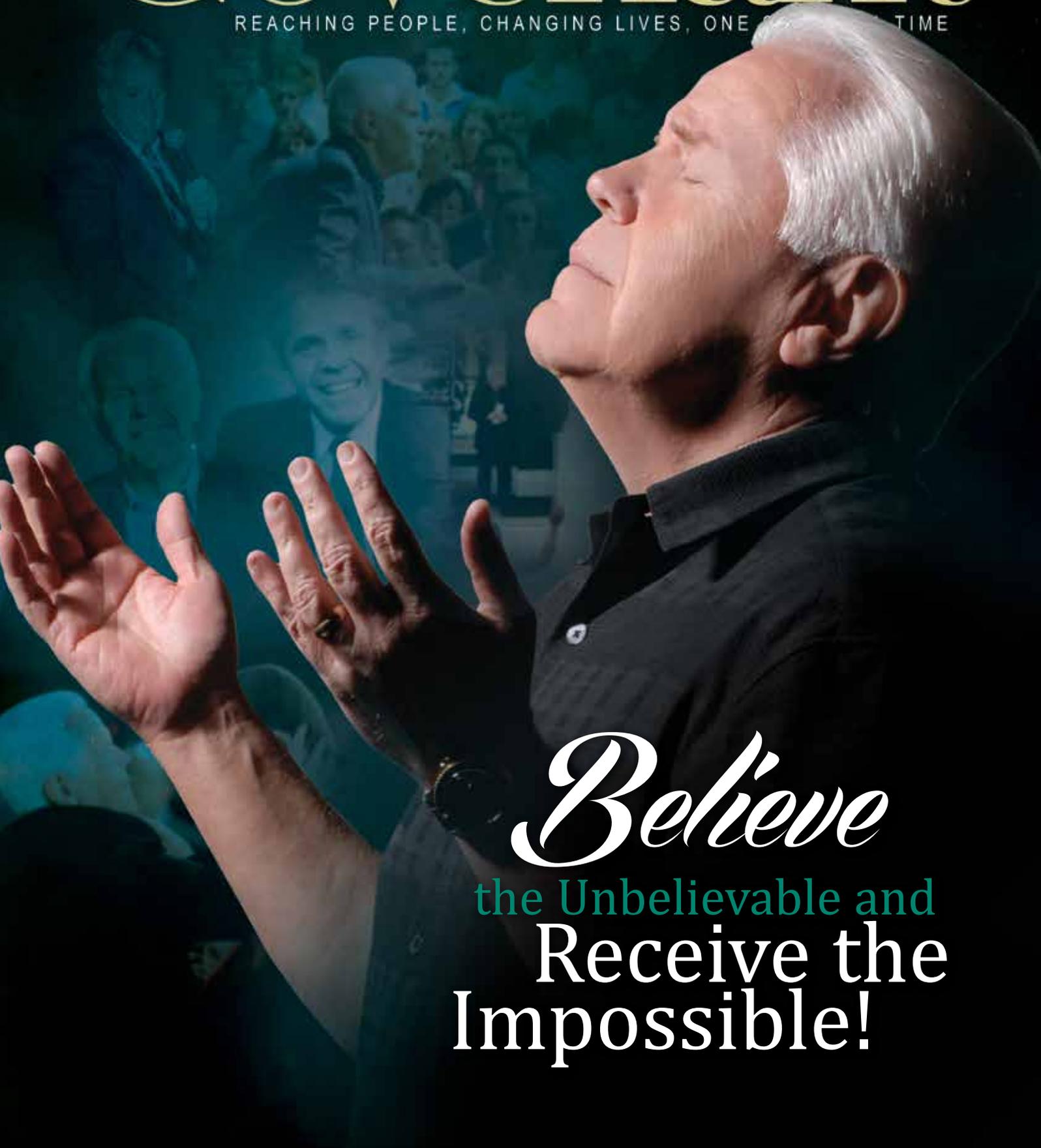


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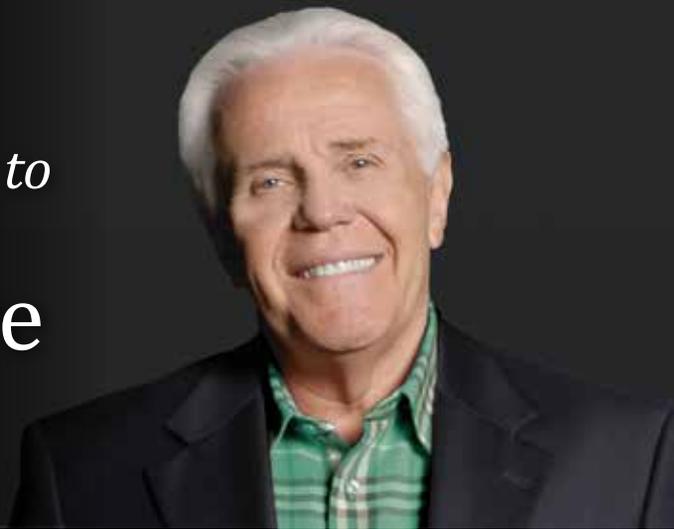
Voice of the **Covenant**

REACHING PEOPLE, CHANGING LIVES, ONE PERSON AT A TIME



Believe
the Unbelievable and
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Impossible!

Believe This is Your Year to the Unbelievable and Receive the Impossible!



Everything God asks us to believe is *unbelievable*. Everything He wants us to receive is *impossible*. In fact, from Genesis to Revelation, all the teachings, all the promises, all the revelation knowledge and even Christ's birth, death, and resurrection all go beyond natural thinking. It's *ALL* impossible...and that's why it's called having faith!

We don't serve a religion. We serve Jesus Christ! We are not bound by natural, ordinary thinking because we have been changed and we are continually learning from an extraordinary God! He is bigger than we can imagine and His Word is more powerful than we may ever be able to grasp...He is an "unbelievable" and "impossible" working God. And, this year, like every year in our *35 Years of Ministry*, we want to encourage **you** and your family to stretch beyond the boundaries of natural everyday thinking...to bust out of the "religious mind" and become more "God-inside minded" than you've ever been before.

Jesse Duplantis Ministries was founded on the principle that our *voice* as believers matters. For many years, we would declare Psalm 107:2 on our television broadcast: "*Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom He hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy.*" Saying so matters! Speaking about our salvation matters. Telling others what God has done for us matters. Telling them what the Word says they can *be*, and what it says they can *do* and *have* in life matters. Why? Because God loves people! And it matters to the Father that every person has an opportunity to meet His Son—and not only meet Him, but get to really *know* Him and *learn* from Him so that they can **excel in life!**

We believe that the Gospel of Jesus Christ is spread most effectively by *voice*, which is why we have been proclaiming His goodness, His teachings, and His amazing redemptive sacrifice for so many years, through as many outlets as we can.

Broadcasting the Good News to the whole Earth is our primary vision! And how could it not be? Both Cathy and I were saved through a message of hope broadcast on television many years ago. It transformed us individually, as a couple, as a family and, as you can see, it also changed the course of our life! Now we are in the position to do for others exactly what was done for

us. Isn't that a powerful testimony? You can help.

Project Broadcast Earth is an ongoing project at our ministry that is fueling and accelerating the way we broadcast the Good News of Christ through JDM-TV, JDM.org, social media, and more. As you know, we are always seeking out new ways of sharing God's Word and *Project Broadcast Earth* is helping us break through barriers to reach *more* people and change *more* lives than ever before. The voice of believers matters, and it's exciting to us to see people helping that voice to reach further and further into the hearts of people around the world. Here are a few highlights of *Project Broadcast Earth* that we think you will enjoy knowing...

To date, JDM-TV now reaches 301 million potential viewers in the USA alone. In addition to our TV broadcast, we've made great strides in expanding our outreach through the Internet and social media. The Internet is proving to be one of the most effective tools we are using to evangelize the Earth, allowing us to reach people in areas that don't have television access.

Last year we had over 1.15 million viewers from over 185 countries visit JDM.org and watch our TV Broadcast and special web-only programming. We also know that people from many countries like China, Iran and Egypt, where the Gospel is forbidden, watched our program online and received the Good News of Jesus Christ. We get goose bumps every time we think of it!

Social media is another avenue we are using to spread the Gospel through *Project Broadcast Earth*. Since launching our social media outreach 2 years ago, we couldn't be happier with the results. In 2012 alone, nearly 8 million people actively, viewed, commented on, and shared our posts on Facebook and Twitter. Approximately 20,000 people per week talked about us on Facebook, and we had over 600,000 views on YouTube. People are searching online, desperately looking for answers and we're right there ready to minister to them and point them to the One with all the answers. That and more is what your finances are doing when you give to *Project Broadcast Earth*. If you'd like to know more, log on to JDM.org.

Our voice as believers matters! The Word of God can change people's hearts and lives forever—it changed *us* and we know it

changed *you*, too. Pray and ask the Lord if He would have you to help with this project and do the same for others. We're believing that 5,000 people will join our vision to reach people and change lives and will sow \$1,000 into this worthy project. God directed us to continue to expand *Project Broadcast Earth* and we know that it will ALL be accomplished to His glory. How do we know? Because it's all unbelievable and impossible! And to people of faith like us, well, that's what makes it doable!

In this issue of *Voice of the Covenant*, you will see the places we are traveling with the Gospel, learn about the products we've created to help you grow as a believer and, again, see the outlets in which we share the Word with others. We pray you will grow as you read the articles and be inspired by the testimonies of others who have decided to "Believe the Unbelievable and Receive the Impossible."

Think of the impossible things *you* want to do. Think of the unbelievable things *you'd* like to have. Then, remind yourself that, "God is not a man, that He should lie; neither the son of man, that He should repent: hath He said, and shall He not do it? Or hath He spoken, and shall He not make it good?" (Numbers 23:19). **If the Word says you can have it, then it's a done deal.** Set your mind on Him and don't be afraid to stretch your faith.

His Word says you can be out of debt. That's unbelievable in this day and age. His Word says that you can be healed, too. That's impossible in any age. His Word says that you can love your enemies. Now that's both unbelievable and impossible! Do you see where I'm going with this in this New Year of 2013?

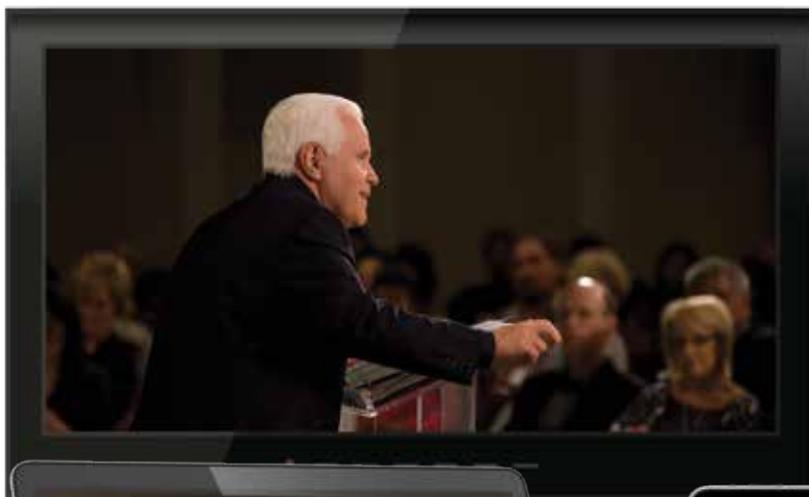
Get ready! God has more for you than you than you can imagine—use your faith and let God make this life good for you! I really believe that this is going to be an exciting year. I believe I can hear shouts of joy in your future. I can hear shouts of joy in this ministry's future, and in Cathy's and my future, too. It's coming! I'm prophesying it right now.

Celebrate this New Year with us by combining your faith with ours and by letting your voice be heard! **2013: It's Your Year to "Believe the Unbelievable and Receive the Impossible."** Don't let it be something you just read about; let it be something you pray about it and, most importantly, *talk* about. Open your mouth and let your voice be heard!

"Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom He hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy."

Psalms 107:2

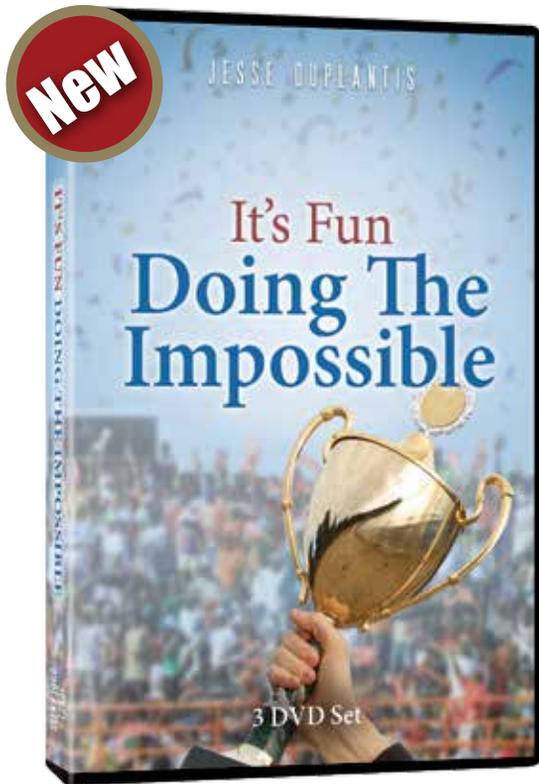
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Believe & Receive the Impossible!

