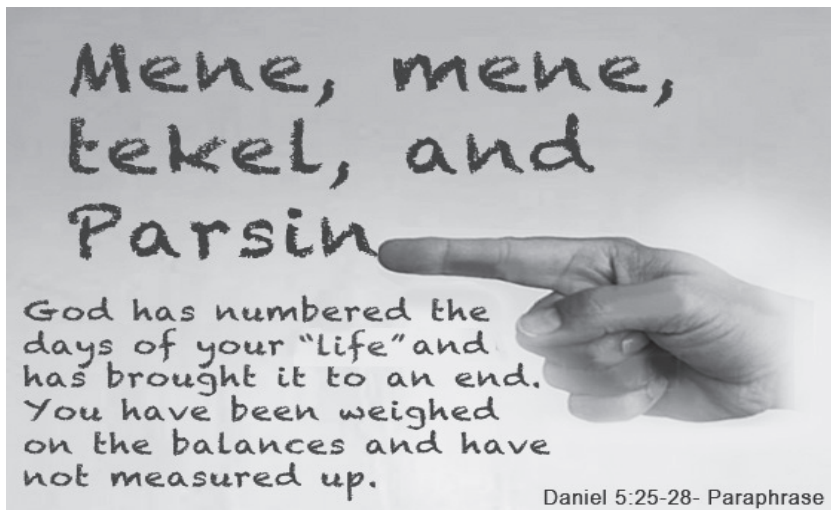


Does God write His instructions on the walls of our homes or in the tenderness of our hearts?



by Lynn Everett McBride - director

I don't know how many times, I wish God would write His instructions on a wall in our home. It is easier to see the visible, than listen to the quite voice of God.

But, we are not alone in this experience. In 1 Kings 19, Elijah had been running from Jezebel and was fearing for his life. Why was he hiding and whining under a Broom tree?

God asked, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" God knew where Elijah was and what was in his heart, but He wanted him to confess his fears. Elijah said, "I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me, too." (Verse 10)

God told him, "Go out and stand before me on the mountain." Why!

Victory does not happen while we are hiding, but when we stand before God with an open, honest heart and ready to do His mighty work.

There was then a mighty windstorm, followed with an earthquake, a fire, and finally a "gentle voice."

What did Elijah do when he heard the gentle voice? He "wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood before God."

God asked for the second time, "What are you doing here?" Elijah said, "I have zealously served the Lord God Almighty. But the people of Israel have broken their covenant with you,

torn down your altars, and killed every one of your prophets. I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me, too."

Then the Lord told him, "Go back the same way you came, and travel to the wilderness of Damascus."

In other words, "Go back to where you left off and finish what needs to be done."

How many followers of Christ have never finished what was assigned for them to do and are running from God?

We are in a critical time in the history of America and the world in general.

Never in the history of mankind, did we ever think that the governments of the world could "take over" our lives and tell us what we can and cannot do. News commentators say they have never seen or experienced such a critical time in the history of the world. This is not just in America, but everywhere.

This type of rule is demonstrated by dictator socialist leaders like in Venezuela and not by, "we the people of America."

Throughout the world, Christians are being persecuted by the thousands and abortion is killing God's children and yet we who call ourselves Christians are hiding in fear.

We are at time when Christians need to be listening to the "still small voice" of God and do what we are supposed to do.

God's voice will not be as a hand on the wall, a mighty windstorm, earthquake or fire, but in a "gentle voice."

My prayer for us is — we will stop living in fear of what is going on around us and listen to what God is telling us to do.

2020 Volunteer Training DATES

El Dorado Correctional Facility

Tuesday, September 1 - Cancelled

NEW Volunteers Arrive from 5:00 to 5:15

for training session from 5:30 pm – 10:00 pm

Meet at EDCF Central, for Fingerprinting & ID

ANNUAL Volunteers Arrive from 6:30 to 6:45

for training session from 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Meet at EDCF Central, then go to Visitation Room

Saturday, NOV. 7th — Still uncertain

NEW Volunteers 7:45 am – 12:30 pm

Meet at EDCF Control for Fingerprinting & ID

ANNUAL Volunteers 9:30 am – 12:30 pm

**Meet at EDCF Main Facility — in the
Spiritual Life Center Chapel**

**Chaplain - Herbie Harris 316-321-7284
extension 22308**

**Chaplain - Rose Jones 316-321-7284
extension 22306**

**— or — Amber Hoffman,
amber.hoffman@ks.gov
316-321-7284 - Ext 22362**

**— or — Central Kansas Prison Ministry
316-733-1537**

***Mentoring4Success* Training Information:**

**ALL TRAINING and ACTIVITY
has been CANCELLED
until Further Notice.**

***To register, please contact
Tanya Husselman 316-613-7237
or Tanya.Husselman@ks.gov**

**All Volunteer Training Sessions
are subject to change and revision.**

Hutchinson Correctional Facility

Next Training — Unless Cancelled

Monday - September 21

next

Monday November 16

New Volunteer Training — 12:30 pm to 4:00 pm

Annual Volunteer Training — 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

*****All Training will be held in the Old School House
on the Central Unit Campus.**

Contact Information:

Sue Stoecklein for more details.

