

Book Four of Twelve c. 2022 By Ma Tian En

365 Stories of Courage, Love, Heroes, and God-Incidences!

Introduction: Special Thanks!

I wish to give God All the Glory for this Booklet of Short BedTime Stories!

Read John 14:26-27. Memorize one verse a day, repeat it together!

I began writing this after my dear friend and sister Jip passed away from cancer, yet the Lord knew it was a big job, so the Holy Spirit began to send help in many ways. One is brother James Meletiou, a Greek brother in Knoxville, Tennessee, 84 years old. Imeletiou@BellSouth.net

James already had many short stories and testimonies already done to share and encourage others! Some of his stories are used in this booklet. The Public Library , Ibiblios.org and the Guttenburg Project are other sources of free, difficult to find Christian testimonies. We wish to share and preserve for future generations rare Christian stories to be an encouragement and strengthening to faith in God the Father, Jesus Christ and the precious Holy Spirit!. I give special THANKS to all my family and friends who helped me, prayed for me and love me during this season.

COVID 19, Delta, and OMICRON came in its waves during the prep time of this Book 4, and some I write about in this booklet, like Walter Price, went to heaven due to its impact. I encourage you to go to www.godainicafe.com to find these booklets online also to read articles like "Global Pandemic Preparation for the Poor" of how local Health Care workers in Africa survived Ebola even when they had NO vaccine even! Regardless of the debate, whether the virus was released as a bio weapon to upend current geo-political economic advantages, or by a "lab mistake", the lives and our world today is seriously infected. Like the plot of the James Bond movie "No Time to Die" implies, DNA manipulation can now create terrible virus changes manipulated to kill some and allow others to live. Bio-warfare is not new, the pre-American British General used "gift blankets" from the smallpox infirmary given to Indian chiefs, to wipe our their tribes. Should we be so naive to think people might attempt such Evil acts in our days? If the Indians had this "advantage" would they had used it to conquer Europe? Its very hard to say...we would hope not. Regardless, God IS in full control of the Nations, in that if they act righteously He blesses them, and if they act wickedly, He warns them, and if they do not repent, He judges them! God even uses one Nation to judge another in the Old Testament, and perhaps the same today!

Many great pastors like Malaysian Raymond Koh, and Himly & wife are still missing. See "Citizens Action Group Enforced Disappearence" aka C.A.G.E.D. Others like Johnny Cao are in prison in China for caring for Burmese Border refugee Christians! They need more than our prayers, they need our voice of angst as the Lord leads, set them free!

"The Best things in life... are not Things."

Amish Christian Proverb

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Note To Friends, Parents, and Grandparents:

This is not your "Typical" Bedtime Story Book! It is meant to make you laugh together, also cry together, to create a few memories and projects together you might not make time to do otherwise. Its meant to take about 15 minutes per night, but then once a week, on Friday, expect a "project" you will both enjoy and plan 30 minutes....or so.

I intend to fulfill many purposes writing this, to help you create a legacy for your family, a keepsake of heritage, a place to record life changes, prayers and answers to prayers! After living in China many years, I returned to a country that had forgotten to put a *missions section* in their bookstores! So I am attempting to fix it.... *my way*.

Life is too short to see it wasted, so let us make the most of every opportunity to spread the love of God, even in the face of hatred, to uphold clear moral boundaries because hell is a real place and (thankfully heaven too), to promote God's desire that no one should be lost, but rather all possible be saved!

Grant Father God that we might be godly, grateful, gracious and guided by Your loving Heart.
In Jesus' Name. Amen

Doctrinal preaching certainly bores the hypocrites; but it is only doctrinal preaching that will save Christ's sheep.
The preacher's job is to proclaim the faith, not to provide entertainment for unbelievers— in other words, to feed the sheep rather than amuse the goats.

#1 J.I. Packer
A Global Scholar
Who Loved Jesus
And Intimate
Invested, Faith.
I John 5:4

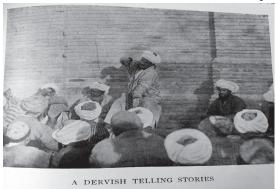
In a historical season in which much is said about claiming our healing by faith, it's often ignored that Paul asked the Lord three times to heal him, and the Lord answered, "My grace is sufficient". Packer once said,

"God uses chronic pain and weakness, along with other afflictions, as His chisel for sculpting our lives. Felt weakness deepens dependance on Christ for strength each day. The weaker we feel, the harder we lean. And the harder we lean, the stronger we grow spiritually, even while our bodies waste away. To live with your "thorn" uncomplainingly—that is, sweet, patient, and free in heart to love and help others, even though every day you feel weak—is true sanctification. It is true healing for the spirit. It is a supreme victory of grace."

It takes courage to trust in God, regardless of whether He heals us, or decides to use us in our affliction as He did Paul, either way God gets the glory!

Knowing God, means you have a daily conversation as with anyone who You daily care for, and who daily cares for you! For example, when COVID first appeared, I asked the Lord, "What does this mean?" He then gave me the verse to understand it, "Isaiah 26:20- "Come, my people, enter your chambers, and shut the doors behind you; Hide yourself, as it were, for a little moment, Until the indignation is past." Therefore, this became a song I sang to warn others to "Take Cover!" i.e. to take this serious, for it wasn't just a passing mild flu, but rather "indignation" means God had a "anger or annoyance provoked by what is perceived as unfair treatment". In fact, many have been treating God as unworthy, with disdain and contempt of disrespect, and He had enough. J.I would agree, to truly know God is to truly Honour God in all we do and say, to Him ...and others! Then Perhaps in God's mercy, He delivered others home, only He knows.

#2 Shirl & Hezi Hall: Great Teachers/Storytellers!



In the late 1970's when I first began Bible College in Northern Ohio, Bus Ministry was at it's best. I would drive through the poor neighborhoods, and parents would sleep in and allow their kids to get on the bus and spend all morning, and sometimes all day at church! Often in pajamas, unfed, and most often 300 at a time! Why? Because, Shirl Hall and the Holy Spirit drew them into a Holy Place!

