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Community Meeting
CAPROCK CANYON
QUITAQUE, TEXAS

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Community Lay Director

I believe that I have talked about the art of hearing God's voice in a previous newsletter, however, I want to bring this up again, because it is so important that we not only learn to hear his voice clearly, but to be obedient to what He is saying.

Debbie and I have been looking at several financial investments. I felt the Lord had spoke to me earlier that we were not supposed to make the investments, but after a month or so the investment looked so good that I saw no way that it could fail. In my eyes I had the perfect plan, so I had convinced myself that God had changed His mind and He was now releasing me to move forward.

What I am trying to say, is somehow we can justify in our minds how things are falling in place and this just has to be God, otherwise things would not be working out. Remember that Satan masquerades as an angel of light. Just because things look good, doesn't mean that it's God.

Thank God for obedience of others. There is a lady who barely knows Debbie or Me, she is the mother of my friend. God woke her up 3 nights in a roll to speak to her about us. She wrote the words down and then contacted me. Let me tell you, she heard straight from the throne of God. Only God could have told her the things that were to come. God spoke through this woman and let me know that the decisions that I was about to make would end up in financial devastation. Needless to say, I am not one to fight with God, so I changed my plans immediately to prevent the disaster.

I have been used many times in the past to give a prophetic word or a word of knowledge. God will send a messenger when we sometimes refuse to listen. In the old testament the many times the prophets were used to forewarn the children of Israel of the calamity to come. Isn't it good that God loves us so much that he wants to prevent the calamity, but often times we just don't want to listen to what He is saying. We prefer to satisfy our flesh and make poor decisions and then want to blame God for the outcome.

I encourage you, if you don't have a proven track record of hearing God's voice, slow down, get still and pray and wait until you have your answer. If you are still not sure, call on a friend and ask them to pray with you. If you are still struggling, ask God to send the messenger. If you can not get confirmation, wait on God!!

Be Blessed and I look forward to seeing you at community.

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Jeff Braselton

Community Gathering
--September 15--

Caprock Canyon
Quitaque, TX

Board 5:30 PM
Sponsor's Training 6:00 PM
Meal 6:30 PM
Worship 7:30 PM

Guests are welcome and nursery will be provided.

Bring your favorite dishes. Wear your name tag. Bring your worship book. Come to share in the fun and fellowship!

LIVING WATER BOARD : 5:30 PM.
SPONSOR'S TRAINING will be held at 6:00 PM with Janet Pyle as leader. The Board invites and urges all new community members and others who have never sponsored a pilgrim, and anyone who has not been through a recent training class to participate. The class will last for 30 minutes.

Being a sponsor is one of the most important roles of the Walk To Emmaus. Several areas must be covered in order for the pilgrim to have an exciting and successful walk.

Worship begins at 7:30 with praise songs, and closes with communion.

UPCOMING
COMMUNITY GATHERINGS

Sept. 15th Caprock Canyon
Quitaque, TX



October 20th Trinity Life Church
Plainview, TX

Call Kayla Edwards @ 292-4807
to list your church on the schedule or
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ALL WE REALLY NEED TO KNOW WE LEARNED FROM NOAH'S ARK

1. Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark.
2. Stay fit. When you're 600 years old, someone might ask you to do something REALLY big.
3. Don't listen to critics -- do what has to be done.
 4. Build on high ground.
 5. For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
 6. Two heads are better than one.
7. Speed isn't always an advantage. The cheetahs were on board, but so were the snails.
 8. If you can't fight or flee -- float!
9. Take care of your animals as if they were the last ones on earth.
 10. Don't forget that we're all in the same boat.
11. When the doo-doo gets really deep, don't sit there and complain -- shovel!!!
 12. Stay below deck during the storm.
13. Remember that the ark was built by amateurs and the Titanic was built by professionals.
 14. If you have to start over, have a friend by your side.
15. Remember that the woodpeckers INSIDE are often a bigger threat than the storm outside.
 16. Don't miss the boat.
17. No matter how bleak it looks, there's always a rainbow on the other side.
18. "Stop what you are doing, and do what God says!"

