



"The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple" (Ps 119:130).

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**2015:
The Year of
Fruitbearing**

John 15:16
"...I have chosen you, and ordained you...go and bring forth fruit..."

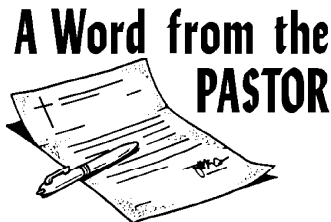
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LIGHTHOUSE BBC RECOGNIZES AND HONORS MOMS TODAY

"The aged women...be in behaviour as becometh holiness, not false accusers, not given to much wine, teachers of good things; ...the young women to be sober, to love their husbands, to love their children, to be discreet, chaste, keepers at home, good, obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God be not blasphemed" (Titus 2:3-5).



IT'S CAREER SUNDAY ON AT LIGHTHOUSE BBC ON MAY 24! THE SINGLE WORKING YOUNG PEOPLE (SWYP) HOSTS THE MORNING SERVICES AND THE BIBLE DRILL IN THE AFTERNOON. ALL WORKING YOUNG PEOPLE ARE ENCOURAGED TO BRING OFFICEMATES, COLLEAGUES, FRIENDS AND BUSINESS PARTNERS. BE NOT ASHAMED OF THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST FOR IT IS THE POWER OF GOD TO SALVATION. (Rom 1:16).

As we recognize and honor the mothers in our midst, let us all be made aware of the testimonies which the Word of God attaches to women. As an Ekklesia, we realize that the Word of God is complete with all instructions to God's people so we may be effective in all endeavors as witnesses of Christ and of His grace.

Many of us know of the Virtuous Woman in Proverbs 31:10-31. While we indeed appreciate the qualities described in these verses, we carefully take note how the women in the Ekklesia should conduct themselves in the work of God. Titus was one church leader who was instructed by the Apostle Paul to "...set in order the things that are wanting..." (Titus 1:5). And all these words put everything in the proper perspective. Praises to God for women who take this to mind.



James Tioco, Chairman of the Board of the Far East Broadcasting Company gives his greeting during the surprise birthday celebration for Pastor Reuben.

**Second Quarter Focus :
Bearing the Fruit of the Knowledge of God**

"...neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ..." (2 Pet 1:8).

"Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen" (Eph. 3:21)

TITLE : THE EKKLESIA: A PEOPLE WHO ARE STRONG IN THE LORD AND IN THE POWER OF HIS MIGHT

Text/s : Eph 5:21; 6:1-18

INTRODUCTION

We not only need to be obedient and submitted to Christ as an Ekklesia. We also need to be "strong in the Lord and in the power of His might" (v 10) as we obey and submit to Him. The following lesson teaches us how we can be effective as we obey Christ as a church.

A) Paul's fourfold exhortation

1) Be strong.

Eph 6:10, "...brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might." We never win battles based on our own strength and power. We can only do so if we are strong in Him and are exhibiting the power of His might.

His Grace makes us strong. 2 Tim 2:1, "...be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus." His Spirit makes us demonstrate His power. 1 Cor 2:4, "...my speech and my preaching was...in demonstration of the Spirit and of power." 2 Tim 1:7, "For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."

2) Be fully equipped.

Eph 6:11, "Put on the whole armour of God..."

2 Tim 2:21, "...be a vessel unto honour, sanctified, and meet for the master's use, and prepared unto every good work."

Eph 4:22-24, "...put off concerning the...old man...put on the new man..."

3) Be able to stand firm.

Eph 6:11-13, "...stand against the wiles of the devil.....withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand."

Col 4:12, "...stand perfect and complete in all the will of God."

We stand in the grace of God. Rom 5:2, "...we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand..." 2 Cor 1:24, "...by faith ye stand."

4) Be prayerful and watchful.

Eph 6:18, "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints."

B) The equipping of the strong and powerful believer

- 1) The belt of Truth (v. 14a).
- 2) The body armor of God's righteousness (v. 14b).
- 3) The sandals of the Good News (v 15).
- 4) The shield of Faith (v 16).
- 5) The helmet of salvation (v 17a).
- 6) The sword of the Spirit, the Word of God (v 17b).

SUMMER BLAST 2015 RESULTS TO MORE THAN 400 YOUTH BEING WON TO CHRIST

The seventy-eight (78) young people who joined the Summer Blast 2015 won to Christ a total of 411 souls. And all those who were won were either known to them personally or have attended a service at Lighthouse BBC. The effort is therefore not only getting them to profess Christ in salvation but to establish good relationship with them.

Summer Blast 2015 culminated yesterday with an evangelistic crusade entitled: Relationship Goals. This was attended by 191 YP from Villa España, Hunters, and Cluster 1-27, with 87 professing faith in Christ.

Praise God for souls won and for our YP who have a burden for souls. Praise God, too, for our people who helped, prayed for and encouraged them. Kudos to Brother Ronald who served as coordinator. May we see them bearing abundant fruit!



Top photo, Lighthouse 6 illustrates the determination which we should have in our Step of Faith project as like climbing a mountain. Lower photo shows Pastor Jojo Cornelios praying for the young people who attended the Summer Blast Crusade yesterday in which 87 came to confess their faith.

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