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Resting In God Is Our Greatest Weapon

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THE WARRIOR COMMISSION

~ DECISIONS THAT DEFINE US ~

We have decided resting in God is our greatest weapon. We practice being still and knowing He is God.

Coaches Corner: SEASONS OF CHANGE

By Debbie Engelman

The season is changing, the air is brisk and cool carrying the smells of fall. The leaves are turning into the brilliant, beautiful colors of red, orange, and yellow. Just as seasons change in the natural, we all experience seasons of change in our lives.

I find myself in a season of change. I was used to having many hours each day for myself. This gave me lots of time to be with the Lord and do whatever needed to be done. Now much of my time has been taken, my husband is semi-retired and is spending much more time at home. One of my daughters has moved in next door and is coming over often and my mother who is a recent widow needs me much more. All these changes have really affected my rhythm and flow.

Transitions, and letting go, make us feel wonky as we discover our new normal. What worked in the past is no longer useful or working for our next season. That can be a challenge as we let go of the old way, so that we can walk in the upgrade that Papa is giving us.

At first, I was very frustrated about this, I didn't like the change.

I am now embracing it and I'm in the process of finding new ways, "To be still and know that I am God". It looks a lot different than it used to. One thing that I am finding is that it is not about the amount of time that I spend with Him in my secret place and devotions. It is about how I use the segments of time that I do have. I'm having to be more intentional with those segments and making every moment count.

What I have discovered is that it is about my attitude, heart, SE and what I choose to focus on. God just likes being with me and it is OK that our time together looks different.

Are you in a season of change? What are some new ways that you are experiencing the stillness of God's presence?

Website Highlight – Warrior Commission Now! YouTube

Did you know we have added an easy way to access our Youtube Channel through the Website?

Did you know we are continually adding more videos with more Warriors in our tribe? It's a great way to get to know them and their areas of passion and focus.

Simply log in to the member side of the TWC Website and go to the MEDIA Tab > Youtube. Or you can subscribe to our Warrior Commission Now! channel. To get alerts when posts go out, click on the bell icon to set up your notifications so you know when they post. Feel free to share them with friends, family, and on your own social media.

You have so many ways to have our videos at your fingertips!

PSALM 46:10

BE STILL & KNOW THAT I AM GOD

By Kathy Brown

How is rest a weapon in times of difficulty and tension?

These last two years the world has been in a time of uncertainty and seemingly increasing turmoil. At times like this, how do we enter into rest, and how does this become a weapon against the enemy?

This last May our own Stacey Beebe in *The Warrior Commission* did a beautiful training call on “Be Still and Know”. On this call Stacey invited us to explore Psalm 46:10 with her. The words “still” is the Hebrew word “Rapha.” “Rapha” means to let go, relax, release, and even let oneself become weak. The word “know,” is the Hebrew word “Yada”. The word “Yada” means to have certainty, to experience, to touch. Powerful words to live by in these times we are currently in.

Psalm 46 is a powerful psalm that is written for us in these difficult times. It starts with how God is our refuge and our strength. Knowing who God is during these times opens us to the majesty of who He is in the middle of turmoil. In verse 10 “Be still and know that I am God,” God exhorts us to sharpen our focus on Him. To stop, let go, release our own understanding, focus on who He is and His majesty in our circumstance. By turning away from anxiety, worry, and fear, and turning our focus on God, our trust, dependency, and faith increase. In intimacy, we learn how BIG He is and how we can rest in the arms of our God. He IS our glorious Hero!!

Taking our focus off what the enemy is doing and sharpening our focus on the majesty of God and what our God is doing, the enemy loses his grip on us. We rest in the secret place with our Almighty God. Rest becomes a weapon that voids out the onslaught attack of the enemy.

God invites us in Psalm 46:10 to surrender and release all of ourselves to Him, He gives us all of who He is and what He has for us in this place because He IS the I AM, He IS GOD! He powerfully positions us with Him in rest and majesty that then activates our faith to be with God in what He is doing on the earth!

Is learning to rest in the bigness of God activating faith in you?

How is this intimidating to the enemy?

Has rest become your greatest weapon?

You can find Stacey’s call “Be Still and Know” in the Call Library on Forum – Warrior Chat.

