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REPENTENCE IS THE ONLY WAY



What will you be accountable for?

When we stand before God we stand alone.

"Judgment is in the Land" Our Only Opportunity

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."



Be very careful of your alignments and endorsements

God sees, hears and remembers!

Stop and consider your words and actions



Watch as well as Pray!

This is not a Drill



Our words sometimes have consequences

"Vengeance is mine saith the Lord"

And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Romans 12:2



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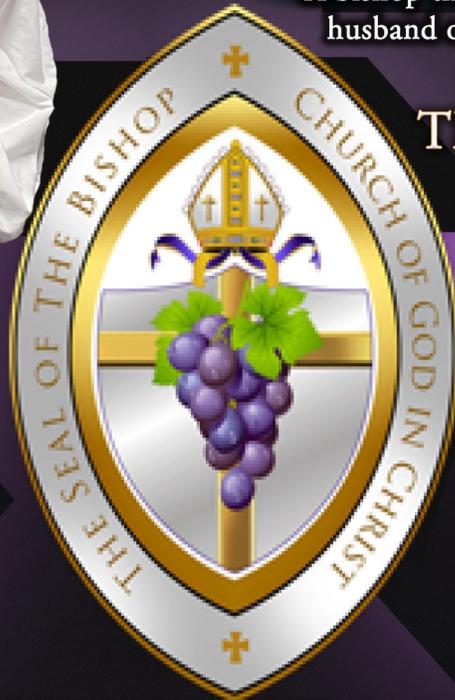
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A bishop then must be blameless, the husband of one wife... 1 Tim 3:2a

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COMPANY CASE STUDY

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OBJECTIVES

Michelle was failing as a department manager. On the surface, everyone saw her performance was below standards. She also encountered high attrition and a few disgruntled employees. She faced the daunting task of coaching her staff to meet objectives. She didn't account for how little commitment, understanding, and trust between her and her staff plays a role in her success with performance and having a positive employee net promoter score.

SOLUTION

Michelle and I agreed to meet and devise solutions to help her with her performance, so she thought. After following a methodology, I noticed her most significant problem was her people didn't like her. Low performance can be masked so I follow these two steps:

- Is Michelle's staff capable of learning the skills to perform better?
- Is she effectively coaching them; if so, why is it not working?

Once I met with Michelle's team and got answers, I knew her team culture needed an overhaul and that would only come through coaching Michelle up in these areas:

- Showing she cares
- Building trust
- Relentlessly pursuing a process of valuing people

Through accountable weekly meetings, actions, and follow up, Michelle and I created a culture where her employees felt valued and engaged. Her department's **performance increased by 63%**

SUCCESSFUL ACTIONS

Create a culture of caring w/ expectations

Set a high bar for achieving expectations, and set a high bar for management caring for their employees by ensuring they get to know them, coach them, and hold them accountable.

Build trust with your employees

Be truthful with your employees about expectations, results, goals, and the overall vision. People want to know how their accomplishments lead to the company's overall success.

Show your people they are valued

Show your people they are valued by non-tangible incentives. Practice rewarding your staff for valuing their employees in non-tangible unique ways. Make this common practice in the company. Respect goes a long way in retaining employees.



AT A GLANCE CHALLENGES

- Low Performance
- High Attrition
- Unsatisfactory Work Culture

BENEFITS

- Higher Performance
- Savings of 150% in salary per employee retained

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We Cannot Confine God to a Box

Dr. C. A. Dangerfield II

Man keeps making the same mistakes demonstrating that he does not spend ample time in the Word of God. If and when we read the scriptures, there was and still is a divine order and expectation in which we are to follow. It was and is provided to help mankind to stay in alignment with the Will of God. As I continue to study it is apparent that we have shifted so far off course that we truly lack the greater understanding of our action and don't recognize the consequences of our actions as they manifest before us.

Warnings have been issued for decades and ignored. Judgement released upon the land because we have taken less time for studying from each generation to the next. If we had just followed the basic principles and instructions our world be in a better place. We would not be deceived as we have been especially if we as individuals had taken the initiative to establish the kind of relationship with God that would not have us following the wrong voice. Jumping from on trend to another because we allow ourselves to be distracted by every wind of doctrine.

