

JULY 2022

*THE PURPOSE OF DESERT SHORES COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH IS TO SHARE THE LOVE AND SAVING GRACE OF JESUS CHRIST WITH EVERYONE, THROUGH GOD'S POWER, MAKE DISCIPLES WHO LOVE GOD.*



“Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations” Matthew 28:19

# The Beacon



**Thoughts from Pastor George:>>>**

## **New Challenges, Old Problems**

I have been in the desert all my life. I was born and raised in Phoenix; my dad was a native Phoenician. I will have lived through 60 summers. As a kid I loved the Monsoons because our road would flood and we would go rafting down it. I didn't think about how dangerous the water was or how hot the summer was. I just enjoyed life. The same heat I experienced as a kid; I now experience as an adult.

I have adapted to our heat, but every year I have to be reminded of how hot it can get, how humid it can get. I adjust and deal with it. Like it or not, the heat is here. I might be challenged by some new aspect of life, but I just need to keep going.

In life we will always have new challenges. We should expect them. God uses them to remind us that His mercies are new every morning. God is faithful.

**Lamentations 3:22–23 The Lord's loving kindnesses indeed never cease, For His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness.**

We are in a time when things seem to be getting tougher, but God will give us the strength to get through them. God is faithful. We look at this world and we wonder how we can make it. We face new challenges. We will trust God to show us how to navigate the turbulent waters of life. We must continue to move forward.

As we move forward, we will continue to be mindful of the problems that plague us as human beings. We fight the battle with sin and our own will versus God's will. We need to pray together, worship together and not let anything hinder our walk with Christ.

In our Women's bible study this week, we were in I John 4:1-6. It is a wonderful reminder of our need to make sure we keep our focus on the gospel. We need to remember that we are His children, and we are not of this world.

Let's not allow sin to hinder our relationships with one another as we face the challenges of living for Christ.

Sincerely,

Pastor George

## Spiritual Appraisers A. W. Tozer

A prophet is one who knows his times and what God is trying to say to the people of his times. What God says to His Church at any given period depends altogether upon her moral and spiritual condition and upon the spiritual need of the hour. Religious leaders who continue mechanically to expound the Scriptures without regard to the current religious situation are no better than the scribes and lawyers of Jesus' day who faithfully parroted the Law without the remotest notion of what was going on around them spiritually. They fed the same diet to all and seemed wholly unaware that there was such a thing as meat in due season. The prophets never made that mistake nor wasted their efforts in that manner. They invariably spoke to the condition of the people of their times.

Today we need prophetic preachers; not preachers of prophecy merely, but preachers with a gift of prophecy. The word of wisdom is missing. We need the gift of discernment again in our pulpits. It is not ability to predict that we need, but the anointed eye, the power of spiritual penetration and interpretation, the ability to appraise the religious scene as viewed from God's position, and to tell us what is actually going on.



## PRAYER TEAM

*Be a part of the Prayer Team!*

*“The condition of the church may be accurately gauged by its prayer meetings. So is the prayer meeting a grace-ometer, and from it we may judge the amount of divine working among a people. If God be near our church, it must pray. And if He be not there, one of the first tokens of His absence will be a slothfulness in prayer.”* Charles Spurgeon

Thank you to all who have joined us in prayer either in person or through the prayer chain online. We go into the New Year knowing that Our God is in charge of our lives and of HIS future plans for Desert Shores and for our country. Please continue to pray. Please come join us for prayer on Tuesday mornings at 9 am when you are available. We will be here.

John & Lynda Neitz and the entire team.

Our prayer meeting is at 9:00  
on Tuesday mornings.  
Please join us.

