

Prevailing In spite of the Problems Are you Growing? Part 2

Sharing what we are going through could help someone else. It is not to judge anyone or even looking down anyone. The fruit of the Conversation is we all have issues and struggles. This is important catch this nugget. How we act, and what we determine in the heat of moment. Determine the next page of the chapter of your life, the nations, ~~and~~ our government and in our communities. We all need to grow from something. The same bunkmate I was talking about in Part 1 of this writing. I was having conversation about this lady who lives in our dorm. She is lady who feels that she don't need to change anything because she was saved and filled with the Holy Spirit when she came into this place. She faithfully read her bible. I've taken her two christian books. That she said she read and didn't. ~~At the~~ She pose as a nice lady but she is not. When I took her the book and walked off. I heard her and the lady's bunkmate talking bad about me. So the Holy Spirit said go back in tell her if she don't want to read the book it's ok, I can pass it along to someone else. I got to the door it suddenly got quiet. I said I called her name, I said I can pass the book to someone else. Nah, Nah. I haven't looked at it yet. I haven't decided whether I am going to read it or not - just fake.

This morning, when people got up this morning they wanted to see the news about where this storm hit and the damage it had done. So here it is this individual I know is fake, setting at the table where I was sitting. She begin to pray I was talking meteorology class I took in Ashland University. This lady was praying under her breathe for me to move and shut up as if I was satan. She is white I've ~~not~~ realize that she really do not like black people. I've caught her laughing when we talk. But you say you love the Lord. and you are a devout christian. The reason she here is because her deceased husband did something he won't suppose to, she took his punishment. I was talking to my bunkmate about this lady reaction to me this morning. I said if I was weak in my faith that could have discourage ~~me~~ me and cause me to question my faith in God.

So in the midst of me talking to my bunkmate. She got convicted for some things she was doing. Later on as she came back in told me. Before she left the room I was talking to her about the situation immediately she got on her self. I said ~~that~~ everything is not about you - you need to die to self take yourself out of equation. I was about Mrs. _____. I said the bible you know them by their fruits my bunkmates who supposedly be a woman of God storms out of the room. Later she came saying she got something out of what I said it helped her. We are in the last days so we have to be prayerful and watchful who is amongst us. Jesus teaches about fruit in people's lives Luke 7:15-19.

Watch out for false prophets. They come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ferocious wolves. By their fruit you ~~will~~ will recognize them. Do people pick grapes from thornbushes or fig from thistles? Likewise every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. A good tree cannot bear bad fruit and a bad tree cannot bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Thus, by their fruit you will recognize them. We should evaluate teachers words by examining their lives. Just as trees are consistent in the kind of fruit they produce, good teachers are consistently exhibit good behavior and high moral character as they attempt to live out the Scripture. This does not mean we should have witch hunts throwing out Church School teachers, Pastors and others who are less than perfect. Everyone of us is subject to sin, and we must show the same mercy to others that we need for ourselves. When Jesus talks about bad trees, he ~~was~~ means teacher who deliberately teach false doctrine. We must examine the teachers' motives, the direction they are taking and the results they are seeking.

I went to bible study Thursday. A girl from my dorm went as well. She wanted to be delivered from cursing. I reflected back on myself as a Christian. One day somebody in the dorm was constantly nagging and nit-picking. Which I got done like that alot because beside Mrs. Jennifer thinks she is Mrs. Perfect. The same people who started the fire and then act like they the victim. Oh the flesh pisses me off. Remember I am a Christian.

As a Christian I know about Ephesians 6:10-17 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the power of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Even though I know this I curse someone out in a heart beat and ready to fight? Someone would say you such a hypocrite, look at you ain't changed. Am I or do I want to grow from that? People of the world is now persecuting me. Girt she sing in that choir and professing to be a Christian. So am I fake or hypocrite. The truth of the matter I am neither one. A person that is fake in the church is posing as an angel of light luring people into sin wanting ~~them to go down~~ to influence as many people as they can to do the wrong things. A hypocrite is a person - critical, captious, caviling, carping, censorious, fault finding - characterized by the pretense or affectation of having virtues, principles or belief that one does not actually have. Syn: ~~Self~~ sanctimony, pharisaism, cant.

Jesus teaches about Judging others Luke 6:41: Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? How can you say to your brother, Brother, let me take the speck out of your eye, when you yourself fail to see the plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your eye and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye. We should not be so afraid of the label hypocrite that we stand still in our Christian life, hiding our faith and making no attempts to grow. A person who tries to do right but often fails is not a hypocrite. Neither are those who fulfill their duty even when they don't feel like doing it. Often it is necessary and good to set aside our desires in order to do what needs to be done, it is not hypocrisy to be weak in faith. A hypocrite is a person who only puts on religious behavior in order to gain attention approval, acceptance or admiration from others.

Jesus reminds us that our speech and actions reveal our true underlying beliefs, attitudes, and motivation. The good impressions we try to make cannot last if we are being deceptive. What is in your heart will come out in your speech and behavior. Yes people can allow the devil to use them or we can allow him to use us as vessel. At the end of the day a forgiving spirit demonstrates that a person has received God's forgiveness. When you forgive others, some people you will have to walk away from if they can't help you grow. Matthew 6:37-38 Jesus used the picture of measuring grain in a basket to ensure the full amount. If we are critical rather than compassionate, we will also receive criticism. If we treat others generously, graciously, and compassionately however, these qualities will come back to us in full measure. We are to love others, not judge them.