We don't pay attention to the details therefore we lack in understanding and break established covenants which are in place to protect the believers. Our behaviors start to mimic the Scribes and Pharisees and we have so much divisive behavior within the Body of Christ. We demonstrate a lack of trust rather than a bond of unity and the enemy of our souls is allowed to thrive on these opportunities that we so free give. Divided and conquer is his greatest tactics and he plays it effectively because we provide more and more access for it. Starting within our homes, "my people perish due to the lack of knowledge"..., "train up a child in the way they should go..." We have failed miserable in that one from generation to generation. So, each generation opens the door to more chaos and confusion which leads to more division and destruction.

It only when His grace and mercy allow us to see just a schemer of light, that heightens our curiosity that break through the various walls of deception and follow that light. " My Word is a lamp unto your feet and a light unto your pathway" We have access, and some have procession of the instrument that will lead us out of darkness into His marvelous light but fall to use it and many perish.

It reminds me of a story I once heard. Regarding the drowning man also known as Two boats a Helicopter, this this story is often told as a joke. It's about a Christian man, usually a minister, who refuses rescue attempts from floodwaters, saying that God will save him. But failed to recognize the multiple attempts delivered by God who heard the request and responded, but when the person refused the help

provided because they could not recognize the hand of God intervening on their behalf so when they had perished and were now standing in judgement for the time of accountability. They inquired about their prayer request and were reminded of the attempts to save their life.

This brings a serious question to mind regarding our understanding of our relationship. We can have this grandeur expectation of have things will or should turn out or take place. But the answer is in the details, the Word of God teaches us when we study it takes the simple things to confound the wise. Simplicity and humbleness come dressed in power and strength because it unexpected. God has to rid us of pride and arrogance in order for us to be able to truly see Him, the blessing and rewards that are with Him.

Isaiah 55:6-13 KJV

[6] Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: [7] let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. [8] For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD. [9] For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts. [10] For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the Sower, and bread to the eater: [11] so shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it. [12] For ye shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. [13] Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree: and it shall be to the LORD for a name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.

Yesha 'Yahu (Isa) 55:1-6, 8-13 CJB

[1] "All you who are thirsty, come to the water! You without money, come, buy, and eat! Yes, come! Buy wine and milk without money — it's free! [2] Why spend money for what isn't food, your wages for what doesn't satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and you will eat well, you will enjoy the fat of the land. [3] Open your ears, and come to me; listen well, and you will live — I will make an everlasting covenant with you, the grace I assured David. [4] I have given him as a witness to the peoples, a leader and lawgiver for the peoples. [5] You will summon a nation you do not know, and a nation that doesn't know you will run to you, for the sake of Adonai your God, the Holy One of Isra'el, who will glorify you." [6] Seek Adonai while he is available, call on him while he is still nearby.

[8] “For my thoughts are not your thoughts, and your ways are not my ways,” says Adonai. [9] “As high as the sky is above the earth are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts. [10] For just as rain and snow fall from the sky and do not return there, but water the earth, causing it to bud and produce, giving seed to the Sower and bread to the eater; [11] so is my word that goes out from my mouth — it will not return to me unfulfilled; but it will accomplish what I intend, and cause to succeed what I sent it to do.” [12] Yes, you will go out with joy, you will be led forth in peace. As you come, the mountains and hills will burst out into song, and all the trees in the countryside will clap their hands. [13] Cypresses will grow in place of thorns; myrtles will grow instead of briars. This will bring fame to Adonai as an eternal, imperishable sign.

I tend to like to read from the original Hebrew translation as it was written it provides for me a greater context and understanding. That is why I have shared both versions with you. We really must draw a greater understanding from the Word of God as it was intended. Every culture, creed and nation want to think they have the ultimate rights and understanding to God's Word. But we must also have an understanding of the history behind God's Word and man's motive it will provide clear vision when understand. Be not deceive

1 Corinthians (1 Co) 15:33-34 CJB

[33] Don't be fooled. “Bad company ruins good character.” [34] Come to your senses! Live righteously and stop sinning! There are some people who lack knowledge of God — I say this to your shame.

1 Corinthians 15:33-34 KJV

[33] Be not deceived: evil communications corrupt good manners. [34] Awake to righteousness, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God: I speak this to your shame.

