

HOMECELL NOTES

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GOD OF THE "TURNAROUND"

30 October 2024

WELCOME

Welcome all members who are joining the Homecell.

WORSHIP

Prepare Praise and Worship for the Homecell gathering (1 Praise & 1 Worship song)

WORD

Ask a cell member to read Psalm 30:1-12

Psalm 30:5, 11-12 New King James Version

⁵ For His anger is but for a moment, His favour is for life; Weeping may endure for a night, But joy comes in the morning. ¹¹ You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have put off my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness, ¹² To the end that my glory may sing praise to You and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to You forever.

QUESTION 1: What do you think the Psalmist meant when he said, "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy comes in the morning."?

Answer: No matter where you find yourself, no matter how dark your situation or circumstances, if you cry out to God, He will turn your situation around.

QUESTION 2: We believe that God is a personal God. What are some of the implications in our life when we say God is a personal God.

Answer: God did not just create the earth and everything in it and then sat back to see how things would unfold. No, God is actively working in creation. God knows you personally and He knows you intimately. This implies that God is aware of everything that is happening in your life. He cares enough for you that He is willing to deliver you from whatever situation you may find yourself in.

God will never give up on you! Don't you give up on yourself or your dream!
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Ask a cell member to read Jeremiah 32:27

QUESTION 3: If someone asks you: "How big is your God?", what would your answer be?

Answer: God can only be as big as you allow Him to be! If you allow Him to be the God of any turn-around... that's who He will be! There is nothing God cannot do! There is nothing too difficult for Him! There is no one beyond His reach!

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Ask a cell member to read Mark 5:21-24, 35-36

QUESTION 4: Just imagine... Jairus' bad situation turned into an impossible situation in just one conversation. If you were in Jairus' shoes..., how would you have responded?

QUESTION 5: When Jesus responded to Jairus' invitation to go and pray for his daughter, it brought hope that the situation would change. Suddenly the direct opposite which he expected happened..., his daughter died. How should we respond when there comes opposition to the promise we received from God?

Answer: Here's Jesus' response...

Mark 5:36 The Passion Translation

But Jesus refused to listen to what they were told and said to the Jewish official, "Don't yield to fear. All you need to do is to keep on believing."

The battle was not won when the daughter was raised to life, but the battle was one when Jairus chose to believe the words of Jesus!

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QUESTION 6: When the news of the death of Jairus' daughter came, Jesus **IMMEDIATELY** challenged Jairus: "Don't yield to fear." Why should we stop fear in its tracks?

Answer: When fear comes... faith leaves! Faith cannot operate in an atmosphere of fear, doubt and skepticism.

Satan is out to steal the Word of God. He steals it by bringing a negative report. Fear comes by yielding to the word of the devil.

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Ask a few cell members to read 2 Timothy 1:7 and Mark 11:22-24

QUESTION 7: How can, what comes out of our mouth, neutralize God's turnaround in our life?

Answer: The words that come out of your mouth reveal the level of your faith. Solomon said that he who opens wide his mouth will have destruction (Proverbs 13:3). Your words reflect your true belief and conviction.

You have to learn to line up your words with your faith.

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WORKS

Get feedback on the new people who attended Sunday's Celebration. Discuss your strategy to get these people connected to the homecell. Confirm when the next New Members Orientation will be and invite the new people to join you at the NMO.