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TODAY'S WORSHIP SONG

I have found a friend in Jesus, He's ev'rything to me,
He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul;
The Lily of the Valley- in Him alone I see
All I need to cleanse and make me fully whole.
In sorrow He's my comfort, in trouble He's my stay,
He tells me ev'ry care on Him to roll;
He's the Lily of the Valley, the Bright and Morning Star,
He's the greatest of ten thousand to my soul.

He all my grief has taken and all my sorrows borne,
In temptation He's my strong and mighty tow'r;
I have all for Him forsaken and all my idols torn
From my heart, and now He keeps me by His pow'r.
Though all the world forsake me and Satan tempt me sore,
Through Jesus I shall safely reach the goal;
He's the Lily of the Valley, the Bright and Morning Star,
He's the greatest of ten thousand to my soul.

He will never, never leave me nor yet forsake me here,
While I live by faith and do His blessed will;
A wall of fire about me, I've nothing now to fear-
With His manna He my hungry soul shall fill.
Then sweeping up to glory I'll see His blessed face,
Where rivers of delight shall ever roll;
He's the Lily of the Valley, the Bright and Morning Star,
He's the greatest of ten thousand to my soul.

INTERNATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday 27th March 2022

Theme: In Praise of
Mother's Maker

FATHER'S DAY

Sunday 19th June 2022

Theme: Man Up

YOUTH'S DAY

Sunday 14th August 2022

Theme: Born Identity

CHILDREN'S DAY

Sunday 29th May 2022

Theme: A Perfect Gift



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In 2018, we added another empowerment program to our various uplifting programs in this beautiful ministry. This time around, it is an excellent departure from the previous ones where we pay School fees of vulnerable children, payments to the widows, financial aid to small-scale businesswomen, etc. The added program am talking about is "1000 Bible March," where we "invaded" a community with 1,000 pieces of the Bible for free distribution.

Before the program, we could never imagine how successful and rewarding it would be, but we are utterly surprised at the program's feedback and spiritual returns. This spurs us to determine that we will make it an annual event. But unfortunately, we are unable to continue the following year, 2019, due to the spread of the Covid-19 pandemic that ravaged the world.

We give glory to our God, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, for allowing us to revisit this powerful and rewarding event this year, and we need your support to achieve this.

Because we missed three years without hosting the event, we are hoping to march with 1,000 Bibles, not in one location, but marching in two or three areas with a considerable amount of Bibles.

Though we have yet to determine the actual cost of one Bible, we propose using the Bible around N3,500 per one. This will allow you to calculate how many Bibles you can buy for the event.

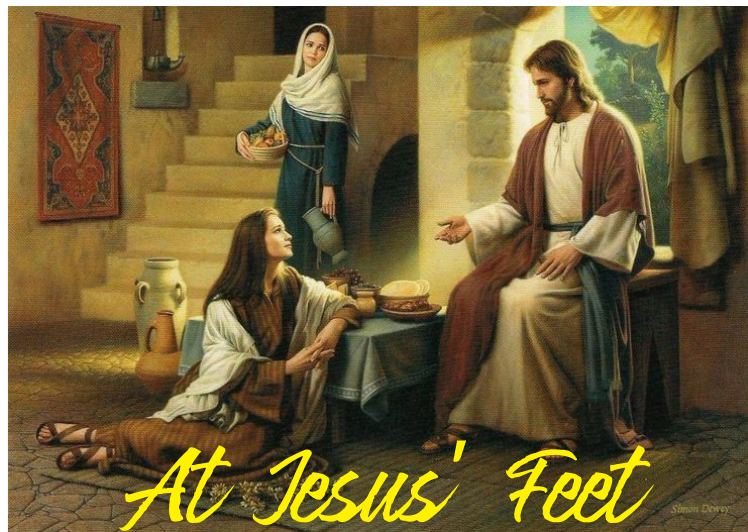
We thank you for all your past givings and assistance in various ways, and we encourage you to pray over this project and let the spirit of God guide you on how best to participate in this forthcoming event.

If you want to be part of the Bible sponsors and wish to give toward it, kindly send a WhatsApp message to 09056674428 for further clarification, questions, suggestions, or account details.