We built a "Time Machine", out of an old crate, with lights, and Shirl, always the most dramatic storyteller aka ancient dervish, always had the best one to share that day. I will never forget, the "time machine" door opens, and in the dry ice smoke, out steps little boy David saying "Goliath, I coming for You!" The door opens again and out steps Lou-ey Barnam! The biggest man in the church! He had a speech impediment so in every sentence he said, Chow Chow!, like "My name is Lou-ey "ChowChow" Barnam, Chow Chow!" In the drama, David hurled forth his slingshot, and the fake rock hits Lou in the head, and he yells, "Ouch! Chow!Chow!" as 300 kids howl with joy!

Another time we took them all to the river to walk and play along its banks, The kids all came home wet, but had so much fun! Some of those kids like "Keith" were African refugees, but I never asked from what place, God cares.

"True Gold fears no fire."

Zhen Jin Bu Pa Hou Lian.. Chinese Proverb



#3. Merlin Carothers: "Prison to Praise" and Ray Wanek

Praising God at the Flagstaff AZ Park Jesus Concert and Around The World!

How can you have so much JOY? Even when the situation seems so very terrible? Merlin once prayed over me and I got a double anointing of Joy!

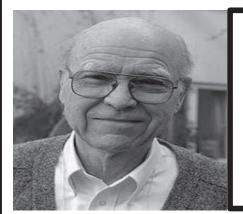
Plus one very simple thought - that God's people are intended to give Him praise for everything that comes into their lives - as based on scriptural promises. The Bible tells us in Romans 8:28: And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God. There is nothing that He cannot turn to His good and use as a source of spiritual growth to those who patiently love and trust in the Lord.

Merlin believes that when Christians praise God - not just in spite of problems, but "for the problems themselves" (everything from petty annoyances to serious tragedies) – as Job like tests of our love and faith, that this praise releases the power of God to use the problem, steal back from the enemy and bring God's best planned good from it. He cites numerous examples in his books to back up that conviction. Merlin says, "The practice of praise is not a gimmick to get quick solutions; rather, it is a holy, realistic recognition that anything God sends or permits in our lives must have a purpose and can be a source of divine strengthening and spiritual growth". Like Joseph, like Job, and even Jesus'suffering on the

Cross, "it was for the JOY set before Him, that He endured the Cross and its shame". Despair and shame are the traps of the Devil, and Jesus came to destroy the works of the devil.

Merlin was a friend of Ray Wanek, a patron and key part of our Cafe, and invited Merlin, who had just returned from giving 7000 Russian Bibles to Russian military! A Master Parachutist, he served in the 82nd Airborne during three major campaigns of World War II and then as a guard to General Eisenhower. Later he became a Lt. Colonel in the U.S. Army Chaplaincy, pilot with the Civil Air Patrol, author, lecturer, pastor and evangelist. Merlin and Ray are praising God forever in a heavenly Park!.

(Memorize Luke 19:10..who did Jesus come to seek!)



#4.
Dr. Ralph & Roberta
Winters
Perspectives in
World Missions.
Pasadena, CA
US Center for World
Missions

In 1991, the Lord had us open the CoffeeShoppe International Cafe in Flagstaff, AZ, and then we began hosting a 16 week Missions Class in which a different Missionary would come every week and teach a section during this 1 week time. It was life changing, why? You could see that Missions and the LOVE to GO, was God's heart and to Go.. was to give the Gift, of God's only Son, Jesus' message to all mankind, of hop, peace and salvation, and that this was the true and only way of getting to heaven, and no other religion came close to offering this Way, Truth and Life.

This class now can be taken for college credit anywhere in the world! All Christian students should make it a MUST to seek out and take this class, either live or online.

I met Dr. Ralph and Roberta Winter's when we took and RV trip from Arizona to Pasadena, and stayed at the US Center for World Missions. They had brought together many of the denominations to work together as One Unity for Jesus and the Kingdom of God, no small feat! Now over 100K or more have taken these classes worldwide. The Perspectives in World Missions to the Muslim World is in Chinese Mandarin to help the Chinese House churches worldwide reach the Muslim world effectively.

The number of missionaries a church helps to GO, is the thermometer of a churches Divine health before God. This true of their larger Network, and of an entire nations divine health!

Many are shocked to hear that in 2021, the TOP Mission SENDING per million church members are the **Palestinian** Christian Missionaries! The next are, Ireland, Malta, and Samoa. South Korea ranks No 5, and sadly the USA ranks NUMBER 9? Why? Its not the PRIORITY it use to be in the American Churches, and therefore God sends more BLESSING to Others. America in quantity percent numbers 2017, has the USA rank FIRST still, sending many still (PTL), and North Korea SECOND, sending 27,436 in over 170 countries/65% in Asia. Lord help us DO better in 2022!

(Memorize Luke 24:47...preach to how many Nations?



#5 Nora Lamb "China Cry"

In Flagstaff, AZ
Nora Lamb said to us
"God is SENDING you,
But it won't be easy.
I will pray for you
as you will be sifted."

Would you still be willing to leave your comfortable job with the State of AZ, a meaningful career?, retirement, a meaningful music career?

Ministry in the USA, and RISK IT ALL to OBEY God's promptings on your heart? This was Nora Lamb's main question to Belle and I that night so long ago. We said, YES, and then she prayed for us, for we had no idea what was ahead for the next 20 plus years working in Asia.

If you have not seen the movie, "China Cry" about the life of Nora Lamb, I suggest that you see it soon! She was a Communist Chinese Leader who was touched by the Holy Spirit, and gave her life to Jesus, and she did risk it all, even her life for Jesus, yet He was always faithful, and her life was proof of this love from God.

I consider EVA, my Chinese spiritual Mom (see Book 1) yet Nora Lamb is my spiritual Grandmother! She imparted steel into my soul that night as she prayed over me. Her example of being tortured for Jesus, of her suffering and love of Jesus stirred my soul and still does.