Galatians 6:6-10 KJV

[6] Let him that is taught in the word communicate unto him that teaches in all good things. [7] Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. [8] For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting. [9] And let us not be weary in well doing for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not. [10] As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

Galatians (Gal) 6:6-10 CJB

[6] But whoever is being instructed in the Word should share all the good things he has with his instructor. [7] Don't delude yourselves: no one makes a fool of God! A person reaps what he sows. [8] Those who keep sowing in the field of their old

nature, in order to meet its demands, will eventually reap ruin; but those who keep sowing in the field of the Spirit will reap from the Spirit everlasting life. [9] So let us not grow weary of doing what is good; for if we don't give up, we will in due time reap the harvest. [10] Therefore, as the opportunity arises, let us do what is good to everyone, and especially to the family of those who are trustingly faithful.

These passage that I have given you are to assist you in fulfilling the character that is an expectation of the children of God and the Body of Christ. We all must get into the Word of God more to turn back towards our alignment with God and be diligent in maintaining a fruitful relationship for the Kingdom's sake. In all thy getting get an understanding our eternal life depends on that knowledge.

Seek ye the LORD while he may be found call on Him while he is near. We have some serious work to do be determined to see it through. Don't become lax in your execution but be diligent in all of your efforts. Reestablish a closer relationship with God and understand his voice more clearly.

Jesus said in John 10:27-30 KJV

[27] My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me: [28] and I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand. [29] My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand. [30] I and my Father are one.

Yochanan (John) 10:27-28, 30 CJB

[27] My sheep listen to my voice, I recognize them, they follow me, [28] and I give them eternal life. They will absolutely never be destroyed, and no one will snatch them from my hands.

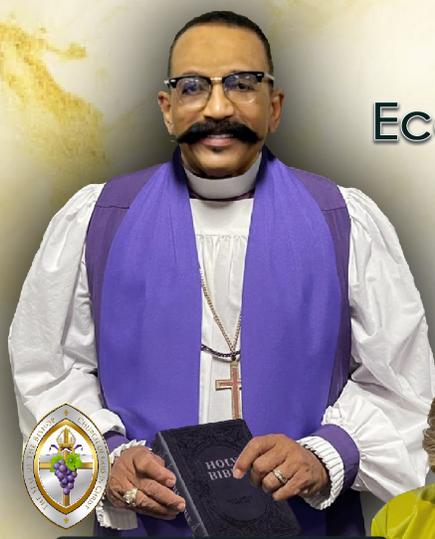
[30] I and the Father are one.”

Let us continue in prayer for the Body of Christ and our understanding, our families and our nations that we raise up to the occasion of fulfilling our purpose within the earth.

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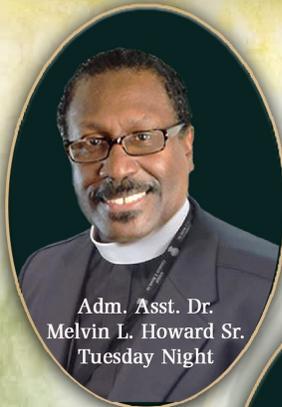


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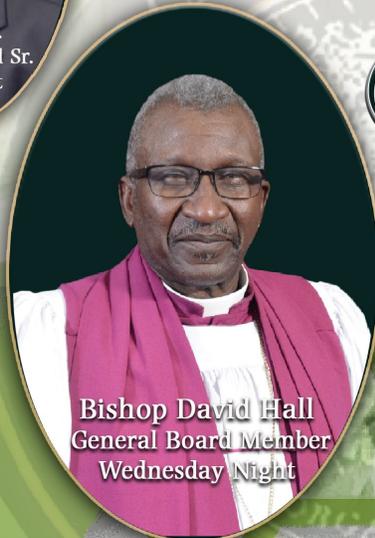
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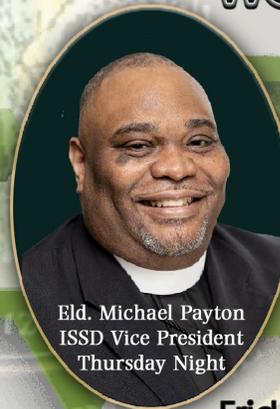


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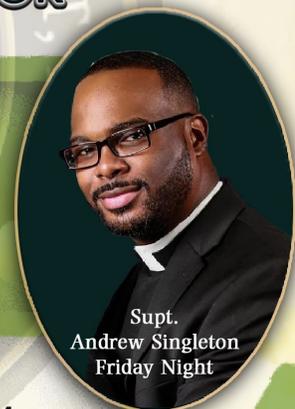
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Thursday Night



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Friday Night

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Be Not Deceived, Now Is Not The Time

By Diane Simms
With Love & Pure Concern

Matthew warned us of what we are seeing and hearing everyday now, Matthew 24: 10 -14 makes it pretty plain, ¹⁰ And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another. ¹¹ And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many. ¹² And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold. ¹³ But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved. ¹⁴ And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.