JESSE DUPLANTIS

When confronted with the impossible, I like to say, “It may be impossible, but it is doable!” You and I were made in God’s image, and nothing is impossible with God. Don’t ever let somebody convince you that you “can’t” or “never will” because when you’re ready to believe in God *and* in yourself, there is nothing that you can’t do. It’s time for you to receive the impossible!

So many people spend their lives trying to become what they already are, but Jesus has already done the work on the cross! You don’t have to recreate His work; you’ve just got to accept His work. Redemption made you strong—accept it! God has made you more than a conqueror—accept it! He loves you and has given you the ability to love others—accept it! You are a person of great faith and nothing is impossible—accept it! Faith is not a fight to *become* something; it’s an acceptance of what you already *are*.

You were made in God’s image and nothing is ever impossible with God. It’s time to open up your heart and do what is necessary *today* so that those “impossible” promises, “impossible” tasks, and “impossible” dreams can come to pass in your future. It’s time to **trust God**, to **perfect your love**, and **recognize weaknesses** that have the potential of robbing you of your destiny.

Trust God

“With men it is impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible” (Mark 10:27). Jesus said this right after His encounter with the Rich Young Ruler. This boy was rich, young and he sought Jesus out to ask one question: *“Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?”* (Mark 10:17).

The Bible tells us the Rich Young Ruler was kneeling on the ground, looking up at Jesus when he heard the answer: *“Thou knowest the commandments, Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Defraud*

not, Honour thy father and mother” (verse 19). Now, he was looking into the face of the Son of God, Who could spot a lie a mile away, and do you know what the boy said? *“Master, all these have I observed from my youth”* (verse 20).

Have you ever met *anybody* who observed *all* the commandments from their youth? I haven’t! I don’t know anybody that has done right *all* their life—the teenage years alone mess up most people. Yet Jesus didn’t argue with the boy.

“Then Jesus beholding him loved him....” It blessed Jesus to look into the face of one who cared so much about God. Then Jesus said to him, *“One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in Heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow Me”* (verse 21).

Jesus rarely said, *“Take up the cross, and follow Me.”* Most of the time when people tried to follow Him, Jesus said something like, “Go and tell people the great things God has done for you.” But not this boy! Jesus wanted the Rich Young Ruler on His staff. He could have been a disciple. Think about it: He was rich and knew how to handle money. Jesus knew Judas was stealing from Him; maybe He figured, ‘Hey, I’ve got a good replacement right here!’ Oh, but something messed it up. Jesus shined a light on the man’s weakness when He said, *“One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor.”*

The Rich Young Ruler had a weakness: he trusted in the security of his personal finances more than anything else. But that day, Jesus gave him an opportunity to change. That day, Jesus gave him an opportunity to conquer his weakness by trusting in God.

The Rich Young Ruler had a choice to make. Now, he could have made the investment of his life and walked with Jesus Christ in His earthly ministry. He could have been there when Jesus preached, delivered, and healed the masses.

He could have been part of the miracles and been close to the Son of God. And I believe that Jesus would have seen to it that he was financially blessed beyond what he'd given up for the sake of the call. But Jesus required one thing: trust.

Jesus wanted the Rich Young Ruler to be a disciple, but He first wanted him to get his priorities straight. His security had to be in the right place. The boy could not do it. The Bible says, *"And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions"* (verse 22).

The Rich Young Ruler left. He forsook the call of God on his life and the Bible says he grieved because he had great possessions. What was he grieving over? His loss: the loss of his destiny. Because, you see, the Rich Young Ruler *kept* his money, but he *gave up* his dream. He gave up his destiny.

"And Jesus looked round about, and saith unto His disciples, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God!" (verse 23).

Don't Trust in Possessions

Jesus took this opportunity to teach His disciples a lesson. They *had* trusted in Him and followed Him into the ministry, but they'd never been asked to sell all their earthly possessions. So they were shocked to hear that it was hard to enter into the kingdom with riches.

The Amplified Bible gives this account:

And the disciples were amazed and bewildered and perplexed at His words. But Jesus said to them again, Children, how hard it is for those who trust (place their confidence, their sense of safety) in riches to enter the kingdom of God!

It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.

And they were shocked and exceedingly astonished, and said to Him and to one another, Then who can be saved?

Mark 10:24-26

Why were the disciples so astonished? 1.) Because they *weren't* poor! They were like the camels Jesus talked about. 2.) They thought Jesus was talking about Heaven, but He wasn't.

People misunderstand the camel and the needle parable and assume that Jesus was talking about Heaven, but He was talking about the kingdom of *God*, and it's an entirely different thing! The kingdom of God is a method; the kingdom of Heaven is a place. **The kingdom of God is His way of doing things on the Earth. The kingdom of Heaven is where we're going to spend eternity!**

The Amplified Bible better explains the kingdom of God in Matthew 6:33 when it says this: *"But seek (aim at and strive after) first of all His kingdom and His righteousness (His*

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Facebook

Thank you for teaching the truth about wealth and Christianity. My husband and I grew up Baptist with a total poverty mentality. We have had three prophecies this year for great wealth and your teachings helped me receive them with greater understanding. I now have a different and quite deeper understanding, as well as for why the devil and how the devil has robbed the church—not just financially but also spiritually. What a tragedy! God is good and wants to show off through His church body.

Georgia

Thank you for your ministry. By the leading of the Holy Spirit, I loaned my "Merry Heart" DVD series to a friend. While watching them, my friend asked Jesus into her life. She got **SAVED!**

way of doing and being right), and then all these things taken together will be given you besides."

God's way of doing things and being right is what you should strive towards. Now, go back and read Mark 10:24: *"...how hard is it for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!"* It makes better sense then, doesn't it?! It is very hard for a man who puts his trust in riches to do things

God's way. His money has priority over God. His trust is in the security that his material things give him.

Now, had the disciples been poor, they would have been thrilled about the camel and the needle parable. They'd have said, "Praise God, we're so poor, we're definitely going to make it!" But, no, that's not what they said. They were floored and wondered, *Then who can be saved?* Peter probably thought, *Oh, man, we're going to have to sell the boats if we want to fit through that needle!*

Peter never did fully get out of the fishing business, because after Jesus was crucified he said, *"I go a fishing!"* (John 21:3). He went back to his business. The truth is that those on Jesus' staff were business people. He had an accountant, a tax guy, and a few guys who owned fishing businesses, too. They had money, but they were following Jesus and trusting in Him first.

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Jesus knew that it was an economic world and He didn't ask everyone to sell everything. He had money and He used it just like everyone else (to eat, to live, and to give), but His trust was in God and He wanted those who followed Him to put their trust in God, too.

With God There Are No Impossibilities

*"Jesus glanced around at them and said, **With men [it is] impossible, but not with God; for all things are possible with God**"* (Mark 10:27 AMP). This was Jesus' answer and it's what you need to know if you want to have or do anything great in this life.

NOTHING is impossible with God. Yes, with men there are a lot of impossibilities in this world, but with God there are no impossibilities. He made the world and He made you. He gave you a spirit, a mind, a body, and everything you need to succeed in this life. He can fill your mind with good things and fill your wallet, too. He can give you peace in the midst of a storm and cause even your enemies to be at peace with you.

Stop looking at your own abilities—God isn't! He already knows when He gives you impossible dreams or calls you to do impossible tasks that it's something YOU can't do. It's impossible for you; that's a fact. But it's NOT impossible for Him, and that's the truth! All God asks is that you let Him do His job, and you do yours.

Almost everything God has ever asked me to do for Him has been impossible for me to do. I used to struggle with the big things, but God showed me that He didn't ask me to do it, He just asked me to believe Him for it. All God asks me to do is believe. My job is to believe that God can do His job. His job is to make it come to pass. That takes the weight off of my mind so that I just live one day at a time and walk with Him. It's an issue of trust.

It's not my job to convince people to receive Christ and it's not my job to come up with all the money for the projects God gives me so that I can reach more people for Christ. My job is simply to share God's Word and trust God to do His job. He's the Savior. He's the Healer. He's the Provider.

If God has given YOU big dreams and impossible tasks, you're going to have to let go of the fear that keeps you from fully trusting God. Trust: it's what Jesus required of the Rich Young Ruler, and it's what He is going to require from you.

Perfected Love

Do you know why some people don't give God the tithe? It doesn't have a thing to do with money; it's because their love is not perfected and fear is still ruling their lives.

*"There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. **He that feareth is not made perfect in love**"* (1 John 4:18).

For people who don't tithe, the fear of losing the security they feel from having money has gripped them to a point that they are too scared to give. They already have so much "month" at the end of their "money" that they don't know how in the world they'll ever be able to give *and* pay the bills! That's fear at work and even though it sounds wise in the natural to cut God first, it isn't because it's like eating the seed when what you really need is a crop!

Fear is at the center of all trust issues, and it's why some people won't take the opportunity God gives them to tithe no matter how much scripture they hear about being blessed. Their love is simply not perfected in that area. They don't know that God loves them enough to really come through in keeping them safe and secure. There is a battle going on—an inner struggle between a sincere love for God and the fear of

losing personal security. It's the same battle the Rich Young Ruler fought and lost.

It's a fear-based life instead of faith-based life that says, "I can't give to God because then I won't be able to meet my obligations." I've seen it happen so many times—those who choose to put God first and put their security in Him and tithe end up having more money than they have "month." A reversal starts happening. God's Word cannot and will not return void. God will not be mocked:

whatever a man sows, that shall he also reap (Galatians 6:7)! Blessing follows those who put their trust in God.

Recognize Weaknesses

The devil will rarely attack you in your strong area because he knows that he doesn't have a good chance of causing you to fail or fall in that area. So, he's looking for a weak spot. That's why it's important for you to concentrate on the weak spots...and you do that by praying and focusing your energy on getting stronger in those areas.

You may not know what your greatest desire is today, but you've got a pretty good idea of your greatest weakness. So, start there. If you have a weakness for spending too much money, focus on gaining self-control in your finances. If you have a weakness for easily getting angry, focus on gaining temperance. If you have a weakness for saying whatever you please and spreading doubt wherever you go, focus on curbing your tongue and speaking faith. Whatever it is, search the Word for a scripture that you can stand on, then start confessing strength over your weakness like Joel 3:10 says: "...let the weak *say*, I am strong."

The weak must *say* that they are strong because voicing strength is crucial to getting strength. So, when you're strong, *say* you're strong. When you're weak, *say* you're strong.

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Don't give the devil an opportunity by ignoring your weaknesses. Start confusing him by talking STRONG!

The flip side is that if you ignore your weakness, you will indulge in your weakness. And if you do that enough, it will cause you to stumble throughout your life. Your greatest weakness will eventually cause you to forfeit your greatest desire. It will create a "past" that will hinder your future. It will stop your destiny just like it stopped the Rich Young Ruler.

That boy wanted nothing more than to do right. That's why he could say he'd observed all the commandments from his youth. Yet he couldn't follow Jesus and become a disciple because he hadn't dealt with his weakness in the area of security and trust in God. Deal with your weaknesses now so that you don't lose out on the destiny that is coming to you!

A Weakness Gone Too Far

There are many men in the Bible that I could teach upon concerning this, but the one that stands out in my mind the most is Judas.

Judas is a man who most people think kept his distance from Jesus, but that's not true. Jesus was extremely close to this disciple. Jesus loved, respected, and relied upon Judas. You've got to remember that just like Peter, James, and John, Judas had given up a lot to follow Christ. He believed in the message and it was his greatest desire to follow after Christ and be in the ministry...but he had a weakness, too. Judas loved money. Jesus knew this, yet He gave the man an opportunity to use his talent in the area of finances.

What always amazes me about the relationship between Jesus and Judas was that while Jesus knew Judas was stealing money, He didn't tell anybody. The truth is that Jesus cared for Judas so much that He loved the man more than the money he was stealing and made a decision to apply grace and mercy towards Judas. Jesus did that for most of the three years of His ministry.

Now, Judas didn't start out stealing, because he believed in the cause. But somewhere along the way, his urge to steal overcame his love of the ministry. He began to twist and, like all thieves, I believe he began to justify his actions. Maybe the twisting started on those trips he was so often sent on to give to the poor.

If you don't think Judas was sent out to give to the poor often, why do you think it was the very first thing the other disciples thought of when Judas left the table at the Last Supper? Judas handled the ministry finances and he was called upon regularly by Jesus to pay for the rooms, the meals, the boat rides, etc. It was also very common for the disciples to see Jesus give instructions to Judas to give alms.

