Ping of Fire Ministries Prison Ministry Outreach Newsletter – March 2025

May the Lord Jesus bring close to Himself in your hearts always, as you seek Him each day!

Dwelling in Peace... Knowing You Are Loved!

When we expect perfection in "self", we may place that same burden upon others.

Entering into God's Rest, into the Place Jesus prepared for us to dwell, is Peace with God that makes us whole, perfect, no longer weighed down under the heavy burdens of seeking peace of perfection in this world. Only through Jesus can we be made whole, perfected in the Love of God, as our Redeemer; saving us from eternal death, freeing us from bondage, moving us from exile to dwelling in the family of God, abiding in His Kingdom, and not in the worlds anymore.

Taking our eyes off everything but Jesus, trusting Him, seeking Him, asking for His comfort, we then wait and watch for His work to be done, and not our own. If we ask, we watch, and in patience we wait for it, not falling away in unbelief, but found watching, enduring, believing, and found in Faith when He returns, even though He may tarry.

Love is why He saves us, and His compassion is imprinted into our lives that changes us from the inside out. Once we seek Him with our whole heart He goes to work in us, and His compassion moves in our lives to affect the change designed for us since birth; for He has a plan that cannot be altered for each of His own.

The Good Seed is God's Truth, and The Word of God is the Way to Life. The tares are the seed of the wicked one, and the liar is a murderer, and leads to death.

Offenses come in many ways, even our own, especially when seeking to be honored in this world by others. Let all demands go so Jesus receives all the Honor. Plant seeds, water seeds, and let The Lord God's work prevail, not seeking our own works to be the finisher of people's Faith, trying to rise our own work above God's. Remove the plank of ego and self in our own eyes, of wanting our own will to be done. Surrender to Jesus and let Him remove the plank of self will and perception of others and ourselves.

At times we may ask the Father to take this cup from us, but we continue in His Word saying not our Will be done, but The Fathers Will be done. In this we learn that it is no great thing to Love those who love you, for the Greater Work is loving others as Jesus loves us, without seeking recognition, in a sincere heart, even towards those who curse you and despitefully use and abuse you, showing no partiality, Love in Perfect Love as Jesus Loves us.

Let go of our will to be done and walk in The Will of God. Stop questioning The Lord, rather surrender that His Will is Perfect, and be found inside it.

Then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Who hath ears to hear, let him hear. (Matthew 13:43)

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us. (1 John 1:9-10)

He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him. But whoso keepeth his word, in him verily is the love of God perfected: hereby know we that we are in him. (1 John 2:4-5)

May you be encouraged today to keep clinging to Jesus, as it is in Him we find our blessed hope & joy!

In Jesus's Love – Angela



May the Glory of the Lord rest upon you & strengthen you in His love!

Words to encourage YOU from the family of Ring of Fire Ministries...



Greetings in the Name of Jesus! I just want to let all that read this know, that you are forgiven in our Father's eyes, no need to hold on to hurt or anything connected to past mistakes. Many of us here understand the fight behind the scenes, we lift you up in Jesus Christ's Name, as ambassadors of the Kingdom to keep moving forward. Many are praying for you and lifting you up and I just want to encourage you and let you know a huge key that many know but don't embrace... If you believe in Jesus Christ (how He walked) and He is your redemption (He paid for it all knowing what we deal with) then via the Holy Spirit you have been given a gift many won't receive in Jesus. So I say receive it now and grow in the Word, stay encouraged and look forward to the Spirit pouring out in places people won't see coming. Your Brother in the Lord Jesus – Skoomz

We are on a journey . . . A journey to be like the One who created us from the dust of the earth. He breathed within us

His Spirit, and so we became alive, by His grace and mercies.

On this path we must face deliverance, for without it, there is no going forward. Such a moment I have gone through in my early twenties, when I became exhausted of myself and the way I used to live. I became tired of fighting my own lust and sinful ways. I have tried on my own for so many times to break free from addictions and the lusts of this world that continually put me in a position of misery and shame. What a battle that is . . . Fighting like one that doesn't know that the victory was already won on the cross of Calvary by the Messiah. Fighting and fighting, misery and shame, until one point I gave up. On the edge of myself, after losing so many battles, defeated and ashamed, falling into the abyss of darkness, a deep cry had birthed within my soul "Help me! I'm done. I'm lost without You. There is no going forward for me. I'm helpless, I'm drowning, help me!"

That was the end of me, but little did I know, that was His beginning for me. In a supernatural way, I got delivered. He stretched His hand towards me, and I grabbed Him like there is no tomorrow.

The journey goes on, who is this person that saved me? I want to know Him, I heard of Him but never knew Him, I want to thank Him, I want to follow Him, I want to offer Him my everything, for He is worthy of it all. He looked at me when no one else did. He paused from His doings, entered time and space, and stopped, to see this young man in his misery, and gave me a hand and said: "Follow Me..."

That was my delivery story . . . It could be yours too, if you're willing. If that was not true, I would not tell you, but it is true. I testify of what I have seen and witnessed with my own eyes. Jesus is the healer, He's the deliverer, He's the One and only One who is able to make the impossible possible, even today. He never changed nor He will ever change.

Believe in Me, are you willing? Your Sister in the Lord – RM

Jesus is mighty to save... When we call out to Him in our time of need, admit our wrongdoings and ask Him to walk with us continually and help us overcome all the ways of sin, He meets us just where we are to cleanse us, heal our hearts and make us whole. He embraces us just as we are, but He doesn't leave us in a state of unholiness. It is in and through Him, we overcome those desires to sin against Him and others, washing us clean, while filling our hearts to be one with His desires, so that we are empowered to go and sin no more.

Jesus loves you more than you know...

The Heart of Jesus lacktree

Let's get to the heart of the matter, shall we? Our hearts. Our hearts are often spoken of using various words like, guard your heart or don't be cold hearted. Our hearts can often be broken and crushed. Many times, we simply don't want to feel anything at all because of the pain we have suffered in our lives. If we are being truthful, we fear opening our hearts to anyone because we don't want our hearts to be crushed and broken again.

Jesus invites us to draw close to him and to peer into the very intimate knowing of His own heart, as Christ describes his heart to us in Matthew 11. He is trustworthy. Jesus is the only One Who can heal our broken hearts. Throughout the New Testament Jesus describes Himself to us, because He wants us to know Him personally, intimately. We learn the very intimate nature of our Lord's heart. Jesus, Himself, describes His heart to us.

We can know Jesus, He desires us to do so. We can trust Him with our hearts and know He has no desire to inflict any pain or suffering on us. He is a safe person to share our very fragile hearts with, because Jesus Himself has suffered heart break and pain. He is well acquainted with all that we have endured. Jesus can truly heal our broken hearts and desires to do so this very moment, if we will just let Him in.

Come to Me... Learn of Me.... The invitation still stands. Matthew 11:28-30

Jesus binds up the wounds of the broken hearted, He always has and He always will...

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The Lord's Frayer!

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed by thy Name, thy kingdom come, they will be done, on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever and ever. *Amen!*

Please Note... The Lord has appointed *Ring of Fire Ministries* to feed spiritual food to you and to help your grow spiritually in your walk with Jesus, in that you partake of Him and are content, in plenty and in want. If you desire a Bible and do not have one or a Bible Study, please write to us and we will provide you with the materials you need to spend more time with Jesus each day. In addition, should you know of an inmate who would benefit from our Pen Pal services or need a Bible or Bible Study, please have them write to us making that request at:

Ring of Fire Ministries, PO Box 5282, Grand Island, NE 68802

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