

DEAR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

We trust you are well in our Lord Jesus Christ. For those of us in difficulties, we pray we connect with God’s grace to get us through to completion. It is our experience that God often brings us through difficulties rather than deliver us out of them. This trains us for life ahead and conforms us to be more like Jesus Christ. This training can be painful, yet no replacement for it exists when it is finally time for us to peacefully reap its eternal harvest of righteousness.

PERSONAL PRAYER REQUESTS

**Loren** had a tent-making / part time job workplace accident, on a ladder, inside a large machine, where another machine powerfully slammed into his face. After stabbing head pain was 3 weeks of increasing deep internal facial pain. Improvement just started December 10.

**Kathy** has (for decades) unpredictable and sometimes literally debilitating bouts of fatigue. She passionately loves and worships God regardless, ministers when she is able to, yet at times can barely do anything. She already suffered longer than people in Bible stories did.

In light of eternity, these are “light and momentary afflictions” and small compared to our fellow missionaries being tortured and killed in persecuted countries. However, and also true, we need to be able to do the work God has entrusted to us here in this mission field.

**Please PRAY with us that we learn God’s path of healing for these pressing needs.**

LADIES IN BLOOM

I (Kathy) continue to meet weekly with up to 6 other ladies. We also have a group text where we share prayer requests during the week. Caring for each other and encouraging each other especially as disciples of Jesus are foundational.



Recent pictures during discussion time and... DVD time. Some ladies are missing. A grandson is playing behind a table here.

We are currently going through a DVD series about being a community in both a small group setting and in reaching out to others. Some things we have discussed are pursuing intimacy with God, connecting with each other as parts of the Body of Jesus our Head, and many related Bible verses. All relationships are like journeys and grow through time, transparency, and trust. This is also true in our relationship with the Lord.

These next few times together, each of us will be sharing parts of our life stories especially God’s influence and our growing relationships with Him; important key moments/seasons, failures, successes, things we’ve learned, people who have influenced us...

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Please PRAY that each of us will be transparent, listen to Holy Spirit as we each plan and share, and that we listen well to each other. Also, that we will have compassion, encourage, and exhort each other as Holy Spirit leads.

TWO NEEDS WE HAVE

**1. We REALLY need intercessors who communicate with God, and with us, and us with them:**

Decades ago, a struggling pastor questioned Loren of the viability of prayer, stating, "...since God knows everything anyway." What a travesty. Our all-knowing God has to tell "many" people that He never knew (love from) them... it's about intimacy, not information.

Earth is where God finds the Bride for His Son Jesus Christ, and the resulting Bridal joy is ecstatic (Psalm 16:11). Christianity is impossible (John 15:5) yet becomes fantastic within growing Holy Spirit intimacy (James 4:8).

The Bible is **SUCH** Good News (John 3:16). God responds very strongly to us who worship Him for who He is **MORE** than for what He does for us. He made us in HIS image; we did not invent emotions. God's heart **IS** what makes up His mind and **IS** what opens His hand. Intimacy with God cares for God's heart; it also eliminates begging, guessing and other human stresses. Exodus 33:11 is an insight into intimacy with God, and then the following happens:

- Our prayer becomes increasingly desirable, automatic and effective.
- Our spiritual maturity expands, deepens and blossoms.
- Our lifestyle Bible study and personal life application manifests Holy Spirit authority.
- Our faithfulness in small things leads up to more powerful ministry... including spiritually

**commanding ministry situations to line up with God's will in prayer: THIS is the kind of help we are requesting** for us in this front lines missionary ministry here in Coatesville, PA, USA.

**Prayer does NOT add up 'points' to get stuff done: prayer IS dialog with God where we share our heart, God shares His heart, we learn God's will, so we work TOGETHER and successfully!**

If you own this, please pray about committing to intercede in prayer with us. Through intercessory prayer, we learned local witchcraft was trying to curse our ministry here. Dealing with spiritual things is easier than human things because Jesus bought us authority over evil, yet requires prayer. Please contact us if God is asking you to help with our intercessory needs!

**2. We REALLY need Biblically defined and eternally rewarded missionary financial support:**

God permeated the Bible with missionaries. Long ago, we learned God had missionary work for us to do. If God is asking you to minister to Him also by supporting us, please contact us **OR** use our automatic website: <https://secure.etransfer.com/Equipnet/LorenKathyFalzone.cfm>

We live on regular and one-time support, and have seasons of decrease (like now). God made us missionaries, yet we try not to play emotions describing our personal costs. We thank God our lives are not (yet) threatened for the Gospel as other missionaries are internationally.

Please wait on God well enough to hear His answer. Please ask us all your questions.

An encouraging word: WHY GOD SEEMS LATE

Life is ultimately about us loving the person of God intimately... not religion, religiosity or other things. God wants us loving His heart back forever, according to His Biblical definition. Redefining God's definition reduces and eventually removes God's hand from us. Conversely, prioritizing worshipping God for who He is opens Heaven up to us in the widest ways possible.

God heals nations that love Him... not just His principles. Forms of godliness lack God's power by omitting Jesus Christ's Gospel, even when no one is committing sin! Pimping God's principles to get God's blessings, or even to do God's ministries, kills intimacy with God and blocks His blessings whenever ministering to God's heart is a lesser priority than His ministries.

The #1 role of Christianity is: discipling people to grow intimacy with the person of God.

The #1 role of Satan is: repulsing people against loving the person of God back His way. Satan tolerates us praising God for His works, but Satan hates us worshiping God and adoring His loving heart. Realize that Satan tempted Jesus Christ for His worship (for who His heart is), not for His praise (for what His hand does) – Luke 4:1-14. Jesus Christ lovingly forewarned that “many” people will omit the person of God from ‘Christianity’ (Matthew 7). As Jesus said, this prioritizing God's principles over God's person is happening before our very eyes.

*One of many examples: abortion is horrible. Abortion is thankfully resisted by Christian ministries. Concurrently true is that **every baby saved from abortion who does not reciprocate God's love will suffer in hell forever**. Praise God these babies were rescued from abortion: yet **how many of us actionably care if these babies rescued from abortion grow up and go to hell?** Do we ever **hear** about this, **do** anything about this or **pray** about this? Some pregnancy centers here **do** all of these, but with only 5% of USA Christians involving themselves in Jesus' final injunction to make disciples: there is a glaring difference between God's John-3:16-type-love and how 95% of Christians live. Hence, Holy Spirit has Matthew 7 in our Bible... for us to apply.*

As Christians, we must be careful to not make the Matthew 7 mistake of believing that living by Christian principles and performing Christian ministry equate to personal ownership of Biblical Christianity of loving God's heart back according to His definition... because they do not, as Jesus Christ plainly said. Instead we prioritize adoring His person above everything else.

Unlike centuries past, God is not interrupting mankind with sovereign revivals to awaken dull Christians. All revivals died once lazy Christians forfeited their work (of loving sinners) over to God's Holy Spirit to do or left it to other Christians. God is now inviting us to BE REVIVAL by responding to what His heart yearns for... which we will only own if we invest enough intimacy with Holy Spirit to find out what is ours to do from God in our own situations.

God forces no one, and heals a land when its people prioritize His heart over everything. God seems late because He wants us to stop prioritizing the false god of Christian principles over loving His heart... which is where all His goodness originates from! *Please share this.*

*Much of this is what we are sharing during the WORSHIPPRAYER nights we have.*

♥ **Thank you! Please pray for us, and contact us! We like praying for you and hearing from you!** ♥  
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