

Inspirations

Peter Harry Haralamos is my name and I was born on July 17, 1974. I grew up in Carroll County, MD when it was still predominantly filled with wide-open farmland. I went to Mt. Airy's fine public schools until eighth grade and then went to several different Christian schools during my high school years. After all the moving around, I finally graduated from Carroll Christian School in Westminster, MD. Everything that I have now I owe to the love of God, my family and Kristy.

My hobbies include drawing, painting, sculpting, working on my web sites, reading books (especially ones about philosophy and Christianity) and collecting classic cartoons and coins. By far, my favorite hobby is my artwork. It is great to be able to create something that makes people say, "Wow, that's cool!"

My quest to "fight the Good fight" started about October 2001 when I decided to read the book 1984 by George Orwell. George Orwell's ideas, opinions and beliefs inspired me to prove him right. I believe many of the ideas in 1984 are outrageous but not unbelievable.

Until this point I never really kept up on current events, which is an essential part of proving Mr. Orwell's ideas to be true. I now read The Washington Post, The New American, Foreign Affairs, and watch the news. My idea was to create a web page that gives people the truth by examining all sides and opinions of a story then show by example how the times we live in, nearly mimic the life 1984 depicts. I then searched for a suitable way to present my valuable content. While I was deciding on a worthy layout for my web presentation I was given a book to read by my dad. Honestly I thought I would never read it, but since I know how valuable a good book can be when recommended by a loved one, I reluctantly started to read.

When I read 1984 I thought I would never be the same person again but after reading "Essential Truths of the Christian Faith" by RC Sproul I realized I wasn't the same person and there was no turning back. This book reminded me of a day many years ago when I was at Mrs. Sherry's vacation bible school. I was a child, only about 4 or 5 years old. I accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as my Saviour. I was saved from death and Satan and I was promised eternal life as a gift. While I read this book the Holy Spirit enlightened me and I have been "living a better life" everyday.

I understand that I will never be perfect like Jesus, yet there is always room for improvement. Now my direction has changed a bit and I have made God the most important part of my life. This does not mean that other parts of my life have any less importance. In fact I intend on making all aspects of my life better with the help of God. This includes relationships with my family and

friends, which I have neglected over the past few years. To all my loved ones, I am Sorry and please forgive me. I also am not giving up on proving that we are living in the days George Orwell speaks about in the book 1984. I am even more confident now then ever because I have the Holy Spirits help.