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Graham in Australia

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After one of the most restful flights over to Australia ever, Graham joined Peter McHugh, the senior leader of Stairway in Melbourne for a gathering of Australian leaders. It was several days of dialogue, as well as times of meals and chats while staying at the McHugh's house.

While the leadership meetings were private, the outcome left all those attending with a great deal of wisdom and possibilities to process.

Some of the best business in the Kingdom takes place around meal tables, and this is always true for Graham during his time there. The opportunities to connect with Peter and Lyn McHugh in Melbourne, David and Norelle Crabtree (senior leaders in Sydney) and with fellow conference speakers Bill Johnson and Australian Gary Morgan were extremely valuable.

These tours of Australia are packed from beginning to end. When Graham is not speaking, he is often in these informal conversations that are equally as important. Therefore, there is very little down time, so your prayers were greatly appreciated.

All our thanks to the TWCers who came to the events, sent pictures, took notes and contributed to the reports you'll read.

The flight home was challenging. Leaving first thing in the morning means needing to sleep during the day, which is not easy. It's definitely been a good fight since his return and I believe an invitation to take our intercession for Graham's health to a new level.

I look forward to seeing where TWC goes with that invitation!

- Allison



Quotes from Graham in Sydney

Sometimes when we hear true wisdom, we don't know what to do with it. That's because wisdom is often not for that moment.

When you hear wisdom, you should hear the sound of a door opening. What you can process when you hear wisdom in the moment is minimal. What you can receive and be transformed by if you follow it through with process is massive.

What happens in wisdom is suddenly you see all these keys that are available to you. It's as if the Lord is dangling a ring of keys, saying, "Want this one? How about this one?"

Wisdom is distilled thinking from the throne room, so there's going to be a process of unpacking it and recognizing how God is using your every day experiences to develop you in it.

When you listen to deep wisdom, you can't take notes anyway. So why try? Put your notebook and pen away the first time you listen to any great teaching that is full of wisdom—and just sit and listen in your spirit.

God has made you alive together with Jesus. "Don't you want to know the "together" part. Now life is no longer frightening.

It's an adventure of stepping into any situation with Jesus and discovering how He wants to walk through it together with you!

God doesn't teach you in church. He teaches you in your life situations. This why God is raising up mentors and disciplers even more than teachers right now.

I love teaching. I love being a teacher. But I love being a mentor.

Our whole life in Christ is about responding on to who He is and what He is holding out. Because we know, if we have a problem, that it comes with provision attached to it.

Everything starts with the gift. We cannot do anything in the Kingdom without a gift being part of the equation.

It takes God to love God. Only God can love God properly.

The key to moving in faith is we trust the nature of God. Trust and faith: two sides of the same coin. We trust the Lord so that we can move in faith.

Situations don't get easier. I get bigger. Our circumstances are not the problem.

Our perception of our circumstances is the problem, because we don't see them in the context of who Jesus really is.

Identity is the key of transformation.

TWC Testimonies of Graham in Australia

Give a few specific statements by Graham and how they impacted you.

One of the most powerful things Graham did was ask us a series of questions about how God the Father views and loves Jesus, and then pointed out that because we are in Christ and Christ is in us that God views us in exactly the same way.



Urs Bukart, Victoria Boyd,
Graham & Neil Hardisty

Mariaty Leman
New Member Team



“Territory of Joyful Intentionality.”

I left with my hopes and dreams about my role in the kingdom having been expanded and with a strong sense that I have a job to do when I get back to Christchurch. In recent years Graham had spoken some mind blowing prophetic words over New Zealand and I left the conference with a growing conviction I was to be one of those who prayed it into being.

I found I wasn't alone, my fellow TWC members also felt they were being prepared to step up into higher and more focused intercession in their own towns and regions. So I believe Graham's visit has released us into a role in regional intercession and a deeper sense of mutual purpose as friends.

Neil Hardisty
Champions Team Coach



As Graham spoke on the new man, he said, "When God speaks to you, it's to cause someone to rise up in you." As I'm meditating on this statement, I'm asking what my promises and prophecies are saying about the identity that is rising up in me.

I'm looking at those prophetic words differently than what I have previously. They are not just there to give me clues to my destiny and a heads-up about where I'm going, but they are there to shape me, as in who I am and who I am becoming, so I can actually walk into that destiny.

Victoria Boyd
Champions Team Member



Graham taught on Righteousness, with humor and delight.

