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LIFE AWAKENING,
*teaching the simplicity and
practicality of the Gospel
for abundant and eternal
life.*

*"...the Gospel, for it is the
power of God unto salvation..."*
Romans 1:16

KINGDOM SEEKERS BIBLE STUDY

Ladies, if you are interested in joining a group of spiritually hungry ladies, join us on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 – 11:30. It is held in New Holland. We are presently studying the *Gospel of John*. Call for more details!



MISSION STATEMENT

To teach and apply the Gospel through the Holy Spirit to people who want freedom, healing and victory from the burdens of sin and pain.

VISION STATEMENT

To see people awakened to walk in righteous and healthy relationships with God, their true selves and other people so they can walk in the fullness of their destinies, participating in Kingdom increase and expansion.

YOUR REACTION TO COVID-19?

STOP!

That message was loud and clear in March, wasn't it? All of us have been affected by the virus, some more than others. For many, life seemed to have stopped while for others, it merely slowed down! Differing views, opinions, attitudes, voices, solutions, reactions -- and differing feelings, for sure!

Fears kicked up. Some asked, "Is this the *end times*?" Anxiety took a seat in the heart of some. "What does the Bible say about this?" Although those felt questions and feelings are understood, God did not design our lives to be ruled by them, keeping us from thinking wisely or even processing situations.

Instead the sovereign Godhead, who is surprised by nothing, hold the answers and provisions to cope. You see, today, we live in the New Covenant -- Jesus took our sin with all of its pain upon Himself, and in return He puts His life within so we can abide *in Him* and live from His presence.

That was an exchange and it is called our *union with Christ*! This union gives us *authority to rule* over elements from the dark side that want to rob us from living freely in our authoritative and powerful *union with Christ*!

So, if the pain of fear, anxiety or those nagging, unanswerable questions are lurking or even lodged inside, meditate on your *union in Christ*. In your heart, stand on your authoritative union while feeling and focusing on the pain.

Then declare these simple yet powerful words, "*By my authority and the authority of the blood of Jesus, fear/anxiety/questions I die to your power and pain. Immediately get out of my spirit, my soul and my body and go to your burial plot! Get out!*" Repeat what you just declared until you no longer feel the pain. If they are stubborn, keep declaring the blood of Jesus over and over until they leave. They have to obey your authority and WILL leave because they are something separate from you, not a part of you!

After all, didn't Jesus take away, put away sin which carries accompanying pain (John 1:29; Hebrew 9:26)? Why, then, do we allow them to rule us?

The Godhead designed us to live in the simplicity of our powerful, life-changing *union with Christ*. Let's not settle for less in these challenging days!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR...

DR. ALVEDA KING
Niece of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
Guest Speaker

LIFE AWAKENING'S ANNUAL DINNER

Friday evening, October 2, 2020
Shady Maple, East Earl
Hors d'oeuvres served at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. King will be sharing her testimony as her heart's desire is to inspire people to experience forgiveness and healing! She is a voice for the "*Silent No More Awareness Campaign*."
Please join us and bring some friends!

Introduction of the *LA ACADEMY*
Harpist, Emily Aziza

Reservation deadline is NO LATER than Friday, September 18!

Reply to life@lifeawakening07.org or 717-354-2888. (Email preferred, listing names of people attending.)

Free-will offering will be taken.

TABLE SPONSORSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE FOR 8 PEOPLE PER TABLE.

FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK...

On the sixth day of creation, God created Adam and then later in the day, He created Eve. The next day, which is the seventh day, God rested from all the work He had accomplished from days one through six. But catch this -- God's seventh day (of rest) was Adam and Eve's first full day to live life. So, in short, their first day of life was *a day set aside by God to be a day of rest!* Like me, you probably think, "hmmmm, that's interesting!"

God rested *after* His work was completed while Adam and Eve rested *before* they started their work. Their work was not only to multiply but to subdue and rule over His pure and peaceful heavenly Garden. It is like God the Employer gave His employees a really good rest *before they started their employment*. How sweet!

Hebrews 4:1-11 teaches that a Sabbath rest is still available today. But, in living under the New Covenant, the Sabbath rest is not to be a one-day-of-the-week day of rest. Instead, resting is designed to be a daily *way of life* - the foundation, the essence of living our Christian life. It truly can become our *way of life* as we move beyond a *head knowledge* of our *union with Christ* and *immerse* ourselves in *our union with Christ*, while dealing with the hindrances that prevent us from living out this life-changing truth.

If you attend our rescheduled Annual Dinner, you will learn about the LA Academy which teaches how we can deal with the hindrances that keep us from living out our *union with Christ*. We really hope to see you on Friday, October 2 and bring some friends!
-- Linda

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