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### Frontline

Focus: "Finding Majesty in Intercession"

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#### Majesty in Our Everyday

By Sharon Rudolph
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Kingdom Majesty can be an elusive thing while living on earth. How might we describe it or define it? When you are in it, it is so obvious and beautiful. It is birthed in intimacy with God. It is the thing we train towards - to know Him, even in His suffering, and the power of His resurrection.

When connecting to Him, we bring that majestic power into our intercession. That intercession can create an atmosphere full of intimacy and majesty, but also, that intimacy opens the door for true intercession, full of majestic presence and outcomes. Each builds on the other.

Intimacy starts with a conversation, whether scripted or a natural flow, between us and our creator. Intimacy is as unique as each individual.

At some point, stillness comes in; first a stillness of actual physical existence, then a stillness of soul

and spirit, even if what is seen in the natural is not still.

Intimacy comes when you are simply sharing the same space. Depth is found, width is explored, height is seen, breadth is felt.

Our relationship with God becomes more than our cognitive brain can put into words, but we eventually do. Thoughts are transformed leading to agreement with the provisions and promises of God.

Majesty resides in the transformation which takes us beyond what we could have expected or often imagined. We have permission to live a Kingdom life for which God provides.

Kingdom life changes life on this planet beyond what we see with our eyes or feel in our humanity. Kingdom life is New Wine life where we learn to think and act like God's Son, Jesus. We are

resourced in this life, though maybe not in what the world says is important. God knows what we need and want, giving it in His perfect timing.

On this journey of exploring a majestic intercession-filled life in God, here are some questions to consider.

- How do YOU experience intimacy with God that takes you into Majesty?
- From where does your help, in matters of prayer, come?
- How is your alignment with God impacting your prayers?
- How are your prayers impacting your alignment?
- What Majesty do you see in your promises and permissions? How about in your experience of your everyday?

#### **SEPTEMBER**

**OUR INTERCESSION LIFESTYLE** 

**VALUE:** INTERCESSION THAT CREATES AN ATMOSPHERE OF INTIMACY AND MAJESTY WHERE THE PERMISSIONS AND PROVISIONS OF HEAVEN COME TO EARTH.

**PRINCIPLE:** In intimate relationship with God, we discover what Jesus and Holy Spirit are praying and agree with them in intercession.

#### **ACTION PLAN:**

- Worship is the foundation of our intercession and the catalyst for revelation and sensitivity to the voice of God.
- Assignment prayers are based on listening, gathering prophetic intelligence, and developing common points of prayer.
- We follow through our breakthroughs.

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YouTube channel
for the recent broadcast on *Prayer Advantage*Or click on this link:
https://youtu.be/YeKGiZ9s5fk



#### **Intertwined Dance: Worship and Intercession**



I had a negative perspective of an intercessor. It was this person who was bowed-over, boney fingered with a "burdened" frown on their face. Frankly, with that image in my mind, I had no desire to become that person. In fact, I did pray, but I also rejected the idea of being an intercessor like that. My perspective was based on what I'd been taught based on a poverty spirit idea of intercession.

Did God have an instead for me about abundant intercession? You bet!

Fast forward to now. I can joyfully say, I am totally into intercession. I love it. I have discovered God's abundance in it. I have opened up to intercession, so it is an ongoing and active part of my lifestyle.

#### What changed? I did.

Jesus has this incredible way of shifting our thinking. He draws us into a more accurate view, His view, of what things really look like through His eyes. Through this lens, everything we do in Him, with Him, is an act of intercession. All things become a form of worship for our King.

Could it be that my worship is also intercession? It's true.

I am worship. Intercession is my lifestyle. It's not I am about something I do. It's who I am. It flows from my relationship with Him. Intercession comes from His heart.

To "do" prayer means I separate from

connection with a majestic, creative, all knowing and all-powerful God. "Doing" prayer as an obligation, and separate from relationship with Him, in its purest form, speaks to disconnect. It's the same as saying, "I will work very hard, throwing stuff up at Him, until I get it right and "make" Him move on my behalf." That's more about manipulation than partnership. It's exhausting.

Can I pray with a pure heart if my intent is to force God's hand or manipulate the circumstances? I can't.

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One experience opened my sensitivity to Him like never before. I was in India at a woman's conference. Worship began. Our team

spent hours creating long streamers of fabric. Mine was red and gold. I had never used one before, but something drew me to step out of my box during the worship time.

#### Could I find the courage? I danced.

I danced up and down the aisle. From the back of the room to the front, I twirled and danced and waved that streamer in the air. Then I danced to the back of the room again, waving this banner of covenant, freedom, and purity over myself and over the women and men who were there. It was powerful. I worshipped and prayed over those men and women. Freedom came that day in worshipful intercession. Something opened up in my heart that never closed again. Prophecy, Intel, and passion bubbled up in me like an underground spring that had burst through the surface of my soul. I would never be the same. My view of Intercession changed. Intercession is worship.

#### What was my heart thought as I broke out of my box? I'm free!

I thought I would hold onto that flag. It represented a place of freedom I never wanted to lose. But, a few days later, I felt God ask me to give it away. That banner was put in the hands of another. This symbol of freedom in intercession was handed over, never to be seen by me again.