Quote: "All of heaven is attracted to Jesus in you." My fullness depends on me growing in my identity in Christ.

For example: peace Is the alternative to anxiety. I need to practice it by placing myself in the heart of God, allowing His perfect love to drive out all fear. Then Holy Spirit enables me to practice the new man in the favor, kindness and goodness of God, renewing my mind as to who God is for me in every circumstance as life unfolds. And if I learn how to receive every single day I won't need to learn how to receive under pressure.

Frances Burnham
New Member Team





The Space Before Me

Christine Casten
Executive Director of TWC

TWC trains differently—that's a given. The fact that we might struggle a bit is not so much a challenge. In fact, it's a valued part of the process. Over the years, we have found rescuing someone from their process does them no favors. In those moments, it may seem like they are alone in the journey or that no one understands, but we do. We have been there. In fact, all of us still go through those times too.

Sure, having lived through a few of those shifts and seeing the results of our choices for more has opened a new language.



“In places of challenge, there is always a space before us.”

We learn to view those places as stretching, upgrade, launch, acceleration, transition, transformation, expansion, etc. For me, I developed the word “wonky” because I had no other way to describe the initial instability I sometimes felt when first stepping into those wide open spaces. In places of challenge, there is always a space before us.

One of the biggest realities in the process of growth is that God is always expanding our belief in His bigness and understanding of just how incredible our true persona really is.

Before my TWC journey, I wondered what people were going to do to make it better or make it work. And, hand on heart, the truth is I wanted to point to someone else to fill it. Imagine my surprise when I realized the person who needed to fill that space was me! Shock went through my system! What? I'm supposed to fill that space? How? Well that, my friend, is part of the journey with the Lord.

One of my first open spaces was in my desire to find a mentor. I wanted to connect to someone who could be there for me, ready to instill the right answer and allow me to process (in this case, whine and complain) through my problems. WOW...am I glad I had to wait a few years before someone stepped in. I needed a completely different mindset!

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See, in God's wisdom, the Lord allowed me to wait. He encouraged me to become what I was looking to find and quickly began to bring people for me to mentor.

I had no clue what I was doing, but I had to learn to really rely on Him.

I had to develop in my relationship with Him, not rescue someone from their process, tap into the creativity He provided in those moments and learn how not to be someone's Jesus. This meant I learned to create space for them to rise into...and not fill that space for them.

It was a great preparation for how The Warrior Class trains.

By the time He brought someone into my life who could be that mentor, I had matured greatly. My relationship with God was more solid and I had grown in more character. Was that journey difficult? Yes, it was, but at the same time, my growth process greatly accelerated.

I learned how to look beyond myself, pour into others and gain as much from the revelation He released in those conversations as they did!

At this point, wide open space just made me giddy! The creative juices begin to flow. The idea of who I am and what I get to become is such a delightful journey. I have several questions help me.



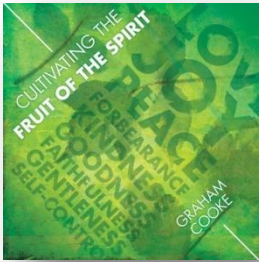
- How am I supposed to fill this space?
- What part of my persona or capacity is expanding?
- What is God pulling out of me in this place that opens a door for greater strength, passion, growth, learning, identity...the list goes on.
- How might the process of my development overflow into the lives of others?

At this point, when I see a gap, I fill it. It doesn't mean I own the space. I may fill that gap until someone else comes along to fill it with what they bring. I may fill that gap and continue to move on through that space as a stepping stone in my journey forward. Or, that space may be something that expands as my ability to develop continues to go beyond the original size of that space. But, one thing I do know, I am always looking for the space before me!

- Christine



Warrior Class Training



**Love
Joy
Peace
Forbearance
Kindness
Goodness
Faithfulness
Gentleness
Self-Control**

The Journey Continues: **Advanced Training Modules**

Our training levels/modules provide so many opportunities for our continued growth process. They form a foundation for our growth that opens more for our journey with the Lord.

Here's a highlight of one of our Advanced Training Modules. These modules are available for anyone who's completed Level 2.

This month, our feature Advanced Training Module is:

Fighting with Fruit

This training module is designed to develop your internal territory as a Special Forces Warrior and embark on growing in the ways of a Champion: someone who creates a powerful, majestic atmosphere that others are empowered by.