Real Faith is Always a REAL Risk, trusting God. "Without faith, it is IMPOSSIBLE to please God, for He that come to God MUST believe that He is, and that He is a REWARDER to those who diligently SEEK Him. (Hebrews 11.6).

(Memorize II Corinthians. 1:10. about RISK)



Fun Assignment for a Serious Task:

"Take out some paper, and pray over it that God would guide You as You draw a picture from His heart! Some call this "Prophetic Art", asking the Holy Spirit to speak through your Gift. Write the Date and Time/your name too. Frame it even!"

Lillias could have been a world famous water color landscape artist, with her pictures hanging in some old museum, among Hundreds of other pictures. People would use her art like money to buy and trade, buy and trade, yet she wanted her art To say much more! She used it to tell stories of the people she Shared Jesus with everyday, and the beauty of their culture.

She was a Christian/ Islamic scholar and reached out to the desert Mystics in the Muslim Sufi culture, and many of them became Christians and followers of Jesus. Her drawing are my favorite of all the works of Art I have ever seen in my entire life as a Artist who has been to Art College and have visited many Art Museums around the world.

Ruskin, who was her famous teacher said "She is the best" And she used it all for the Glory of God. Will you?

#7: Rees Howell: Intercessory Power in Jesus Name



Unless we are really trusting Him, where does the praise come in? This peace the Savior gives is not an artificial one. It is so deep that even the devil can't disturb it. You can't hear things in the Spirit while you have any turmoil or fear in you. You can't take a shade of fear into the presence of God.

— Rees Hewells —

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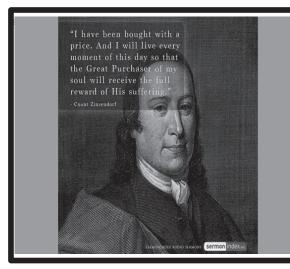
I had never ever heard that name before till I was in a Conference in Asia, and during the meeting, they were praying over me. It was the Haze Season in Thailand, when they locals burn off parts of the Jungles to plant crops, and it was night time and from my seat I looked out and the entire mountain near our place was on FIRE! Pastor Y from Singapore said, "Learn about Rees Howell, This is what the Lord want me to impart to you tonight! We recently purchased Rees Howell's entire Bible College in order to restore it to being a Prayer Center For the UK once more!"

Both Norman Grubb and Bill Johnson have written books about this man, and how his team of intercessors daily, faithfully stormed the gates of hell during WW2, God heard these prayers and did many recorded miracles to turn the tide of many battles, If only we knew the true power of fasting and prayers.

A missionary and his family may have a call from God, good health, good funding, a strong church, a loving family, but if they do not have strong Intercessors, they are at serious risk.

"Many a man little to be great, yet few men great enough to be little." Christian Proverb

Memorize Galatians 4:16.



#8. Count Zinzendorf & The Mustard Seed Foundation:
The Man who has Been the Greatest Example for Churches Who has sent the Most, Prayed for the Longest Honouring God.

Not many have ever had such a zeal for Missions as the Moravian church! When he was still a young boy, he would write "love Letters to Jesus" then make Paper airplanes out of them and cast them off from the top of his castle! Yes they were prayer planes!, Then later as he grew older, at an art museum, while gazing at a picture of Jesus, he was filled with the Holy Spirit and said, "Its not enough for Me to just love you, pray and worship you, I want to do something more, I want to serve you!"

So Count Zinzendorf began taking in persecuted Christian refugees, and they built a Community of Refugees. They were very diverse, and they had to work very hard looking at the Bible for their Model of Unity. Yet once they understood the Love of Jesus meant they had to GO into the unreached Nations, they began sending missionaries. Since he was very against slavery, the first two missions were to the St. Thomas Islands, to bring the gospel and freedom to the slaves in defiance of the Dutch laws of the days. They sent missionaries to the Inuit Eskimos of Greenland, Then to the Iroquois Native American Indians, and to many nations, even the Tibetan peoples of China. In the 1700's this was unheard of for Protestant work.

Many people would put their names in a hat, and then another hat had names of places, and in prayer, names were drawn and places drawn, and then they went forth to these places in faith. They began "around the clock prayer groups" that went none stop for over 100 years, and now they have become 20,000 houses of prayers in many nations of the earth! If God called you to Go, would you GO?





#9.David Brainard. First Nations Native American Missions

Near by Knoxville, TN, some Christians recently purchased the Hiwassee Bible College. I was excited to hear this for the example of David Brainard founded Princeton and Dartmouth College. He preached to the Delaware Indians of New Jersey and Pennsylvania. Yet he contracted tuberculosis and died an early death. His devotions Journal Inspired Jonathan Edwards to reproduce it, and it led William Carey, Henry Martyn, and many other great missionaries to devote their lives to the unreached peoples of the world! May our lives create such a spark and fires!

In these deserts, let me labor, on these mountains, Let me tell, How He died, the blessed Savior, To redeem a world from waiting hell, Woe to me, if I waiver, so dear Lord, help me labor, Let me tell of Jesus' love, let me tell... #10: Joan Meng: CPA for Jesus: \$ Washing People's Feet!





Joan Meng used her gifts as a CPA to glorify God and bless others in Jesus' love, So write down what you want to do with the gifts He has given you? (Memorize Ephesians 5:19).

I first met Joan when our family moved to Singapore to live for months. We stayed in a small room at a friend's father's home. His son had gotten liver cancer and die, but not until he and others had established the first known Church among the Naxi Minority peoples. He helped their church translate the Bible, also many Hymns, Psalms and Spiritual Songs. Why? They love to sing! Joan was in the office busy with administration work much of the time, but she often went on trips into the far off mountains to assist and visit the teams.

She is the light colored hair women in the picture above. She was the auntie all the kids looked forward to see, her bright smile lit up any room. She did the teams daily tasks to keep us all organized together. Could you ever serve others faithfully 30 plus years? She did, and we are family with and to her Even after she moved back to the USA to help care for her Mom, she cared for us all. Wherever the Gospel is preached we need to remember those who Serve us in His love. Read the story of the woman washing Jesus feet now.