*If you have any requests or praises, you can email them to [ljneitz57@gmail.com](mailto:ljneitz57@gmail.com) or text them to 928.201.8924*



## July Events:

### July Birthdays

3rd  
Jadalayne Jeter  
5th  
Bob Horn  
Barbara Toplikar  
9th  
Dave Brehm  
15th  
Laura Mucahy  
20th  
De Oleson  
22nd  
Ken Collins  
23rd  
Kathy Cole  
27th  
Rick Westbrook  
28th  
Judy Arroyo  
29th  
Ruben Rojas

July 2nd  
8am Men's Breakfast

July 4th  
7pm to 9pm 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration

July 9th  
11:30am Women's Fellowship  
Ice Cream Social

July 7<sup>th</sup> through 11th  
Camp Prescott Pines

July 13th  
4pm AST Meeting

July 19th  
7am – 5pm  
City Election Poll Workers  
Training  
(Both buildings)

**NO GAME NIGHT**  
**NO MOVIE NIGHT**

It's not the load that breaks  
you down, it's the way you  
carry it.  
CS Lewis

## Weekly Events:

Sunday 9:00am Sunday School  
9:00am Faith Builders Class  
9:00am Titus Women  
10:30am Worship Service  
3:00pm SunRidge Village

Monday 5:00pm Choir Practice  
5:00pm Creation Series  
6:00pm Praise Team practice

Tuesday 9:00am Prayer Team  
10:30am Davis Place  
3:00pm Joshua Springs  
1:30pm Silver Creek 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Tues  
**6:30pm Men's Bible Study**

Wednesday **8:00am Men's Bible Study**  
**9:30am Women's Bible Study**  
**6:30pm New Bible Study - Hosea**

Thursday 6:30pm Family Game Night  
Last Thursday of the Month

Friday 8:00am Men's Bible Study  
7:00pm Narcotics Anonymous  
6:30pm Movie Night  
Last Friday of the Month

Saturday 8:00am Men's Fellowship Breakfast  
First Saturday of the Month  
6:00pm Contemporary Worship Serv.

### July Anniversaries

4th  
Mike & Michel LaRosa  
8th  
Steve & Sharon Filsinger  
14th  
Rick & Karen Adams  
20th  
James & Beverly Ardizzone  
Dave & Connie Dunn  
25th  
Natalie & Oscar Tamayo  
27th  
Billy & Rexie Money

# CHURCH BULLETIN BOARD

Camp at Prescott Pines –

See Brandon or Pastor George to sign up.

July 7 - July 11, 2022.

Ages 12 (graduated 6th grade) through high school.

**Women's Fellowship**  
ICE CREAM SOCIAL COMING  
ON JULY 9<sup>TH</sup>!  
JOIN THE FUN!

**NO GAME  
NIGHT IN  
JULY!**

**NO MOVIE  
NIGHT IN  
JULY!**

*We must allow the word of God  
to correct us the same way we  
allow it to encourage us.*  
A. W. Tozer

"Shared Memories" –

Help us share the memories. We need your help to share memories captured on your cell phone. Send them to:

[historian@desertshoreschurch.com](mailto:historian@desertshoreschurch.com)

**ALONZO WOULD  
APPRECIATE COLD  
BOTTLES OF WATER TO  
PASS OUT AT THE  
PARK.**

**We are  
gladly  
accepting  
Christmas  
Cups. Please  
give to Joyce  
Larsen.**

*"Don't equate the presence  
of God with a good mood or  
a pleasant temperament.  
God is near whether you are  
happy or not."*

*-Max Lucado*

**CHURCH VOLUNTEER  
POSITIONS  
AVAILABLE**

**(Part Time):  
Church Clerk, Card  
Ministry, Memorial  
Coordinator,  
Home Bound Meals,  
Publicity.  
If interested, please  
contact Pastor.**