Materials Needed –

- ❖ CD/MP3 by Graham Cooke *“Cultivating the Fruit of the Spirit”*
- ❖ CD/MP3 by Graham Cooke *“Kind Intentions of God”*
- ❖ Book by Graham Cooke *“Radical Perceptions”*

Training Calls in May

New Member Calls:

May 18th with Teresa Morrison
3 PT | 4 MT | 5 CT | 6 ET PM
Living on a Higher Place

May 27th with Rebecca Schwab
8am PT | 9 am MT | 10 am CT | 11 am ET
Joyful Intentionality, Mindset #7 – Powerful Choices

Warrior Team Calls:

May 20th with Eric Dykstra
11a PT | 12p MT | 1p CT | 2p ET PM
The Art of Meditation, Focus and Soaking

May 21st with Lori Mateer
12 pm PT | 1 pm MT | 2 pm CT | 3 pm ET
What is taking ground and how do you hold it?

Champion Team Calls:

Please check the Champions Team Facebook page for conference call recordings.

Website Feature of the Month

TWC Training Journals



The Warrior Class website is filled with many rich resources for your growth. One of the most treasured resources are our Training Journals. Each one has a specific focus that takes you through insights, helps and steps for various areas of your training. Some of our older journals have risen up recently as great tools to help you develop and update your identity statements: Training Journal #3 Discovering Your Kingdom Identity. Another great one is #9 The Process that Makes Us Rich. Or maybe you are in a place of challenge and you want to tap into Training Journal #14 The Language of an Overcomer to give you a boost!

These are just three of the 16 currently available in the Resources/Training Journals tab.

Testimony on Journaling:

Hello, Warriors! I just wanted to share the impact Allison Bown's book has had on my walk in such a short time. Tool #1 the end of journal guilt made me (yes, made me) buy 7 journals. I've been on a mission to simplifying my life - sadly, this includes books and journals, but when she described in detail how to use them, a light turned on.

So, I told Papa that He was gonna have to be super clear with me about where and what to write because I don't want to get overwhelmed. Once I said yes, it all fell into place. That's God - clear and on point.

Ok, the bonus: I have occasional dreams, but never wrote them down because I didn't quite understand them. Last night, I had a dream. This time the Lord gave me the interpretation and so... I now have a dream journal.

I just had to share because I feel so excited about this journey. Journaling just went to a new level.

Journal On, Warriors!

Edith Pont
New Member Team





Meg Middelstedt
New Member Coach

Upcoming New Member Call — Moving at High Altitude

The childlike simplicity of small steps with Papa

Feeling a bit of vertigo at all lately?

I remember my first year or so in TWC: a combination of exhilarating, bewildering, life-giving and even, at times, exhausting. Life suddenly began to pick up pace as I began to take the Lord more and more at His word(s)—to step out in faith, to write crafted prayers and love those grace-growers, to practice my identity in my circumstances, to make intentional and brave choices.

I remember the relief I felt upon first hearing Living on a Higher Place.

Especially when Graham said, “Do you know that, at high altitude, you are convinced you made a right decision one minute, and then equally as convinced that you shouldn’t even be there the next?” How many of us have done things in the last few months and thought, “This is the Lord! Is it?”

Oh my goodness, I was normal! Such a relief to hear these words and know that the trust and obedience required when taking new ground can sometimes lead us to experience moments of doubt or crises of confidence. That really, that’s just evidence of the Lord taking our TWC journey seriously and initiating our process of acceleration.

Our negativity about ourselves, God, and the world around us will rise up at times. That’s so it can reveal the ‘instead’! As Grae says, we just have to get over our bad selves and say “Yes” to the new self that loves climbing!

As newcomers to TWC, some of you may be experiencing the very normal sensations of what we call “high altitude.” You may also be relieved to discover—with others—that you are not alone.

Join me and other new members on June 17th as we explore what it means that love and permission are the sole reasons we enter a higher place. We’ll talk about small steps, turning our weakness into joyful vulnerability and making ourselves vulnerable to the goodness of God. It’s one of my favorite Graham teachings!

– Meg

New Member Highlight:
We are pleased to announce that we’ve had 57 New Member’s join TWC so far this year! Thank you for your warm greetings to each and every New Member on our Facebook page.