When Jesus said, "*One of you shall betray Me*" during the Last Supper, it was an announcement that freaked everybody

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out. Immediately, each person started wondering about themselves and asked Jesus who would do it. Jesus' response was, "*He that dippeth his hand with Me in the dish, the same shall betray Me.*" Yet no disciple saw Judas dip his bread in the cup—not one! Why? Because Judas was right next to Jesus. Had he been way on the other side of the table, he'd have had to get up and dip into Jesus' cup. But he didn't have to do that! His action was swift and subtle, and no one saw a thing because they were too busy thinking about themselves. But Jesus saw it, and He immediately told Judas,

"What you do, do quickly."

Judas now knows that Jesus knows, and he gets up to leave the table. What do the other disciples say? They don't assume that Judas is going to the bathroom. They don't assume he's going to pay the bill. They assume that Jesus has whispered to Judas to give "*alms to the poor.*" Why? Because it had obviously been done so many times that it was a common occurrence.

How many times did the disciples see Jesus tell Judas to get up and go and bless someone with money? How many times did they hear Jesus say, "Judas, do you remember that lady we saw today? I want you to go and bless her with X amount right now." Judas moved when Jesus spoke. And I believe that it was on those trips to give to the poor that Judas began indulging in his greatest weakness: theft.

Could Jesus have told him to give one amount and Judas gave a smaller amount and pocketed the difference? Sure! It would have been one way to steal without anyone knowing... except Jesus, of course. And like any other person indulging in their weakness, Judas justified his actions. It's the only way he could continue in the ministry and still do wrong day in and day out.

Judas had been conditioning his mind to justify the stealing. It is very probable that Judas told himself things like, *The poor have nothing anyway and even if I give them less than what Jesus said, they're still getting blessed...aren't they?*

Watch out for this in your own life! When you justify a weak area, you're in self-deception and, like Judas, you're robbing from yourself.

The Night of Betrayal

Remember that on the night Jesus was betrayed, Judas was leading the pack. He walked towards Jesus with a crowd of soldiers, priests, and Pharisees behind him. When Judas saw Jesus, he immediately greets Him with a kiss—a secret signal to the soldiers that this is the One.

Jesus looks at His close disciple and says, "*Judas, betrayest thou the Son of man with a kiss?*" (Luke 22:48). In other words, 'You betray Me with a sign of affection? After all the mercy and grace I've extended to you, Judas, this is what you do?'

Judas was shocked. The Bible says he backed up. Why? Maybe it was because he was being confronted for the first time, and now it was happening in front of everyone. This was not what Judas expected. Then the band of men and officers from the chief priests and Pharisees came up behind Judas with lanterns and torches and weapons. Jesus didn't run away. He immediately confronted them with a question, "Whom seek ye?" And they answered, "Jesus of Nazareth!"

Jesus looked at them and said, "I am He" and as soon as Jesus spoke those words, the Scripture says that everybody in that band of men fell to the ground (John 18:3-6). The power of the Son of God releasing Himself caused them to hit the dust!

Judas probably thought, *See, we ain't got a problem. We're gonna be outta here, just like we've been doing for the last three years. We're gonna be in Capernaum in the next couple of hours anyway, and then I'm going to tell Him I took some money from Him and He's going to forgive me... it'll be all right.*

But Jesus did something that Judas never thought He would do: He waited for the soldiers to get up and released Himself into their hands. Jesus had made His decision. The cup would not pass from His lips. God's will would be done. Jesus was going to the cross.

Now, in Judas' mind, what was happening was unthinkable. *No!* Judas thought, *They can't kill You. Let's get out of here! Jesus, what are You doing?!* But Jesus walked off with those men, and it was at that very moment that Judas fully realized the magnitude of what he had done. *He* had been the betrayer. *He* had been the one prophesied in the Old Testament. *He* had sent His beloved Master to the cross. Suddenly, Judas *knew* what he'd done.

At that moment, there was no more justification in his mind. There was no more deception. The light was bright on his betrayal and it was clear to him that he had just done the unthinkable. The guilt of it was overwhelming to Judas. It swirled around his mind and grieved his soul so much that the Bible says he went out and hung himself. He could not face living another moment with the full knowledge of what he'd done.

Judas lost it all. His greatest weakness stopped his greatest desire.

Don't Be Robbed of Your Future

When you indulge in your weaknesses and avoid dealing with them, remember Judas. Don't allow the devil to blind your eyes to sin. Face yourself now. Don't create a past that will hinder your future, because the past never sees the future. God forgives, but people never forget and it's hard to do big things when people don't trust you anymore.

Let God strengthen that area in your life now so that it doesn't rob you of your future. But don't do what Judas did—don't run away! Run to Jesus. Ask His forgiveness and let His love give you the ability to forgive yourself.

Remember, the only difference between Peter and Judas was that Judas couldn't forgive himself. Peter denied Christ, and that was certainly a betrayal. Yet He didn't deny the forgiving power of Christ, and the Lord was able to make Him great. Peter was a man in need of forgiveness, yet Jesus said of him, "Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build My church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it" (Matthew 16:18).

Impossible? Yes! It is impossible for a man who denied God to build the Church of God and defy the gates of hell. It is impossible with man, but it is possible with God!

There is NOTHING that God can't turn around; no life that He can't make great. He would have forgiven even Judas had Judas given Him the opportunity. How much more will He forgive YOU?

You are God's beloved. You have a place in His heart no matter what you've done and no matter how great your weakness seems. You have a place at His table, and His arms of love are open to you right now. Receive Him today if you don't know Him as Savior. Release your weakness to Him and He will help you to become strong. The moment you release that area to Him is the moment of your deliverance from the power that weakness has held over you. You will build strength in that area as you rely on Jesus and "say" that you are strong. One day at a time, God will help you walk into your own "impossible" destiny. 🌍

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Arizona

I called JDM's prayer line for support and vision during a serious eye surgery that I had. "I was blind, but now I see!" Praise God, I haven't been able to study my Bible for months, but now I can read, study, and give glory to God. Thank you Jesse, Cathy, and staff.

New Zealand

What a blessing JDM has been. I am so blessed, it's amazing. It's awesome seeing the power of God working in my life! I have seen blessings in my and my husband's lives. Praise God for JDM!

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If you don't know my Jesus and you want to live the kind of life I've been sharing about—where God makes the impossible things in your life become possible—then turn to the back cover of this magazine to pray the prayer of salvation.

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UNITED STATES

ALABAMA

<i>Birmingham</i>			
WTJP/60	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

<i>Huntsville-Decatur</i>			
WZDX/54 - Fox	Sun	9:30	am

<i>Mobile</i>			
WDPM/4.1	Mon	9:00	pm
WMPV/21	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

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WMCF/45	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

ARIZONA

<i>Phoenix</i>			
KPAZ/21	Mon	6:30	pm
	Wed	9:30	pm
	Fri	5:00	am

ARKANSAS

<i>Fort Smith</i>			
KWOG/57	Mon	9:00	pm

<i>Hot Springs</i>			
KVTH/26	Sun	9:30	am
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<i>Jonesboro</i>			
KVTJ/48	Sun	9:30	am
	Mon	7:00	pm

<i>Little Rock</i>			
KVTN/25	Sun	9:30	am
	Mon	7:00	pm

CALIFORNIA

<i>Los Angeles</i>			
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KOCE/50.3	Mon	7:00	pm

<i>Monterey</i>			
KMCE/43.4	Wed	7:00	pm

WISCONSIN

<i>Milwaukee</i>			
WWRS/52	Mon	8:30	pm
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	Fri	7:00	am

COLORADO

<i>Colorado Springs</i>			
KWHS/51 - IND	Sun	6:30	pm

<i>Denver</i>			
KETD/53 - IND	Sun	6:30	pm
KPJR/38	Mon	7:30	pm
	Wed	10:30	pm
	Fri	6:00	am
KRMT/41	Mon	8:00	pm

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

<i>Washington</i>			
WAZT/10 - IND	Sun	5:30	pm
	Tues	12:00	am

FLORIDA

<i>Jacksonville</i>			
WJEB/59	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

<i>Miami</i>			
WHFT/45	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

<i>Orlando</i>			
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<i>Pensacola</i>			
WMPV/21	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

<i>Tampa-St. Petersburg</i>			
WCLF/22 - CTN	Sun	10:30	pm

<i>West Palm Beach</i>			
WTCE/21	Mon	9:30	pm
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	Fri	8:00	am

GEORGIA

<i>Atlanta</i>			
WDTA/53	Mon	10:00	pm
WHSB/63	Mon	9:30	pm
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	Fri	8:00	am

<i>Augusta</i>			
WBPI/49 - IND	Tue	7:30	pm

HAWAII

<i>Honolulu</i>			
KWHE/14 - IND	Sun	6:30	am
KAHH/26	Mon	6:30	pm
	Wed	9:30	pm
	Fri	5:00	am

<i>Hilo</i>			
KWHH/14 - IND	Sun	6:30	am

<i>Maui</i>			
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KAHH/26	Mon	6:30	pm
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	Fri	5:00	am

ILLINOIS

<i>Chicago</i>			
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WWTO/35	Mon	8:30	pm
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	Fri	7:00	am

INDIANA

<i>Indianapolis</i>			
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WDTI/69.1	Mon	10:00	pm
WCLJ/42	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thurs	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

<i>Richmond</i>			
WKOI/43	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thurs	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

<i>South Bend</i>			
WHME/46 - IND	Sun	6:30	am

IOWA

<i>Des Moines-Ames</i>			
KCWI/23 - CW	Sun	8:30	am

MASSACHUSETTS

<i>Boston</i>			
WYDN/48	Mon	10:00	pm

MICHIGAN

<i>Detroit</i>			
WADL/38 - IND	Sun	8:30	am
WUDT/8	Mon	10:00	pm

MISSOURI

<i>St. Louis</i>			
WRBU/46 - MY Network	Sun	6:30	am
WPXS/13	Mon	9:00	pm

<i>St. Joseph</i>			
KTAJ/16	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

NEW MEXICO

<i>Albuquerque</i>			
KNAT/23	Mon	7:30	pm
	Wed	10:30	pm
	Fri	6:00	am

NEW YORK

<i>New York</i>			
WBTV/54	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

NORTH CAROLINA

<i>New Bern</i>			
WFXI/8 - FOX	Sun	8:00	am

<i>Greenville</i>			
WYDO/2 - FOX	Sun	8:00	am

OHIO

<i>Cleveland-Canton</i>			
WDLI/17	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

<i>Columbus</i>			
WSFI/51	Mon	9:30	pm
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<i>Dayton</i>			
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<i>Youngstown</i>			
The Joshua CH/99S	Sun	10:00	am
	Wed	7:00	pm
	Fri	7:00	pm

OREGON

<i>Portland</i>			
KNMT/24	Mon	6:30	pm
	Wed	9:30	pm
	Fri	5:00	am

COMING UP ON OUR BROADCAST....

It's Fun Doing the Impossible: **December 30 – January 19**

It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over: **January 20 – February 2**

OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City

KOKH/25 - FOX	Sun	10:00	am
KTBO/14	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am
KOCM/46	Mon	9:00	pm
KLHO/31.4	Tues	7:00	am
	Thru	7:00	am

Tulsa

KWHB/47- IND	Sun	12:30	pm
KDOR/17	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

LOUISIANA

Crowley

KAGN/31- IND	Tue	5:30	am
	Tue	7:00	pm
	Fri	9:00	am
	Sat	4:00	pm
	Sun	11:00	pm

Lafayette

KLFY/10 - CBS	Sun	6:30	am
KAJN/40 - IND	Tue	5:30	am
	Tue	7:00	pm
	Fri	9:00	am
	Sat	4:00	pm
	Sun	11:00	pm

Lake Charles

KFAM/14	Tue	5:30	am
	Tue	7:00	pm
	Fri	9:00	am
	Sat	4:00	pm
	Sun	11:00	pm

KITU/34

	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

New Orleans

WHNO/20 - IND	Sun	7:00	am
WGNO/26 - ABC	Sun	9:00	am
WNOL/38 - CW	Wed	6:00	am

Shreveport

KMSS/33 - FOX	Sun	9:30	am
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PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia

WGTW/48	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

SOUTH CAROLINA

Greenville

WGGS/16 - IND	Mon	11:30	am
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TENNESSEE

Chattanooga

WELF/23	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

Knoxville

WBXX/20 - CW	Sun	8:30	am
WDTT/24	Mon	10:00	pm

Memphis

WBUY/40	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

Nashville

WPGD/50	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

TEXAS

Beaumont

KITU/34	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

Dallas-Ft. Worth

KDTN/2	Mon	9:00	pm
KDTX/58	Mon	8:30	pm
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	Fri	7:00	am

Harlingen

KLWJ/44	Mon	8:30	pm
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Houston

KLIJ/22	Mon	9:00	pm
KETH/14	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

