

Summer Plans, FUN, FUN ...

By Dr. Douglas Keffer

I am told that on July 1, Phase Three of opening the state is going to commence. That means there are going to be a lot more opportunities for families to be doing things outside the home that you can really begin to make plans for. Where are going to start first...a trip to Disney World, a visit to Williamsburg, and spend a day or more at Busch Gardens. Okay, how many of you want to plan that yearly trip to the beach for the week or longer. Can't wait to get out in the ocean, or sit on the sandy beach and get that wonderful tan that when you come home your friends are jealous of. It may be a trip to see family that live out-of-state. That wonderful trip to your grandparents, where Grandma makes those wonderful breakfasts that make your mouth water just thinking about those chocolate chip pancakes, smothered in that wonderful syrup. You get the idea, but what I want to encourage you to do is to plan to have fun with each other. There is so much discord in families today, and this COVID 19 has contributed to families not knowing what to do with each other. Cooped up in the house with each other for days and weeks on end has been very challenging. I want to encourage all

you children and youth to help your parents feel they are doing a good job trying to make things as interesting as possible in very difficult times. Help your parents know how much you appreciate what they have had to do to make arrangements to have child care, rearrange their work schedules and in many cases, do with less money because their work schedules have change because of the cutbacks in their work places because a lot of business has slowed down. This all has been and continues to be stressful for your family, and now, it is time to get back to having FUN. Start with the Fourth of July, and create some great memories. Have FUN!

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American Pride Rediscovered... By Dr. Douglas Keffer



When I was a child, my family went to the Fourth of July celebration at a little town called Perryopolis, in Pennsylvania. It was a great day with a parade and all kinds of food that people brought to share with one another. We would stand at attention when the men and women serving in the military came past us in the parade. We all cheered and had a sense of pride that these were the men and women who were serving our country right now working at allowing us to have a freedom from all the evil what we heard about at so many places in the world. I felt safe, and proud that our President and military leaders, along with Congress were doing all they could to insure that we Americans knew that the United States stood for the kind of freedom that was based on the Christian values I was raised to believe in and trust.

I am much older today, but I still want to believe that we are the

greatest country to live in in the world. You drive up to our house and you will see the American Flag flying from a post on our front porch, and it is there every day. Why? Because I love America and want everyone that passed by our house to see that symbol of freedom. It saddens me to see the unrest in our country, that has actually touched our conservative community in the past recent weeks. People saying they want and demand the right to say whatever they want to say, but the behavior I saw on our local news stations was anything but peaceful in many areas. People yelling and screaming "Hands Up, Don't Shoot" at the police that were present to insure the safety of us who want them to know what a great job they are doing. Friends, look what happened with Jesus. He rode into Jerusalem on Sunday with the people crying, "Hosanna", and by Friday, many of those same people were crying, "Crucify Him." We know the outcome of that behavior...we killed the Son of God. This Fourth of July, let's all do our best to rediscover the real meaning of freedom in our land...let's promise God that we are going to do what is right...love our neighbors as we love ourselves. Happy Fourth!

Referrals Are Our Lifeline...

I was sitting in an initial session with a couple and I looked on their "info" sheet and saw who had referred them to me. I knew the name, and they told me that the wife was the husband's relative. They told me that the couple that referred them shared with them that they knew that coming and learning their natures through the profile that I use would help them tremendously. It humbles me to hear my clients talk about how their whole perspective of how they understand themselves was changed when they learned how God created them through the information attained through the Arno Profile System profile. I am privileged to share things with the people God entrusts to me about why they do the things they do because of how they are put together in their natures. Please think of that loved one, friend, or co-worker you know is struggling and have them call us for help. This is what NBCS does. Give your friends our website address, www.newbeginningscounsel.com, and encourage them to learn about NBCS. Thank you so much for getting the word out about the help that is available at NBCS! God bless you!