What I am seeing in the Body of Christ grieves me deeply. People who once were sure that what they believed, and what they were taught was the absolute truth, are now doubting and speaking against that teaching. Remove doubt, remove fear, GOD is not a man, he will not, he cannot lie. Trust him with confidence. We serve an infallible GOD, he is not capable of failure. Believe on him with your whole heart. Proverbs 3: 5-6 ⁵ Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. ⁶ In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

We know his voice, we know in our spirit if what we hear is of GOD, do not allow loud rhetoric or persuasive speaking or writing to influence what you KNOW to be the Truth. Ponder this for a while and really consider whether you are confusing facts with the truth!! What is happening right now is a fact but what GOD said is the truth!

I don't like bringing politics into my writings but because of the powerful satanic influence evident in the political arena every day, I have to speak up and remind GOD's People that Project 2025 is a plot and plan devised by the evil in man's heart. GOD has a remnant who are steadfast and unmovable to combat the lies, distortions and deceitful tactics being set in motion. Remember Galatians 6: 7-16 Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. ⁸ For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting. ⁹ And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.

Sometimes we have to stay out of GOD's business and let him handle certain things, we are to do as he has instructed us to do and he'll handle the rest.

Many people misunderstand and misinterpret Matthew 13: 24-30, The Parable of the Wheat and the Tares

²⁴ Another parable He put forth to them, saying: "The kingdom of heaven is like a man who sowed good seed in his field; ²⁵ but while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat and went his way. ²⁶ But when the grain had sprouted and produced a crop, then the tares also appeared. ²⁷ So the servants of the owner came and said to him, 'Sir, did you not sow good seed in your field?

How then does it have tares?' ²⁸ He said to them, 'An enemy has done this.' The servants said to him, 'Do you want us then to go and gather them up?' ²⁹ But he said, 'No, lest while you gather up the tares you also uproot the wheat with them. ³⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest, and at the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, "First gather together the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them, but gather the wheat into my barn." ' ' "

They use it to make the argument that GOD has evil intentions towards non-believers which is not true. Spiritual discernment is needed to understand Spiritual things and many will not take any time to develop their spiritual nature so the devil uses them to distort what is meant by what GOD is saying to his remnant.

The Bible contains many verses that call for GOD's people to stand strong, including in their faith, against evil, or in battle:

1 Corinthians 16:13

"Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong"

Ephesians 6:10-24

"Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might put on the whole armor of God that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil"

2 Chronicles 20:17

"You will not need to fight in this battle. Stand firm, hold your position, and see the salvation of the Lord"

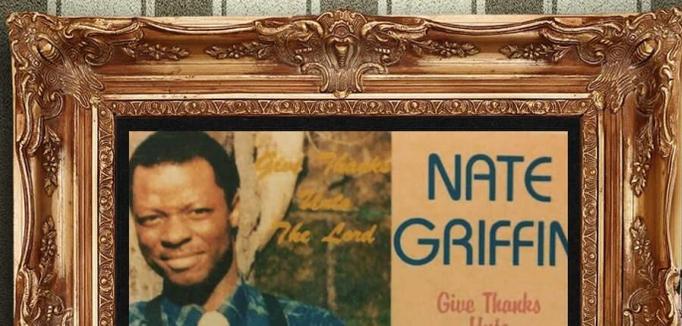
1 Peter 5:9

"But resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same experiences of suffering are being accomplished by your brethren who are in the world"

Joshua 1:9

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go"

Be diligent in your faith, your trust, and your belief in the Power of Almighty GOD and Do Not faint under the pressure being placed on us by the World!!!