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San Antonio

KMYS/35 - CW	Sun	9:30	am
KHCE/23	Mon	8:30	pm
	Wed	11:30	pm
	Fri	7:00	am

VIRGINIA

Woodstock

WAZT/10 - IND	Sun	5:30	pm
	Tue	12:00	am

Virginia Beach

WTPC/21	Mon	9:30	pm
	Thur	12:30	am
	Fri	8:00	am

WASHINGTON

Seattle

KWDK/56	Mon	7:00	pm
KTBW/20	Mon	6:30	pm
	Wed	9:30	pm
	Fri	5:00	am

WEST VIRGINIA

Charleston

WTSE/61	Mon	10:00	pm
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US VIRGIN ISLANDS

St. Croix

WCVI/27 - CW	Sun	8:00	am
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SATELLITE/CABLE/ NETWORKS

Trinity Broadcasting Network

DirecTV/Ch. 372; Dish Network/ Ch. 260	Mon	8:30	pm	CT
	Wed	11:30	pm	CT
	Fri	7:00	am	CT

Daystar Network

DirecTV/Ch. 369; Dish Network/ Ch. 263	Mon	9:00	pm	CT
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Inspiration Network

DirecTV/ Ch. 364; Dish Network/Ch. 259	Sun	8:30	am	CT
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World Harvest Television - DirecTV/Ch. 367

	Tue	6:00	pm	CT
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GOD TV - DirecTV/ Ch. 365

	Wed	6:00	pm	CT
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INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE

GOD TV	Wed	7:00	pm	GMT
Daystar Network	Tue	4:00	am	CEST
Inspiration International (INI)	Sun	12:00	pm	GMT

AUSTRALIA

Trinity Broadcasting Network

	Tue	1:30	pm	EDT
	Thurs	4:30	pm	EDT
	Sat	12:00	am	EDT

Daystar Network

	Tue	2:00	pm	EDT
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GOD TV

	Thurs	11:00	am	EDT
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CHINA

Daystar Network	Tue	11:00	am	CST
Thaicom 5 Satellite, T6-G				

EUROPE

TBN Europe	Sun	7:00	pm	CET
Revelation TV	Mon	8:00	pm	CET

FAR EAST

FETV	Sun	7:00	am	EET
PAS -10				
AFRICA - ASIA - EUROPE - MIDDLE EAST				
AUSTRALIA - INDIA-(cable)				

MIDDLE EAST

METV	Sat	3:30	pm	EET
AMOS 3 Digital Satellite				
Israel - Lebanon - Qatar - Jordan - Syria				
Kuwait - Cyprus - Turkey - Bahrain - Saudi Arabia - Libya - Oman - United Arab Emirates				

IN SPANISH

TBN Enlace Satellite

	Sun	10:00	am	ET
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Argentina - Bolivia - Colombia - Costa Rica
Chile - Rep. Dominicana - Ecuador - El Salvador
España - Guatemala - Honduras - Mexico
Nicaragua - Panama - Paraguay - Peru
Portugal - Puerto Rico - Uruguay - Venezuela

TBN ENLACE SATELLITE-USA

	Sun	9:00	am	CT
Laredo, TX; McAllen, TX; Miami, FL; San Antonio, TX				

RADIO

AMERICAN SAMOA
KMOA 89.7FM

	Mon-Fri	9:00	am	SST
	Sun	8:00	am	SST

NIGERIA
EFM Radio 91.3FM

	Mon	1:00	pm	WAT
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INTERNET 24/7

Faithchannel.com

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- Encourage you with testimonies from viewers in Cathy's "Glorious Moments"
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- Approximately 20,000 people are talking about us every week on Facebook
- Over 600,000 views on YouTube
- Google + is our newest addition to this outreach

JDM is equipping the body of Christ through social media in ways we never thought possible and we are determined to stay ahead and grow this outreach even bigger!

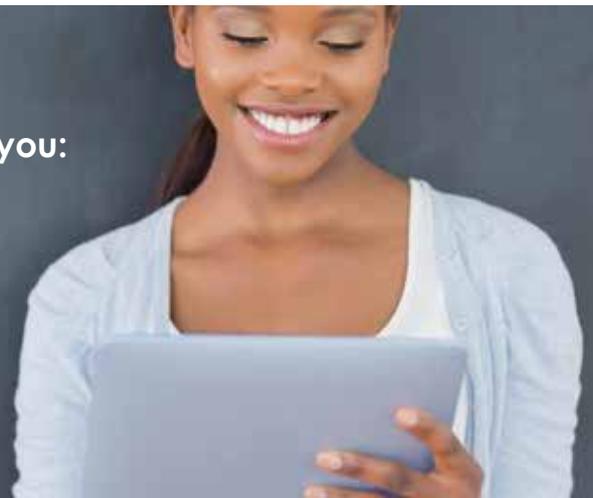
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Coming soon to JDM.org

We're busy developing a new website to bring you:

- Easier navigation
- More video
- Mobile friendly version of JDM.org
- Interactive mapping for our meetings



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Arizona

Thank you JDM prayer team for your faithful prayers of continuous victory for whenever I call or write in for prayer. God is using you to do great things. The prayer of agreement is so real, so powerful. Each time I typed in I got results. I've asked many times for the prayer of agreement and God came through because of your prayers united with my own.

God's prayer team is truly a blessing, which is the difference, I highly regard as priceless. Thank you for your continued prayers for me and my family for promotion and increase. You have helped me and many others upset the devil and give glory to God. I just want to say thank you for all that you have done and continue to do. We need you! Your time is not a waste. It makes a difference. Heaven is shouting every day, 'HALLELUJAH,' for the victories you are helping others keep every day.

Canada

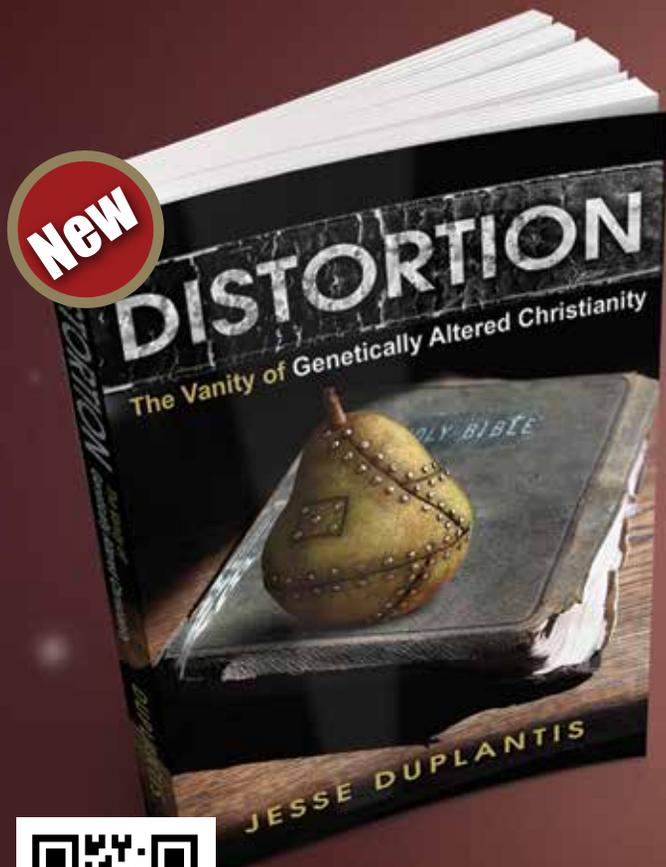
I feel great! For years I've prayed for joy and confessed my joy. But when I heard Brother Jesse preach that he had an anointing of 'increase, health and joy' on his life; that day I claimed my joy! And I tell you, I feel so joyful! I'm surrounded by joyful people—they're attracted to me and I thank God! Hallelujah!

Australia

Thank you so much for praying for my prayer request that my car would sell. It was a battle with the enemy that I just wasn't winning. After sending in my prayer request, months of outrageous attacks were smashed. The nicest person bought my car and was such a blessing. There was an instant result. God is so faithful and I thank you so much.

Georgia

Thank you for sticking to God's Word! I called for prayer for family finances and less than 24 hours later there was a release of funds returned to my family. Thank you JDM! Thank God!



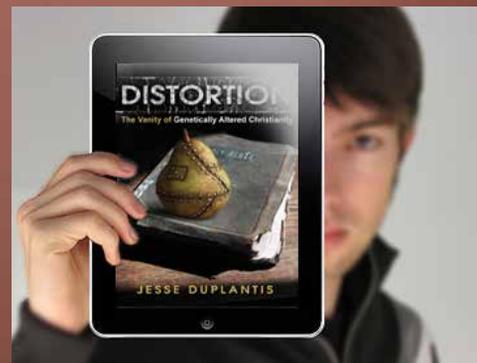
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*“...And How Shall they hear
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Romans 10:14

Project Go Ye: Proclaiming the Good News of Jesus Throughout the Earth!

- Preaching the Gospel to cities and nations for over 35 years and beyond
- JDM covers every cost to travel and preach in evangelistic meetings across the globe
- JDM is committed to blessing people with the Gospel by never charging churches, events, or anyone who attends our meetings
- JDM held nearly 500 meetings in the last four years alone
- This outreach cost JDM almost \$3 million to travel and preach in 2011 & 2012
- Hundreds of thousands of lives have been saved, healed, and set free
- 2013 itinerary is well under way with nearly 70 meetings in 19 different states scheduled so far, with many still being finalized along with our overseas tours

Today, there are 7 billion people on the Earth. So many of them are searching for peace and they're looking for purpose. They're hungry for something authentic to believe in. We know the One they seek and we're determined to proclaim what they're yearning for...The Good News of Jesus!

The vision of Jesse Duplantis Ministries has always been World Evangelism. For over 35 years we've been going non-stop, rescuing souls from the pit of hell and introducing the lost to Christ in meetings across the globe. We've passionately obeyed the Lord's command to, *“...Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature,”* and our commitment has never wavered. This year we are launching out into the deep and, through Project Go Ye, we are expecting to do more, go more, and receive more souls into the Kingdom!

Please consider joining our evangelistic team by sowing into Project Go Ye. Your precious seed will send us further with the Gospel than we've ever gone before. Together, we can save this planet by reaching more people and changing more lives, one soul at a time.

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Facebook

For years I have been praying for my husband's salvation and had my moments when I felt like giving up, but I didn't. I stood in faith knowing and believing God would save my husband, and He did.

Years ago you came to our church in Pasadena, Texas and right before you closed, you said, 'There is a woman who is here and has been praying for her husband's salvation and you are fed up and tired and planning on leaving.' You said, 'The Lord said do not do this, for if you do, he will bust the gates of hell wide open and never come to know Christ.' That was me and I knew the Lord was talking to me through you. I didn't leave and, praise God, my husband got saved and God has been working in his life so much. It's overwhelming what God is doing in his life. I stand amazed and in awe.

I want to say thank you to you both because of your faithfulness to the Lord. I also listened to Cathy's testimony of how she stood in the gap for Jesse and I claimed that for my husband, and God has moved more than I could ever imagine. Thank you both so much!

I have been married to my husband for twenty-eight years and love him so much. He is a gift from God to me and I look forward to the rest of our lives, walking and living together in Christ.

Australia

What a blessing the *Voice of the Covenant* magazine is to me. I can hardly wait for it each month. Keep up your wonderful preaching and thank you so much for your prayers.

California

I wanted to let you know that the prayers worked! My husband is back to work! Yea! Thank you God, and thank you JDM.