**Senior Ministry is always needing  
volunteers. Please call Rick  
Bickman at 928-444-4504**

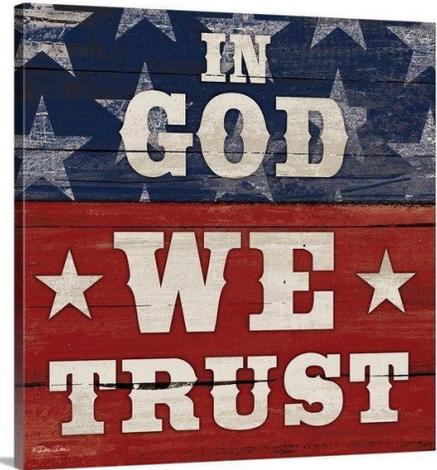
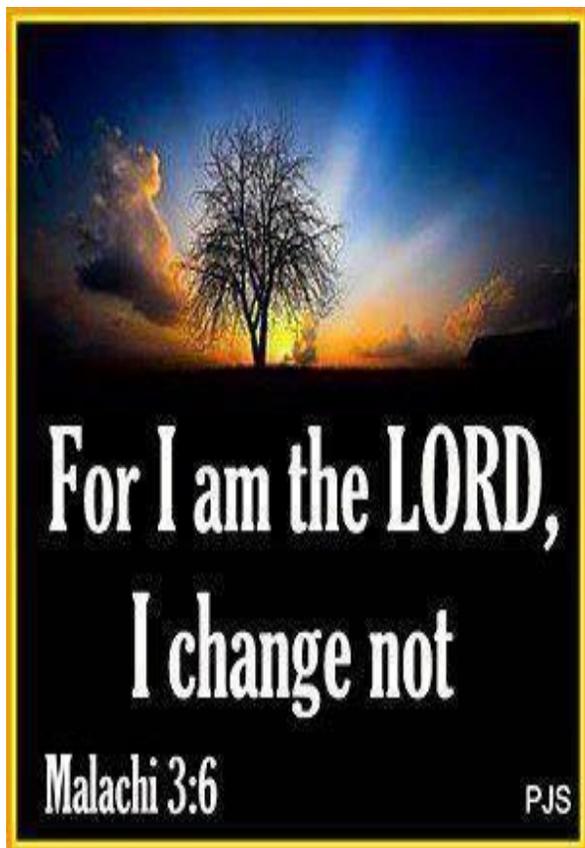
## HOMELESS MINISTRY

The “Sandwich Brigade” is made up of volunteers who make sandwiches for the homeless once or twice a month. Alonzo then distributes the sandwiches to the needy in Bullhead City. Again, we want to thank you for volunteering for this valuable ministry. The new sandwich schedule for summer and early fall has been made and given out. If you did not receive your schedule, please pick it up from Kimberly in the office.

NOTE: The church office is closed from 9:00 until 11:00 on Monday, so you will need to deliver your Monday sandwiches between 11:00 and 12:00. Alonzo picks up the sandwiches around noon. Thank you.

**The weather has heated up and Alonzo is always in need of more water.** Anyone who is not making sandwiches and wants to help out may bring water, other non-perishable food items, and clothing to the church office at any time.

Jesus said, “For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me . . .” Matthew 25:35-36



## SENIOR MINISTRY

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!** Our senior ministry is getting back to normal after two years being locked out. The Lord has been providing us with the opportunity to be able to share the gospel and show the love of Jesus to the residents in the various assisted living facilities in Bullhead City.

**Currently the schedule is as follows:**

**Sunday at 3:00 at Sunridge Village**

**Tuesday at 10:30 at Davis Place**

**1:30pm Silver Creek 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Tues**

**Tuesday at 3:00 at Joshua Springs**

We are in The Legacy and Catholic Charities on a part time basis; however, we are in the process of having weekly services. Alonzo does go to Catholic Charities to talk to individuals and pass out tracts and sandwiches. When we are able to get in for a weekly service, we will need volunteers.

**Do you want to serve God by being a volunteer?** An excellent way to “get your feet wet” or see if this is something you might like to do, is to come to one or two services and see what we do. Maybe you would like to get acquainted with one of the residents. Then you could come to visit and build a relationship with your new “friend” at your convenience. Remember, many of these people have no visitors and are lonely. We encourage you to give it a try! You won’t know if you will like it if you don’t try, and perhaps you will feel a joy and a closer peace with God. If you plan to attend any of these services, it would be good for you to give us a call for more details. Call Rick Bickman at 928-444-4504 or Karn Bickman at 928-201-7879

James 1:27 says, “Religion that is pure and undefiled before God the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, . . . .”

Galatians 6:2 says, “Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.”

Thank you

## WHAT WILL YOU BE

It seems common to ask children, “What do you want to be when you grow up?” Most children have fantasies of occupations they would like when they grow up. Those dreams typically change frequently as they grow and mature. Of course, we hope parents encourage and help their children become all they can be.