New Release



Bishop David L. Herron
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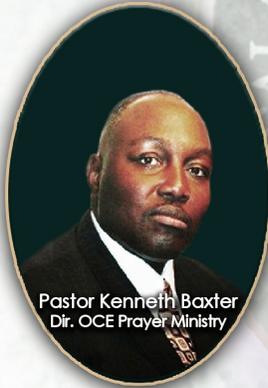
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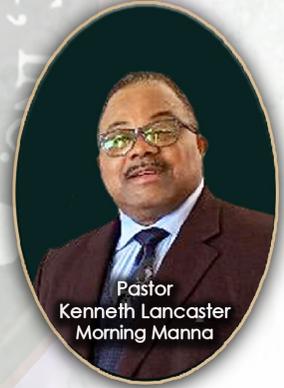
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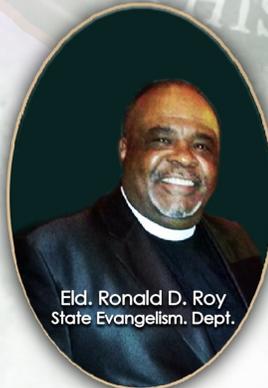
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"We have work to do."



EXERCISING OVER 60, IS THAT WISE?

By: Sgt. Nate Griffin of Sgt. Nate Fitness LLC

When we were young, we could run, jump, bounce, rip around the corners, roll all over the ground, then jump to our feet and do it all over again for hours. Ah, but once we reached a certain stage in life. Such movements were none to forgiving.

Over the years, the tendons, ligaments, and joints begin to show the wear and tear of time and punishment. Many people over the ages of 50 and 60, say, they stop moving because they got old. When in fact, they got old because they stop moving. It can be difficult to do many of today's exercise programs on the market, because they are too extreme. Too extreme for many in their 20s and 30s.

This is not the time to remain idle and sedentary. If you wish to retain and then maintain a continuous state of health and wellness. You need to stay mobile and active as much as possible.



What can you do?

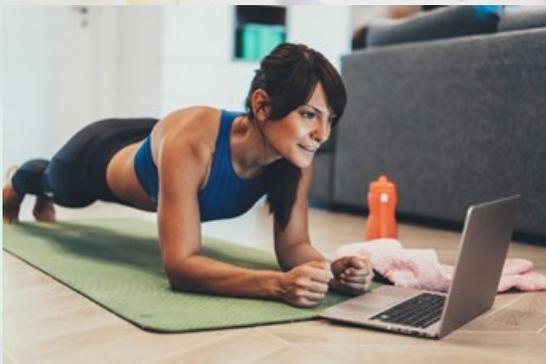
You Tube Workouts

There is a plethora of fitness programs available today that you can do to stay fit and active. There are age specific workouts that you can find for free on YouTube. This way you can work out at your own pace and on your own schedule. This is great for those who are not really into the gym life.

Silver Sneakers/Senior Workouts



Many gyms offer Silver Sneaker classes that are connected to your health insurance for payment discounts. You can also secure the services of a certified personal trainer. Many gyms employ them to work with their members. This way, you have accountability and one on one attention.



Online Fitness Coaching

If the gym life is not for you. You may want to try online fitness coaching. It's safe, convenient, and private. You won't have to wait for machines like you would at the gym. You won't have to worry about being stared at by others the way you would at the gym. And you can find a coach who can work with your schedule.

Go For A Walk



It doesn't matter if it's winter, spring, summer, or fall. You can get out of the house and go for a short walk or aim for a specific distance to cover. Many major cities have parks and walking trails throughout their municipalities specifically for those who are looking to get moving and keep moving.

Take The Stairs



I know, I know, I know. Your knees don't like the stairs. For some it hurts going up the stairs or down the stairs. Once you have confirmed the true issue with your knees, find out what the specialist recommends as an effective plan moving forward. Do not except a walker for life until you have examined all potential possibilities. Remember, a surgeon's job is to operate, a medical doctor's job is to prescribe the necessary medication for the issue and not necessarily get to the root cause, which in some cases can be found through a change in diet and or lifestyle.

Stay Active As Possible

Look for an excuse to get out of the house and move. Go visit a friend or two. Walk around your neighborhood a few times. Staying fit and healthy is easier than you think, and it's affordable. You can dance, go swimming, go bowling, shoot pool. I mean, the ideas are endless. Just get moving and keep moving.