MEETINGS

JESSE DUPLANTIS

BOTKINS, OH

JANUARY 5 (6:30PM)

JANUARY 6 (10:00AM)

Only Believe Ministries

Christian Center

1200 Botkins Rd • 693.3554

www.obministries.org

SAN ANGELO, TX

JANUARY 8 (6:00PM)

The River

Venue: San Angelo Convention

300 Broadway Dr • 325.658.4292

www.theriversa.org

RENO, NV

JANUARY 15 (7:00PM)

River Rock Christian Fellowship

Venue: Grand Sierra Resort

2500 E Second Street

775.842.0900

www.renooutpouring.com

JACKSONVILLE, FL

JANUARY 17 (7:00PM)

Faith Christian Center

8985 Lone Star Rd • 904.725.3636

www.fccjax.com

ORLANDO, FL

JANUARY 19 (7:00PM)

TBN – *Praise the Lord Revival*

Holy Land Experience

4655 Vineland Rd • 800.447.7235

www.holylandexperience.com

DECATUR, AL

JANUARY 20 (6:00PM)

Calvary Assembly of God

1413 Glenn St SW • 256.355.7440

www.calvaryassembly.org

CLOVIS, NM

JANUARY 27 (9:00AM & 11:15AM)

Faith Christian Family Church

3401 N Norris St • 575.762.7751

www.fcfconline.com

HUNTSVILLE, TX

FEBRUARY 5 (7:00PM)

2013 *Winter Conference*

Family Faith Church

2407 Sam Houston Ave

936.291.9458

www.familyfaith.ws

STAFFORD, TX

FEBRUARY 10 (10:30AM)

Family Worship Center

910 Brand Lane • 281.499.0551

www.thefwc.org

CLERMONT, FL

FEBRUARY 13 (7:00PM)

Celebration of Praise

Church of God

3700 US Hwy 27 • 352.394.2855

www.celebrationofpraise.net

BRADENTON, FL

FEBRUARY 17 (10:00AM)

Christian Retreat

Family Church

1200 Glory Way Blvd • 941.746.2882

www.christianretreat.org

WINNIE, TX

FEBRUARY 19 (7:00PM)

Christian Cowboys Who

Care Ministry

Venue: Nutty Jerry's

18291 Englin Road • 936.645.1957

KAHULUI, HI

FEBRUARY 24 (6:00PM)

King's Cathedral

777 Mokulele Hwy • 808.871.7311

www.kingscathedral.com

HILO, HI

FEBRUARY 26 (6:30PM)

Glad Tidings Church

113 Kuawa St • 808.961.0616

www.gladtidingshilo.org

HONOLULU, HI

MARCH 3 (9:00AM & 11:00AM)

Word of Life Christian Center

544 Queen St • 808.528.4044

www.wordoflifehawaii.com

IRVING, TX

MARCH 12 (7:00PM)

TBN – *Praise the Lord Taping*

2823 W Irving Blvd • 972.313.1333

www.tbn.org

ALEXANDRIA, LA

MARCH 17 (11:00AM)

Christian Worship Center

6101 Masonic Dr • 318.448.4500

www.christianworshipcenter.com

AMARILLO, TX

MARCH 19 (7:00PM)

Spring Camp Meeting 2013

Arena of Life Cowboy Church

8827 S Washington St

806.622.8000

www.amarilocowboychurch.org

WEST MONROE, LA

MARCH 24 (6:00PM)

The Assembly West Monroe

715 Cypress Street • 318.387.1500

www.firstassemblywm.org

TAMPA, FL

MARCH 26 (7:00PM)

Revealing Truth Ministries

5201 North Armenia Ave

813.354.1135

www.revealingtruth.org

CATHY DUPLANTIS

FORT WALTON BEACH, FL

MARCH 15 (7:00PM)

Shine on Women's & Teen's

Conference 2013

One Heart One Voice Ministries

Venue: Emerald Coast

Convention Center

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Why Isn't My Giving Working?

The Four Types of Giving - Part 1

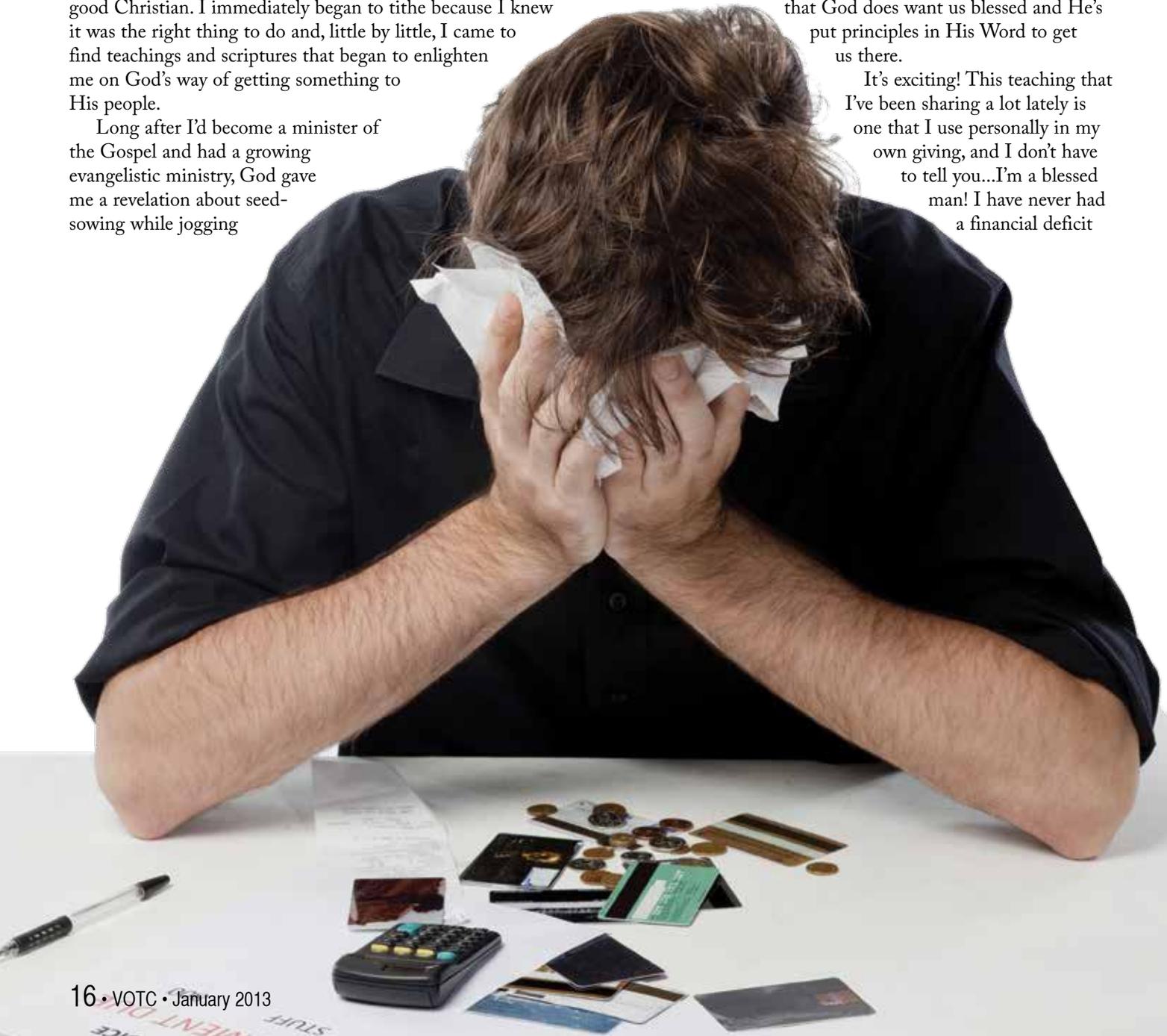
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What I'm about to share with you literally changed the way I thought about giving and, in turn, it changed the way I live my life when it comes to my giving. I was financially successful before I came to know the Lord, but because of how I was raised and everything I'd ever heard, when I accepted Jesus as my Savior, I wrongly assumed that I had to be poor to serve the Lord. So, I gave all my money away and started living life as a good Christian. I immediately began to tithe because I knew it was the right thing to do and, little by little, I came to find teachings and scriptures that began to enlighten me on God's way of getting something to His people.

Long after I'd become a minister of the Gospel and had a growing evangelistic ministry, God gave me a revelation about seed-sowing while jogging

one day that totally changed my life. Out of that revelation, the message "Hey! That's My Harvest!" was born. It revolutionized the way I gave and from the response I got from many others, it did the same for them. From that time until now, I have never looked back. I always believed in my heart that God wanted His people not to hurt, but to be joyful and blessed. But from that moment years ago until today, I have learned that God does want us blessed and He's put principles in His Word to get us there.

It's exciting! This teaching that I've been sharing a lot lately is one that I use personally in my own giving, and I don't have to tell you...I'm a blessed man! I have never had a financial deficit



in my 35 years of ministry. I am living proof that anyone can “Believe the Unbelievable and Receive the Impossible.” I’m a Cajun from South Louisiana who was raised harshly, brought up poor, and indoctrinated with the man-made theory that poverty equals holiness. I can say without a shred of pride in myself that God has broken the shackles off of my life in every way—spiritually first, but also financially—and taken me to a place called prosperous.

Why Isn't My Giving Working?

You see, there was a time that I lived in a house so small that you could do everything you needed to do in the bathroom without moving a step in any direction. There was a time that my wife scraped pennies together to walk to the store to buy macaroni and cheese for us to eat. There was a time that I suffered serious lack...and I was a good Christian and a giver!

So what was wrong? Why wasn't my giving working? Simple: I was ignorant to what the WORD said and ignorant to the importance of PURPOSE. So, although I had a good heart, the devil robbed me blind...but no more! I didn't know how to use my true motive to do what I wanted to do. I had a “throw” instead of “sow” mentality that was lacking purpose. As with all things with God, He lays out principles in His Word, and His ways work. So, here are a few principles that I've learned that helped me. I hope they will help you, too.

Four Ways of Giving

God Will Only Do What He Said He Will Do

The four main ways of giving mentioned in the Bible are these:

- **Tithe**—people struggle with it.
- **First Fruits**—people don't believe in it.
- **Alms**—people totally understand it.
- **Seed**—people think it's gamble.

God wants us to do all of these, but He offers *different* results for each of the four types of giving. That means that not all giving is the same. You see, you can *only* expect God to do what He *says*... and believe me, what He says is enough! Whether it's spiritual, physical, financial or otherwise, you can have faith in the Word and yet misapply its teachings and not reap the results you were expecting. Of these four types of giving, three are towards God and one is towards man.

Purpose is key. Whatever you PURPOSE in your heart, that's what you give—not grudgingly or of NECESSITY (meaning you should not be moved by need), because God loves a CHEERFUL giver (2 Corinthians 9:7). Never forget that God wrote what He meant in the Word and if we want to succeed in this life—no matter whether it's spiritual, physical, financial or otherwise—then we must live by His ways. So, if we want to excel in life, we've got to learn those ways and apply them. This is true in every respect, including the way we give.

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Many times, Christians will say that giving in any specific way is an “Old Testament” principle and that all of it has been done away with because we have been saved by grace and are “New Testament” believers. But Christ Himself warned us that He did not come to do away with everything that came before Him, but to fulfill the purity of God's law down to the last “jot” and “tittle” until “Heaven and earth pass” away (Matthew 5:18). I find that believers who say the Old Testament is irrelevant to us today usually just want to get out of giving tithe, because in all my years of ministry, I've never heard them bring up the argument regarding anything else!

When I want to show why I believe tithing is relevant for New Testament believers, I bring up Melchisedec, a King-Priest of Jerusalem in the Old Testament who “blessed” Abraham. And Abraham in turn gave him 10% of what he'd gathered in battle (Genesis 14). Melchisedec is referred to in the Bible as a type of Christ and, in fact, in the book of Hebrews, Jesus Christ is repeatedly referred to as “*Called of God an high priest after the order of Melchisedec*” (Hebrews 5:10).

So, now that we've established it as biblical, let's break down these four types of giving.

The Tithe

“The Blessing” Was Before “The Tithe”

“The blessing” was given to us before “the tithe.” The famous tithe scripture found in Malachi chapter 3 shows us how our giving to God works to put us back under “the blessing” that was originally bestowed on mankind.

The Word says, “*Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed Me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed Thee? In tithes and offerings. Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed Me, even this whole nation. Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in Mine house, and prove Me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground; neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the field, saith the LORD of hosts. And all nations shall call you blessed: for ye shall be a delightful land, saith the LORD of hosts*” (Malachi 3:8-12).

“The blessing” was given to man at the very beginning. What was it? It was His hand on their lives. Then He gave *direction* to mankind on how to operate within the world He had created for them. Genesis 1:27-28 says, “*So God created man in His own image, in the image of God created He him; male and female created He them. And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.*”

Notice that God's very first *words* of wisdom to mankind about how to operate under His wonderful hand of blessing are

commanded right after the blessing is given.

God said *be fruitful*—which means always producing.

God said *multiply*—which means always increasing.

God said *replenish*—which means fill and re-fill.

God said *subdue*—which means control your environment or your environment will control you.

So, Genesis reveals that “the blessing” is ours when we are in a state of obedience to God’s commands—as Adam and Eve were before they disobeyed God. And Malachi reveals that “the blessing” is also connected to the tithe—in other words, what we lost in the beginning through disobedience, we regain through obedience. Obviously, God cares about giving and honor because they reveal the condition of the heart.

So, in “the blessing” and in the commands given afterwards, God gave us answers before we ever asked questions. He gave us trees before He ever asked for seed. And those four things He told us to do—be fruitful, multiply, replenish, and subdue—are all *conditions* that go along with being blessed as we operate in life. They are actions that we must take in order to succeed and they apply to all areas of life.

Again, the “tithe,” which is *God’s portion*, is the divine connector to “the blessing,” which is *our portion* (Genesis 1:28, “*Be fruitful...*”). I want to establish that before I go further!

THE TITHE

The Motivation is OBEDIENCE

The motivation for tithing must be obedience, which is a sign that you have faith not only in God as your Father, but also in God as your Supplier and the Protector of what belongs to you. Tithing is the way for recessions/depressions to bypass you. As long as the windows of Heaven are open to you, the Word says that applying the principle of the tithe in faith will insulate you from the recessions/depressions or the tumultuousness of world economics.

Tithing holds God to His promise to open the windows of Heaven and rebuke the devourer.

What is “the devourer”? It’s anything that comes up in life that makes you spend money you don’t want to spend. It’s unexpected financial hits like your cars or appliances breaking down early or poor yields when you should have more. It’s things falling through the cracks.