Training Highlight – Leadership Development Training Updates

There is a new Leadership Development Training (LDT) to explore on the Website. This revised training taps into some upgrades we have developed in our process of growth in TWC. Here's just a little taste of what they bring:

If you think you might like to explore TWC Coaches Training, you will need to complete both of these, but they do not need to be completed within the same year. Anyone may take LDT2 when it is held beginning the end of March 2022 whether you took LDT1 in 2018/ 2019 or in Jan/Feb of 2022. LDT1 and LDT2 are Specialty Trainings for which you will need to fill out an application to submit to the coaches Gmail. On the TWC Website, the application is found in the TRAINING > Specialty Training > Leadership Development Training info.

LDT1 – Leadership Identity Exploration is a refresh of the LDT training held in 2018 & 2019 This four-week training module explores God's design of you as a leader and influencer. This training will help you connect with God's heart for you and others as you walk with Jesus as a disciple.

This Specialty Training starts in January! If you have finished *Foundations Stage 6* (or anticipate you will be finished by January) we ask you to bring this option before Father to see if this is an opportunity He would like to journey with you!

- Start Date: January 31, 2022
- First Call: February 5, 2022, 8AM Pacific Time
- Final Call: February 26, 2022, 8AM Pacific Time

LDT1 Application Due Date: November 29, 2021

LDT2 – The Art of Kingdom Leadership is a new training focused on learning joyful dependence on God as we direct others toward God's heart for them. LDT2 deposits tools for new possibilities in partnership with God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – in you. You will need to complete LDT1 to participate in LDT2.

- Start Date: March 28, 2022
- First Call: April 2, 2022, 8AM Pacific Time
- Final Call: April 30, 2022, 8AM Pacific Time

To find more about TWC Specialty Training – Leadership Development Training check out the Training Tab on TWC Website!

GOD'S LAST NICKEL

By Byron Easterling

I was walking out of our apartment with some good friends. Crystal and I were young, broke, and concerned. Our friends had been over to encourage and pray for us. The time had been good, and yet internally, I was still frustrated and anxious. To me, the prayers had done little to nothing to abolish the fear of being broke.

As we walked out to their car, the wife said to me, "Byron, if this is God's last nickel, we're all in trouble!" That cracked me up. I began laughing and thinking about God's last nickel. Of course, He isn't broke. He is abundant in all areas of life.

They got in their car and drove off, and as we walked back to our place, I realized the fear, frustration, and anxiety were gone. I had discovered a bigger God in those few words from our friend. In the bigness of God, I found immediate rest. In the rest, his goodness enveloped me.

One of our greatest weapons is to discover a new dimension of God's bigness. The excellent side benefit of this discovery is how easily we enter that internal peace.

"I am your only God, the living God.
Wasn't I the one who broke the
strongholds over you and raised
you up out of bondage? Open your
mouth with a mighty decree; I will
fulfill it now, you'll see! The words
that you speak, so shall it be!"

(Psalm 81:10 TPT)

BE STILL...KNOW GOD

By Christine Casten

The line, "be still and know that I am God" kept going around in my mind. It circled and resurfaced all throughout the day. Then, it became a song. I did not feel led to expand it to include any other words but sang it throughout the day until it was shortened to this: Be still, know God.

It's in the stillness of my spirit, the quiet of my peace, I know God in the many aspects of His nature. The still small voice. The gentle prompting. The moment when His heart merges with mine.

Stillness is present in the chaos of life. Stillness does not mean I have no questions. It does not remove my thoughts or subdue my identity. It is a peaceful posture of openness and receiving from Father, Son and Holy Spirit. In those moments, I know He is God...and have no doubts of His majesty or sovereignty.

Stillness is a discipline. It's a place of returning home, aligning with Him in His heart and ways. It's a calm in the storm. A catalyst for change. A moment of wisdom and revelation. It's His presence.

Being still within does not mean I'm still outside. I can be talking, moving, driving, diffusing hostility, dancing, or overcoming an obstacle. Or, I can be in a place of physical stillness, reading, writing, praying, dreaming.

Stillness is a state of being. Being in Him, with Him, near Him, held by Him. It is a place of continual connection with my Maker. The One and only King of kings.

It's in this one phase that my life, hope, purpose, and passion reside: Be still, know God.

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.

Join *The Warrior Commission*, 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!

We encourage you to enjoy this publication of *The Warrior Commission's Frontline*.

We created it with you in mind, to support you on your journey with the Lord.

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