

**GRACE & PEACE** to you in the **MIGHTY** name of **JESUS** (Phil. 2:9; Eph. 1:20-23). We have the security that **GOD** is still on **HIS** throne, & that “**NO** weapon formed against us shall prosper,” (Isa. 54:17). In these perilous times, I pray, as we are commanded, that you pray the Spiritual Whole Armor of **GOD DAILY**, (Eph. 6:11-17).

September was a “tuff” month. I spent some time in Portland, OR., in the hospital, with daughter Lea for my grandson, Elijah’s chemo treatments. I thank you all for your prayers! He has 27 weeks to go. We believe & praise **JESUS** for Elijah’s healing & deliverance from cancer.

I was able to do a service on Sunday night at Larch Mountain. There were 77 inmates & 75 prayed the Salvation Prayer. Chap. Jakstas is doing a wonderful job. Pray for his wife, (Leukemia).

September had only 14 services & a small harvest of souls for the year, 200+ (John 6:44). On my Omega Man Warfare internet show that goes to 167 countries, countless numbers invite **CHRIST** into their hearts. I’ve done 133 shows. Many called from other countries with anointed prayers for Elijah, which touched my heart.

One service at L.A. Co. Jail only had 12 inmates because of their “store night.” Normally store is on Mondays, but Labor Day changed them to Tuesday. The other service had 70 & all 70 prayed the Salvation Prayer, as did the 12. Revival is still happening in the prison services where I minister.

The E.L.A. Juvenile again had a small crowd in the chapel service. There is a lot of anger & rage with the teens there. After my service, last month, 2 girls had a fist fight.

The 2½ hour drive to Chino Women’s Prison was in vain — **LOCKDOWN**. There were 5 screwdrivers missing & hidden: Potential lethal weapons.

My twice-a-month, 2-hour Bible studies are a joy. There is an average of 25-34 who attend. I have many Intercessory Prayer Warriors in our study. The Fred Jordan Mission services were full. The upgrade construction in the chapel is beautiful. The services have been a blessing. Everyone gets an Arsenal Prayer. Many ask for reading glasses which is good. They are reading the Bibles that I give to them.

I’m thankful that no matter where I go, I don’t waste the opportunities **GOD** has given me to express the **LOVE** of the **LORD** for one another. I see all the **LOVE** coming to Elijah; to myself from those praying for deliverance from years of pain; from **GOD** who loves us with an everlasting love, (Jer. 31:3). Galatians 6:10 teaches, “while we have the opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who are of the household of the Father.”

Use the following to help you minister effectively as you show **HIS LOVE** to others:

- **Verbally express how you care for other people.** Tell them what you admire & appreciate about them. They may have pressure & stress, & need encouragement. Remind them of **GOD’S LOVE**, provision (Phil. 4:19) & that you care.

- **Show your affection with a caring hug or act of service.** Don’t turn anyone away who is anxious for someone to lend them a hand. Help them in **JESUS’** name. See Matt. 5:41, 42. Always let them see the **LOVE** of **JESUS** in you. Remember, **LOVE** sent **JESUS** to the Cross & **LOVE** kept **HIM** there, Not the spikes.

- **LOVE others patiently.** Encourage them to go to **GOD**, pour out their soul to **HIS HOLY PRESENCE**. It may take a long time to get through to some people with the truth of **GOD’S WORD**. Encourage them that **GOD** will use for good what satan meant for evil, (Gen. 50:20). Continue to pray for them faithfully to embrace **FATHER GOD’S LOVE**.

- **Care for the people in your life with gratefulness.** Some are difficult to minister to. Ask the **LORD** to understand their burdens, (Matt. 11:28-30; Ps. 55:22) & fill them with **HIS LOVE** for them.

- **Express your affection generously.** When was the last time you gave freely to a hurting person simply because you cared? Keep your eyes open for ways to show people **HIS** provision through sacrificial giving (I Tim. 6:18).

- **LOVE others tenderly.** Be sensitive to the emotions of others & carefully listen to what they tell you. I’ve led many to **CHRIST** because I took the time to listen to them & cared.

- **Always be forgiving.** When you begin to feel angry or resentful towards the people the **LORD** has called you to encourage, remember the countless times **GOD** has forgiven you. Always show compassion. Let them see **JESUS** in you.

- **Care for others with devotion.** With dedication, you support & defend them when they face heartaches & difficulties. Don’t abandon them when challenges & problems arise. Be loyal!

- **LOVE them cheerfully.** Stay positive. Through **CHRIST**, there is always **HOPE**, regardless of the circumstances. Help them cling to the promises of **GOD** (II Cor. 1:20).

- **Share your attention honorably.** Nothing blesses another person more than when you walk in the center of **GOD’S** will & allow **HIM** to work thru you. Make the relationship with the **LORD** your priority (Matt. 6:33).

Until next month, may **GOD** bless you. To you who sent love offerings, a 100-fold return.

In **HIS** Majesty’s Service,

Dear Friend,

If the Lord leads you to send a love offering for my Skid Row and Prison Ministry, please send it to:

Heavenly Manna Inc.

8942 Willis Ave. Unit 9, Panorama City, CA 91402

My tax I.D. number for your records is 93-1112647.

May God abundantly bless you.

In His love,

Mel

### TESTIMONY OF SUSAN

Jesus has had his hand on my life from birth. I weighed 3 lb., 2 oz. at birth, and was blind, I was not expected to live and if I did, my lungs were not expected to develop. Many prayers were offered for my life, which Jesus heard and answered. My family, although church attendees, did not know Jesus as Savior.

At age 11, at a liturgical camp, I accepted an invitation to make a confession. In spite of the fact that I was a very obedient child, I was deeply aware that before a Holy God, I was unclean. From that time on, the hunger for the Lord was intense. My college dorm mate came home, one evening, from a prayer meeting at a Pentecostal Halfway House for drug addicts. I went to the next meeting, and never having touched drugs, this is not where I would have expected to receive Jesus and the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

Within weeks, my father died and a series of other tragedies, and bad choices of my own, resulted in my having bitterness in my soul. With all the years of hardship with my eyes, I never knew bitterness until then. Because of it and the lack of grounding in the Word of God, I believed I was an unforgivable sinner. After 5 years of much abuse and trauma, in my body, I lost all hope. Jesus sent to me a woman who loved Jesus and gave me a book that encouraged me to cry out believing for a second chance. I had 2 small children, who needed to know Jesus, and I was the only believer, I knew, to tell them. I cried out to Him for forgiveness and instantly Jesus filled me with His Spirit and the knowledge that I had believed a lie those 5 years. I was never an unforgivable sinner.

Then my friend took me to Mel Novak's Bible study that was filled with God's Word. He gave me his Arsenal Warfare prayer that I began to pray daily. Freedom was mine. After that, I spent at least 5 hours a day in His Word and the rest in prayer. Jesus trained and taught me to hear His Voice and use the Word of God against the wiles of the enemy. He taught me to give thanks in all circumstances and to decide to believe and live my life with His Truth. He healed my eyes with surgery and with His miraculous touch.

Through much brokenness and pain, the lessons of His grace and mercy have been learned. Jesus promises to never leave us or forsake us. He's always there, whether or not, we feel or experience His goodness. In those times I learned to **BELIEVE** that truly "All things work **TOGETHER** for **GOOD** for those who Love the Lord and are called according to His Purpose." Who we believe is our Lord **JESUS**.