Teresa Morrison
Director of New Members

New Members in April:

Fauna Lang	NY
Frances Burnham	AU
Ken Morse	WA
Kirsten Potter	HI
Michael Cory	GA
Michael Thorton	OR
Ryan Ruppert	MO
Sherri Stauffer	CO
Sixto Torres	IL
Susannah Maddox	CA



Susan Morningstar
Warrior Team Coach

“Warrior Team is a group of warriors, pioneers and explorers who continue to strengthen their training and community through a focused, self-paced training. We climb to new altitudes, acclimate and passionately pursue our growth through all training levels and modules. We are team coached and given opportunities for training and idea exchanges through conversational calls, specialty training, and an increasing variety of media.”

Creativity Takes Many Forms

On April 21st, WT hosted the first of several calls to begin to identify and draw together warriors with a passion in the creative arts. Instead of having a specific training focus, these calls are more “exploratory” in nature. In hopes of fostering deeper connections on the call, participants were limited to 10, with a request to fill in a brief “bio” that we would have of each other prior to the call. This led to a rich interaction between members and, I hope, will lead to creative warriors seeking one another out to begin to dream with God about the possibilities in creative expression!

Creativity takes many forms, and just in the 8 members who joined the call, a variety of artistic passions were shared: Drawing and painting, photography, writing, singing and music, drama and acting, dance, interior design and art journaling, to name a few. Many of the creative expressions shared involved the prophetic, dreams and symbols, creative worship and healing.

One member, Hazel Carter Strachan, shared with me:

“Thank you so much for designing the call, I was a bit hesitant and second guessed myself thinking that the call was for artists, painters etc. and I almost missed it. I was quite stimulated by the call and your encouraging and engaging spirit throughout. One thing I can say about the TWC coaches is that you know how to stimulate and encourage the best to come out from us.”

We are a company assigned to “reveal the true nature of God” and to “explore deep personal relationship with Him”; to train as warriors on the ground of prophetic intercession; who value the treasure in each one and the brilliance of “team” as each brings their “piece of the puzzle”. We value input from members in all areas.

What if there are images, songs, dances, stories and poems and dramas that will powerfully release into the earth:

- Ever increasing realms of powerful worship and God’s manifested Presence?
- The various aspects of the nature of our God?
- The fruit of the spirit – as targeted weapons?
- Prophetic aspects of persona and identity?
- Each one of the Key Territories – that are OURS as a company to take and hold?
- What IS truly possible, through the astonishing creative nature of our God, and the unique creative passions He has gifted us with, as ones created in His image?

I will be hosting 2 more calls on this subject (in September and November), seeking other members who may have a ‘piece’ they would like to contribute to our corporate DNA in this area. It’s only the beginning...

- Susan



CHAMPIONS TEAM

Madeline Rooney
Champions Team Coach

“Champions Team is a company of warriors who have decided to run harder, go faster, climb higher and endure longer through a group mentoring process. Momentum is key in everything we do! Available through application after completion of Level 1, we build community through team and training calls, Facebook conversations and pouring back into the TWC community in various ways. We are discovering many upgrades to add to our walk. If you are interested in applying to the Champions Team, you must have completed ad turned in your Level 1 by April 15th, 2017. Look for more information in the Member Update.

Enjoying Your Joy

“Out of your mouth will flow rivers of living water”

I was excited and challenged all at once as I began to prepare my thoughts for our Champions Team training call. Prior to the start of the year, the Lord began to impress upon me a newness of joy in our persona that I had not considered before. In March, I had the honor of hosting a training call on “Enjoying Your Joy.”

From Living Your Truest Identity Graham shares, “the supernatural means 100% you and 100% God. You are supernatural. It also means that God has come to expand who you are.” You are more than you could ever imagine in your persona. You are unique. There is no one like you. To know and be known by God is the very essence of this training piece. He beckons us to learn how He feels joy rather than what we understand it to be to experience His sense of wonder about us.

“You are made extraordinary by His delight in you” – Blog post by Graham Cooke

To start the call off I talked about a few aspects of joy as it relates to our identity and how God wants to open up within us a transforming depth of joy connected to our uniqueness. He wants us to experience joy in our persona where we can say, “Yep, that’s me, I’m a lot like my Father.”

One thing that was highlighted and shared on the call is how we must be intentional to practice our joy and lean into it with expectancy. A member shared an experience of how joy let her see what she otherwise could have missed. Another shared how becoming intentional in joy let her see and engage with her teenage daughter as they joked and laughed together. Others talked about how joy is not according to our circumstances. Joy is how we are known in heaven.

