



# “Footprints of Healing”

Australian Faith Community Nurses Association 2009 AGM  
and one day health, healing & pastoral care conference

**Sat. August 22nd from 9-5**

**Venue: BHBC Church 72 Coromandel Parade Blackwood SA**

**Cost: \$20 (\$10 AFCNA members)**

**Registration: Ph (08)8278 8274 [lunch included]**



## Footprints in the Sand

One night I dreamed I was walking along the beach with the Lord. Many scenes from my life flashed across the sky.

In each scene I noticed footprints in the sand. Sometimes there were two sets of footprints, other times there were one set of footprints. This bothered me because I noticed that during the low periods of my life, when I was suffering from anguish, sorrow or defeat, I could see only one set of footprints.

So I said to the Lord. "You promised me Lord, that if I followed you, you would walk with me always. But I have noticed that during the most trying periods of my life there have only been one set of footprints in the sand.

Why, when I needed you most, you have not been there for me?" The Lord replied, "The times when you have seen only one set of footprints in the sand, is when I carried you.

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