#### Yet, was it really lost? It's here.

I have that freedom in me, never to be lost. God spoke of the gift my banner was to that person. Worship is not worship unless it is poured out. Intercession is not about limitations or things withheld. Worship and intercession are wrapped together, in one package of sacrifice, praise, partnership, and passion. They cannot be limited because they are not of this world. They are meant to be released, freely given, and joyfully shared.

#### What did I discover through sacrifice about living a lifestyle of intercession? I'm empowered.

God empowers me to bring change through prayer, just as He empowers you. In reality, intercession is worship and worship is intercession. They come out of the abundance of God in our lives. As we embrace that abundance, we find freedom. Freedom opens up growth, maturing, and joy. We step into the Warrior mindsets that draw on the nature and heart of God. We are relentless in our prayers because they are found in ongoing conversation with God. By shifting intercession from a moment of something "done" into a heart posture, the transition to a lifestyle of prayer was simple.

#### How do we grow to experience freedom in intercession? God's transformation.

All is poured out in prayer and given to others. It is connection with God, freedom to be free, dance, expansion, and delight. Intimate intercession is a place where sacrifice pours out, pours in, and hopes. The heart of God in me, through me, in you, through you for a situation, person or people group.

#### How does it feel to have a lifestyle of intercession with God? It's amazing!

#### **FORUM TRAINING – WARRIOR COMMISSION CALLS**



Training Calls and Engagement Calls are part of the heartbeat of our community training environment. On each call, Warriors join together to learn and share. With our upgrades in the Forum and Website, we have added a new feature to the website. This Warrior Commission Calls tab will be your go to place to find the library of the most recent recorded calls.

We are in the process of adding to this page and we want to tell you about it so you can start checking out this tab. Where is it? When you are in the Warrior Chat group, look at the menu bar just under the picture. You will see a tab that says, "Warrior Commission Calls."

Over the next few weeks, you will begin to see our Training and Engagement call recordings posted here. Even though they will also be in the group feed, this is a way for you to scroll through them and find the ones you may have missed or want to listen to again.

If you are looking for a particular call and cannot find it, please email your coaches at <a href="twc.warriorepic@gmail.com">twc.warriorepic@gmail.com</a>. Include the call title and date and they can assist you in finding the call. If requested, we can also try to upload it to the calls on the page, if they have not done so yet. Recorded calls will be posted on the Forum and then added to the Warrior Commission Calls tab in the Warrior Chat group within a few days.

This process will be in place by the end of September at the latest. Over time we will be adding in older videos from our YouTube library. Warriors using this resource can help by keeping the coaches informed if they cannot find a call and would like to see it posted. Happy Viewing!

# Training Highlight Finding Answers

The wind is blowing, do you hear it? The saints are rising and releasing a sound that is shifting the atmosphere - blowing away the delusions and illusions all around them. We are those Warrior saints. We have the authority to bring heaven to earth.

Each act of love, each selfless service, each kind word, each silent prayer shifts the atmosphere into alignment with God's design and God's plan. We are dangerous on this planet because we bring a reformation to the hearts of those around us. Have you considered the impact of your existence lately?



This life is full of words and actions that change the world around us. It is all intercession. We are in agreement with God, but our learning is delightful while as we grasp what it means to be who we are designed to be, fully loved by our Father in heaven participating in God's divine plan.

To bring this into your day to day, write out this Principle and add "in everyday life" like we have done so below. Post it on your bathroom mirror. In your car, etc. Our lives are intercession.

In intimate relationship with God, we discover what Jesus and the Spirit are praying, and agree with them in intercession IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

What might we create, even in the mundane, as we partner with God the way Jesus did? Endless possibilities open and heaven invades, even if we don't say a word. This alignment, "I only do what the Father is doing," is for us as we follow our Savior and Friend.

Your training in TWC is designed to help and support you on your journey to that experience of walking in the Spirit. What might Holy Spirit have for you in your training today? Any upgrades to explore? New territory to step in to?

As you go through your self-paced modules, know that you will not find the "answers" to your training activations within the written text. The text is there to open space for Holy Spirit, opening possibilities and creating new thoughts and actions. The responses to activations come from your experience with God that builds trust and transformation from the inside out. Enjoy the joy of the Light!

## Coaches' Corner Intimacy - Our Greatest Weapon

by Gabriela Pappas New Member Coach, & Foundation Coach

AS I reflected on what I was going to write with Holy Spirit, He gave me a picture of our Ship on a very stormy sea. The sky is covered with dark clouds. The ocean is angry looking with dark, gray, inky, green waves. Their height is enormous, 40-foot if I could guess. We are in the middle of a storm, being tossed about back and forth like a roller coaster. We have battened down the hatches, so water will not flood the main compartment of our ship which could sink us. All of us are working on our assignments that the Captain has given us. None of us are concerned about the raging storm because the Captain is at the wheel.

"For I know the plans I have for you," Says the Lord.

"They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope."

