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I *See* YOU



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Week Two: Day 5- Monday, March 11, 2019

I See You – Father

Scripture

As for Me, behold, My covenant is with you, and you shall be a father of many nations. (Genesis 17:4 – NKJV)

Devotional Reading:

Not every man will become a father. But every man has the potential to fulfill the role of father by pouring into the life of some child learned knowledge and wisdom through experience.

In some sense, the essence of being a true father is to harness one's potentiality for greatness for generations to come. God made a covenant with Abram, that he would be a father of many and that his name would be great. The greatness of fatherhood begins with every father or father figure letting his daughter or son know that they are the legacy of a great promise of God.

God sees where you are father. God will provide for you the way and the manner to witness---to speak life into your son, your daughter; and they shall to become great.

Be a Witness!

Week Two: Day 6 - Tuesday, March 12, 2019

I See You - Mother

Scripture:

Then she made a vow and said, "O LORD of hosts, if You will indeed look on the affliction of Your maidservant and remember me, and not forget Your maidservant, but will give Your maidservant a male child, then I will give him to the LORD all the days of his life, and no razor shall come upon his head.

(1 Samuel 1:11)

Devotional Reading

Hannah's predicament did not go unnoticed by God. She was unable to conceive and bear a child and her misfortune consumed her. She prayed, she cried. She cried, she prayed. And to make matters worse, Hannah was married to a husband of two wives and his other wife had already had d children by him. This other wife provoked Hannah because of her infertility and this made Hannah miserable.

In the midst of her anguish, Hannah continued her worship of and prayers to God. Then she made a vow to God that if she gave birth to a son, she would dedicate that child back to God. Hannah conceived and had the baby boy who was named Samuel. In response to the blessing, Hannah kept her word and raised Samuel to know and serve God.

Mother, God sees you. God sees you before you conceive and God sees you with your child. Your son, your daughter is a blessing from God. Be a blessing to your child by making them to know and serve God

Be a Witness!

Week Two: Day 7 – Wednesday, March 13, 2019

I See You – Child

Scripture:+

And all those who heard them kept them in their hearts, saying, “What kind of child will this be?” And the hand of the Lord was with him.

(Luke 1:66 – NKJV)

Devotional Reading

Both before and after John the Baptist was born, there was great speculation about what would be his name and what he would come to be. With every child, from his or her earliest existence, people, both family and friends wonder about what will be that child’s future.

Every parent wishes the best for their unborn child. There is their desire to give that child the best that they can of what the world offers. There is the hope that the unborn child will be delivered healthy. There is the desire that the child will become a great success as an artist, scientist, a whatever---just that they would become the best ever.

And then there is the parent who prays as was conferred upon John---that, “the hand of the Lord” would be upon their child. What was your prayer for your child today? Your first witness to and for your child, is to pray that God’s hand be with them. God’s hand is to lead your child. God’s hand is to protect your child. God’s hand is to lift your child. God’s hand is to bless your child.

Be a Witness!

Week Two: Day 8 – Thursday, March 14, 2019

I See You – Sister

*So Moses cried out to the LORD, saying, “Please heal her, O God,
I pray!*

(Numbers 12:13 – NKJV)

Devotional Reading

Miriam, the sister of Moses rebelled against him. She bad-mouthed him. She disrespected him. For her sin, God punished her with a case of leprosy. Moses interceded for his sister and his prayer was simply, “Please heal her, O God...”

You can pray for your sister. No matter that she has wronged you, pray. She may owe you money---lots of money---pray for her. She’s not speaking to you and you won’t speak to her, but pray---for her.

Christians are duty bound to pray for one another. Praying for others necessitates that you see others for who they may become as opposed to who they may be now. Praying for your sister opens the door for God to move in both of your lives.

When Moses prayed, Miriam was eventually healed from her leprosy. She had to pay the penalty and endure the punishment for her sin. Nonetheless, this sister was healed once her brother prayed for her.

Reconciliation, forgiveness, peace can be yours. Bury the hatchet and let your sister know God is still good.

When you are praying for your sister, you can do her no harm.

Be a Witness!

Week Two: Day 9 – Friday, March 15, 2019

I See You – Brother

Scripture:+

He first found his own brother Simon, and said to him, “We have found the Messiah”
(John 1:41 – NKJV)

Devotional Reading

Go get your brother. Proclaim to him the good news. The good news is that you have found the Messiah. That’s what Andrew did with his brother Simon Peter.

When you love your brother, there is no fear sin sharing with him what is good. When you care enough to be close to your brother, he is the first to know what’s good in your life and what can also be splendid in his life. When you long for the best for your brother, you will testify of God’s goodness and mercy.

The simple truth is, you can be a witness to your brother. Sibling rivalry put aside, time and distance will become non-factors and everything else will converge to permit you to be free to witness--- to your brother.

Your brother is your kin. Your brother might be a dear friend, your frat, a homeboy. No matter why you call him brother, be concerned enough to share you have found the Messiah. When you have found the Messiah, you have found all you need to find all you need.

Go get your brother and let him know.

Be a Witness!

Week Two: Day 10 – Saturday, March 16, 2019

My Weekly Prayer Journal

Today, my prayer for others is:

Today, my prayer for family is:

Today, my prayer for my church is:

Today, my prayer for my community is:

Today, my prayer for myself is:



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MATT 28:19 | Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

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