More Information

If you have questions about the best fitness program for you or would like more information on online fitness coaching. Feel free to reach out to me at

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Deliverance

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Instructor: Prophet Chris Fisher



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by Frank Hammand

Pigs in the Parlor Study Guide

by Frank Hammand

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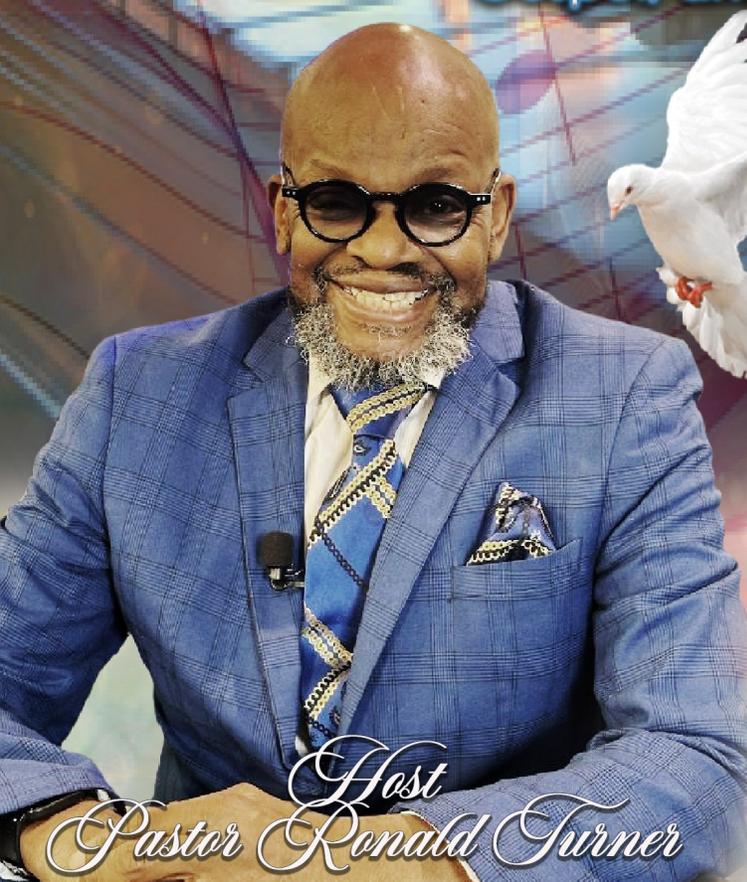


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Damage Goods

Pastor Linda Guest

Everyone is familiar with the term "Damage Goods"

Webster defines damage good as

: a person considered to be flawed or spoiled in character, efficiency, or worth

You may have gone to the supermarket and saw some cans or items that have been marked down because they have become damaged in some sense. Perhaps the can has been dented or a box has been torn.

Have you ever heard of a scratch and dent store where an appliance has been marked as damaged goods because it no longer maintains the original beauty on the outside but still functions as it was designed?

Perhaps you have seen some furniture that has a scratch or a piece of the fabric has been torn?

How about a clothing store where a garment has been marked as damaged goods because it has a spot that has become dirty or missing a button?

Have you thought of yourself or been told that you are damaged goods? People can perceive that you are damaged goods based on circumstances and/or situations .

People can often think if your Father wasn't around or was just no good that that makes you damage goods. Or if your Mother was a drug addict doing tricks just to get high that you are damaged goods.

If you have been raped or molested or even at one point you were just promiscuous that you are justified in being called damage goods.

Our past or current sins can make us feel unworthy. The truth of the matter is that yes our sins make us unworthy. The word say in 1 John 5:17 All unrighteousness is sin.

Isaiah 64:6 KJV

But we are all as an unclean thing, and all our righteousness are as filthy rags; and we all do fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away.

But thank God for the Blood of Jesus Christ!!

Ephesians 1:7 says, "In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace." Because of Christ's shed blood, God is able to forgive us of sins because He took our punishment.

Romans 8:1 There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Acts 10:15 And the voice spoke unto him again the second time, "What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common."

Don't allow what others or even what you may think about you as damaged goods. The blood of Jesus washes you a new.

It's what God calls that is important.

But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;" 1 Peter 2:9

1 John 3:1

Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him. (NKJV)

Song of Solomon

You are altogether beautiful, my love; there is no flaw in you

Isaiah 43:1-7 in the Bible says, "But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: 'Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine'".

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If My People.....