Jeremiah 29:11

In the midst of what is going on in the world God would say "I Got This!!" I love how God is so present in the midst of every circumstance. He is, and always will be, in charge no matter what our eyes or ears tell us. As we flip the negatives swirling around in our minds, I can see the greatness of our King! He never changes!!! People might be saying the sky is falling, but our King has this!!! I believe He is asking us to step into the moment and not shrink back.

We carry His glory and power where we go. The enemy is afraid of us because we carry Jesus as our identity of rest, worship, perseverance, resolve, and intentionality. We must live in this place of security and hope. We have our assignments! Let us run this race to get the prize. Many souls are waiting for the hope we carry. We at TWC have some of the answers the world is crying out for. Let us not shrink back but share what we have.

Our value of intercession creates an atmosphere of intimacy and majesty - where the permissions and provisions of heaven come to earth - to flow beautifully in the principle of intimate relationship with God. We discover what Jesus and the Spirit are praying, and agree with them in intercession.

The Godhead loves it when we engage in intimacy that carries majesty, allowing us to pray from heaven to earth. Our permissions to step into all the provisions that the Lord has for us, creates a wonderful synergy to pray the Father's heart. Deep always flows to deep as we step into the river of God's love for the lost and dying. We all have a piece of the puzzle that creates who we are in TWC. We as Champion Warriors reflect the Father's love on earth. What an honor and a privilege it is to walk with our Lord in intimacy.

Intimacy is our greatest weapon so let us guard it as the precious treasure it is. Let us all answer the call when the Father say "Come!" and joyfully run and open our hearts to Him.

It's time to get our brave on so when Jesus say's jump, we joyfully join Him on the adventure He has for us. One...Two...Three... JUMP!!!



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Look for these questions on the Forum. They come from our Frontline articles and are here to generate more conversation with our TWC Tribe. As you read Frontline, look at these questions and get ready to answer them over the next few weeks!

How do YOU experience the intimacy with God that takes you into Majesty?

How have you grown to experience freedom in intercession?

How does it feel to have a lifestyle of an intercessor with God?

How is your alignment with God impacting your prayers? Or how are your prayers impacting your alignment?

What Majesty do you see in your promises and permissions?



What adventure is God asking you to say "yes" to right now?

# Member Spotlight



### Vicki Garrett

My first 12 years were spent in Flagstaff, AZ and San Diego. My parents were highschool sweethearts who met in Laguna Beach, CA. I have three siblings. My husband and I have two daughters and three grandchildren in Truckee, CA and Reno, NV.

I can break up my life into three segments of where I lived. I talked about the first one above. The next 21 years of my life were spent in Guam and the most recent 33 years have been in Tahoe City, CA.

For segment 2, my husband and I spent 3 years in Vietnam and 1 year in Guam. Then, We decided to stay in Guam to open a cabinet manufacturing business. I was a businesswoman in Guam in textiles from Java. Then, segment 3 started with a move to Tahoe where I was a businesswoman as teacher/tutor for children with dyslexia.

As a little peek into my life: Some of the miracles Papa did in my life as a Christian - saved by Jesus as a single mom. Married, divorced, and remarried to each other.

I have always loved CA since spending summers with my grandmother in Laguna Beach. My grandchildren are 6th generation CA raised/born. My heritage is here, and I believe I am going to stand for CA with Papa's power. I love the prophecy from Larry Sparks that "Jesus Will Have His Inheritance in the Golden State."

I love to paddle board on Lake Tahoe and hike behind my home. My family life is fulfilling with frequent family dinners, camp outs, and remodeling projects. I love the beauty of flowers, potted and on the trail. I enjoy praying for my family, friends and country.



### Vicki's Identity Statements

#### Some of my identity statements:

- ❖ I am a beloved daughter of God. I am walking into my identity as a woman who sees, hears, and feels what Holy Spirit is doing in me, my family, and my community in a time of Holy Spirit power.
- I am loving those who think differently than me. I have eyes to see people the way God sees them.
- I hear His sound in the earth calling me to be His Warrior. I love the sound of water, either lapping, flowing, or pounding. The roar of Niagara Falls and the beautiful mist is a picture of His gentleness and power.
- ❖ My big favorite "instead" at this time is *trust* instead of *worry*. This tool is alive in me and energizes me to not let worry work in my brain.
- ❖ I am immersing myself in the training with TWC and reveling in the intimacy with Jesus, Holy Spirit and Papa. Thus, my life is lighter, easier, and trusting - instead of teetering, tense, and reactive.
- ❖ I remember I am His Beloved through time alone with Him in the quiet early hours under a blanket on my deck.





# TWC's commission helps you discover and live out Your Unique Commission

God calls us to train as Warrior Ambassadors of Love. We are a Kingdom bridge to unconditional love and freedom in Christ. We empower a dynamic lifestyle with God and others.

Our passion to seek God's heart means He's our First Love. We believe God expands our capacity to love greatly through abiding rest in Him, training and ongoing connection, even as seasoned Warriors.

When you join the Warrior Commission, you find your Commission as a Warrior: one who champions the cause of Christ and influences the world for Jesus in the way He always intended us to!

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