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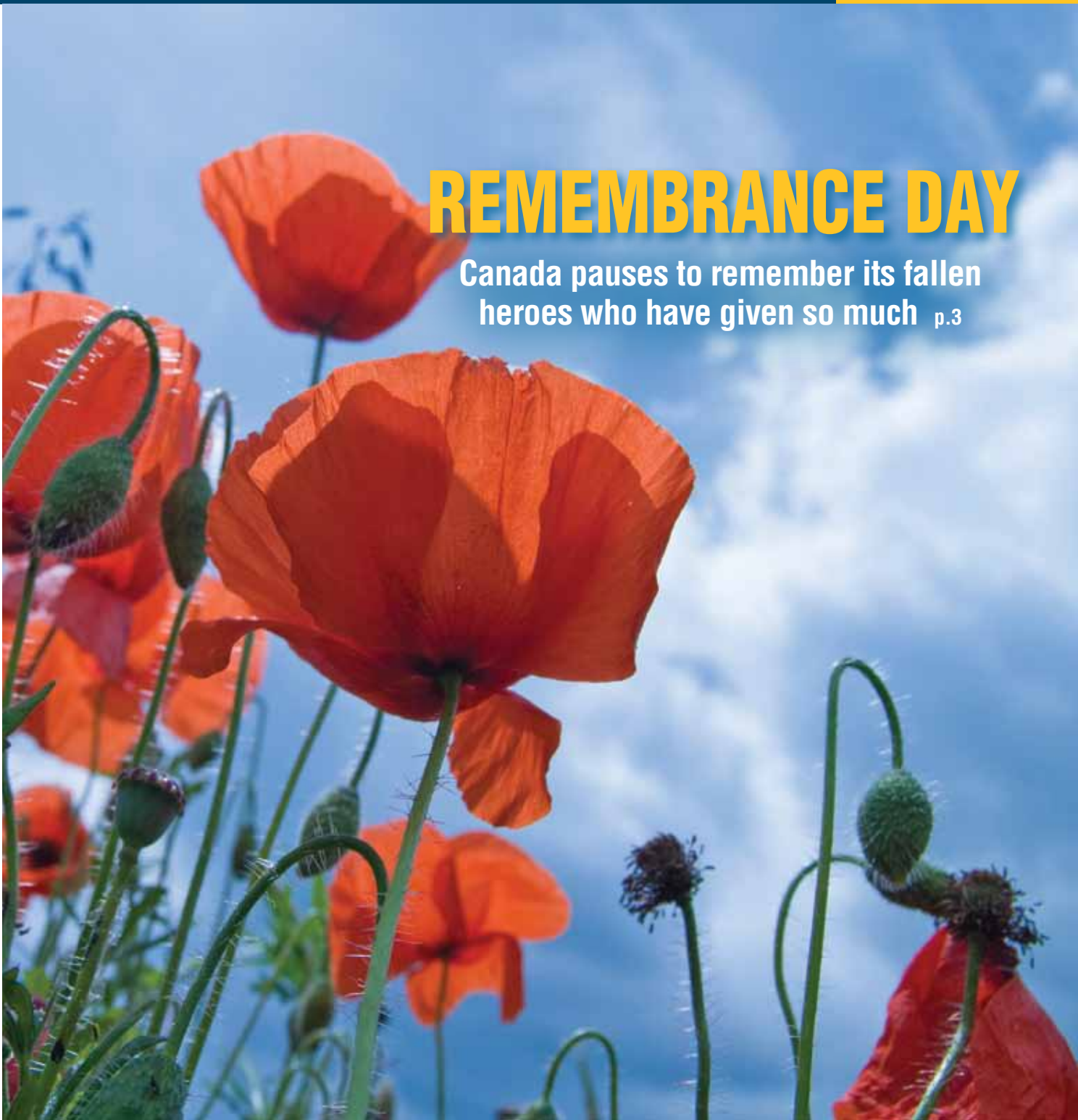
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Sharing Hope Across Our Land

by MICHAEL LITTLE
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I am grateful to God for the many ways He uses you as a CBA partner to bring encouragement and hope to our neighbours across Canada.

Through CBA's Operation Blessing, you send humanitarian relief to the Inuit and First Nation's communities as well as reaching out to those less fortunate in the inner city and in the prison system.

You make it possible for CBA prayer partners to answer calls from people who desperately need jobs, healing, and faith for the future.

You also proclaim the eternal truth of the Gospel across the land with television broadcasts of *The 700 Club* and *Canadian Edition*. May God bless you for reaching out to hurting Canadians with His transforming love!

Michael D. Little



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Carter's Story

He was a little boy with a big heart, and he changed the lives of families in need. Then it was Carter's life that needed saving.