"... And the leaves of the Tree (of Life) were for the healing of the Nations..." Rev.22.2

#11 My Family History, (Your Name

What is a Genealogy? Its a record of all your past relatives and often the Stories about their history. God is the God of His-story! The Old Testament is a history book, telling about the very first man, Adam, his wife, Eve. They are part of Your genealogy! Yet most people cannot trace back that far. God is the Eternal One true God who began all things, and the New Testament Begins in Matthew 1:1 "The book of the generation of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham..." (If you have a lot to say, make a separate book).

Your Name:	(What does my name mean?
Place of Birth? (Write something	g about this place
Date of Birth? (Write something	about my birth?
Where did I grow up so far, one p	lace or many?
Something very Special about me	e God showed me.
Day I gave my heart to Jesus? Tel	l story of this
(Memo	rize Enhesians 6:1).

Draw a TREE and beginning with the oldest known relatives at the roots Name all your relatives and the place they come from, then all your aunt's Uncle's and great aunt's and uncles as best as you can and as far back as you Are able, use another piece of paper, or even make a big one on the wall!

Deliver those who are drawn towards death, And hold back those stumbling to the slaughter. Proverbs 24:10.11

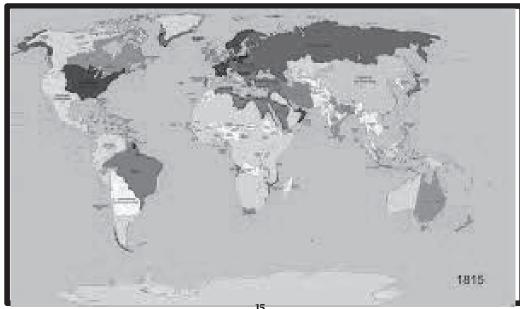


#12: **Robert Jermain Thomas**

South Korean Martyr Who Gave His Bible To His Executioner, And How this Korean **Preached the Gospel** To His Entire Country

Robert Jermain Thomas had not arrived in South Korea very long before found his life being lay ed on the chopping block! He saw he was about to die, so his Bible became as a gift to his executioner, the man took it home, wall-Papered his room and people began to read all the stories of Jesus...they came read it and were saved. Then this man began preaching the Gospel and planting churches all over Korea. Today the South Korean churches are the greatest Asian Mission churches in the world Was it worth it to give his life going for such a short time? Have you heard about this man before? Ask a South Korean Christian, They ALL KNOW WHO HE IS North Korea now has a church of 400,000 underground.

Find North Korea on this map below. Ask the Lord what place He might want you to GO. Pray over the Map, and ask what place hasn't heard about Jesus yet.





13: Beatric Stockli
Swiss Martyr in Mali.
2020 Africa
Sharing Jesus with Muslims
See Rev.20:4

Beatric Spekli was a very strong and brave with many Mali, Africa! Most people don't even know were la you mention the city, "Tim-Buck too" and its the same as saying, the "End of the Earth". Still they don't know how to find It on a map, so it is in North Africa on the West side. thing about Mali either until my friend Bruce went to this country to visit friends who lived near the of Mauritania. Over 300 Fulani had given their hearts to Jesus, and had fled for their lives to Mali as refugees. Béatrice Stockli was a Christian missionary in Timbuktu when she was kidnapped by jihadists in 2016. A fellow hostage released last year had said Ms Stöckli had been killed er al-Qaeda-linked captors. A body recen handed over to Mali's authorities has been s using DNA. confirmed been briefly held by Is a nist militants once Ms Stöck before in Malian and International armed forces have be agling to contain a madist insurgency in the north of that first emerged in 2012. Yes, we must continue sharing ke of Jesus with Muslims, even if they reject us and



14 God Calling!

* 1 in 30 are working in the

"unreached/unengaged"

peoples where they are most needed!

REAL Missionaries Needed!

Will

YOU GO?

There are many missionaries on the field, South Korea (2019) has been the largest sending country next to the USA, and China is well on the way to passing both countries up! Per size and capital, Mongolia is small but leads the world in the high number of its people are preaching Jesus to a lost and dying world! YET, it is far short of the great and ever growing population needs before us! 7 billion people and growing! The saddest problem is that for every 30 missionary on the field, only one in 30 is reaching a "unreached people group" and the rest are working among people already saved! The other 29 of the 30 need to repent, turn the "work" over to the local people they have been training, then ask God to show them the "unreached" peoples He wants them to reach! Guess what! These people are "unreached" for a reason! They live in REMOTE, ISOLATED, UNCOMFORTABLE, DANGEROUS, HARD TO GET TO, PLACES! Guess what? God doesn't want you to GO for a week to have a nice "look see", He wants you to GO and spend the rest of your life, learning their language, then translating the Bible into their language, learning to LOVE these people with the love of Jesus, helping them see Jesus IN YOU daily, casting all your former dreams away, so they can be Your dream that God is calling you to share His love with the rest of your life, and IF you reach this unreached people for Jesus, you raise up disciples, then, pass the work to them and GO as the Lord leads to the NEXT unreached people group! Its easy to GO FIND THEM...pray this prayer..."Lord, show me the unreached, unengaged" people group YOU wish me to to GO reach for You, In Jesus' Name" Amen... Now go onto Google and start looking at the lists...many in the Hindu world! Buddhist work, and the most challenging group still, is the Muslim world! In the year 1808, Dr. Morrison, left the USA for China, and in 1814 he published the New Testament in Chinese! It took him 6 years to get to that place, then Tsai Ako, his first convert was baptized, and in 1818, the whole Bible was finished! Now in 2019, we have over 100 million Chinese Christians, and of those 10,000 want to become missionaries to the lost, yet they need to reach over ONE BILLION Muslims with their own languages! If you work hard, it might take 10 years to just get started! Dr. Morrison worked 27 years in China before he died, he only saw the "few", yet Jesus new he was the pioneer for the 100 million written next to his name as "saved!" What is "success to you? How many will You help win to Christ? Please GO! (Memorize Matthew 28:19,20).