Ways To Keep A Healthy Level Of Insanity

1. At Lunch Time, Sit In Your Parked Car With Sunglasses on and point a Hair Dryer At Passing Cars. See If They Slow Down.
2. Page Yourself Over The Intercom. Don't Disguise Your Voice.
3. Every Time Someone Asks You To Do Something, ask If They Want Fries with that.
5. Put Decaf In The Coffee Maker For 3 Weeks. Once Everyone has Gotten Over Their Caffeine Addictions, Switch to Espresso.
6. In the Memo Field Of All Your Checks, Write 'For A Secret Mission'.
7. Finish All Your sentences with 'In Accordance With The Prophecy'.
9. Skip down the hall Rather Than Walk and see how many looks you get.
10. Order a Diet Water whenever you go out to eat, with a serious face.
11. Specify That Your Drive-through Order Is 'To Go'.
12. Sing Along At The Opera.
14. Put Mosquito Netting Around Your Work Area and Play tropical Sounds All Day.
15. Five Days In Advance, Tell Your Friends You Can't Attend Their Party Because You have a headache.
17. When The Money Comes Out of The ATM, Scream 'I Won! I Won!'
18. When Leaving the Zoo, Start running towards the Parking lot, Yelling 'Run For Your Lives! They're Loose!'
19. Tell Your Children Over Dinner, 'Due To The Economy, We Are Going To Have To Let One Of You Go.'

UP COMING WALKS
>> Walk Cost \$150 <<

#88 WOMEN'S WALK
November 3-6, 2016
TAMMY MASON, LAY DIRECTOR
ROBERT MALCOLM, SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR
PBA, Floydada

#89 Men's Walk
February 9-12, 2017
BILL AYERS, LAY DIRECTOR
ROBERT MALCOLM, SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR
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Pick Your Month before someone else gets it....

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When hosting community, Churches are responsible for the Dinner & dessert plates, napkins, silverware, cups, & drinks. Childcare is optional for the church, but Emmaus does pay \$25.00 for the qualified person who works in childcare for the evening.

THIS IS BEAUTIFUL:

Someone has written these beautiful words.

Must read and try to understand the deep meaning of it.

They are like the ten commandments to follow in life all the time.

1. Prayer is not a "spare wheel" that you pull out when in trouble, but it is a "steering wheel" that directs the right path throughout.

2. So why is a car's windshield so large and the rear view mirror so small? Because our past is not as important as our future.

So, look ahead and move on.

3. Friendship is like a book. It takes few seconds to burn, but it takes years to write.

4. All things in life are temporary. If it's going well, enjoy it, that won't last long. If it's going badly, don't worry, that won't last long either.

5. Old friends are gold! New friends are diamond! If you get a diamond, don't forget the gold! Because to hold a diamond, you always need a base of gold!

6. Often when we lose hope and think this is the end, God smiles from above and says, "Relax, sweetheart, it's just a bend, not the end!"

7. When God solves your problems, you have faith in His abilities; when God doesn't solve your problems, He has faith in your abilities.

8. A blind person asked St. Anthony, "Can there be anything worse than losing eye sight?" He replied, "Yes, losing your vision!"

9. When you pray for others, God listens to you and blesses them; sometimes, when you are safe and happy, remember that someone has prayed for you.

10. Worrying does not take away tomorrow's troubles, it takes away today's peace



Pilgrims Needed!

The November Women's Walk & the February Men's Walk is in need of Pilgrims!!

Please be in Prayer for God to put the right person in your mind and heart for this walk. I pray that it fills up and there is a waiting list. This is your opportunity to bless someone. There are Community people who would be willing to help you with any sponsoring needs. Just notify Elaine or I and we will be glad to pass the word to complete your needs. Thank You in advance for the great work you do in Our Saviors name.

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