Unfortunately, in many parts of the world the idea of choosing what you will become is not even dreamt of. Some are born into poverty or a caste system with no hope of anything better. There is no chance they will ever be anything more than their parents, like generations before them have been. Some societies do not allow for growth or change. Many places do not value or even allow education other than what is needed for their station in life. There are no dreams of a better future.

In America we are blessed beyond belief. We were formed as a nation under God. Our God teaches us to love, help, be patient, to share as well as to study and work hard to mature and become more. Our heavenly Father wants us to live abundant, full lives. In countries that serve other gods, children have no value other than to be used and abused.

We are encouraged to study, to work at growing, to choose a better future. Our heavenly Father wants us to be like Him. He wants us to go into all the world and share His Love with those who have no hope. We do not know what the future holds, but we have hope, hopefully we have faith that God has more in store for us than we can imagine.

Although we all are not called to go to other countries to tell others about God, we can all do something to fulfil the command Jesus gave us. There are many opportunities to help support those who are willing to live the life Jesus lead. Other than contributing financially, everyone can keep others in prayer. That is not a hard thing to do. Even children can talk to God about those who are living in darkness with no hope. Are you encouraging children to talk to God about such things? Are you giving any thought or time to talking to your Father about those poor souls?

We are not all comfortable or willing to talk to strangers about our beliefs. Sometimes doing so will only push people away. But we can all live lives that allow others to be attracted to the Light in us. Hopefully there is a peace and joy radiating from you that others desire in their lives. It honestly is not hard to encourage others you meet in your daily lives. You can bless people in many ways. When we are excited about something, it is natural to tell others about it. Why does it seem so hard to talk to others about your Friend Jesus and all He has done for you?

Does your church have business cards or something that gives the address and times of services? Maybe invite someone- a cashier or bank teller- to a special event. Carrying easy to pass on information is usually more readily accepted than handing them a “track”. A more personal invitation gets attention and more consideration. It feels more like a friendly jester than shoving something down the throat.

Those who are children of God will be changed to be more like Jesus as we grow in faith and works. We will be changed from the aging, physical bodies we now occupy to spiritual beings that will dwell in glory for eternity. Although we do not fully understand what that will look like, we know we have that to look forward to. What joy there will be for those who do the will of the Lord. How pitiful and sad are those who dare not even dream of such things. What are you willing to do to change the eternal lives of others?

1 John 3: 2 LV,” Yes, dear friends, we are already God’s children, right now, and we can’t even imagine what it is going to be like later on. But we do know this, that when he comes, we will be like him, as the result of seeing him as he really is.”

Mark 16: 15 NLT,” And then he told them, “Go into all the world and preach the Good New to everyone.”

John 10: 10 AMP,” The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance [to the full, till it overflows].

1 Peter 3: 15 LB,” Quietly trust yourself to Christ your Lord, and if anybody asks why you believe as you do, be ready to tell him, and do it in a gentle and respectful way.”

## **Bible Bites: The Hope the Messiah Brings**

Devotionals by Amir Tsarfati and Barry Stagner

June 20, 2022

Few things impact the life experience of both believers and nonbelievers like hope. In some ways, hope affects both groups alike, and, in other ways, hope means something completely different. Hope requires an object, and both groups might at one time “hope” for pizza for dinner, or “hope” to pass a test or “hope” to get a raise. Parents “hope” for the best for their children, or, when facing one of many of life’s dilemmas, “hope” things will work out.

### **Isaiah 40:31**

**But those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.**

The word “wait” in this famed passage means “to bind together”. It can also mean “to hope for or expect”. That sheds a little more light on the meaning here as we can better understand that those who bind together or place their hope in the Lord will experience renewed strength, power, vigor, and stamina. This is exclusive to those who wait on the Lord. When the Lord is the object of our hope, everything changes.

### **Psalms 31:23-24**

**Oh, love the LORD, all you, His saints! For the LORD preserves the faithful, and fully repays the proud person. Be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart, all you who hope in the LORD.**

### **Psalms 43:5**

**Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; for I shall yet praise Him, the help of my countenance and my God.**

### **Proverbs 10:28**

**The hope of the righteous will be gladness, but the expectation of the wicked will perish.**

These verses highlight the differing life experiences of the believer and nonbeliever, and hope is even presented as a weapon for the believer with which to combat a disquieted soul.