#15 Travels to Pakistan during Covid? (Memorize Acts 15:26)

According to the group Open Doors International, Pakistan Christians suffered the highest Number of believers killed of any country between the 12 months of November 2015 to October 31,2016. In 1947, during the founding of the country the President and founder Muhammad Ali Jinnah, welcomed Christians and declared that they had "freedom to worship" and they composed 26% of the country, yet today their official numbers due to persecution are now less that 1% of the entire country. They are now the 5th hardest place in the world For Christians to live.

So what is the problem? It is the GAP between the "SAY and the DO", the Christians are still treated as second class slaves of Islam in their country. They have the worst jobs, as the Sewer cleaners, and brick makers, while all the Muslims have the nice jobs. Christians find it very difficult to go overseas to study, even if they have the opportunity. It is a very British system of education, and its difficult to come into the USA system. Will you help?

Fund a SCHOLARSHIP for 10 (5 boys/5 girls) young Pakistani CHRISTIANS! (email: thegatheringfamily.com).

Some progress has begun to be seen since 2021 with the 1st Conference for Minority Rights Hosted by the President Arif Alvi, sworn in on Sept 9th, 2018. So continue to PRAY PRAY PRAY for these leaders, also PM, Imran Khan, and Ms. Shuila Ruth, the Parliamentary Secretary for Religious Affairs. And Interfaith Harmony. Pray the leaders will ALL READ A BIBLE for the very First time in their lives, also study it carefully, not casually. This is the First STEP to change.





#16: Marie Monson

The Torch that Lite
The ShanDong Revival
Of the Holy Spirit
1920-2020
And Beyond!

Memorize Philippians 1.10

Marie Monsen, was a Norwegian Missionary to China. She didn't think she was a very good missionary, and wondered why God even wanted her to go to China! Yet, over Time, she began to see God use her in prayer to bring forth many signs, wonders, And miracles in the Holy Spirit, especially CONVICTION LUKEWARM LEADERS of SIN, Both foreigners and local Chinese leaders through the 1930and 1940's prior to WW 2.

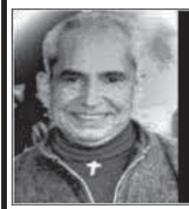
One of her books written in Norwegian originally, then translated into Chinese and English is called The Awakening. Others have written about her in the book, The ShanTong Revival., and some other works. Once, an Army of Bandits were coming to destroy their city and many people fled for their lives. Yet, she and a group of other Intercessors, sought the Lord, for a verse of what they should do? When they got Back together after separately praying, they had ALL been given the SAME VERSE By the Lord, (Genesis 18:32) "

"I will not destroy the city for the sake of ten righteous people."
TheBandit Army heard another army was coming and they FLED, but no Army ever did
Come because it was the Lord who sent them away!

Again, Marie was on a ship, and PIRATES came and took over her ship for 23 days Sometimes they threatened to shoot her, but she didn't flinch, and used Every Opportunity to preach the gospel to them. In the end of her capture, she shared Christ with them for 3 hours straight, They had told her< "We are bad, only bad, we Are born bad." She replied she too was born with an evil heart, but God changed it. Another ship came and the pirates fled, yet they had heard the Truth of Jesus' love. Perhaps some were saved, and perhaps some of the Jihadist Beatric Stockli shared With in Mali before she died, will give their hearts to Jesus, so pray for them now.

17: Mehdi Dibaj

Iranian Martyr for Jesus: Court Appeal.



respect for the Name of the Lord.

Men choose a religion, but a Christian is chosen by Jesus Christ.

— Mehdi Dibaj —

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With all humility I express my gratitude to the Judge of all Heaven and Earth for this precious opportunity, and with brokenness I wait upon The Lord to deliver me from this court trail (9 years in prison waiting) according to His promises. I also beg the honored members of the

Court who are present to listen with patience to my defense and with

In the Holy Name of God who is our Life and Existence:

I am a Christian. As a sinner I believe Jesus has died for my sins on the Cross and by His resurrection and victory over death, has made me righteous in the presence of the Holy God. The true God Speaks about this fact in His Holy Word, the Gospel (Injil). Jesus means Savior because He will save His people from their sins.

Jesus paid the penalty of our sins by His own blood and gave us a New Life so that we can live for the glory of God by the help of the

I have always envied those
Christians who were martyred for
Christ Jesus our Lord. What a
privilege to live for our Lord
and to die for Him as well. I am
filled to overflowing with joy;
I am not only satisfied to be in
prison ... but am ready to give
my life for the sake of Jesus
Christ.

Mehdi Dibai

www.idlehearts.com

17 part 2.

Mehdi Dibaj

Iranian Martyr Court Appeal

Memorize Philippians 2:5.

Continued...by the help of the Holy Spirit and be like a dam against corruption, be a Channel of blessing and healing, and be protected by the love of God.

In response to this kindness, He has asked me to deny myself and be His fully Surrendered Follower, and not to fear people even if they kill my body, but rather rely on the Creator of life who has crowned me with the crown of mercy and compassion. He is The Great Protector of His beloved ones as well as their great reward.

I have been charged with Apostasy! The invisible God who knows our hearts has given Assurance to us, as Christians, that we are not among the apostates who will perish but among the believers who will have eternal life. In Islamic Law (Shari'a) an apostate is one who does not believe in God, the prophets or the resurrection of the dead. We Christians believe on all three.!

They say, "You were a Muslim and you have become a Christian." This is not so. For many Years I had no religion. After searching and studying I accepted God's call and believed in the Lord Jesus Christ in order to receive eternal life. People choose their religion but a Christian is chosen by Christ. He says, "You have not chosen me but I have chosen you" (Gospel of John 15:16). Since when did He choose me? He chose me before the foundation of

The world. People say, "You were a Muslim from your birth." God says, "You were a Christian From the beginning." He states the He chose us thousands of years ago, even before the Creation of the Universe, so that through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ we may be His. A Christian means one who belongs to Jesus Christ.

