

## Newsletter Type Size Increased

The Reflectsons August Newsletter has been published and was received with great response.

This September edition features an increase in the size of the print along with a little more space between the lines.

We are trying to fit as much information as possible into the limited space. If you have suggestions for our Newsletter please let us know.

## September Concert Schedule

Sept 1 - Wimauma FL 6:30 PM Convention Center (FGMA)

Sept 2 - Wimauma FL 6:30 PM Convention Center (FGMA)

Sept 3 - Wimauma FL 6:30 PM Convention Center (FGMA)

Sept 9 - Old Town FL 11:00 AM Old Town Church of God

Sept 15 - Madison FL 5:00 PM Jellystone Park Jam

Sept 23 - Winter Haven FL - 10:45 AM East Temple Bapt. Ch.

For Information 352-463-2481 \* Full schedule [Reflectsons.com](http://Reflectsons.com)

## Reflectsons And The FGMA



*Pictured left to right On FGMA Stage: Dale Thigpen, Pam Renew, Rick Radford and back stage Bruce Renew.*

The Reflectsons are blessed to be members of The Florida Gospel Music Association (FGMA). By the time this letter reaches the mail and e-mail recipients, the 2018 FGMA Convention will be underway with another weekend of blessings and great singing.

The Reflectsons have been active members of the FGMA for many years. Many changes have occurred over the years, but FGMA has always helped The Reflectsons meet our objective to share our ministry, promote the general ministry of Southern Gospel music and to fellowship with other Christian artists.

Every year The Reflectsons receive many blessings while participating in the Christian activities of this annual convention.

The concerts, chapel services, pre-concert devotional and prayer times along with individual and group times of fellowship together make this event a worthwhile experience.

We truly appreciate and love each FGMA board member, artist, evangelist, supporter and fan, sound and stage techs and all who make this great event happen. We love and enjoy the ministry of Randy and Mary Perry.

We dearly miss those who are no longer able to be with us. Many have left this earthly tour to settle in eternity. Many have come and gone over the years.

Our prayer is that we all may continue to work together for our Lord Jesus Christ until we see His face in glory.

## Renew's Have Special August

August brings a special time of celebration to the Renew's household. August 1 is their 37th anniversary. Bruce and Pam

Thigpen states "We are blessed that God has led them to travel in ministry with The Reflectsons."

Pam stated, "although we are away from our home church and family a lot, we know it's worth it every time we can see someone come to Christ in one of the services."

Bruce's birthday was on August tenth. This year's celebration included some family time spent on the family's North Florida, future retirement property.

Their son Brian and grandson Noah joined in a time of camping together on the property. Everyone just worked on the land and enjoyed time with the family.

Bruce stated "it was the best birthday in years." It could have been even better if our granddaughter Riley and our daughter-in-law Kelli could have been there with us. We missed them greatly, Pam and Bruce agreed.

The Renews and all of The Reflectsons look forward to seeing you soon at a concert.

Please remember to stop by their product table and visit with them.



met when they were both just young kids.

This came about around 1974 when Pam's family singing group (The Smith Family) sang for Bruce's dad who was a pastor. Pam was eleven going on twelve and Bruce was in his early teens. Pam recalls Bruce showed his liking for her by chasing her around after church, pulling her hair and pinching her.

In 1981 they began to date for real. They knew that God had plans for them to be together.

Since their marriage, God has used them together in ministry, through music, singing and working with youth. Dale

## Ministry Is More Than Singing



There is more to do in a Gospel music ministry than just singing and preaching.

Dale's wife, Bonita, captured the photo on left as Dale was doing a little service work on the group's tour bus. Dale said he was glad she took the photo before he got really dirty.

If you would like to be a part of this singing mechanics fun and fellowship ministry just give us a call.

*Come See Us Again Soon  
Your Support & Recommendations Are Appreciated*

How can you tell that Reflectsons music is friendly?

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**Singing to Reflect the Son since 1992**

The Reflectsons are: Dale Thigpen, Bruce & Pam Renew and Rick Radford



**Dear Fellow Ministers and Church Members:**

Please take a moment to read this important message. Since 1992 The Reflectsons have been serving the Lord and His churches.

If you received this publication through the mail, you have most likely booked us before or at least been in a service with us.

Throughout most of our time of ministry we have relied on The Gospel Post publication to stay in touch with our friends and fellow ministers.

A few years ago The Gospel Post had to discontinue it's operation due to the lack of financial income to pay for printing and postage costs. Since that time The Reflectsons have noticed a slowdown in our ministry schedule.

After much prayer and seeking the will of God for direction for my personal ministry, it seems the Lord keeps telling me to enhance publicity.

In response to this I am seeking to re-establish communication with our friends by publishing this newsletter.

Our ministry always has been and is dependant on friends like you booking us at your church. As always The Reflectsons do not place a price on our ministry services. Each member of the group serves on a volunteer basis without financial compensation. However, as I'm sure you are aware, any ministry or business must have some income to survive.

We operate by faith, believing that if we can work for our Lord, He will supply ministry needs.

Please prayerfully consider scheduling a time for The Reflectsons to come and minister at your church. You can see our available dates on our website. *Reflectsons.com*. I would love to hear from you by phone 352-463-2481. I hope to hear from you soon.

May God continue to use us together for His kingdom until He comes to take us home.

Thank you for all that you do in the kingdom of our Lord.

**Sincerely : Dale Thigpen**

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