses even had to work with a copy of the Ten Commandments because he broke the “originals.” Jesus and Paul and the other apostles obviously relied on the Old Testament copies in their preaching and writing.

When the Hebrew scribes copied the Old Testament, they were so careful that even today there is little question as to its accuracy.

In the same way, that other stream of “Greek” (and Latin, and German, and English) manuscripts were just as carefully copied and translated. Ultimately they were used to prepare the King James Version. Had our “happy agnostic” been told of this other “Greek,” he might have kept his faith and not be in for such a surprise on judgment day.

God DID preserve His Words for us today. Author Daniels proves that we can rely on the KJV as a faithful, true copy of what was in the “original” manuscripts. How sad that our “happy agnostic” was not told that there was a Bible that he could fully trust: the King James Bible—God’s preserved words in English.
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The above pictures were taken by missionary Jim Honeycutt in Tanzania. He and his team distributed 40,000 Swahili One Way (Njia Moja) tracts in one month and said they could have given away 40,000 more. “They literally fought over the tracts,” he writes. “The Njia Moja tract provided a simple but powerful way to present Christ to these dear people Christ loves and died for.”

These prisoners in Mongolia are intently watching The Light of the World DVD being presented in their language. Missionary Mitch Tillman said, “Because of the movie, many are understanding the Bible and accepting Christ.”

In this picture, missionary Gordon Pulley is handing out tracts to the crowd in Warsaw, Poland. Only eternity will tell the results of such “seed planting.” Pulley also assisted the Rettigs, missionaries to the Czech Republic, in obtaining and distributing 9,000 UNLOVED (NEMILOVANY) tracts in the city of Prague.
These young men in Nicaragua were given tracts in Spanish by soul winner Greg Barsness. He was visiting on a short term missions trip earlier in the year. Greg reports that not a single tract was refused in the 15 days he was there. He personally led several to the Lord and planted a lot of “seed.” Even if you are going to be in the country only a short time, the gospel tracts that you leave behind will continue to witness for months and years to come.

Missionary Evangelist Bill Eubanks planting more gospel “seed” on the streets of Nairobi, Kenya.

Missionaries all over the world are using Chick non-English tracts to lengthen their outreach. One missionary may preach to a few hundred people who then go away and forget most of what he said. However, gospel tracts placed in their hands become “paper missionaries” that they can read over and over and share with their family, friends and neighbors. They become seed that will grow fruit for the kingdom for many days to come.

Does your church support missionaries? You can multiply their ministry by supplying them with gospel tracts, probably in the language of their field.

Chick Publications has tracts in over 100 different languages. Have your missionary visit the www.chick.com web site and tell you which title and language he can use. Then have your church place the order so that you can get tax credit for the donation. When the order is placed, we will ship them directly to the missionary.

If you are not able to locate missionaries through your church, Chick Publications has a fund that is used to supply missionaries who request tracts but are unable to afford them. However, your donation to the Chick Missions Fund is not tax deductible.
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B.B. — Email

We left a Who’s Missing tract on a soda machine and a young man came and asked if we knew who placed the little book there. We said we had. The next week, when we went back, he was there and said “Thank you for the comic. I prayed and asked Jesus into my heart. I gave it to my Mom and she did as well. We are Roman Catholics. We went to mass the next day and we felt really uncomfortable. We left. We got to share with them and left them with the following tracts: Why is Mary Crying, Man in Black, Death Cookie.

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How can we win souls to Christ who don’t see their need for the Savior? The Bible provides the answer. By using the Ten Commandments, people see their need for Jesus (Romans 3:20; 7:7; Galatians 3:24). This video *The Good Test*, uses a reality-TV format, to show how we all come short of obedience to God’s Law and to convict people of their sin. This DVD is recorded in English and includes 13 subtitled languages: English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Polish, German, Italian, Finnish, Albanian, Croatian, Hebrew, Serbian, and Romanian!

You can view clips from the video at www.chick.com/catalog/videos/1405.asp#clips

*“The Good Test”* is a great video. The message is down-to-earth and simple, and yet so profound. It was entertaining in the fact that you get to peer into the minds and opinions of strangers, and then see them come to grips with the truths of God’s Word and their sinful conditions. Kind of like a spiritual “reality TV”. Our youth were really moved by the video and it evoked much discussion among the group. Although as Christians we all knew the scripture, “For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God...” it was still surprising to see the nature of man unfold in each person on the video, and how easy it was to get them to realize they are a sinner in need of a Savior... and to know we are, indeed, no different than them. I would highly recommend this video to anyone. — Youth Leader Kevin Williams
Williams showed *The Good Test* video to his youth group. Here are some of the reactions:

Jozelle M. — *When I saw the movie, it made me realize that everyone has sinned. The movie made me want to be more of God's child than I am now.*

Krystal B. — *By watching the movie it made me feel that every little bad thing we do, even if we don't think it's a bad thing, might keep us out of heaven. We have all broken the 10 commandments, even if it's the smallest thing. So basically, we are all sinners.*

Robert W. — *This movie made me realize how much we all actually sin in life, even though we claim to be good moral people at first.*

These photos were sent to Chick Publications from the Dominican Republic where soul winners are using *The Good Test* DVD as a witnessing tool. The people are viewing the 17-minute video on a laptop computer. This technique can lead to conviction and a lively discussion. Many recognized their need for forgiveness and accepted the gift of salvation after seeing the video.
Prison Ministry Letters

I have read your comic books, thanks to my grandfather. The guards at the jail would confiscate our comic books and then we would see them reading them. Praise God! I believe that there were seeds planted.

— J. A. Colorado

I’m in Alamance County Jail and a friend gave me a couple of your booklets to read and they really helped me out. I finally decided to accept the Lord Jesus Christ as my personal Savior.

— R. C. Graham, NC

We have used your tracts and read your material since the seventies. And what a coincidence that the Bad Bob tract was eighty-five percent my testimony! I started the jail fire in 1974! I was a spoiled brat and vice president of a Detroit motorcycle club. I am so glad I can use the tract officially as my testimony. I have been pastoring for thirteen years.

— B. N.

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— I. W. Arizona

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Beloved, we all have relatives or acquaintances who are Lodge members. The Southern Baptist churches alone have over one million members who are Masons. They have a loyalty to their Lodges, and are not controlled by the Lord. These men have one foot in church and the other in witchcraft.

One morning when I left for breakfast at a local restaurant, I put a copy of The Unwelcome Guest in my shirt pocket for the waitress. While we were waiting to be served, I silently asked the Lord “Who shall I give this new tract to”, because the owner of the restaurant was coming over to visit us. The Lord said “him.”

When I told him about the new Masonic tract he said, “I want to read it because my cousin is a Mason.” I gave him my copy and he disappeared into the kitchen, where one of the waitresses asked him what the tract was about. He said “Masonry!” She replied “Can I read it? My boyfriend is going to the Lodge tonight to take the oath and become a Mason.” Then he told her “You’ve got to read this!” When the owner came back to our table to tell us what had happened, he described his cousin who became a Mason and lost interest in church, his wife and his kids. He said “Jack, when you guys come back, please bring me a bunch of those tracts.”

We all have relatives, friends, or acquaintances who are involved in this religious cult. Some joined it as a...
good old boys’ club not realizing the consequences, spiritually. But this is a worldwide conspiracy involving police-men, firemen, judges, politicians, world leaders, pastors, deacons and church members. Beloved, the battlefield is in our churches. Some pastors can’t speak against it, but by getting *The Unwelcome Guest* into hands of church members they will realize that there’s sin in the camp. You can make an impact. If we don’t warn them, who will?

Your Bro. in Christ,