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#### FEATURING

ULSAUE

DAY 1 - Thur. 18th Aug 2022 I 6:00pm MARRIAGE SEMINAR

FOR COUPLES, SEARCHING & RE-BOOTING

DAY 2 - Fri. 19th Aug 2022 / 6:00pm LEADERSHIP SEMINAR FOR PASTORS, WORKERS & TEAM LEADERS

DAY 3 - Sat. 20th Aug 2022 | 11:00am 20 PRAYER POINTS A POWERFUL REVIVAL

—— OTHER MINISTERS —— Pastor Christie Adeosun (MGC Africa Coordinator) Pastor 'Lekan & 'Ronke Akinbi (MGC UK Coordinator)

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Pastor Sam Adeosun



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### TODAY'S WORSHIP SONG

I've a message from the Lord, Hallelujah!
The message unto you I'll give.
'Tis recorded in His Word, Hallelujah!
It is only that you "look and live."
"Look and live," my brother, live.
Look to Jesus now and live.
'Tis recorded in His Word, Hallelujah!
It is only that you "look and live."

I've a message full of love, Hallelujah! A message, O my friend, for you. 'Tis a message from above, Hallelujah! Jesus said it, and I know 'tis true.

Life is offered unto you. Hallelujah! Eternal life your soul shall have If you'll only look to Him. Hallelujah! Look to Jesus, who alone can save.



#### 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 ways:

1. Call Pastor Sam's office number +234 816 874 5915, OR 2. Register on our Website: SamOlogo.com.ng \*(This feature is coming back soon)

Note: Though it is a good thing to help your friends, neighbors, and relatives when they are in problem. However, that it is not helpful to us to give any of our numbers to them when they have issues. It will be beneficial to them if you rather introduce our ministry to them long before the days of evil so that they will not be looking for any fire-brigade approach during emergency. Thanks.

# THE STORY OF A GREAT STORY

Two hundred years ago there lived in Scotland a young man whose name was Alexander Selkirk. He was quarrelsome and unruly. He was often making trouble among his neighbors.

For this reason many people were glad when he ran away from home and went to sea. "We hope that he will get what he deserves," they said.

He was big and strong and soon became a fine sailor. But he was still headstrong and ill-tempered; and he was often in trouble with the other sailors.

Once his ship was sailing in the great Pacific Ocean. It was four hundred miles from the coast of South America. Then something happened which Selkirk did not like. He became very disagreeable. He quarreled with the other sailors, and even with the captain.

"I would rather live alone on a desert island than be a sailor on this ship," he said.

"Very well," answered the captain. "We shall put you ashore on the first island that we see."

"Do so," said Selkirk. "You cannot please me better."

The very next day they came in sight of a little green island. There were groves of trees near the shore, and high hills beyond them.

"What is the name of this island?" asked Selkirk.

"Juan Fernandez," said the captain.

"Set me on shore and leave me there. Give me a few common tools and some food, and I will do well enough," said the sailor.

"It shall be done," answered the captain.

So they filled a small boat with the things that he would need the most—an ax, a hoe, a kettle, and some other things. They also put in some bread and meat and other food, enough for several weeks.

Then four of the sailors rowed him to the shore and left him there.

Alexander Selkirk was all alone on the island. He began to see how foolish he had been; he thought how terrible it would be to live there without one friend, without one person to whom he could speak.

He called loudly to the sailors and to the captain. "Oh, do not leave me here. Take me back, and I will give you no more trouble."

But they would not listen to him. The ship sailed away and was soon lost to sight.

Then Selkirk set to work to make the best of things. He built him a little hut for shelter at night and in stormy weather. He planted a small garden.

There were pigs and goats on the island, and plenty of fish could be caught from the shore. So there was always plenty of food.

Sometimes Selkirk saw ships sailing in the distance. He tried to make signals to them; he called as loudly as he could; but he was neither seen nor heard, and the ships came no nearer.

"If I ever have the good fortune to escape from this island," he said, "I will be kind and obliging to every one. I will try to make friends instead of enemies."

For four years and four months he lived alone on the island. Then, to his great joy, a ship came near and anchored in the little harbor.

He made himself known, and the captain willingly agreed to carry him back to his own country. When he reached Scotland everybody was eager to hear him

tell of his adventures, and he soon found himself famous.

In England there was then living a man whose name was Daniel Defoe. He was a writer of books. He had written many stories which people at that time liked to read.

