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Clueless, but content. The ideal state of mind.

By: Tara White

The current global pandemic has given me time to reflect on some things, and I had a revelation: routine is something that is drilled into our heads as children, and it is carried with us into our every day adult lives. Routine has become a routine. Even breaks *from* our routine are scheduled into our routines...all but quarantines. So yes, it makes sense as to why COVID-19 has catapulted most of the world into a state of panic....though I can't help but wonder: shouldn't it be different when it comes to us? Christians who, though in the world, are not of it? How *should* we respond to the many affects this pandemic has on our lives?

It's easy to react calmly when we have the answers, when everything is going according to plan and is controlled. It's even easier to worry when people die, jobs are lost, money runs out, and human connection is cut off.

It's even *more* easy to quote scripture rather than apply them to our situations. We all understand this.

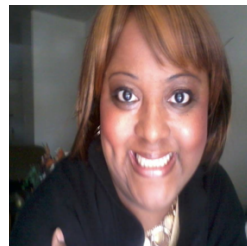
Yet, it is times like these that should *reaffirm* our faith in God, as the Bible warns us about times such as these. Luke 21:11 reads, "And there will be great earthquakes in various places, and famines and pestilences; and there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven." This scripture is coming to pass, so we must consider the

following: if this portion of His word is true, so is the *rest* of it! The Bible has already equipped us with what we need. "I will never leave you nor forsake you" (Hebrews 13:5). "The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:7). And so many more scriptures.

Our TVs and social media are flooded with bad news, but Jesus Christ is **the** good news!

Therefore, we have to humble ourselves, recognizing that no man will ever have all of the answers. Evidently, no one knows how to handle this virus. We are clueless as to how it is going to affect our future. So, we turn to the One who dos. Our attempts at trying to know and control everything will only push us further from God and closer to darkness, i.e. the fall of man. We *have* to submit our lives to God. We *have* to learn to be clueless, but content. Paul the Apostle phrased it best:

"For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong (2 Corinthians 12:10)."



Prayer Corner w/ Sis Jaqueline Anderson

Heavenly Father, we come to you, now in the Name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. You said in Matthew 18:20, When two or three are gathered together in your name that you will be in our midst. We rebuke any affliction, any infirmity, any inflammation, any sickness, any disease and

disorder and most of all we rebuke the Coronavirus that plagues throughout our land.

Heavenly Father, we ask you now in the Name of Jesus Christ to release your healing virtue, your miracle virtue into our bodies, from the top of our heads to the soles of our feet.

Heavenly father we ask you to restore every organ, every cell, every gland, every muscle, every ligament, every bone in the body and bring everything in complete alignment, the way you created it to be...And we thank you that according to Isaiah 53: 4-5 that by the stripes Jesus took on the cross **that we are healed and made whole.** In Jesus name we pray. Amen



My Personal
Meditation.....

Sis. Blackwell

Jesus has always been and always will be the answer. Often times I tear up think about his awesome presence. I look at the sky and think, wow, how huge are the heavens. I look at the ocean and say, wow, how wide and spectacular. I go to my garden and as I work I meditate on the Lord. I sow seeds, I water them and they grow. I am reminded of 1 Corinthians 3:6,7. In the NIV it it reads: I planted the seed, Apollos watered it, but God has been making it grow. Planting in the garden is analogous to this scripture and blesses me.

In Mark 14:32 Jesus went to the garden to pray. Although He is everywhere, I'd say one of our favorite meeting places is in the garden. As I'm in the garden, because I grew up in a church that sang two hymns per service, hymns are special to me. I reflect on them while gardening or standing at my kitchen window looking out at the garden. Jesus Loves me this I know for the Bible tells me so..., How Great Thou Art! The sings my soul my Saviour God, to Thee; How great Thou art..., Blessed quietness, Holy quietness what assurance in my soul on the stormy sea, Jesus

speaks to me and the billow cease to roll, And He walks with me, and He talks with me, and He tells me I am His own, and the joy we share as we tarry there, none other has ever know. That last verse is from the song In The Garden. As a widow I am never alone because He promised never to leave me. I have His word, the Bible, and it has brought me profound joy, peace and hope. Everything I need as I meditate in the garden.