By Elder Diane Harvell

In Ezekiel 37:11-14, the Lord explains to Ezekiel that the bones in the valley represent the whole house of Israel. The Lord promises to open their graves and bring them back to the land of Israel. He will put his spirit in them, and they will live and know that he is the Lord.

God says can these dry bones (the church) live, and the answer is yes!

The dry bones represent the dead, and the prophecy is seen as a promise of the resurrection of the dead at the end of time. This interpretation is supported by the fact that the prophecy speaks of the bones coming to life and being filled with the breath of life.

The resurrection of the bones also represents the re-gathering of Israel, and the breath represents the spirit of God that will renew the people and restore their relationship with God!

In II Chronicles 7:14-God told Solomon He had chosen '**this place**' for Himself as a temple "that my name will be there forever." 'And my eyes and my heart will be there also.' '**This place**' is also symbolic of **who we are**. We are supposed to be a tangible source and resource in the earth because God said, "**If my people who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land.**"

Here, God calls us, "my people," His people. A people whom He desires relationship with. A people that honors and respects who He is in every aspect of life. Then when trials come, when storms or if pestilence come, we the people of God who represent God in our character, our nature, and our actions, then we can call upon God, He will hear us all the way from heaven and forgive us and heal everything in our land!

This healing comes with a condition. But God's love for us is unconditional. He gave His only Son for us, therefore, in my opinion, He has every right to require a standard of living from us.

So, can the church live? Yes, it can, and it will. I believe restoration is coming to the church. I believe that what we see is only temporary. **II Corinthians 4:18-"For the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal."**

If there was ever a time to restore the house of God, it is now. Nehemiah 2:17b says "come and let us build the wall of Jerusalem, that we may no longer be a reproach!"

In other words, come let us rebuild the house of God that we may no longer be a reproach, criticized, a laughingstock or an insignificant group of people!

I Peter 2:9 says; “we are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation a peculiar people, that we should show forth the praises of him who have called us out of darkness into his marvellous light!”

This is who we are, but only **“If my people.....”**

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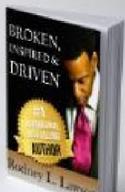
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Judgement Day is Drawing Closer Every Day.

Aren't you tired yet there is something you need to do.

Dr. C. A. Dangerfield II

You have listened to the Politian's and all of their sound bites, political rhetoric. broken promises as if they had God's divine power. You have opted to endorse what you know is not right for sake of a political party. Which has nothing to do with the basic principles of God which demonstrates His compassion. They have made speeches and declarations that have resulted in chaotic and devastating events that have even cost innocent people their lives and they ignore the outcomes.

Blindness is keeping one from seeing and understanding the judgment that is already taking place in the land. That's why you cannot see the destruction which is already unfolding before us. Wake up pay attention to the details, so many things happening are just being ignored. Just like a parent discipline a misbehaving child God does the same. For the wrong comments and behaviors that have been rendered on the innocent and those in extreme need. God has and is rendering judgement. Look at what our politicians have brought on to various regions within this nation by the way of their rhetoric and nature. So now the promises of God has been rendered unto you, go back and put your head in the scriptures and gain the understanding it is going to keep coming. "Vengeance is mine says the Lord and I will repay", you can believe your all that and bag chips if you want to. However, you ain't seen nothing yet, you can watch but you had better pray that God marks your house for safety. This is not an option it's a requirement 2 Chronicles 7:14. If my people which are called by my name shall humble themselves and pray seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, then I will heal their land. This is a statement of fact.

Isaiah 55 allows us to understand not only what God will do and why. I'm not going to put it here, I want you to go and open your Bible read and study it for yourself. Put an effort to walk in the light and illuminate your understanding and get back on the right road headed towards the promises of God and not a deceiving man.

The Jesus said in Matthew 15:14 KJV

[14] Let them alone: they be blind leaders of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch.

Set aside some time and read Isaiah Chapter 42 and study to gain an understanding. Your future depends on your ability to start making correct choices.

If you pay attention and look at the so-call political maps to which the so-called elite look at to strategies, you will uncover that these are the same areas that are experiencing traumatic events within their regions. Stop and think for just a moment think of the disgusting and disrespectful things which have been said within these areas.