Life-Changing Solution

Mounting debt was bankrupting Phil's business – as well as his marriage to Shannon. Find out what this couple began to do that solved their problems.



Message From Above

Julie's devastating car wreck left her in a coma. Things looked bleak, and death was imminent. Then came an unexpected message.



“Let us do all in our power to ensure the Lord’s dominion over every part of our great land.”

~ GEORGE WOODWARD



The lives lost by Canadian men and women in battle have forever blessed their country.

THE 700 CLUB IN CANADA

Remember All Those Who Have Gone Before Us

How can we safeguard the liberty we have inherited?

by GEORGE WOODWARD, President of The Christian Broadcasting Associates

November 11th is a day to remember those who gave their lives for the country we love.

No matter how it’s observed, it is a time to give thanks for the 1.5 million Canadians who served in the First World War, the Second World War, the Korean War and all those who have bravely defended our freedoms since then. Approximately 100,000 of them gave their lives in these conflicts.

The sacrifice of these courageous fallen heroes is not theirs alone: it was also paid by those they left behind. The ones who fought beside them but survived, the families and friends who mark their absence year after year, the grandchildren they never lived to meet – these have also given

to protect the costly liberties we enjoy today. Let us never take our freedom for granted.

Instead, we must be vigilant – we must protect what we have inherited. We must remember the godly principles and foundational stones that our country was built upon.

These words from Psalm 72:8 are inscribed above the east window of the Peace Tower at Parliament Hill, built as a monument to the Canadians who fought in the First World War: *He shall have dominion also from sea to sea.*

Let us do all in our power to ensure the Lord’s dominion over every part of our great land: strive to make Him Lord in every area of our lives, proclaim the truth of His Gospel, and show His love to

Canada and the world one person at a time.

This is how we can best remember all those who gave their lives to protect our liberty – to fulfill the promise of our land as the dominion of Almighty God, the only King of kings and Lord of lords!

*To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours
to hold it high.*

“In Flanders Fields”
by LT. COL. JOHN McCRAE
(1872-1918)

The Power of a Grateful Heart

Give thanks to Him. ~ PSALM 100:4



God wants us to have thankful hearts! The Bible tells us, *Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ*

Jesus (1 Thessalonians 5:18).

I am deeply grateful to all of you who prayed for me during my recent heart surgery – and to the Lord for His great faithfulness in answering those fervent prayers!

As I think about the wide variety of medicines, surgical procedures, doctors, and hospitals that are available here, I praise God for all He has provided here in North America. I remember, too, the desperately poor people I've met in Africa, India, and other places around the world. They don't even have aspirin or band-aids, and their water is filled with germs.

Even when our country experiences hard times, we have much to be thankful for – and we still have an abundance to share with those in need, both in North America and around the globe.

Having a continuing attitude of gratefulness to our Father in heaven sets us apart from the world. In Philippians, Paul tells us that as we give thanks, *You may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe as you hold out the word of life* (Philippians 2:14-16).

May God bless you for shining like stars as together we help the poor and needy, bringing His life-changing Word to the world!

Scripture is quoted from the NIV.

When We Dare to Believe

by GORDON ROBERTSON

These signs will follow those who believe ... they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover. ~ MARK 16:17,18 NKJV

Recently, Operation Blessing worked with 700 Club partners to provide food and household supplies for needy families in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Together, we worked to meet the physical and spiritual needs of an entire community.

In the crowd of more than 700 families, I saw a man who had come through the line dragging a plastic bin filled with food and supplies. He paused in front of me and grabbed his back, obviously in pain. My first inclination was, I need to help him carry that load. But then I thought, Wouldn't it be great if he were healed?

In that moment, I didn't need a Word of Knowledge from God. I didn't need an angel to come down and give me special instructions. I only needed to believe what Jesus had already said: *These signs will follow those who believe ... they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover* (Mark 16:17,18 NKJV).

I asked the man if I could pray for him. He then told me he had a five-inch piece of metal in his back.

From a human perspective,

something like that could make us shrink back in fear or unbelief; but does a five-inch piece of metal make it harder for God to work? Luke 1:37 tells us that with God, nothing will be impossible, so I laid hands on the man and I prayed. Then he stood up straight and said, "Wow! The pain's gone!"

We shouldn't be surprised by miracles. So often we want the revelation before the obedience. We want to say, "God, give me the revelation of how to heal people; then I'll go and do it." It really works the other way around. When you dare to step out in faith – understanding that in your weakness His strength is made perfect – the revelation comes, and then you see the healing. This is the life of faith. May God bless you as you venture out in faith, bringing the miracle of God's power to the people around you.

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