Keeping the Church
Healthy
Elder Lore' Sweet

2 Chronicles 7:14 says, "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".

(continued...Keeping the Church Healthy...)

- ◇ Talk to your Heavenly Father-Pray without ceasing. 1 Thessalonians 5:17
- ◇ Drink plenty of water (room temperature or hot water not ice cold water) You shall serve the Lord your God, and He shall bless thy bread, and thy water and will take sickness away from the midst of. Exodus 23:25
- ◇ Eat healthy foods especially fruits and vegetables Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do it all to the glory of God. 1 Corinthians 10:31
- ◇ Do some exercises in your home-For no man ever hated his own flesh, but nourish and cherish it, even as the Lord the church. Ephesians 5:29
- ◇ Get enough sleep and rest at night (at least 7 to 8 hours) I will both lay me down in peace, and sleep; for thou, Lord, only make me dwell in safety. Psalm 4:8

If you have these symptoms, contact your healthcare provider:

Fever
Dry Cough
Shortness of breath

Since there is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), the best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to the virus. Follow these guidelines:

- ◇ Stay home unless it absolutely necessary to go out
- ◇ Use a face mask when going outside
- ◇ Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- ◇ Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth
- ◇ Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash
- ◇ Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe
- ◇ Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after using the bathroom, before eating, and after blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing
- ◇ If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol. Always wash hands with soap and water if hands are visibly dirty

Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in good health, even as your soul prosper. 3 John 1:2



YOU ARE MY
STRENGTH...MY
ENCOURAGEMENT

By: Zion Adams

As we all know and or should know that in the season of our lives, our world is dealing with a health crisis. I understand in the middle of this pandemic which is called the corona virus I understand that we can't really fellowship in the tabernacle of worship, but I believe that just because that

in these times that since we can't be in the actual facility and or the sanctuary I don't believe that we should let that be an excuse to not give God praise.

The reason why I truly believe that is because in times like these, especially... I think **praise** should be all over your schedule **because** when the enemy thought he had you

God -said- not.

In the book of Ephesians chapter six verse ten says '*Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.*

On today I would like to encourage myself to be strong. In times like these, you might be stuck with obstacles that you don't think you can overcome, let me encourage you brothers and sisters to be strong in the lord.

Deuteronomy chapter thirty one verse six says *Be strong and courageous, do not be afraid or tremble at them, for the Lord your God is the one who goes with you. He will not fail you or forsake you.*

GOD IS RIGHT THERE BY YOUR SIDE.

Joshua chapter one verse nine says *Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be*

frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.

IF GOD BEFORE US WHO CAN STAND AGAINST.

First Corinthians chapter sixteen verse thirteen says *Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong.*

Remember beloved be strong in the Lord, stand firm, and be brave in the Lord for it is the will of God

**I WANT TO LIVE CLOSER UNTO
YOU O' GOD...**

***"God, I recognize that I have not lived my life
for***

*You up until now. I have been living for myself
and that is wrong. I need You in my life;
I want You in my life. I acknowledge the
completed work of Your Son Jesus Christ in
giving*

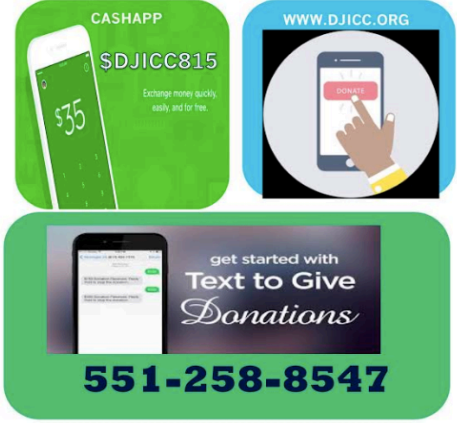
*His life for me on the cross at Calvary, and I
long to receive the forgiveness
you have made freely available to me through
this sacrifice. Come into my life now, Lord.
Take up residence in my heart and be my king,
my Lord, and my Savior.*

*From this day forward,
I will no longer be controlled by sin, or the
desire to please myself,
but I will follow You all the days of my life.
Those days are in Your hands.
I ask this in Jesus' precious and holy name.
Amen."*

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