Going after joy in the way God made us is essential for life in the Kingdom. It gives us ultimate permission to be authentic and free from fear and loneliness. We have the advantage when we let joy lead the way.

I would like to leave you with this activation as you ponder and consider what brings you joy. I was delighted to hear one of our members respond to this activation on our call. It’s not too late to hear from the recording what she shared in response.

Activation: Ask those who are closest to you. What do you see brings me joy? You’ll be surprised what people see that we missed that settles us in in our identity and in joy.

– Madeline

CHANGES



Welcome our New Director of Intel and Warrior Team Coaches

Our Warrior Class desire to raise up Warriors, Champions and Gamechangers would not be possible without the many volunteer coaches and leaders who pour their hearts and time into TWC. These passionate members of TWC spend countless hours dreaming about our prototype community, generating ideas, implementing training, learning new technology and praying for your growth.

Take a moment to celebrate all they pour in at this time!

Today, we also want to announce a few faces to our leadership team.



Karleigh Wood:

Welcome Karleigh as she steps into the role of Director of Intel. She carries a huge heart for the prophetic and intercession within TWC.

She's traveled through Intel Development Training (IDT), Exploration Round Table Training (advanced IDT), and has served as the Lead Coach of Intel Training for the Intel Impact Captains for the past nine months.

Through that time, she embraced the landscape before her. She shows strong focus as a trainer, developer of training and strategic perspective gained through the gathered Intel. She continues to develop Intel areas of our community and expand the different connections we get to have for the Intel process.

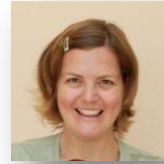


Angie Taylor:

Angie is an explosion of joy. She pours in an excitement to the journey for all she continues to discover. That discovery immediately translates into how she can share it with others.

Most recently, she has served as an assistance assistant Champions Team Coach, but also connects to Intel as an Impact Captain.

As a new Warrior Team Coach, she brings a great perspective of joy for the journey.



Linda Smallbones:

There is no doubt about Linda's passion for TWC. That passion is shown in many different ways: in the training she has turned in, the questions she asks and the hunger she always shows in her growth process. For her, this also means participating in some of the training calls at 2 am her time!

As a Warrior Team Coach based out of South Africa, she will provide additional training and offer call times for our members across the globe.

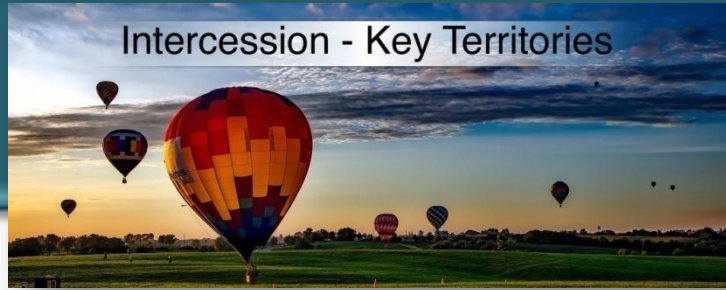


Faith Donaldson:

We want to express our heart-felt appreciation for all Faith has poured into this community as a Director.

Faith is going to Warrior Team as she takes an ebb from her directorship to refresh and dream about more possibilities in TWC.

We are so grateful for what she has given and will continue to provide for our TWC community!



Karleigh Wood
Director of Intel

Joyful Intentionality

This month our community will focus on the
Key Territory of Joyful Intentionality.

*Key Territories are found on the website.
Resources/Training Journals 15 & 16*

As we all know, God is very intentional with us in all He does. He is also passionate about us and His plans for us in Christ. He delights in us and draws us with His goodness. He initiates and our part is to respond to His kind intentions. As a result, it stirs up and releases passion which provides focus, delight in the nature of our relationship with Him and joy in who He is to supply us for the journey.

- What new understanding with God's goodness is needed at this stage?
- What is God saying about who you are becoming?
- What are His plans and purposes for you at this time?
- How does He feel about it?
- What new aspect relationally is He opening up at this stage with Him?
- What new understanding of joy is needed for this next leg of your journey?

Enjoy praying our "[Warriors Are](#)" *Declarations* (found on the website: *Resources/"Warriors Are" Declarations*) individually for this territory and your revelations and encounters with His goodness and majesty!

See the Joyful Intentionality Prayer Points on the next page.