We use the Scripture to understand God’s way of doing things. He asks for the tithe so there will be “meat” in His house, which is the church. So, in God’s mind, the tithe belongs to the church. It keeps it not only operating, but also flourishing so that it continues to be an outreach to the community and the world at large.

The church is a priceless asset to society. It is a place to not only learn *about* God, but also to find God as Savior and Lord and to be healed of our wounds as we unify with other human beings. The church is a place to gather and worship with others of like precious faith.

The church is a safe haven where the Word is taught and demonstrated—and the reason it’s so valuable to society is

because only God can change the heart of a man or a woman, and there must be a place for us to congregate and find strength in unity and share the teachings God gave us with the world.

You see, it takes a heart-change to see a true life-change. Once Christ is received as Savior (and that can happen anywhere), the church helps to facilitate the growth of people so that they can learn God’s ways and become what God created them to be. Society needs God because people need God, and people need each other—society is a better place when its people are better people! The tithe brings “meat” into His house and it’s a very important command from God.

Remember that God is never thinking of Himself when He asks us to do something. He has everything He needs! Ultimately, He is thinking about *us*. So, when He says, “*Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in Mine house,*” He is actually not trying to get something *from* us; He is trying to get something *to* us.

What is He trying to get to us? The blessing of living under an open windowed Heaven and protection! Read it with me now: “*...and prove Me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of Heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground; neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the field, saith the LORD of hosts. And all nations shall call you blessed: for ye shall be a delightsome land, saith the LORD of hosts.*”

We tap into the “Power Source” when we go beyond just reading those verses and start applying them and actually pulling down the promises with our faith. Tithing is supposed to be purposeful. In other words, it’s not just something you throw into the church bucket without thinking; it is a tangible way you are obeying your Father.

Nothing works without faith. So if you want tithing to “work” for you, then have faith in God. Just like you would pray for healing or the salvation of a loved one, consider what you are doing with your tithe. Quote scripture when you pray for those open windows of Heaven and pray for the rebuking of the devourer. Use the scripture in your prayers and watch God work!

Remember, the tithe is something the Word says God requires for you to be connected to “the blessing.” It’s ten percent. If ever you feel like it’s too much, remember that it’s better to be 90% blessed than 100% cursed! But don’t let the “curse” part scare you. All you have to do to get out from under the curse and instead put yourself under the blessing is to start obeying God. He knows your situation personally and sees your heart, but He requires obedience and faith in order to get what He promised. Remember, you can’t change what you didn’t do in the past, but you *can* change your future!

The “blessed” life is for you! Speak it over your own life. In fact, I suggest you pray the verse each time you tithe to remind yourself and God of His promise. Don’t feel bad about praying to God about your tithe. God *wants* you to hold Him to His promise to rebuke “*the devourer*” on your behalf! That’s why He says, “*prove Me!*” That means He wants you to *think* about what you are doing. So, don’t dismiss Him. Give God what He is due, and don’t just tithe without thinking. Instead, pull on God’s promise with your faith and the words of your mouth.

The Tithe is for Everyone Laymen, Clergy, Churches, and Organizations of All Kinds

Also, it's interesting to note that God was talking to the preachers when He talked about being robbed! Why? Because the principle of giving back a tithe was a command to everyone, but it was often taught by clergy who didn't practice it. Obviously, God wasn't too happy about that. His principle of "giving back" applies to every believer and the organizations they run...that means laymen, clergy, churches, ministries, businesses, humanitarian organizations, etc. It's an across-the-board command to the believer and we should ALL do it in obedience to God.

That's why, even though this ministry *is* a church (we are "Voice of the Covenant World Outreach Center," but we operate one part as *Jesse Duplantis Ministries*, which is the global outreach, and the other part as *Covenant Church*, which is the local outreach), we GIVE all four ways.

Cathy and I give personally, of course, but we also make sure that this organization that has been put under our care and our Board's care is also giving tithe, as well as giving in the other ways God's Word has taught us. Why? Because I don't want this ministry to live under a closed Heaven! I want to honor God with the tithe, the first fruits, the alms, and the seed! I believe that my heart and my purposeful giving is what has kept both this ministry and me personally out of deficit all these many years.

Imagine if every person and every organization tithed. Imagine how much we could do in this world!

THE FIRST FRUITS

The Motivation is GENEROSITY

The concept of first fruits was very important to the Jews, who were an agricultural society. They would bring the first part of their harvest as a special offering to God during the celebration of Pentecost. It was a way of honoring God out of their new abundance. The motivation was nothing more than generosity...and God took notice! The heart is very important to God when it comes to all giving.

There are 31 references to the principle of giving God the "first fruits" in the Bible, and the verses are found in both Old and New Testaments (referring to offerings of ourselves, both physical and spiritual), but the passage about first fruits that I want to look at today is the most straightforward when it comes to the promise of God regarding this type of giving. It tells you what you should do and what God promises to do in return.

It's found in Proverbs 3:9-10: "*Honour the LORD with thy substance, and with the first fruits of all thine increase: So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.*" So, God says that if you "honor" Him with the "first fruits" of your "INCREASE" then your "barns" (which literally means storing place) will be filled with "plenty" and your "presses" (which literally means trough or vat) will "burst" with new wine. So, this verse is about how you handle the increase of your substance. In other words, what do you do when you get blessed? For those in the Bible who were mostly dealing with

animals and agriculture, the first fruits offering was tied to the time when the crops yield their increase.

What is "first fruits" in today's world? Some believe the first fruits of your "increase" begins with a calendar year, as in the offering you give at the first of the year—the principle being that you honor God first and since it is the beginning of a New Year, what better time to show Him generosity. It's a great principle. However, I believe the first fruits extends beyond that because this type of giving is directly connected to your "increase"—and that could come at any moment and on any day during the calendar year.

So, how do I define a first fruits offering? It's what you give to God when you come into what I like to call an "extra blessing"—and it should be the "first" of ANY blessing bestowed upon you that will be ongoing in your life. This very specific type of giving is an offering ONLY GIVEN ONCE when you have increase...and it should be given FIRST as a form of honor to God.

The best modern day example I can give you for this is if you get a raise in your pay at your place of employment—this would be an actual increase in finances that you didn't have before and will be an ongoing increase in your life. The "first fruits" would be the first time you see the increase and it is an offering you only give ONCE. In other words, the increase on the first check you receive the raise on would be given as a special "first fruits" offering to God, and your motive would be generosity towards God.

Why does God *want* you to give first fruits?

First fruits shows God you're not in love with money; that's why He trusts you with it.

Again, let your motive be generosity—an offering that shows you are thankful to God for blessing you and you want to give out of the generosity of your heart. This offering shows your gratitude to God for the extra blessing He has bestowed upon you. The first fruits offering is an expression of your love and, again, it is only done ONCE.

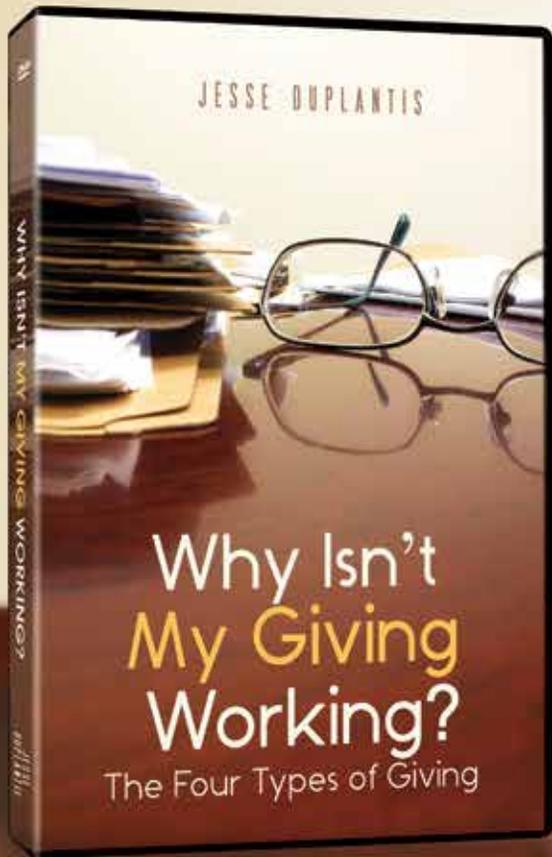
The first fruits offering is considered holy. It bridges both Testaments and, as believers, this concept is often used to link us to Christ. Romans 11:16 says, "*For if the first fruit be holy, the lump is also holy: and if the root be holy, so are the branches.*"

So, the concept of giving first fruits as a *tangible* offering is honorable and holy to God. The reward for doing so is storing places filled with plenty and troughs/vats filled with something fresh and new and bursting out. Likewise, the concept of *spiritual* first fruits is also honorable and holy to God. Jesus Christ gave Himself as a first fruits offering and we are also the first fruits of His new creation. He is the vine and holy and therefore, as His branches, we too are made holy in the sight of God.

The first fruits offering is important to God in every respect. More than most types of giving, the first fruits offering is truly heart-driven and given as a direct form of gratitude to God.

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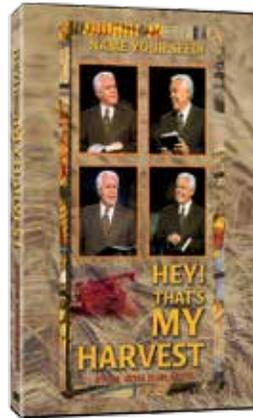
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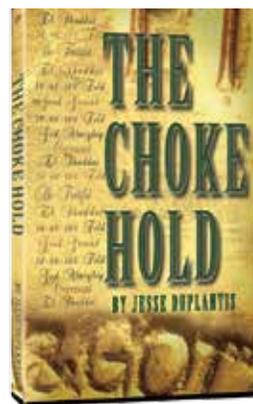
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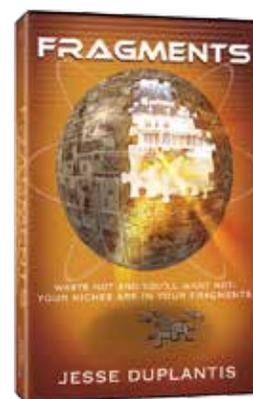
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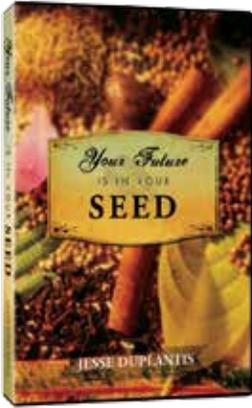
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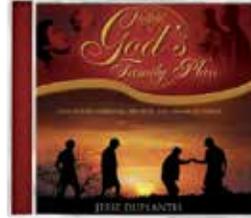
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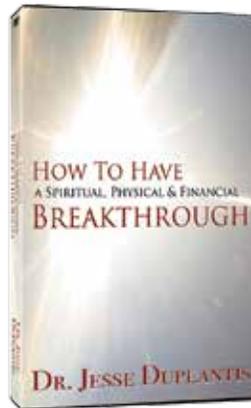
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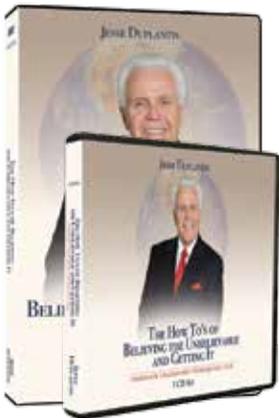
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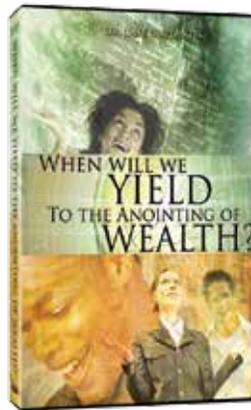


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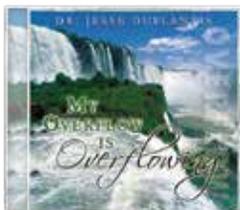
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Dream the Impossible

CATHY DUPLANTIS



I love the energy and faith that saturates the atmosphere of JDM at the start of a new year. This year, we are especially expectant because of the powerful word that God has given to us for 2013 to, "Believe the Unbelievable and Receive the Impossible!"

This is a powerful command that has the ability to ignite a huge fire in the hearts of all who will hear it and obey it. No matter how unbelievable our dreams may seem to others, we need to realize today that this is our year to receive the impossible. It is time to get stirred up and believe the impossible things that God wants to accomplish this year.

Isaiah 55:8-11 says, *"For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways My ways, saith the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways, and My thoughts than your thoughts. 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: 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."*

In the above passage of scripture, the Prophet Isaiah compared God's way of operation to a seed. God wanted us to understand the way He operates. When God speaks His Word from His mouth, it is never void or without power of fulfillment. That is how the world was created. He sent His Word and expected it to prosper and accomplish results and so should you.

I believe that every dream from God began as a seed from God's mouth to the soil of your heart. Isaiah made it clear that that's exactly how God gets His thoughts into the Earth. Since we were created in His image and in His

likeness, He expects us to operate on this Earth in the same way that He does. Our dream may still be in the seed stage, but it will never grow to maturity until we begin to speak it out of our mouths.