The eternal God who sees the end from the beginning and who has chosen me to belong to Him, knew from the beginning those whose heart would be drawn to Him, and those who would be willing to sell their faith and eternity for a pot of porridge.

17. Mehdi Dibaj Part 3...Court Appeal

I would rather have the whole world against me, but know the Almighty God is with me! I would rather be called an apostate, but know that I have the approval of the God of glory,

Because man looks at the outward appearance but God looks at the heart. For Him who is

God for all eternity nothing is impossible. All power in heaven and on earth is in His hands.

The Almighty God will raise up anyone He chooses and bring down others, accept some

And reject others, send some to heaven and others to hell. Now because God does whatever He desires, who can separate us from the love of God? Or who can destroy the relationship

Between the Creator and the creature or defeat a life tht is faithful to the Lord?

The faithful will be safe and secure under the shadow of the Almighty! Our refuge is the

Mercy seat of God who is exalted from the beginning. I know in whom I believed, and He is

Able to guard what I have entrusted to Him to the end until I reach the Kingdom of God, The place where the righteous shine like the sun, but where the evil doers will receive the

Punishment of the Fire of Hell.

They tell me, "Return! But to whom can I return from the arms of my God?" Is it right to

Accept what people are saying instead of obeying the Word of God? It is now 4 years that I am walking with the God of miracles, and His kindness upon me is like a shadow and I owe Him much for His fatherly love and concern.

The love of Jesus has filled all my being and I feel the warmth of His love in every part of my body. God, who is my glory and honor and protector, has put His seal of approval upon me through His unsparing blessings and miracles.

This test of faith is a clear example. The good and kind God reproves and punishes all those whom He loves. He tests them in preparation for heaven. The God of Daniel, who protected his friends in the fiery furnace, has protected me for nine years in prison. And all the bad happening have turned out for our good and gain, so much so that I am filled to the over-



#17: Medhi Dibaj Part 4 Court Appeal

Iranian Martyr

Memorize Philippians 2:7

...Overflowing with Joy and thankfulness.

The God of Job has tested my faith and commitment in order to increase my patience and faithfulness. During these nine years He has freed me from all my responsibility so that under the protection of His blessed Name, I would spend my time in prayer and study of His Word, with a searching heart and with brokenness, and grow in the knowledge of my Lord.

I praise the Lord for this unique opportunity. God gave me space in my confinement, brought healing in my difficult hardships and His kindness revived me. Oh what great blessings God has in store for those who fear Him.

They object to my evangelizing. But if one finds a blind person who is about to fall in a well and keeps silent, then one has sinned. It is our religious duty, as long as the door of God's mercy is open, to convince evil Doers to turn from their sinful ways and find refuge in Him in order to be saved from the wrath of the Righteous God and from the coming dreadful punishment.

Jesus Christ says, "I am the door. Whoever enters through Me will be saved." (Gospel of John 10:9).

"I AM the Way, the Truth and the Life. No One Comes to the Father except through Me." (Gospel of John 14:)

#17. Medhi Dibaj. Part 5. Iranian Court Appeal

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved." (Acts 4:12).

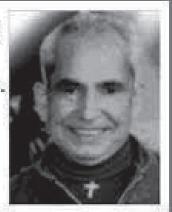
Among the prophets of God, ONLY Jesus Christ rose from the dead, and He is our living Intercessor forever.

He is our Savior and He is the (spiritual) Son of God. To know Him means to know eternal life. I, a useless sinner, have believed in this beloved person and all my life is in His hands. Life for me is an opportunity to serve Him, and death is a better opportunity to be with Christ. Therefore, I am ready to give my life for the sake of Jesus, my Lord, and enter His Kingdom sooner, the place where the elect of God enter everlasting life. But the wicked enter into Eternal damnation.

May the shadow of God's kindness and His hand of blessing and Healing be and remain upon you forever. Amen.

With Respect, Your Christian prisoner, Medhi Dibaj

Mehdi Dibaj was an Iranian Shia Muslim who converted to Christianity and in 1993 was killed as martyr for the Lord Jesus. He joined the Jama'at-e Rabbani Church, the Iranian branch of the Assemblies of God. After the 1979 Iranian revolution he \encountered difficulties. In 1983 he was arrested and imprisoned without trial systematically tortured and tried by an Islamic court; sentenced to death on charges of apostasy.







#18: Lakota Chief Sitting Bull and Joseph Fox, Christian Lakota.

Many people in America love and celebrate Thanksgiving every year, but few people Know the wonderful story of Squanto. I encourage you to read it. I now want to Share the story my Christian Salt Brother, Lakota Joseph Fox shared with me one day.

"Joseph Fox shared that he was a Lakota Medicine Man and took part in the special Dances of his people, yet Jesus touched his heart, and he knew he could no longer Do these Medicine Dances because they involved many demonic forces, so the Medicine Men told him, "If you walk out on our dance, you can never come back Again, and then he walked out." Now Joseph Fox dances for the praise of Jesus!

Joseph then told me about Chief Sitting Bull of the Lakota, that he was a Christian martyred by the US government agents. He then took me to a picture online and Showed me a picture of Sitting Bull, and he said,

"Look closely, and you will see the Cross, Sitting Bull wore proudly around his neck once he was saved by Jesus."

Look at the pic above and see for yourselves. The Lakota know what it means to wear a Cross and would not do so unless they understood. Therefore, Chief Sitting Bull in the ranks of American Christian Martyrs, for he could have tried Fighting to defend himself, but chose the WAY of PEACE, and then others stood to defend him, and the wicked soldiers shot a Christian leader of peace.

Pray for the Lakota peoples, they honor and love ISRAEL also Jesus. May God gran favor.

#19. Ken & Peggy Balcom & CAVU.





CAVU stands for Clear Altitude, Visibility, Unlimited!

In Flagstaff, AZ, at the CoffeeShoppe International Cafe, Ken & Peggy would come and play.