Testimony: *Juna Light Stayner ~ Praying and meditating through this Key Territory I realized I was operating under a false assumption of what Intentionality really is. I have recognized that being intentional is a focus driven by a desire to take ground.*

Example: *If I am to abide in Christ it is an active rest with intention for movement in the Kingdom. Far from performance, the focus is on being and growing. What comes out of that gets the work done. The victory here has been in the upgrade of relationship, both with Jesus and people.*



Warrior Declarations for Joyful Intentionality Territory

Thank You Father that Your gift is the desire to obey You and the passion to do what pleases You. Jesus, You are the Author and Finisher of our faith; the One who completes the good work You begin. It is our delight to respond to what You initiate.



We declare and release into this territory:

Eyes to see and ears to hear the kind intentions of God that stir joyful intentionality. Stillness to know and encounter the passion that God has for us.

Encouragement in the unconditional love and unchanging nature of God. The people of God as an empowered, engaged army, no longer a mere audience.

We lock up:

Fears of challenge and unlock a spirit of adventure and Kingdom exploration.

Fears of new ideas and unlock passion for God's creative possibilities. Being overwhelmed with tasks at hand and unlock overwhelming awareness of God's provision and promises.

Instead of the constraints of discipline, the freedom of delight.

Instead of logic for safety, trust in God's unchanging nature.

Instead of striving towards an outcome, the discovery of God's process that makes us rich.

Instead of settling for good enough, a passion for excellence because God is excellent.

We ask in the name of Jesus, that all people would encounter and come to know these truths. That the eyes of their hearts would be enlightened; re-forming their perceptions, mindsets, language and actions to align with the mind of Christ and the heart of the Father.

Graham in San Diego

May 19–20, 2017:

TWC Prayer Points

Empowered to overcome any obstacle, we choose joy as our breakthrough. Learning the ebbs and flows of acceleration, we build endurance and find strength for the fight. We seek out Your vision for the future and take our hope in Your promises.



We Lock Up:

- Discouragement
- Performance
- Weariness
- Contentment
- Resigned Acceptance

We Unlock Kingdom mindsets to see:

- Joy as a breakthrough agent
- Vision
- Freedom to pursue future promises
- Confidence
- Healing

Key Scripture:

Psalm 16:8–11 “I have set the LORD always before me; because He is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken. Therefore, my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure. For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol or let your holy one see corruption. You make known to me the path of life; in your Presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Declaration:

- Lord, we thank You for casting a vision for the future. We receive Your abundant joy as a point of breakthrough, allowing us to look beyond the present and into the future.
- For every obstacle, open Your limitless possibilities.
- For every place of resigned acceptance, fan the fires of passion.
- Release the strategic vision for how to run with endurance, longevity and future hope. We confidently pursue moving in tandem with You, Lord, expectant to see all Your promises fulfilled.

News from Santa Barbara

Finding Your Rhythm



Allison Bown

Brilliant Perspectives
Co-Founder of TWC

Whenever we go through a time of transition, we need to find a new rhythm. Not a schedule—but a fresh ebb and flow to how we move through our days. What worked beautifully before may not work as well now. Nothing is wrong. It's just that God has a new way of walking with us and it's our delight to find it.

I'm greatly enjoying the discovery process in this. I've worked with several of the Brilliant team for many years. Graham, Theresa, Jenny and I have navigated moving cities, expansion and Brilliant Events in addition to Warrior Class connections.

Other members of the team are newer. Josh, our creative film producer; Tyler, the one who imagines ways to share our message with a broader audience; Allie in the office with Jenny; Lucas contributing to the writing... all young, brilliant thinkers and creators. But no matter if we have long-standing friendships or new friends, we are all fellow travelers learning who we are and who we want to be together on this adventure.

When we're learning a new rhythm in our lives with God, we're also learning it with the lives of our friends, fellow sojourners—and in this case, co-workers.

Whether it's a 5th Floor Family Lunch once a month or a production meeting, we're learning how we work best together. It's fascinating to discover how each member of the team sees and thinks. We know everyone has a valuable piece, but we're still not sure. Conversations in the hallway can lead to brilliant breakthroughs. It's relational development at it's best.

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"But no matter if we have long-standing friendships or new friends, we are all fellow travelers learning who we are and who we want to be together on this adventure."



Josh Stutzman working with Graham in the studio.



Tyler Ward with Graham and fellow 5th floor friend Jack Smith.