Jesus also taught this seed principle in Mark 4:30-32: *"And He said, Whereunto shall we liken the kingdom of God? or with what comparison shall we compare it? It is like a grain*

of mustard seed, which, when it is sown in the earth, is less than all the seeds that be in the earth: But when it is sown, it groweth up, and becometh greater than all herbs, and shooteth out great branches; so that the fowls of the air may lodge under the shadow of it."

Understanding this principle of the seed is vitally important to seeing the fulfillment of our dreams because that is how the kingdom of God operates. In fact, when explaining the parable of the seed in Mark 4:13, Jesus told His disciples that if they didn't know this, then they couldn't know anything

about God's way of doing things.

In verses 15-19 of Mark 4, Jesus revealed three things that will choke and suffocate the Word and stop the Word from producing fruit. I call them dream killers.

Beware of the Dream Killers

Have you ever shared your dream with the wrong person? You may still cringe at the memory of their harsh words or mocking laughter as you told them about the deepest hope of your heart. That's a dream killer. Although they may not have realized it, they were used by the devil to rob God's promise from your heart and stop the fulfillment of your dream. That is why it is vitally important for us to become wise to the works of the devil and be aware of his tactics.

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placed on my heart, he said, “You know, the great thing about dreams is that they never have an expiration date.” Isn’t that great? God has not given up on your dream and neither should you. Even if your dream has been aborted, God is ready to resurrect it and breathe life into it once again.

You can walk in divine healing and prosperity. Your loved ones can be saved and love can be restored into your home. You may have a dream of owning your own business that is yet to be fulfilled. Or, it may be that God has placed a call to the ministry on your life and it is still in the dream stage. Regardless of what is in your heart, God desires for you to attain every promise in His Word so that your dreams will be fulfilled.

Dream Killer #1: Doubt

This dream killer should be very familiar to us because the devil does not have any new tricks. He tried this one on Adam and Eve in the garden (Genesis 3) and later on Jesus in the wilderness (Luke 4). Although Satan succeeded in killing God’s dream for mankind, the second Adam (Jesus) did not fall into his trap.

And these are they by the way side, where the word is sown; but when they have heard, Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word that was sown in their hearts.

Mark 4:15

Jesus wanted us to recognize that once God’s Word is sown into your heart, the devil will come immediately to take away the Word by planting his words of doubt. He may try to sound theological, but his only motive is to kill your dream and stop God’s promise from coming to pass. The devil does not want any of God’s children healed or prosperous. He wants to keep you sick and in debt. But Jesus came so that we could have and enjoy life to the full, until it overflows (John 10:10 AMP).

Years ago, Jesse and I didn’t understand that we couldn’t tell our dreams to just anyone. Sometimes people tried to kill our dreams with their doubt. Maybe it was too big for them to grasp but, then again, it wasn’t their dream; it was ours.

When Jesse told someone that God said our ministry would one day have a jet, that man laughed in his face and said, “You will never get a jet. You don’t have enough money to put gas in your little Toyota!” That person was just looking at what he could see. But we were looking at the Word, and we focused on the One that specializes in doing the impossible.

Dream Killer #2: Offense

Once the first dream killer of doubt has taken away God’s Word from your heart, the next stage will always be offense.

And these are they likewise which are sown on stony ground; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness;

And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word’s sake, immediately they are offended.

Mark 4:16-17

Some people think they have a right to be offended, never recognizing this tactic of the devil to kill their dream and rob God’s promise from their life. But offense is a killer of dreams. If you allow it to take hold of you, it will rob you of every bit of joy, peace, and hope.

In the early years of our ministry, Jesse had many opportunities to get offended. Several pastors stole the offerings that people designated for our ministry, yet he kept going back to their churches. I was not as forgiving as Jesse and it irritated me to see him accept invitations from those pastors. When I asked Jesse why he went back, he told me that he refused to be offended and his concern was only for the people that would be ministered to during the meetings. Today, Jesse has ministered in thousands of different churches in 35 years of ministry. He is loved the world over because he refused to allow a few corrupt pastors kill his dream to preach the Gospel to the world.

Dream Killer #3: Cares of this World

Several years ago, Jesse and I spent some time with an elderly couple. During our conversation, they shared their disappointment about not having seen the fulfillment of their dream. When they were young, they knew that God had called them to preach the Gospel, but they never felt that there was a convenient time to step out. The more they talked, Jesse and I could clearly see why they were frustrated so late in their life. Over the years, they made decisions that pulled them off course and away from their dream. The cares of this world came in and literally choked the Word right out of their heart.

And these are they which are sown among thorns; such as hear the word,

And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.

Mark 4:18-19

Dreams sent by God will never be fulfilled if your heart is shallow and crowded with the cares of this world. You need to get rooted in God's Word so that you can grow and become fruitful. No root equals no fruit.

Once you establish your heart on God's Word, you will still need to stay sharp and continually guard against things that will choke the life out of your dream. Determine today to get rooted in God's Word so that no devil from hell can kill your dream.

The Word of God: A Dream Accomplisher

God's Word has supernatural power to produce life to all those that hear it and receive it. Mark 4:20 says, *"And these are they which are sown on good ground; such as hear the word, and receive it, and bring forth fruit, some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some an hundred."* Each time you hear God's Word, your heart is being cultivated and nurtured toward dream fulfillment (1 Timothy 4:6).

I have realized that there are three basic stages toward dream fulfillment:

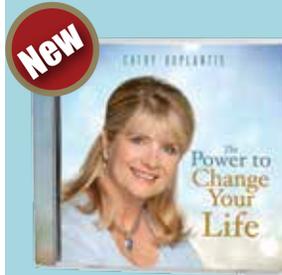
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The first stage is when the dream is conceived. Then, once a dream is conceived, it must be perceived. This second stage will require extensive time with God in His Word so that you can fully understand the vision and receive step-by-step instructions from Him. When you are obedient to follow those steps, you will move into the third dream stage and receive the fulfillment of your dream.

Never make apologies for the size of your dream. Just one God-related thought has the power to bring you out of lack and into abundance. I heard about a Christian woman in Texas that had a thought to produce chocolates to look like tiny hot tamales. Jesse brought home a palm-sized wooden crate full of those delicious chocolates from a meeting one night. Now, I am sure that the dream killers came by her house more than once, but they could not stop this lady. I have heard that she is making millions of dollars from that one idea.

Every success story you will ever hear about began as a thought or a seed in the soil of someone's heart. It can happen to you, too! Refuse to allow the dream killers of doubt, offense, and the cares of this world to steal what rightfully belongs to you. It is time to dream the impossible and expect to see your dreams accomplished. 🌍

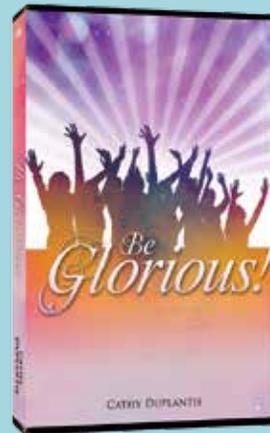
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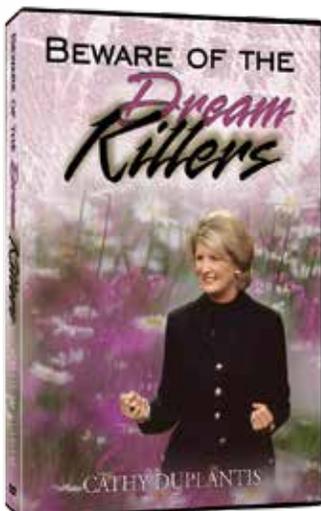
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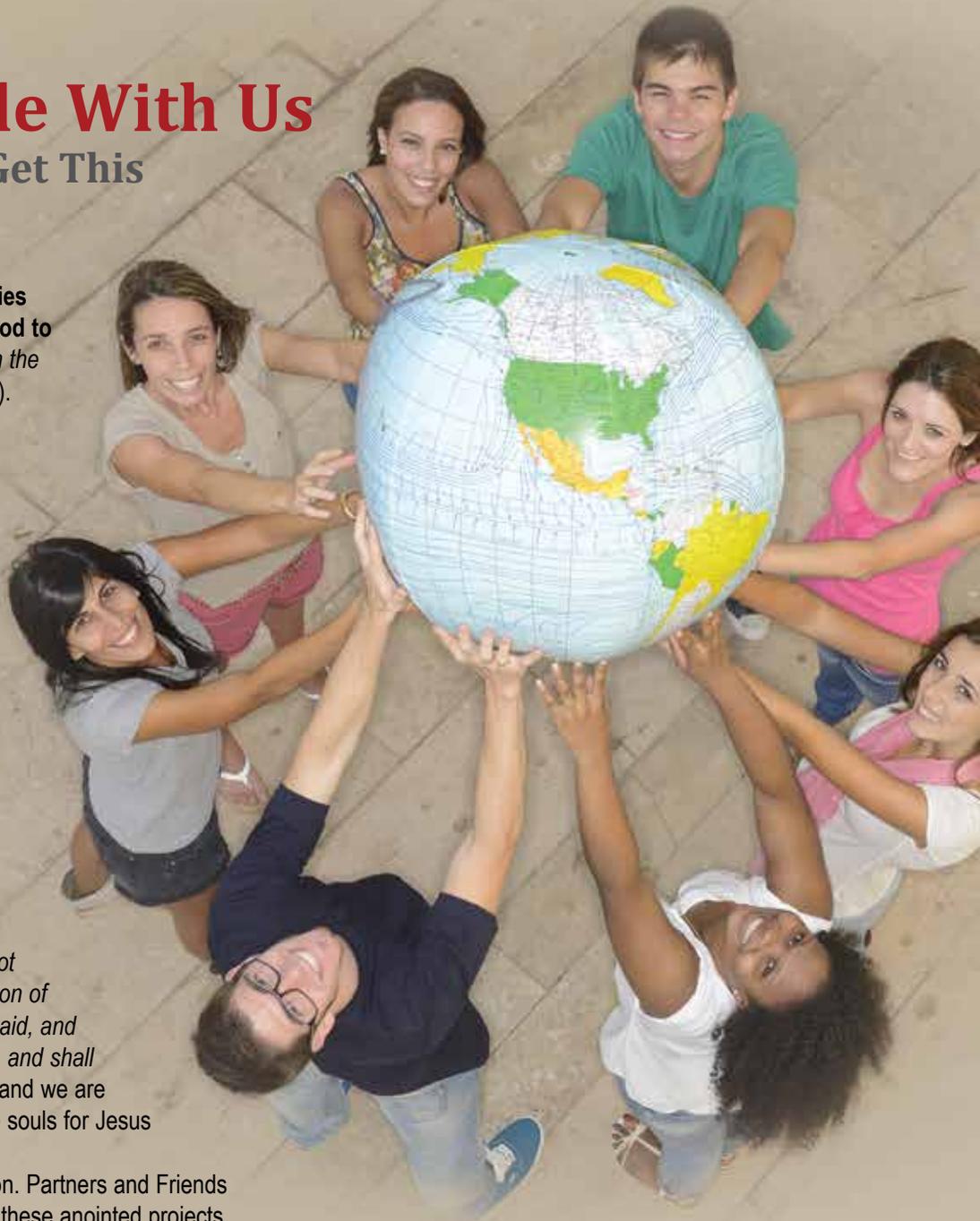
Since 1978, Jesse Duplantis Ministries has been committed to the call of God to

“...Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature” (Mark 16:15).

The year 2013 is here and as we celebrate 35 years of full-time ministry, our heart continues to cry out for the lost to hear the great message of salvation through our Lord Jesus so they can be saved.

Under the direction of the Holy Spirit, we are believing God for unbelievable opportunities to build the Kingdom bigger! As you see throughout the pages of this magazine, we have several projects in place dedicated to this very purpose. God has breathed a new urgency in each of these undertakings and our faith has been ignited! We are standing on His Word in Numbers 23:19 that says, “*God is not a man that He should lie; neither the son of man, that He should repent: hath He said, and shall He not do it? Or hath He spoken, and shall He not make it good?*” God cannot lie and we are ready to receive the impossible—more souls for Jesus than we could ever ask or think!

Today, people are catching our vision. Partners and Friends like you are joining our efforts through these anointed projects and together, we are getting this world saved. The unbelievable and the impossible is here—we’re reaching more people and changing more lives, one soul at a time!



**35 YEARS OF REACHING
PEOPLE, CHANGING LIVES,
ONE SOUL AT A TIME**

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What a blessing the Partner Letters from Brother Jesse and the *Voice of the Covenant* magazine articles are, particularly from Sister Cathy. Every month the revelations deepen due to the words they have written. I continue to see increased favor and all manner of blessings and turn-arounds in my art ministry, my life, and my family. Thank you for standing with me through this patch as the Lord established us in new ground.