There is also an element of hope that Christians have always had that is closer to being realized today than at any point in church history.

### **Titus 2:11-13**

**For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ.**

This blessed hope is described as belonging to those who have experienced the grace of God that brings salvation and who appeared to all men. That blessed hope is His glorious appearing once again, and the object of our hope is identified as our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Yes, people who do not know the Lord experience hope. Yet their hopes are not the same as ours as believers. They are based on wishes combined with efforts and desires. The hopes of the world can be dashed, lost, and lead to disappointment and even despair. But for the believer, the object of our hope never changes. He is the same yesterday, today, and forever. So, you might say in comparison to the hope of the world, our hope is next level.

### **1 Thessalonians 4:13-14**

**But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus.**

The hope we have in Christ is so powerful it even changes the way we experience the greatest of life’s painful experiences, the death of a loved one. We do sorrow, but not without hope.

### **1 Peter 3:15**

**But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear.**

Peter says that the hope we have in Christ is so powerful that it is visible to the degree that it causes others to inquire as to the reason we have such hope. This is one of the reasons it is so important that we not live in fear in these fear-mongering last days. It is why it is so important that we know where things are headed and not fall prey to the uncertainty and despair the world lives under today.

We have a hope that is different from that of the world. Our hope is built on nothing less than Jesus’ blood and righteousness. On Christ the solid Rock we stand, all other ground is sinking sand. We sing it, but we must also live it so others can see it and desire it.

People are sinking in hopelessness all around us today. Talk of food shortages and famines, pandemics and death, are driving people to seek escape from these things through drugs or alcohol at unprecedented levels. Many, from hopelessness, are taking their own lives at numbers never seen before.

We, as Christians, have what they need and know where they can get it. We need to live in a manner, as Peter said, that leads them to ask where such hope can be found. Our hope is not like that of the world – circumstance-related. Our hope is one that cannot be impacted by circumstances and is even more clearly visible when they are at their worst. Tell someone about the hope you have today!

Even so, come quickly Lord Jesus.

# The Bill of Rights

Ratified December 15, 1791

## Article I

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

## Article II

A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

## Article III

No Soldier shall, in time of peace be quartered in any house, without the consent of the Owner, nor in time of war, but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

## Article IV

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

## Article V

No person shall be held to answer for a capital, or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a Grand Jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the Militia, when in actual service in time of War or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any Criminal Case to be a witness against himself, nor be

deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use, without just compensation.

## Article VI

In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the State and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining Witnesses in his favor, and to have the Assistance of Counsel for his defence.

## Article VII

In Suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury shall be otherwise reexamined in any Court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.

## Article VIII

Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishment inflicted.

## Article IX

The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

## Article X

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

*A reminder to be ever vigilant in the protection of these rights  
Presented in loving memory of Corliss Lamont 1902-1995*

National Emergency Civil Liberties Committee  
New York, NY 10010

## Is This What You Had in Mind, America?

By Hal Lindsey

Is this what you had in mind, America? Mass shootings one after another? Government paralyzed, not by disagreements, but by hate? The ongoing loss of constitutional rights...inflation... s t a g n a t i o n ... d e s p o n d e n c y, especially among the young? Millions caught in a seemingly unbreakable cycle of poverty? Is this what you had in mind, America, when you said God had no place in public schools, or when you made local movie theaters a cesspool of wickedness?

### When “Wokeness” Awakens

You made the military a giant guinea pig for social experimentation, turned military academies into institutions of wokeness that hate fundamental American values, and you promoted the most politically correct into the highest positions of authority. Even though the rank and file of your military remains the best in the world, your leaders fail them, as in Afghanistan. Through abortion, you taught the young that human life has no value, and you wonder why suicide is the leading cause of death among people between the ages of 10 and 34 — or why 18-year-olds shoot up schools and supermarkets. In school, you turned sex education into an opportunity to promote sexual perversions of all kinds. And you wonder why one in five Americans is mentally ill. You shred families. You disparage the idea that children need fathers and mothers, and you can't figure out why they bully and cheat and turn to violence.