NOTE: Please don't take a loan to participate. If you are unable today, there will always be tomorrow, and I pray that your tomorrow will be far better than today. However, if you can, we will gladly appreciate your participation, and if you can or can't, please join us to pray for another harvest of souls in this year's Bible March event.

Thanks, and God bless you as always.

Sam Adeosun Ministry International



At Jesus' Feet

SUNDAY CLASS STUDY

THINGS CHRISTIANS SHOULD PRAY FOR - 2

Text: Col. 1:9-10

Introduction: The word of God has enlightened us that humans tend to pray amiss, but for the Spirit of God, I doubt if God will answer any prayer at all. (James 4:3) It is essential to know how best to relate with God in our prayers. In continuation of our study, we ask again what Christians should pray for from the perspective of the book of Colossians?

1. Christians need to pray for others and not just for themselves

2. Christians should pray that they will be filled with the knowledge of God's will

3. Christians should pray for wisdom

4. Christians should pray that they have spiritual knowledge (v9) - Though it is good to be knowledgeable, having spiritual knowledge is far more important and ideal for navigating the world. When we have spiritual knowledge, we will understand what prayer means, and we will always pray in the will of God, not about worldly and material things alone. When we acquire spiritual knowledge, we will always find it easy to see God and know His will for our lives is.

5. Christians should pray that they will work worthy of the Lord (v10) - To "walk worthy of the Lord" simply refers to living a faithful Christian life and being as obedient as possible from a human standpoint. By implication, walking worthy of the Lord is living one's life based on Bible standards and not anything else. Unfortunately, it is not the case with most Christians.

They believe and obey humans more than living according to the will of God as stated in His word.

6. Christians should pray that their worthy walk will fully please God (v10) - As sons and daughters of God, our ultimate goal is to please God always. That should be our standard daily. It does not matter what people around you live or the trending in our community. The ultimate goal is to please God.



NIGERIA DO YOU KNOW?

37. Bishop Ajayi Crowther, a Yoruba, in 1857 produced a reading book for the Igbo Language and a full grammar and vocabulary of NUPE in 1864.

38. The first TV broadcast in Nigeria and Tropical Africa was on October 31, 1959.

39. In 1978, a 50Kobo increase (from #1.50 to #2) in the cost of University Students' meal per day caused the "Ali Must Go" protests.

40. Albert E. Kitson discovered coal in Enugu in 1909. This discovery led to the building of Port-Harcourt town in 1912.

41. Today, only Nigeria has a larger black population than Brazil. More than 3.5 million Africans were captured, enslaved and transported to Brazil.

42. Groundnut pyramids were the invention of Alhaji Alhassan Dantata to stack bags before export.

43. In 1967, old traditional ruler, Oba Akran and A. Ademiluyi were jailed for 14 years (7 each) for stealing 504,750 Pounds (N2.5b).

44. Since 1960, Nigeria has been either ruled by an ex-lecturer/ex-teacher or military man. The only exceptions are Azikiwe and Shonekan.

45. If you visited Lagos in 1975, you could spend a day at the Presidential Suite of Federal Palace Hotel for N100, single room for N19.

46. The first aircraft to land in Nigeria landed in Kano in July 1925. A British fighter jet flew from Khartoum (present day Sudan).

47. In 1895, Koko of Nembe (now in Bayelsa) took 60 white men hostage. When the British refused his demands, more than 40 of those men were eaten.

48. The "Naira" was coined by Chief Obafemi Awolowo when he was serving as the Federal Commissioner of Finance.

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Monday's Path: Esther 3:2 And all the king's servants who were within the king's gate bowed and paid homage to Haman, for so the king had commanded concerning him. But Mordecai would not bow or pay homage.

PathWay: Many have been like Haman, who manipulated his way to a powerful position in ancient Persia. He was so focused on himself that he once said, "Whom would the king desire to honor more than me?" (Esther 6:6). But Haman would be humbled one day soon. People use various means to foster the image they desire, build their reputation, advance their careers, and achieve power. But God reminds us that He knows the truth. Ultimately, He will humble all who exalt themselves, but exalt those who humble themselves

**O Lord, help me humble myself today in Jesus' name; PRAY!*

Tuesday's Path: Esther 4:16 "Go, gather all the Jews who are present in Shushan, and fast for me; neither eat nor drink for three days, night or day. My maids and I will fast likewise. And so I will go to the king, which is against the law; and if I perish, I perish!"

