Gospel Trick Shot Newsletter October 2022

GTS News October 2022 by Steve Lillis

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GTS Domestic Update – After an exciting summer of outreaches from the home State of New Jersey all the way to the West Coast, Gospel Trick Shot continues with USA outreach into the fall season. This past month GTS President Steve Lillis and GTS Vice President Michael Hewitt teamed up to go to the CSI Predator US Pro Billiard Series Michigan 10-Ball Open in the Kellogg Arena in Battle Creek, MI September 20 – 24. They counselled both amateur and professional players along with networking with future partners to help reach underserved youth in Muncie, IN where Michael Hewitt pastors the Rising Hope Church (RHC). Contacts were also made to hopefully secure a pool table for the Coffee Billiard Café for the new GTS RHC church plant in Seville, Spain. We also received help for our GTS Water and Pool project in Lusaka, Zambia led by Pastor Wayne Parker. In October, GTS USA Blackball pool player Phil Ball will lead an outreach team at a Trunk or Treat Festival on the 29th with the GTS portable pool table at the Living Waters Church in Parsippany, NJ

GTS International Update – The GTS USA Blackball Pool Team met three times last month on Zoom with Coach and Manager Wayne Parker from South Africa to help prepare the team for our trip to Tangier, Morocco for the BI World Blackball Championships October 8-15. Logistics, game rules and strategy, practice drills, and cultural information was shared to help the team of 12 prepare. Team members include 7 from the USA including 5 blackball pool players and two helpers, 4 from our Spanish church team led by Pastor Marcos of Cadiz, Spain, and our coach Wayne Parker from South Africa. Some of the team will leave October 2 for the Spanish church plant opening, all will rendezvous in Morocco by the 5th, with some returning home as late as the 18th. Please keep the team in prayer.

Internet and Online Update – We have added a classic new YouTube training video that Steve Lillis did back in 2006 for the Albanian GTS RACK Team in Tirana, Albania. This video with disks 1 and 2 has a GTS RACK Room Bible study along with 11 timeless Gospel Trick Shots complete with a demonstration of how to set them up and execute along with what to share as part of the Gospel message. The video (Disks 1 & 2) has also been posted on all the GTS "Steve Lillis," "Gospel Trick Shot," and "GTSRACKRooms" social media sites along with our exciting new website www.gtsrackrooms.com under Lady Emerald "The Vault."

Disk 1 – GTS RACK Room Bible Study and the first 2 shots: https://youtu.be/C91cQvueZ7U Disk 2 – The next 9 Gospel Trick Shots with explanations: https://youtu.be/1jbgtOarlt4

Psalm 33:3 - "Play skillfully with a shout of Joy!"

Enjoy and God bless!

***Also please check out our exciting new website at www.gtsrackrooms.com with helpful and entertaining information on becoming a more devoted follower of Jesus Christ!

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