When Daniel Defoe heard how Selkirk had lived alone on the island of Juan Fernandez, he said to himself: "Here is something worth telling about. The story of Alexander Selkirk is very pleasing."

So he sat down and wrote a wonderful story, which he called "The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe."

Every boy has heard of Robinson Crusoe. Many boys and indeed many girls have read his story.

When only a child he liked to stand by the river and see the ships sailing past. He wondered where they had come from and where they were going.

He talked with some of the sailors. They told him about the strange lands they had visited far over the sea. They told him about the wonderful things they had seen there. He was delighted.

"Oh, I wish I could be a sailor!" he said.

He could not think of anything else. He thought how grand it would be to sail and sail on the wide blue sea. He thought how pleasant it would be to visit strange countries and see strange peoples.

As he grew up, his father wished him to learn a trade.

"No, no, I am going to be a sailor; I am going to see the world," he said.

His mother said to him: "A sailor's life is a hard life. There are great storms on the sea. Many ships are wrecked and the sailors are drowned.""I am not afraid" said Robinson Crusoe. "I am going to be a sailor and nothing else."

So, when he was eighteen years old, he ran away from his pleasant home and went to sea.

He soon found that his mother's words were true. A sailor's life is indeed a hard life. There is no time to play. Every day there is much work to be done. Sometimes there is great danger.

Robinson Crusoe sailed first on one ship and then on another. He visited many lands and saw many wonderful things.

One day there was a great storm. The ship was driven about by the winds; it was wrecked. All the sailors were drowned but Robinson Crusoe.

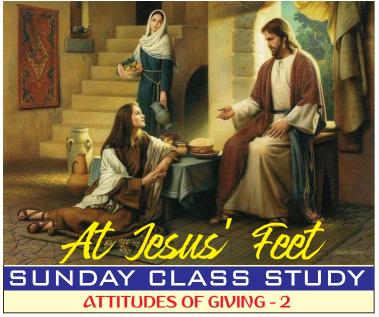
He swam to an island that was not far away. It was a small island, and there was no one living on it. But there were birds in the woods and some wild goats on the hills.

For a long time Robinson Crusoe was all alone. He had only a dog and some cats to keep him company. Then he tamed a parrot and some goats.

He built a house of some sticks and vines. He sowed grain and baked bread. He made a boat for himself. He did a great many things. He was busy every day.

At last a ship happened to pass that way and Robinson was taken on board. He was glad to go back to England to see his home and his friends once more.

This is the story which Mr. Defoe wrote. Perhaps he would not have thought of it, had he not first heard the true story of Alexander Selkirk.



Text: Psalm 96:8-9; 1 Corinthians 16:1-2 Introduction: Last week, we started this study, and our first emphasis is that it should be the desire of every child of God to want to know the whole truth on any subject. As you know, the issue here is giving. Some have been discouraged because of the activities of their Church leaders, while some don't even understand how important giving is in the worship of God. What are the other attitudes to note in giving?

1. The Attitude of Barnabas (Acts 4:36-37) -It is not difficult to understand why Barnabas was called a good man (Acts 11:24). His key attribute is that he was a man full of the Holy Spirit. This is the kind of man we should strive to imitate. Think of all the good that

free-hearted, liberal givers and good like Barnabas. The contrast is striking between Barnabas, and all the people discussed last week (the rich young ruler, Judas, Ananias, and Sapphira). Barnabas saw giving as a personal thing and gave according to the leading of the Spirit of God. What motivates your giving?

would be done if all people in the Church were

2. The Attitude of the Poor Widow (Mark 12:41-44) - Suppose that you were to walk up before the congregation and put your offering on the table where all could see it on each Lord's day; what will be your reaction? Some would say, "I would be embarrassed." However, you would not be if you gave liberally and sacrificially as the poor widow. If we would all give liberally as God has prospered us, our contribution would increase, and we would be adding good works instead of deleting them. a. One preacher said, "When I look at the well-dressed congregation, I ask, where are the poor? When I look at the collection plate, I ask where are the rich?" It is not bad when we give little, but what do we give when we have more?

**3.** The attitude of David (2 Sam 24:24) - I wish we could also have this type of attitude. Many who claim to be givers in the Church don't understand how important it is to bring not just something but quality gifts to God. Torn notes, cheap and unworthy gifts, and leftovers are not something to consider by a child of God. Therefore, every one of us needs to evaluate our giving.

#### INTERNATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

CHILDREN'S DAY Sunday 29th May 2022 Theme: A Perfect Gift

FATHER'S DAY Sunday 19th June 2022 Theme: Man Up

YOUTH'S DAY Sunday 14th August 2022 Theme: Born Identity Poverty and shame will come to him who disdains correction, But he who regards a rebuke will be honored - Pro 13:18

## BIBLE Narch 2022



SAT. 1ST - FRI. 7TH OCTOBER, 2022





Monday's Path: Isa 45:1 "Thus says the LORD to His anointed, To Cyrus, we completely trust in God, everything changes. We have the whose right hand I have held-To subdue nations before him And loose confidence to believe that He is standing by our side in every the armor of kings, To open before him the double doors, So that the situation. As the Bible promises, He is with us to give us His peace gates will not be shut:

PathWay: God was demonstrating that He was bigger than any force on peace, and security. earth. Bigger than Babylon and Nebuchadnezzar. Bigger than Persia or \*O Lord, I renew my trust in you today. Help me grow my faith in you in Cyrus. More significant than any god. Any army. Any problem. The Jesus' name. PRAY! problems we face can seem huge! It can be easy to feel overwhelmed Friday's Path: Isa 51:3 For the LORD will comfort Zion, He will comfort and hopeless. At times like these, we need to remember that we serve all her waste places; He will make her wilderness like Eden, And her the God who changed the world through Cyrus, who did what people thought was impossible.

\*O Lord, prove to the world your might in my life in Jesus' name; PRAY!

Tuesday's Path: Isa 47:13 You are wearied in the multitude of your troubles in the world, but the Bible assures us that God knows what counsels; Let now the astrologers, the stargazers, And the monthly prognosticators Stand up and save you From what shall come upon you. PathWay: Many people today are like these ancient Babylonians, looking for comfort and direction through false religions and various occult practices. They think they can have their gods and even predict the future. But, as Isaiah warned the Babylonians, there is only one God. He worries and give you His peace. Rejoice! Regardless of what you is sovereign-the Creator. Therefore, we must serve Him and Him alone.

\*O Lord, whatever will happen that will take me back to serving other goods will not befall me in Jesus' name. PRAY!

Wednesday's Path: Isa 48:17 Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, The Holy One of Israel: "I am the LORD your God, Who teaches you to profit, Who leads you by the way you should go.

PathWay: "God didn't promise insignificant blessings. Jesus Himself said He came to bring us life "and have it abundantly" (John 10:10).

Think about all God promised Israel. He promised to teach them "to benefit," to direct them, and give them overwhelming peace. They would experience a wave of righteousness. Their families would be blessed. They would have an intimate relationship with Him.

PRAY!

not be disgraced; Therefore I have set My face like a flint, And I know that I impossible. will not be ashamed.

PathWay: Those who don't trust in God go through life without an anchor. name. They can be prone to feel uncertain and shaken by circumstances. They \*Culled from Inspiration can be intimidated or paralyzed by fear and doubt. They can become timid and worried, distracted, and easily sidetracked. However, when

and direct our steps, reassure us, calm our fears, and give us hope,

desert like the garden of the LORD; Joy and gladness will be found in it, Thanksgiving and the voice of melody.

PathWay: As Christians, we should realize that we might experience we are going through. He promises that all our efforts will be worth it all. As God's word reminded us, God has prepared a wonderful reward for those who have been faithful. A place filled with perfect peace, perfect forgiveness, perfect health, joy and gladness, thanksgiving, and praise. Today, let God take away your fears and are going through, you can trust Him!

\*O Lord, give peace and calmness to my soul today in Jesus' name. PRAY!

Saturday's Path: Isa 44:24 Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, And He who formed you from the womb: "I am the LORD, who makes all things, Who stretches out the heavens all alone, Who spreads abroad the earth by Myself;

PathWay: Looking at today's world, our thoughts can be dominated by political powers, business, and economic forces, media empires, armies, and weapons. It can be easy to feel concerned and \*O Lord, release to me your abundant blessing today in Jesus' name. anxious. But the story of Cyrus reminds us that God is sovereign and in control. He has a plan for the world Thursday's Path: Isa 50:7 "For the Lord GOD will help Me; Therefore I will and you. Trust your life to Him. With Him, nothing is

\*O Lord, let your plans over my life manifest in Jesus'