PathWay: Esther never anticipated this situation. Still, a young queen chosen for her beauty, she had no experience in government affairs. But circumstances changed when Haman, the king's advisor, convinced the king to kill all Jews in his kingdom. So what do you do when you are afraid? Alone? Were you filled with doubt? Follow Esther's example. Turn to God. Humble yourself before Him. Seek His help and wisdom.

**O Lord, help me commit to trusting your salvation in Jesus' name. PRAY!*

Wednesday's Path: Mark 12:17 And Jesus answered and said to them, "Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." And they marveled at Him.

PathWay: Jesus had a unique perspective on people like Caesar. They may clamor for power on earth, but the Kingdom of God is even more important. Many will spend their lives pursuing the riches, powers, and pleasures of this world. But others will seek God's Kingdom and eternal rewards. Dedicate yourself to seeking the kingdom that will last. In eternity, nothing else will matter.

**O Lord, help me seek your kingdom daily in Jesus' name. PRAY!*

Thursday's Path: Esther 6:6 So Haman came in, and the king asked him, "What shall be done for the man whom the king delights to honor?" Now Haman thought in his heart, "Whom would the king delight to honor more than me?"

PathWay: Many Christians are guilty of pride. They fail to humble themselves before God and place their will above Him. Their focus is on themselves and not on God. They have never surrendered their lives to Him. But your path to greater blessing comes when you humble yourself,

surrender your life to the lordship of Jesus,

**O Lord, rid my life of pride in Jesus' name. PRAY!*

Friday's Path: Esther 7:3 Then Queen Esther answered and said, "If I have found favor in your sight, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me at my petition, and my people at my request.

PathWay: Esther's testimony demonstrates why our character and testimony are important. People watch us and evaluate how we live. That is why we need to obey God's Word, be faithful and trustworthy, and act with integrity.

**O Lord, help me grow the testimony of my mouth in Jesus' name. PRAY!*

Saturday's Path: Job 1:6 Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them.

PathWay: Are you going through tests or trials? Do you feel stretched? Remember, God looks at your heart to see how you respond. Stay faithful in every situation. Continue to trust Him! Be confident that God is on the throne. Persevere! He will strengthen and reward you.

**O Lord, cleanse my heart to be able to stand before you in Jesus' name.*

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Mother's Maker**



2022 OUR YEAR OF
GOD'S MERCY

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HOW TO CONNECT BETTER WITH PASTOR SAM

Is communicating with Pastor Sam Adeosun is an impossible task? No! It is not. The challenge most people have is that they don't understand the enormous

task before the servant of God each day. Imagine wanting to attend to hundreds of people daily. Only God can minister to billions of people even at the same time.

However, to have better communication with Pastor Sam, kindly do the following:

- Register on our Website: SamOlogo.com.ng
- Send your name and email to 09057025657 via WhatsApp, and we will save your number on the registered member's phone

*If you cannot do these, kindly communicate with Pastor Sam on Regular WhatsApp number 09056674428. (chat only)

Important Notice: Please don't call any of the above numbers for any reason unless you have booked a speaking appointment to avoid having your number blocked.

God bless you.

Gaspar de Guzmán discovered the path to political power. Born in Rome in 1587, his father had been a counselor to Spain's King Philip IV. After Gaspar's older brother died, he inherited the title of the Count-Duke of Olivares. After his father's death, he became Philip's chief strategist. On the surface, for twenty years, he was the most powerful person in the Spanish court.

A master manipulator, he realized he could shape opinions by how he was portrayed. To create the image he wanted, he sponsored artist Diego Rodríguez de Silva y Velázquez. In return for this sponsorship, Velázquez created portraits that pictured Olivares as a man of authority, a leader whom others would fear. Unfortunately, many have been like Olivares, driven to foster an image that served their personal agendas. Which side do you belong to?