620-625-7380 - Sue.Stoecklein1@ks.gov

Oswego Correctional Facility

Oswego, Kansas

CANCELLED - Until notice

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Winfield Correctional Facility

UNLESS CANCELLED

Saturday - September 19

Annual Volunteer Training 9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

Winfield Correctional, 1806 Pinecrest Circle, Winfield

Saturday - October 3

Current Volunteer Training 9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

Bethel Life Center, 3777 S. Meridian, Wichita, KS

**Contact: Chaplain Grady Osborn
Grady.Osborn@ks.gov
Phone 620-705-6026**

Calling Volunteers this past month

Since March 2020, when the Covid-19 virus shut down volunteer work inside prison walls, it became necessary to handle the Match2 mentoring through a PenPal program. It is going great.

Also, I began keeping in-touch with volunteers through email and video clips.

This past month, I felt it necessary to call the Match2 and Bible study volunteers to check on them.

I am happy to report that things are going great with most of them. There are about three situations on-going that requires our prayers. So, please pray for the health and perseverance of our volunteers.

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The Days are Coming Glenn Lygrisse

Bible teacher at his church and online devotional thoughts. Glenn is also part of the Match2 mentoring and former president of Central Kansas Prison Ministry.

“Are they ashamed of their loathsome conduct? No, they have no shame at all; they do not even know how to blush. So they will fall among the fallen; they will be brought down when I punish them,” says the LORD. Jeremiah 6:15

Comment: This is a stinging description and condemnation of the times in which we live. We have tolerated evil so long we think it is “normal.” As this verse indicates we will repeat the folly of those before us, (“...fall among the fallen...”).

Not only are we falling into the same trap, we are doing it faster and with more gusto. As individuals we need to turn to God, we cannot wait for some “leader” to lead us to a mythical ever changing utopia. Reject the evil of kneeling to the hate groups and stand in humility for the blessings of Christ.

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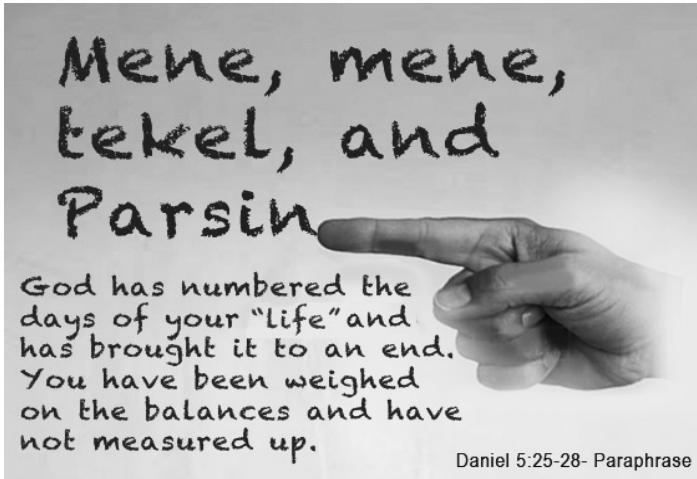
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If you were as wicked as King Belshazzar, God just might need to scare you to death. (Daniel 5)

Actually, in today's world it is a "still small voice" that speaks to us.

I am asked so many times, "How does a person hear God speak?"



— See full story on front page —

The "Working Men for Christ" ministry offers Home Services



Spencer Lindsey, now is the overseer of *Working Men for Christ* and 10 re-entry homes in Kansas.

At these homes, many men and women are ready to work, not just businesses in Wichita or Topeka, but around your home.

It includes lawn mowing, handyman repair, construction and many other helps. Call them today: 316-364-1655 or 316-440-0141 or 785-285-2131.

Prayer Request from Chaplains

Right now, at all Kansas Correctional Facilities, the chaplains are overworked, since volunteers cannot come in to oversee Bible Studies and the Mentoring program.

I asked Chaplain Harris what prayer request he had. He said, "Just need to get this virus over, so we can get back to the ministry at hand."



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