### Living for “Likes” on Social Media

You made your music all about sin and sensuality — degrading rather than uplifting. You made leaders out of the loudest, least thoughtful among us. You made a god out of popularity on social media. You replaced statesmanship with the poison-pal politics of hate. You allowed the media to become your thought shepherds rather than your fact finders. And what about you, Church? Is this what you had in mind? Did you plan to become weak and ineffective? When you traded in Bible-infused messages with pop psychology, is this what you had in mind? Is that what you wanted when you made entertaining children the priority over teaching them?

### God as a Last Resort

God says, “Look to Me,” but you look instead to political saviors. In fact, you look to man first in all things, leaving God as a last resort. And why not? After all, you teach that the great God, Creator of all things, is nothing more than a friendly little pal whose primary purpose is to help you feel good about yourself. Is this what you had in mind, Church, when you chose to embrace the world's definitions of prosperity and blessing rather than God's — or chose a saccharine-sweet façade instead of the glorious reality of the omnipotent God? When you threw away reverence, did you have this in mind? You tried to make church doctrine all things to all people. You wanted to be liked and not seen as peculiar. But by watering down the Gospel, you laid your own children on Moloch's altar.

### Come Out from Among Them and be Separate!

A remnant remains — lit from within by the glowing fires of the Holy Spirit. But to a stunning extent, the Church is drowning in worldliness. When the people of earth need more than ever for the Church to be distinct, it has emulated the world so long and with such ardor, that people have a hard time telling one from the other. But God still says, “Come out from among them, and be ye separate”! (2 Corinthians 6:17 KJV)

*Taken from OLIVE TREE MINISTRIES Understanding The Times newsletter Summer 2022*



**Wednesday's Word**  
**Weekly Devotional by Paul Tripp**

Father forgive me  
I am a sinner  
in desperate need of your grace.

Forgive me for the sins  
I name as less than sinful.  
Forgive me for hating the sin in others  
more than my own sin.  
Forgive me for every moment  
when I love what you name as evil.  
Forgive me for loving my pleasure  
more than I love you.  
Forgive me for those times  
when I complain to you more than praise you.  
Forgive me for those times  
when my talk is not shaped by a love for you and others.  
Forgive me for those moments when I fail  
to give others the grace you've given me.  
Forgive me for those times I want control  
rather than resting in your control.  
Forgive me for when I doubt your  
wisdom, mercy, and love.  
Forgive me for every moment when I am angry  
because I did not get my own way.  
Forgive me for those times I fail to witness  
to your rescuing grace.  
Forgive me for often loving earthly treasures more  
than the spiritual treasures you have lavished on me.  
Forgive me for those many moments when I have failed  
to love my spouse as you love your church.  
Forgive me for those times when I have used my gifts  
for my glory and not yours.  
Forgive me when my fantasies  
are outside of your boundaries.  
Forgive me when I have responded to the weaknesses  
of others with irritation and not grace.  
Forgive me when I am comfortable with a dichotomy  
between what I profess and how I live.  
Forgive me when I allow the distractions of earth  
to keep me from seeking the things above.  
Forgive me when I am not a good steward  
of my time, energy, and resources.

Forgive me for every time I battle for my way  
instead of joyfully submitting to your way.  
Forgive me for every moment I fail  
to seek and celebrate your generous forgiveness.  
Forgive me for failing to quest to be  
holy as you are holy.  
Forgive me for every instance were  
my heart wanders from your righteous path.  
Forgive me for words unsaid that should've been said  
and for words said that should never have been said.  
Forgive me for feeling entitled to be loved  
while at that same time failing to love.  
Forgive me for carrying a burden of guilt  
because I have doubted your forgiveness.  
Forgive me for those times when I have failed  
to love justice, mercy, and humility.

So, I bow before your holiness,  
not because of my righteousness  
but because of the perfect righteousness of the Son.  
Knowing that my penalty has been paid,  
I come to you for what  
only you can offer.  
Please work to keep my heart tender  
and may my mouth always be willing to confess  
my need for your forgiveness.

God Bless,  
Paul Tripp

*Final thoughts >>>*

**Ephesians 4:29-32**

**Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. 30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. 31 Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. 32 Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.**

**Maranatha!!**  
**Dianna Stewart**