So here is Jennifer Johnson, my little perfect thinks she is better than others. People bragging they are the best buck maker. A form of liquor they make from fruits. I was introduced to it at my father in law house because he did 5 years in prison. I taste his brand and three other people I've come contact. The church girl drinking she suppose to be a christian. Did I get drunk? Unlike some church folks get straight drunk. No I didn't get drunk, I taste the brand. Am I young to be hell absolutely not. People will keep you out of church if you allow them to. Because of incorrect teachings. Today I want to reveal the biblical truth behind drinking. Genesis 9:20-27 ~~about~~ Noah, the great hero of faith got drunk - a poor example of godliness to his sons. Perhaps this story is ~~included~~ included to show us that even godly people can sin and that their bad influence affects their families. Although the wicked people had all been killed, the possibility of evil still existed in the hearts of Noah and his family. Ham's mocking attitude revealed a severe lack of respect for his father and for God. In the book Esther 1:10-11 Xerxes made a rash, half-drunk decision, based purely on feelings. His self-restraint and practical wisdom were weakened by too much wine. Poor decisions are made when people don't think clearly. Based your decisions on careful thinking, not on the ~~the~~ emotions of the moment. Impulsive decision-making leads to severe complications.

However, the soothing comfort of alcohol is only temporary. Real relief comes from dealing with the cause of the anguish and sorrow and turning to God for peace. Don't lose yourself in alcohol; find yourself in God. ~~Drunkness~~ Drunkenness might be understandable ~~among~~ among dying people great pain but it is inexcusable for leaders and national leaders. Alcohol clouds the mind and can lead to injustice and poor decisions. Leaders have better things to do than anesthetize themselves with alcohol. We call grow from this information. So being in a place where you have cursing, tongue and quick temper. We go to pray it's been days that I have not go a temper or curse. Pray every day and night.

Heavenly father, your word says life and death are in the power of my tongue. Please forgive me for using my mouth in ways that don't glorify you. I renounce all corrupt communication, every form of evil speech, and all sinful acts [be specific as the Holy Spirit leads] I surrender my tongue to you and declare that my ~~new~~ words will be used to edify. From this moment forth may my speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt. I decree that my words will be used to edify and build your Kingdom, not for gossip, backbiting or any other form of negative talk. In Jesus's Name. Amen

Prayer by Alexander Pagan

We can Prevail In spite of the problems cause we are trying to grow. Why settle for less when we can be more and have more in life. The Next level is always where we should want to be because we are the King's kid. We say we are Royalty we need to act like in spite of what other people say about us or even what they do to us. Cause at the end of the day. They don't have a heaven or hell to place in God do. So pick yourself up, hold your head high and walk

in position where nobody can discourage, make your temper flare, degrade you or put you in a ~~lowly position~~ lowly position in your life. Today is a day of redemption and freedom. ~~you~~ If you are struggling let's pray: Pray this every day and night if you want to.

Heavenly Father, I come to you today asking you to lead me not into temptation but to deliver me from the evil one. Search my temple and uncover any demons hiding in my life. Reveal any areas that I have not fully surrender to you. [Address any spirits the Holy Spirit shows you, repenting of whatever actions gave them legal access, renouncing them out loud, and releasing blessing in their place.] I choose today to serve you with my whole heart. Thank you, Lord for setting me free! In Jesus's name Amen!

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Galatian 2:20 I have been crucified and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. I do not set aside the grace of God, for ~~it~~ if righteousness could be gained through the law Christ died for nothing. How have our old selves been crucified with Christ? Legally, God looks at us as if we had died with Christ. Because our sins died with him, we are no longer condemned (Holy Bible Colossians 2:13-15). Relationally, we have become one with Christ, and his experiences are ours. Our Christian life began when, in unity with him, we died to our old life (see Romans 6:5-11). In our daily life, we must regularly crucify sinful desires that keep us from following Christ. This too is a kind of dying with him (Luke 9:23-25)

And yet the focus of Christianity is not dying, but living. Because we have been crucified with Christ, we have been raised with him (Romans 6:5). Legally we have been reconciled with God (2 Corinthians 5:19) and are free to grow into Christ likeness (Romans 8:29) and in our daily life, we have Christ's resurrection power as we continue to fight sin (Ephesians 5:19-20) We are no longer alone, for Christ lives in us - he is our power for living and our hope for the future (Colossians 1:27)

Believers today may still be in danger of acting as if there was no need for Christ to die. How? By replacing Jewish legalism with their own brand of Christian legalism. They are giving people extra laws to obey. By believing they can earn God's favor by what they do, they are not trusting completely in ~~Christ's work~~ Christ's work on the cross. By struggling to appropriate God's power to change them (sanctification), they are not resting in God's power to save them (Justification). If we could be saved by being good, then Christ did not have to die. But the cross is the only way to salvation.

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