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"WE ARE AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST" - 11 COR. 5:20

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Rick Gage is a clean-cut, intelligent, enthusiastic young man with a deep zeal and compassion to see young people saved. He also has untold energy to pursue that great and worthy goal.

He came, in April, 1991, to the Tri-state area of Kentucky, Tennessee, & Virginia; where Daniel Boone crossed the Cumberland Gap and blazed a trail that many thousands followed to a "happy hunting ground". Rick is also a trail blazer; he did something that had not been done here in a long time; possibly never. He got into the schools of the area and spoke to approximately 8,000 young people. This was something that was good and needed; and I certainly appreciated it!

At the same time, he led the Greater Cumberland Gap Crusade, held in the new Tex Turner Arena/Gym on the campus of Lincoln Memorial University. This is located near the mouth of the four lane Cumberland Gap Tunnel now under construction. Daniel Boone went over the Gap in 1769; we'll go under it in 1995.

The Crusade was the largest attended Tri-state meeting ever, to my knowledge. There were 230 saved, many other decisions, and perhaps the largest number ever of participating churches. The music was led by Randy & Kala Stone, from Florida. They were outstanding.

Rick has my love and prayers, that he will preach the Word in love and truth; so that the possible population of hell will be reduced, and the Kingdom of God enlarged.

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