See www. Cavumusic.com *Memorize Philippians 1.6*

They are still my favorite, all-time, Christian musicians, I enjoy listening to because they were not "in your face" but as you listened to their wonderful lyrics, you began to think more and more about the things they sang about, and then WaLa, you realized These people loved Jesus!

During a road trip back from Asia, I got to visit with them again in ShowLow, AZ, And that was the last time I was able to see Peggy, because then later I heard she had a Heart attack and went home to Jesus on the spot walking from her car to the NY B&B House.

How it must have seemed to Peggy, in that one moment, you are outside in the NY coolness, and the next moment, you are walking in the cool clouds of heaven! Saying, "Where am I? What just happened? Then Jesus says, "Surprise Peggy! We have been Waiting for you to lead the Heavenly CAVU! Can you help us today?"

I encourage you to get all their music, their Christmas music, all they have done. Book Ken and the others in a Concert! They are still the best, even missing Peggy.



#20.. George Hunter

"The Wild Gobi" Poem & Song

Kazahk, Kyrgyh, Mongol,

Hui, Uyghur, S. Tajiks

Memorize Philippians 1:7

THE WILD, WILD GOBI

If you will read this lay, and come along with me to-day, I'll take you very far away, to view the wild, wild Gobi!
The lovely hart and pleasant roe in thousands wander to and fro,
This is their desert home you know, it is the wild, wild Gobi.

The untamed camel you will see, for many years he's now been free, For man he scorns to bend his knew, but roams in wild, wild Gobi! The horses wild are also here, they've left their masters many a year, They never now wear harness gear, but graze in wild, wild Gobi!

Large tracts of land are scorched and dry, of water there's but scant supply;
And walled around by mountains high, it lies this black, wild Gobi,
But where the deep river flows, the desert blossoms as the rose,
And rich and green the country grows e'en in this black, wild Gobi!

Sometimes the deep blue sky looks grand, when viewed from this great sea of sand;
Above there is a better land, than this rough, wild, wild Gobi.
When storms blow cold and fierce, and drear, the traveller knows that danger's near;
No sheltered port or harbour pier, is found in wild, wild Gobi.

But were this all that could be said, with ease I'd sleep upon my bed, I'd snugly pillow down my head, nor think of wild, wild Gobi. But said the news I've got to say, for thousands here are far astray, And guides are few to show the Way, in this dark wild, wild Gobi.

The Kirghiz hordes they travel far, but never see the Morning Star, Conquered by Moslem ruthless war, they wander wild, wild Gobi, The Turks, they are the ancient stock, they're also bound by Islam's yoke, Few shepherds care to seek the flock, in this great wild, wild Gobi!

The Mongol nomad cannot see, the Lamb that died on Calvary's tree, He trusts the Buddhist phantom plea, and dies in wild, wild Gobi. The Chinese everywhere are found, their dusty idols here abound, They never hear the Gospel sound, in this far wild, wild, Gobi!

The harvest's great, the reapers few, but ask what He would have you do,
And to His sacred trust be true, regarding wild, wild Gobi.
For His name's sake some hardship bear, to break His last command beware

Go preach the Gospel everywhere, e'en in the wild, wild Gobi

#21. COVID and the Great Pandemic Wall- 2022.

One billion plus Chinese, also one billion Muslims, and one billion Hindu peoples, a total of over 3 billion people in the Asia region, the majority who have never heard of Jesus now have a *great opportunity* to hear! How can it be? Memorize Rom.16.20

<u>Technology Advances/ Go ONLINE to Share!</u> Www.welovemuslims.org

Our of every 30 thirty missionary on the field in the world, only ONE in 30 is working in the place most needed, the unreached and unengaged peoples! Yet, I have a friend on PalTalk who is in a CID (Christian Islamic Dialogue) website and they reach Muslims seeking Jesus every week, and are sometimes harrassed by terrorists, yet, you can make them leave if they are too rude! Some hear the Gospel, repent and are saved, all on the computer! Good or bad weather, expensive PC or 2nd hand! Get on line and become an online Outreach Expert in a short time! China has a Great FIREWALL so pray for them all. Or GO to Asia, stay and reach the unreached and unengaged!

COVID/ Financial Advance

Only 1% of all mission funds the church gives goes to reaching the 3 billion or more people who have never heard the name of Jesus, who don't know English. The other 300 million USD a year goes to helping the reach stay reached, building new churches, cars, salaries, families, etc, etc...but WHO IS GOING TO TELL THE MOST UNREACHED PEOPLES! UUPG? U.Unengaged. U-Unreached (no Church) P-People/Lauguage Group. Some stats say 3,400 others only 2,964? God knows.

Travel Advances/COVID-OMICRON?

Fly anywhere in the world, is possible, but with COVID much harder. The rules change daily so check the Travel regulations, Pray, GO!



#22. Earl Johnson.

The Heart of A Missions Pastor's Church

Every church is a reflection of the leaders obedience and disobedience to the goals set forth by the clear Gospel Mandate to GO! The Bethel Church in Redding, CA stands as a GOOD Example of an obedient to the call of God church in our day!

Are we going more and more into ALL the Nations according to Matthew 28:18-20? Seth, our pastor's son, lent me the book written by Anne Kalvestrand called "Earl Johnson: Governing A Tribe"yet the sub title was even more interesting to me, for she chose "The Man Who Restored an Orphaned Planet".

The entire earth had either forgotten God or else had felt fatherless and forgotten by Him? Regardless, Earl focused.

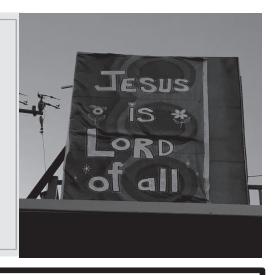
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UNENGAGED....is the first U. For example, a young couple are either Engaged or not engaged! Today, 3,400 linguistic groups Have NOT HEARD ABOUT JESUS, and have NO CHURCH, so they are very UnEngaged. How does your church respond? Your Leaders, pastors? Are they sending NEW TEAMS to these UUPG Or just doing little or nothing? Calling local efforts, "Missions"? Earl ENCOURAGED people to RISK and GO.