Thank you for your Partner Letters and prayers. I indeed feel like a real Partner to you all. How fortunate I am to be a part of this ministry. Thank you for all that you do.

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We would all be successful in every area of life, like Jesse, if we learned this book, *Distortion*. Every believer needs to understand and implement what God's Word says and Jesse does an amazing job bringing God's truths to life through *Distortion*.

If every Christian would read this book, they would be set free from any confusion from their religious past and be able to clearly hear from God Himself...without any human mind, with all its carnal limitations, distorting the truth.

Australia

Reading your book *Distortion: The Vanity of Genetically Altered Christianity* was amazing! I want and need to read it again. What a joy!

It also says in 2 Chronicles 26:5 that King Uzziah, “sought God in the days of Zechariah, who had understanding in the visions of God.” The Amplified translation says, “He set himself to seek God in the days of Zechariah, who instructed him.” In what did Zechariah instruct King Uzziah? He taught him how to have the visions of God. There is a marginal note in my Bible that says the Hebrew literal meaning “the visions of God” is “in the seeing of God.” King Uzziah set himself to seek God and he found a mentor that literally instructed him in the “seeing of God.”

How does someone see God? Is it even possible? Well, there must be a way to do it because Zechariah taught King Uzziah how. That is what made King Uzziah a visionary leader: he had visions; he had supernatural sight. Supernatural sight is seeing things from God’s perspective, but it is also supernatural sightings of God, the things of God, and the things God wants someone to see. Why did he have visions?

First, it says he, “set himself to seek God.” Have you ever noticed the first three letters of the word “seek” are “see”? The two words are similar. There are times in life when if you really want to see something, then you will first have to seek it. In fact, the more rare and beautiful something is, the more likely it is that you will need to be diligent in your search. King Uzziah “set himself” to “seek.” It wasn’t about the search itself—he wasn’t seeking for seeking’s sake—King Uzziah was seeking God. It was a priority for him to have encounters with God. Can you imagine how busy he must have been ruling the nation of Israel? Nevertheless, King Uzziah “set himself” to “seek.” King Uzziah wasn’t seeking a vision; He was seeking God. But because he sought God, he did see things and he also saw things differently.

Set yourself; make it a priority to seek God. At the height of his most active season of ministry, the great reformer Martin Luther said, “I have so much business I cannot get on without spending three hours daily in prayer.” Yet I have also heard Dr. Jesse Duplantis say, “People are often surprised when they hear me say I don’t pray a lot, but I do spend a LOT of time talking with God.” I love that. Some people are so busy they don’t have time to pray. But some people are so busy praying, they don’t have time to talk with God, which is really what prayer is anyway: a two-way fellowship with God. The Amplified translation of 2 Chronicles 26:5 says that as long as King Uzziah “inquired of” the LORD, God made him prosper. To “inquire” means “to seek for information or truth by asking questions.” In other words, King Uzziah spent time talking WITH

God—he asked questions—and God answered His questions.

The Amplified translation of 2 Chronicles 26:5 also says King Uzziah “yearned for the LORD.” To “yearn” means, “to have a fixed and focused desire.” In his book *The Everyday Visionary*, Dr. Jesse Duplantis also writes, “Focused and determined thoughts become mental maps that are taking you somewhere. Those types of thoughts aren’t just dreams, they are pre-actions! They are the passionate thoughts that get you moving and doing.”

This is one of the marks of a visionary leader: a fixed and focused desire for the LORD Himself. God will not reveal Himself where He must compete for attention and affection. Jesus said that the pure in heart will *SEE* God (Matthew 5:8). The Greek word translated as “pure” means “to be undivided.” The heart of a visionary leader yearns for the LORD. It is fixed and focused upon Him. It is full of passion that gets them moving towards Him. Notice that Jesus didn’t say you would have to wait to get to Heaven to be a visionary. All that is needed is an undivided heart. If you draw near to Him on Earth, He promises that He will draw near to you. In fact, Jesus said that the Father is *SEEKING* true worshippers (John 4:23). If you are looking for God, worship Him. He will find you!

Later in 2 Chronicles chapter 26, it says that “*God helped*” King Uzziah (verse 7). As George Muller, founder of an orphanage that fed thousands of children daily, once said, “Be assured, if you walk with Him and look to Him, and expect help from Him, He will never fail you.” So, make a decision to start being a visionary leader today. Your world desperately needs men and women who will see the unseen, believe the unbelievable, and receive the impossible. 🌐



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2013 Visionary Leadership

Are you ready to believe the unbelievable and receive the impossible? Are you willing to do what it takes to see your vision come to pass, to walk in your destiny and live out your dreams...to live the life you were always meant to live? If the answer is yes to any one of these questions, then save the date now and make plans to attend my **5th Annual Visionary Leadership Conference on April 18-19, 2013.**

Whether you're a pastor, minister, business leader, entrepreneur, staff member, or someone who wants to reach higher and aspire to fulfill your dreams, then this Conference is for you. It will be held at Jesse Duplantis Ministries International Headquarters in the greater New Orleans area with services on Thursday, April 18 at 7pm, and Friday, April 19 at 10am and 7pm. In addition to these three main services in which I will be preaching the Word and ministering, there will be 4 workshops by other speakers on Friday afternoon for church and marketplace leaders. There's something for everyone and you don't want to miss it!

All of our conferences and events at JDM are free of charge and open to everyone, but we do need you to register online at jdm.org. Simply follow the link to the 2013 Visionary Leadership Conference and let us know you're coming. It's that easy! You can register for the workshops at that time as well. You'll also find information and links to our host hotels for the conference along with special room rates just for you. I encourage you to invite anyone you know who is ready to believe the unbelievable and receive the impossible in their life, business, or ministry.

As Cathy and I embark upon 35 years in ministry in 2013, we have a stirring in our hearts to reach more people and change more lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We are fired up to move up even higher and we know that there is absolutely nothing impossible with God!

I hope you're already making plans to attend the 2013 Visionary Leadership Conference this April. It will be wonderful to be with others that are ready to believe the unbelievable and receive the impossible! I'm ready...how about you?

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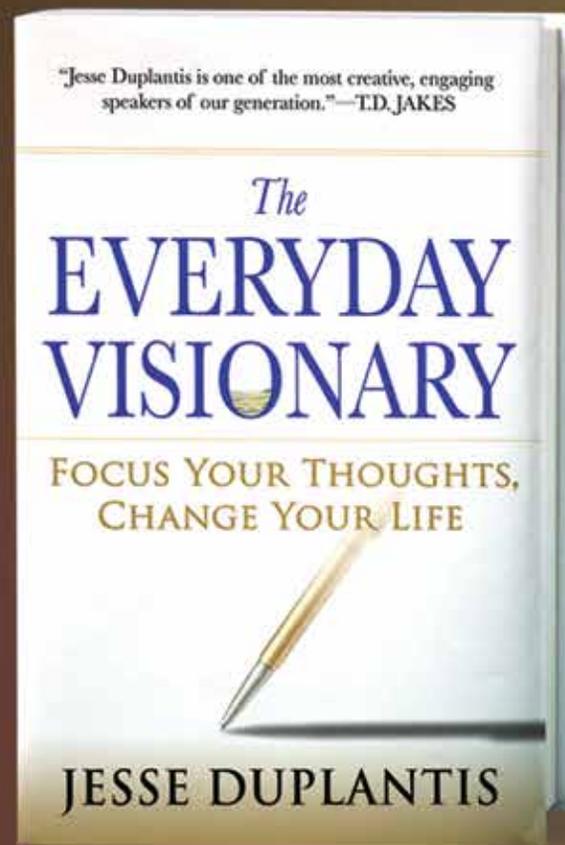
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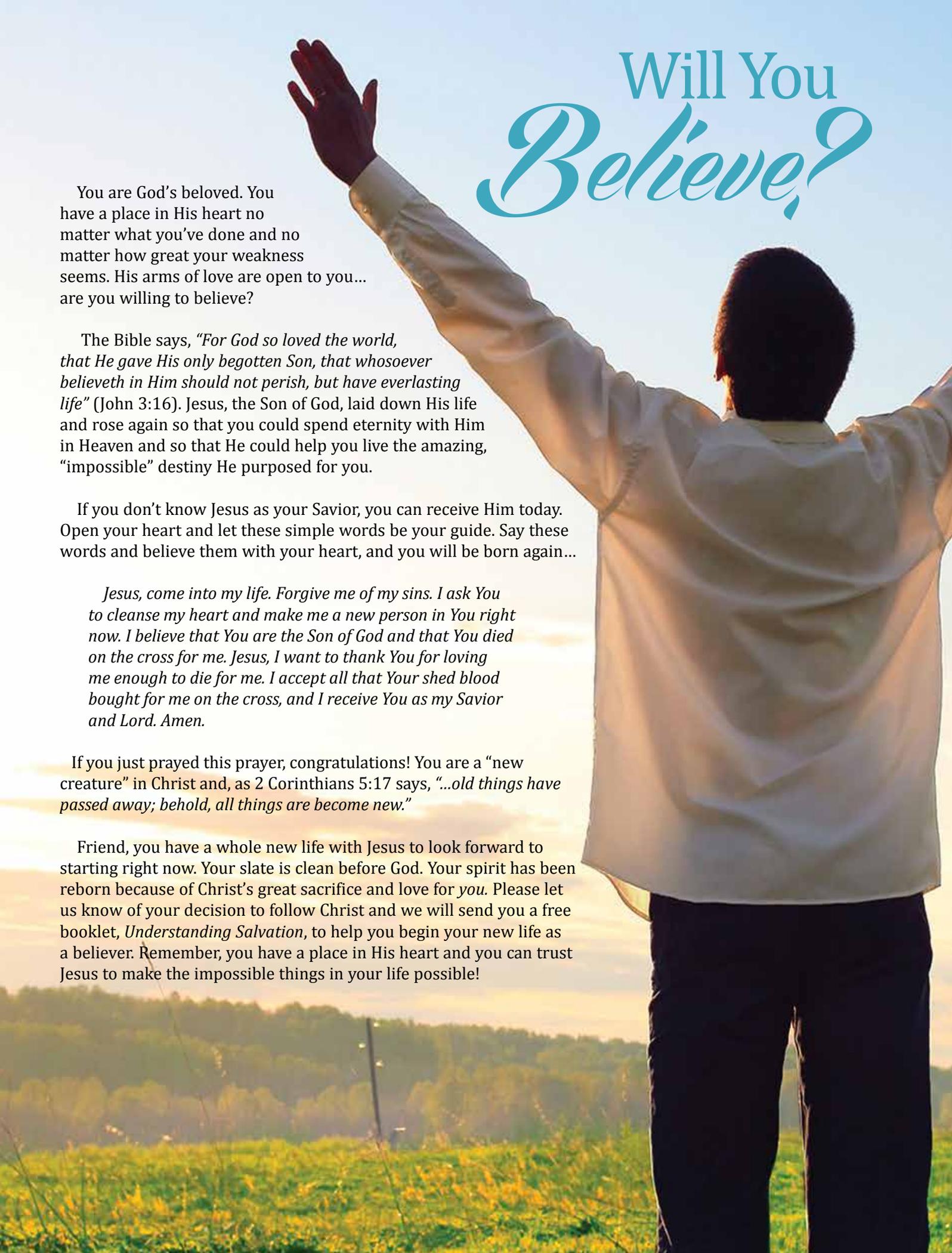
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Focus Your Thoughts, Change Your Life

Life is about dreaming, doing, and enjoying yourself in the process. Sometimes it might seem as if your dreams are just too wildly improbable, or there are too many obstacles standing in your way, or you've missed your window of opportunity. But if those dreams are divinely inspired, hope is far from lost. You just need to know how to visualize the path to your dream to make it a reality.

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Will You Believe?

You are God's beloved. You have a place in His heart no matter what you've done and no matter how great your weakness seems. His arms of love are open to you... are you willing to believe?

The Bible says, *"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life"* (John 3:16). Jesus, the Son of God, laid down His life and rose again so that you could spend eternity with Him in Heaven and so that He could help you live the amazing, "impossible" destiny He purposed for you.

If you don't know Jesus as your Savior, you can receive Him today. Open your heart and let these simple words be your guide. Say these words and believe them with your heart, and you will be born again...

Jesus, come into my life. Forgive me of my sins. I ask You to cleanse my heart and make me a new person in You right now. I believe that You are the Son of God and that You died on the cross for me. Jesus, I want to thank You for loving me enough to die for me. I accept all that You shed blood bought for me on the cross, and I receive You as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

If you just prayed this prayer, congratulations! You are a "new creature" in Christ and, as 2 Corinthians 5:17 says, *"...old things have passed away; behold, all things are become new."*

Friend, you have a whole new life with Jesus to look forward to starting right now. Your slate is clean before God. Your spirit has been reborn because of Christ's great sacrifice and love for you. Please let us know of your decision to follow Christ and we will send you a free booklet, *Understanding Salvation*, to help you begin your new life as a believer. Remember, you have a place in His heart and you can trust Jesus to make the impossible things in your life possible!