What I am most impacted by is everyone's willingness to learn new ways, explore fresh ideas and love the process. This includes Graham, with over 40 years of ministry experience. "Loving the learning" or "It's the process that makes you rich," or "When you do something for the first time, you usually learn how *not* to do it," are not just catch phrases to him. He is willing to truly do something he's never done before to see an outcome that he's never seen.

So as you continue to explore and build in TWC, the team in Santa Barbara is doing the same. The joy of discovering new ways to communicate just how amazing God really is and the life available in the New Man is well worth the learning.

As we explore who Warrior Team and Champions Team can become, please take that lesson to heart. We're in a great place, but YOU are the catalysts for who we grow to be. Not everything is in its fullness yet—because there are things still to see, discover and build. Embrace that process and be a part of it!

Each month, I'll introduce you to different members of the team and update you on what we're up to.

Your prayers for all of us are greatly appreciated. Your intercession is a key part of our momentum.

Thank you for your heart, passion and joy in praying for us!

- Allison



Josh and Jimmy experimenting with new film equipment.



Lucas Bell – fellow writer and dreamer



Allison heading out from the office after a Santa Barbara work day.





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TWC Training Day Schedule CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

TWC TRAINING DAY SCHEDULE

*This is a preliminary schedule,
times are subject to change.*

Date/Time

Wednesday, October 11th

Directors & Coaches Meet and Eat
6 pm – 9 pm * *Meet in hotel lobby*

Thursday, October 12th

8 am – 12 pm: TWC Leaders Meeting
1:30 pm – 5:30 pm: All Members
7 pm – 9 pm: Worship with Bob Book

Friday, October 13th

8 am – 4 pm: All Members

TRAINING DAY GUESTS

This year we have a large conference room that will accommodate guests, information and sign-ups will be in upcoming publications.

CONFERENCE VOLUNTEERS

If you've been asked to be a conference volunteer, your registration will be complimentary. Jenny Taylor will be in touch with you with more information.

HYATT HOTEL ROOMS

As in the past, our TWC Training Days come just before this conference and many of you are planning ahead of time. It's important to know that the rooms at the Hyatt sell out quickly.

Even though it is early, a quarter of them are already reserved. Please visit www.brilliantperspectives.com to book your room and gather conference information.

TWC CONFERENCE REGISTRATION DISCOUNT

The TWC discount link is for TWC members only, kindly register guests separately. The discount link can be found in all of our Member Updates, which is on the member portion of the website under: Access/Member Update.

*A printable version of the schedule along with the prayer points
will be in future publications.*



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT:

Mackenzie Bailey
Warrior Team Member



Mackenzie Bailey & Family

About me: Hello friends! I'm Mackenzie Bailey. I have a spunky two-year-old, darling newborn, and a hilarious husband that lives life with me. I'm very newly passionate about coffee, but not without a LOT of milk and a little vanilla creamer. ☺

Becoming the Beloved:

I'm emerging out of a performance mindset that goes over and over mistakes that I have made into a mindset of freedom and grace. I'm learning to laugh at my mistakes and realize that when my unintentional mistakes inconvenience others, it's really okay to become a "grace grower" for someone else!

What part of God's nature are you discovering?

I'm growing deeper into God's favor. Since college my husband and I had really been exploring what it looks like to win favor with God and man. Now we are testing out new waters – how far does our favor expand over others? Can we have favor for a whole team? A company? Neighborhood? City or state? How deep and wide does God's favor really run for me and where is the line where I step outside of God's favor? I feel like I have come into so much favor with God and man, so now I want to take the next step and cover others with favor.



My Identity Statement:



I am a gold digger – I discover and magnify natural beauty in what seems like the darkest of places.

I am a creator of time – My days can be filled with a thousand years, and I intentionally empower others to live within this acceleration.

I am an ingenious giver – I feed off the generosity of Christ and give strategic gifts that carry the fragrance of God's throne room.

I am God's favorite – I relish in the delight of our relationship and live in awe of the way He loves me.

I am a person who sparkles – My infectious joy and accepting love restores broken places and gives others permission to love themselves.

I am a comforter – I inspire acquaintance not friendship with grief, and hold the hand of people who are walking through ashes becoming beauty.

I am an atmosphere changer – It's easy for me to overwhelm negative environments with the love and joy of Christ or to allow Christ to occupy unclaimed space.

I am a threat to the existence of sexual perversion – My purity will dominate poisonous mindsets, destroy sexual immorality, and sneakily replace defiled atmospheres with conquering love of Christ.