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THE WARRIOR COMMISSION

~ DECISIONS THAT DEFINE US ~

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- *To train in spiritual maturity*
- *To train on the ground of prophetic intercession*

INVITATION TO A WARRIOR COMMISSION

By Christine Casten

At times, we forget the many invitations included in our Warrior Commission. We are commissioned into intimacy and limitless possibilities. God commissions us into continual communication (intercession) so we know His heart love, growing in love for ourselves and for others. We have an ongoing invitation to a Warrior commission that includes spiritual maturity, prophetic intercession and much more.

Yes And Amen

Through each commission, God has already included His “yes and amen.” He extends the invitation to a Warrior commission for each of us to step into what is readily available. It is through our ongoing “yes” to Him that we grow in spiritual maturity and live our commissions.

We have an ongoing and active choice in our commission, as well. It is up to us to choose to engage our free will – our choice, our yes, to Him.

As we grow in spiritual maturity, we become fond of saying, “Our “yes” to God stays on the table.” What does this mean? It means we have established a permanent “yes” as our ongoing response to anything the Lord asks of us or invites us to experience. At first, having a permanent “yes” to God may seem scary. Yet, as we get to know God’s heart and nature, we realize He prepares us for what is to come. As we grow up in Him, our fearful “I guess so, yes?” is replaced by a “Yes, absolutely!” of trust in the Lover of our Soul.

Two Streams

Growth in our Warrior commission starts through two major streams. One is in our ongoing choice to develop through discipleship with God (spiritual growth). The other is through our spiritual ground of prophetic intercession. We partner with Him in our journey. From these two streams, we learn who we are and how to build heart connection with others.

Intercession includes the ongoing openness we have to God’s leading, direction, or voice. It is where we listen, partner with Him, gain strategies and are resourced in heavenly provision. It is also where we lay down what we no longer need to hold. In this space the prophetic – encouragement from God to confirm, edify or build confidence – comes for our now and our next thing.

Prophetic Intercession Training

Prophetic intercession is a training ground, in that our training helps open us up to all God has. We experience Who God is. This secret place training grants us the relational connection with God's heart so we are solid in any life battle, whether spiritual or natural. We are able to stay connected to His direction and leading in our lives. In fact, our life becomes a fun adventure of anticipation..."What do we GET to do next, God?"

As we grow spiritually and as we train in the ground of intercession, our personal commissions become apparent. In this, our TWC commission "to help you discover your commission" is lived out. And, yes, that commission always impacts others around us, so our growth helps us connect in more healthy ways and build stronger, more solid relationships.

TWC's Commission

TWC's commission includes the invitation for us to explore and live our commissions as a tribe. This overall focus on God and encouraging each person to live in their commission is what connects our tribe. It is what God anoints us to carry. This is active in our midst as we talk, share and do life together. In TWC, we live all parts of our community's commission moment by moment and day by day.

We decided – made a choice - to be a group of people, connected in God's heart through intercession and empowered to maturity. We live out The Warrior Commission God has given us. We grow in faith in God and others. We find hope in God's majesty and limitless possibilities

In accepting this invitation to a Warrior Commission, we have seen many rise into who they are, know Who they are, and impact the world around them in a myriad of ways. But more than any of these things, we have strengthened in love, which, according to Paul, is the greatest gift of all.

INTENTIONAL GROWTH

By Sharon Rudolph

Whether a community or an individual, growth is always a possibility on the table. Spiritual growth to maturity is directly tied to our intimacy with God. It's not about who is a member or how many members are a part of a community, but about individual depth of connection with God held in the heart of each one who participates. And the Connection each one of us has impacts the connection of those around us. Through each of us as individuals, God is calling us as a community to a deeper love relationship with Himself.

Spiritual Maturity is the crop, the gift, the harvest of partnering with God for on-going growth. Training in Spiritual Maturity is the intentionality of pursuing what God has for us internally and externally as His Sons and Daughters. Training in spiritual maturity also means that we are intentional about showing up as who we are in our relationship with God. We own who we are, where we are, and give God permission to grow us up. *He* moves us in that permission beyond being children of God to the Sons and Daughters He designed us to be.

The phrase "we have decided" is a key to this partnership – in this choice we have to believe God, say "yes" to His invitation, AND *walk with Him*. Everything changes when we learn to walk *with Him*. Then, that word "train" takes on new meaning. To train is about the friendship that leads to us to knowing that what God gives can be our sufficiency. To walk with Him is to always be looking for Him and to be listening to His voice and His heartbeat, though not necessarily consciously. In the decision is giving God permission to be "our ever-present help." Even if we can't, He does.

We are not training to arrive or reach an end goal. Spiritual Maturity simply reflects that we know the roles and responsibilities that fit our God given design, we are resourced from Him, our Heavenly Father, and the outcomes are not based on our perfect performance. In that place is peace, rest, joy, and presence. We are empowered to stay present ourselves as we carry His presence. If God steps into a room, nothing is the same. When we step into a room in spiritual maturity, He is there, and likewise, nothing is the same.

What if a whole community of Believers who walk WITH God, step where He would have us step, (with Him) whether in the natural or in the Spirit in intercession? What might change in the earth? What might be possible?

TRAINING HIGHLIGHTS

BEYOND LEARNING

Relationship with God includes freedom to be who we are as we are becoming all He designed us to be. God design and History impact the development of who we are and this precious relationship. This month let's take a look at exploring design and resources available within our community to help you explore that.

Training within the TWC community does not focus on learning information, but on being transformed to be more like Jesus through intimacy with God and heartfelt connection with one another. Each training module is designed to take you deeper into your love relationship with God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Embracing who you are in this training is a necessary part of embracing the training itself.