Their intentions and disdain for God's people no matter their race or culture, economic situations are spoke out to the masses to gain a reaction. It's contrary to the principles of God. If we are studying the Word, we should clearly understand the limits to the tolerance of those actions. We all are independently held accountable for our decisions, so we seriously have to judge our motives behind our actions, endorsements and alignments.

The events that have been taking place are not just some mere events, it an answer and consequence to the behavior which has been presented and displayed. Do you really want to see the extreme of what Word vs Man can be?

It is concerning and clear just by the things which are occurring on a daily basis that we have failed to be obedient to God's Will and Way because we do not fully honor His principles nor the established covenants. It is also clear that we continue to manipulate His Word in spite of the warnings provided by His remnant which He has placed throughout all nations. That speak His truth not man's delusional understanding. Even though by the standards the elite are getting and sending out wrong messages that have strong consequences which they helped to create. The sad fact is judgments from God have already started being rendered but due to the fact that most have not studied the Word of God for themselves meaning set aside actual time to sit down and read for yourself is evident within the outcomes of daily living. Cause and effect is real and happening around us but our world and nations are blind and ignorant to the facts for a high level.

The Word of God states that His Word will not return unto Him void Isaiah 55:11, interesting chapter as well as book in the Bible. Hosea 4:6 "My people are destroyed due to the lack of knowledge; because thou have rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee... I invite you to finish reading for yourselves because you must get connected to God's Word.

Proverbs 16:18-19

[18] Pride goeth before destruction, And an haughty spirit before a fall. [19] Better it is to be of an humble spirit with the lowly, than to divide the spoil with the proud.

These are instructions provided for us throughout God's Word. We must further understand that these words are provided to keep us in alignment with God and not caught up in calamity of today's events and even political mayhem. Study the Word of God.

2 Thessalonians 2:3-5 KJV

[3] Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there comes a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; [4] who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; with God he communicates well, and we understand the instructions

so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. [5] Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? Please don't stop here open the Bible and read on further. When we have a relationship

Isaiah 28:23 KJV

[23] Give ye ear, and hear my voice; hearken, and hear my speech. When we as individuals stand in alignment and on the principles of God that is what we clearly follow, regardless of what man says or promises we look to God and He is never contrary to His Word. John 10:27-30 KJV

[27] My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me: [28] and I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand. [29] My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand. [30] I and my Father are one.

Take off the political blinders and look to God for your answers. He is the most valuable relationship you need and His promises are not broken. In all your getting get an understanding.

Romans 12:19 KJV

[19] Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.

Deuteronomy 32:35 KJV

[35] To me belonged vengeance, and recompence; Their foot shall slide in due time: For the day of their calamity is at hand, And the things that shall come upon them make haste.

So, again we will pose this question Choose ye this day whom ye will serve will it be God or Man? Isaiah 53:1 Who hath believed our report? To whom is the arm of the Lord revealed? We need to study not just read this entire chapter.

What voice are you following is it the voice of God or is the voice of (the politicians) man? The political distractions are overwhelming to those that have a form of Godliness. Do not spend ample time studying the Word of God to comprehend even His true nature. Why would God accept behavior from mankind that was operating contrary to His principles and covenant. Why risk eternity and the promises of the God just to be deceived as the angels did that got ejected out of heaven with Lucifer. Is this actually the choice you desire to make. Man never created anything so therefore he has nothing to provide or give that is permanent only God has that power. Any promise man makes are temporal and only if God allows. So many have lost so much over following the wrong person and wrong voice. This newest decision will

impact your family for generations. Look at your children and if you are doing anything contrary to what Jesus would done you will create a bloodline curse upon yourself. Study, Fast and Pray because your natural and spiritual life depends on it. We must wake up. I would be in error if I didn't cry loud and spare not. God repercussion are far worst that what man can threaten. Trust God.

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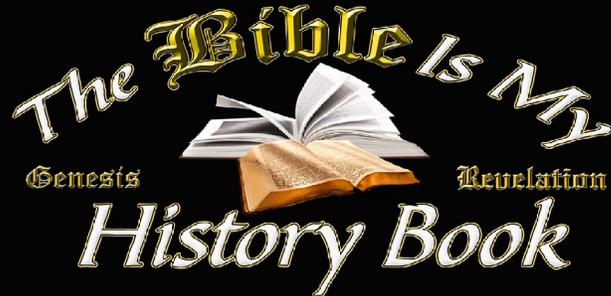


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