China is not to be won for Christ by quiet, ease-loving men and women... The stamp of men and women we need is such as will put Jesus, China, souls first and foremost in everything and at every time - even life itself must be secondary.

Hudson Taylor

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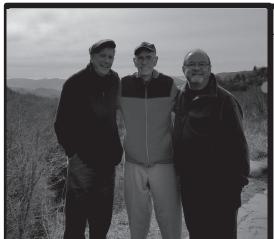


#23: A Vision for a Reconciled Christian, Born Again America The Global Outlook Cafe: 2022/ www.godainicafe.com

Starting in Knoxville, Tennessee, a "Root" of Healing the Nation, The ruling of the Courts of Heaven that ends Abortion in the USA and all the earth. Rev.22.2, "The Nations need to be Healed", Why? China is facing a crisis in its future because they have aborted Millions of babies, just as America and the advocates of a Global Genocide of Abortion around the globe has killed off the future Labor force of OUR future.

The "Wall" in America has become an issue of Security since the Democratic Party has used the billions of dollars by George Soros, to legalize abortions in every nation, to advocate immoral LGBTQ, and to encourage illegal people to come vote, and be paid by Soros and their Party to control the USA illegally. Adoption NOT Abortion.

"Lord, unite Your church worldwide, and especially in the USA, To unite in one Voice of Prayer, all colors, all ethne, against the Abortive Genocide, so the Nation can be HEALED, then build Your Spiritual Wall of United Prayer to save our Nations and World, Oh, Lord God, have mercy, hear our heart's cry!" 2022.



The Compassion of God
The Joy of the Holy Spirit

In Local/Global Missions

Walter Price: Age 92 is Home dancing in Heaven: Memory verse: Philippians 1:1

The homeless man was hungry, so Walter opened up his small apartment and fed the man. After feeding him, he looked out the window, and the man had stolen his wallet, taken the key to his old van, and was driving away!

The police report was made, and we began looking for another vehicle for Walter. Yet, the mechanic a week later, who works on Walter's van, spotted it in another city nearby! The police were called, and the man was arrested, after he wrecked Walter's van. The mechanic, who is a good brother, got the van going.

A few weeks later, Walter was getting something to eat, and a car at dusk, no Lights, slammed into Walter's van, and this time it was done. But Walter didn't Have a scratch hardly! The Holy Ghost is looking out for me! Angels dancing.

Every week we would get together on Friday, go eat some Holy Fish dinner, then Go back to his room and I would get my guitar out, and go to sing Psalms 3>

"But You, O Lord, are a Shield for me, My glory and the lifter of my head"2X

Walter went to have some minor operation and contracted COVID from the Hospital. Walter is home with the Lord, with his sweet wife he missed. She loved to play the auto harp and sing and dance and pray! Now they can forever!

[&]quot; Memorize Rom.16:4"



#25. AL-Fante

The Sufi Hero
Of Central Asia

Originally Began
From Ancient Sufi
Dervish Stories of
Jesus and His Donkey

Al Fante! The favorite clever folk hero of all the Central Asai peoples Is this man. Many movies have been made from all the Sufi stories.

My favorite is "The Donkey that Pooped Gold Coins"

"Al-Fante wanted to marry a young, beautiful lady, whose father was very rich. He was poor, so he knew he didn't have a chance with her father, so he made A plan. He put gold coins up the donkey's rear end, then went to visit the family.

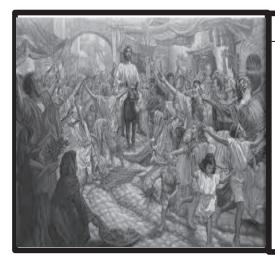
"I came to marry your daughter, I will be a very good husband, and can make Sure she is cared for her whole life very well!" The father looked at this poorly dressed Al-Fante, "Prove to me what you speak!"i

Al-Fante lifted the donkey's tail and began to PRAY VER LOUDLY saying" "Allah, HEAR me, grant me the gold coins so this man will know I can care For his daughter! OHHHH, AH.....LAAAAAA! And with that! The donkey pooped Out Three shiny GOLD COINS!

With this, the father leaped down cleaned off the coins and bit them each to make Sure they were real, "I must have that donkey! Sell him to me" NO, NO, said AI-Fante, you will send me away a poor man and I came to marry your daughter So you and your family will be blessed by me always!

OH Father! I want to be VERY RICH all my life, MOM says you are old and if you die, who is going to take care of us then...! The daughter cried and cried...

How would you end this story? Go see it on the You Tube! Its a cartoon. If AI-Fante had a donkey with BITCOINS we might have a new story to tell! If only they knew the real JESUS and not the fake one to amuse them!



#26. Isa, Al-Masih

The True Hero Of All Nations.

In The Quran,
There are TEN THINGS
ONLY GOD can DO!
Who DID ALL Ten Things!

ISA, Al-Masiah (Blessed be His Name) is the name used in the Book called the Quran for JESUS.

A dear friend from Lebanon grew up a very strict and devout Muslim all his life. HE HATED CHRISTIANS! Yet, one day he was Reading his Quran and had made a list of the 10 things only ALLAH Aka GOD could do, and no other, in the Quran, and THEN>>

It struck like LIGHTENING! JESUS did all Ten of these things!

So secretly, he went and found a Bible and read it, and Realized that "Jesus did all the ten things ONLY God can Do, because Jesus was...God IN Human Flesh! Born of A Virgin! The only one in History like this.....Isaiah 9:6-9 Quoted in the Dead Sea Scrolls hundreds of years before Jesus came to teach said, this virgin born Child would Be called....

WONDERFUL. COUNSELOR...ALMIGHTY GOD...
EVERLASTING FATHER....PRINCE OF PEACE
...His Kingdom would Last FOREVER.

Jesus healed the leper, raised the dead, Only GOD could do this So what are the other eight things? My friend became a follower Of Jesus, Isa Al-Masiah forever....



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