Sometimes embracing the training is hard, hits a snag, or you feel there's spiritual pushback. On the Website under TRAINING/Warrior Helps you will find the Learning and Receiving Styles – Beyond Learning article which helps you explore and understand your own personal design for the process of the training which supports your forward momentum on the journey.

“It has been said that what you think about God is the most important thing in your life. Embracing the Hessed/Agape love of God is vital for Emotional Intelligence in the Kingdom of God and true transformation to be more like Jesus.” This quote is from the Learning and Receiving Styles article.

Why not make space in your training time to check out this article? If you've read it before, it may be time for a refresh. If you have questions about the article or how the information relates to whatever training module you are in, please email your TWC Coaches. Often it is in the conversation (two are better than one) that revelation comes. With this, forward motion happens producing the fruit of a more intimate relationship with God, richer connections with others, plus internal transformation to be more like Jesus.

CHECK IT OUT!

On the TWC Website, under the Training tab and Warrior Helps you will find the article “Learning and Receiving Styles – Beyond”

Get to know your learning style!

Coaches Corner:

BEGINNINGS

By Angie Taylor

When we arrive into the world, we enter as a God-seeded spirit planted in our mother's womb. We have no choice in the matter, yet in God's eyes, we are created in His image. We are 'fearfully and wonderfully made.' Whatever we do after this start is a matter of choice. Beginnings can be scary. Beginning school, college, work, relationships. They demand that we step into a place we have not been before, to do something we have never done before. Beginnings can seem like a lonely place, but when undertaken hand in hand with God, we are never alone.

Beginnings precede us. Before we take our first breath, our hearts beat. There can be a certain innocence in a beginning with its excitement and promise of something new. But, we have to be willing to begin, to take that first breath, to make that first step into the unknown, all the while knowing that we are loved and held within the divine Trinity.

Sometimes, if we knew what was going to happen on the journey, we might wish not to start. Some beginnings lead us through dark valleys of pain and suffering. Yet what we learn as we go through them refines and purifies us as we lean into the all-encompassing love of God - Who will never leave us or forsake us.

'Perhaps the art of harvesting the secret riches of our lives is best achieved when we place profound trust in the act of beginning.'

John O'Donoghue – Benedictus.

A beginning can be full of surprises. From the intention, to the act of beginning, there are always exciting possibilities. Think of an artist about to put a brush to a blank canvas, a poet creating the first line of poetry, a musician playing their first note, a child's first smile, first word, first step, or a lover's first kiss.

If we don't make a beginning, we can become stale, stagnant. Creativity is released as we take a critical look at our lives and see where a beginning might be ripening. So, what beginning is the Lord nudging you towards?

WEBSITE HIGHLIGHTS

In case you have not heard about the changes on the public side of our website, we wanted to encourage you to log out and explore the public side. We have updated it to reflect our why, identity statements, training, and passion to see Warriors grow. It is a great reminder and refresher for the simplification of language. We know who we are. Now we can share it with the world as we continue to encourage, equip, and establish God's heart in others on this earth.

FORUM UPGRADES

We are in the process of simplifying our Forum – here are a few of our most exciting updates:

Quicker Navigation to Warrior Chat

We added a “Warrior Chat” shortcut to the orange tabs at the very top of the website. This will allow you to get to the main discussion page for our Tribe from anywhere in the site. Or, once you log in, you can click on this shortcut to go directly to the group page.

Simplified Group Organization

It is easier now to organize your Groups list, some people, like me, have quite a few, so this makes finding the right one much quicker.

Chat Helps

When you look at where you post your comments in the Group Chats, we removed some of the unnecessary tabs. These four tabs: Photo, Quote, File and Poll have some fun options – check them out!

A Reminder for Forum Posts

You and God are brilliant at creating radiant levels of encouragement and insight that come in your posts. The encouragement we have through what you may share on the Warrior Chat page is something that can often encourage others in the body of Christ. We would like to remind you that, by posting on the TWC Forum pages, you give permission to have your post included in any TWC materials, training, publications, media, social media, and promotions. However, we will never share your full name or any personal information.

TWC REGIONAL EVENTS

The Warrior Commission: The Resonance of Our "Why"

Oxnard, California

September 30th - October 1st

This event will be hosted by Byron Easterling and Kathy Brown and will be a time to worship and connect with one another as we explore our "Why". In addition to exploring the "Why" that resonates within you, we will journey to discover what God has spoken about your life.

More details will be coming soon, so save the date on your calendar!

Check out the TWC website under the Access tab for more up-to-date details!

Pacific Northwest TWC Regional Gathering

Clallam Bay, Washington

October 14th – 16th

This event will be hosted by Kyle Lange and will be a time to explore "Living as Warriors in the Pacific Northwest". We are gathering to encourage one another, activate our warrior identities, find God's insteads, and intercede for this region.

Contact Kyle Lange, or Mary at TWC.Memberservices@gmail.com for more information!

FIRESTARTERS

Look for these questions on the Forum. They come from the articles found within this *Frontline* publication 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 in the Warrior Chat group.

See you there!

1. What invitation to commission are you enjoying right now?
2. What are you discovering about your personal commission? TWC's commission?
3. How are you learning to stand in your identity in Christ?
4. What is God beginning in you right now? What new beginnings are before you?
5. Which stream are you exploring the most right now? Prophetic intercession or specific training from God?
6. How do you press into training when you hit a snag or face spiritual pushback? Or, what encouraged you from the the Website TRAINING tab article, Warrior Helps: Learning and Receiving Styles – Beyond Learning?
7. How has your understanding of walking WITH Jesus changed your meaning of “training”? What if a whole community of Believers who walk WITH God, step where He would have us step, (with Him) whether in the natural or in the Spirit in intercession? What might change in the earth? What might be possible?

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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