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# THE LAMP NEWSLETTER

*"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path" (Psalm 115:105 KJV).*

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## ***I Need You, Lord!***

***John 5:14-15: "14***

*"This is the confidence which we have before Him,  
that, if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.*

*And if we know that He hears us in whatever we ask,  
we know that we have the requests which we have asked from Him. "*



**Wanda J. Burnside,  
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Dear Readers,

Everything seems to be happening in my life! It is a time of great testing and tribulations. In my family, my dear friends' lives, and all around me our tremendous needs for prayer. There are prayers for healing, deliverance, finance, family crisis, marital relationships, employment, youth issues, ministry challenges, medical/health concerns, career changes, housing, and so much more! WE NEED THE LORD!

Satan is raging! He wants to bring us down and crush us! The Bible plainly and clearly states, *"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come so that they may have life, and may have it abundantly"* (John 10:10 NET).

**THERE IS WAR! THERE ARE ATTACKS - SPIRITUAL ATTACKS** against the people of God. **Lord, we need Your help! Help us, Lord!**

I cry...groan...and moan. How can all of these things be happening to me, my family and friends? Why Lord? Why?

The Lord reminds us, *"Dear friends, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that has come on you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you"* (I Peter 4:12 NIV). **I still cry, "Lord, Help! I NEED YOU!"**

Through all that I am going through, I **MUST LEAN ON JESUS!** I cannot survive or make it without Him! The fiery trials and darts come my way. I ask for prayers from the people of God!

**IT IS A SPIRITUAL ATTACK!**

As we go from one challenge to another and one test to another, we must remember it is not flesh and blood against us. Satan is warring or fighting against us. The Bible states:

*“For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms” (Ephesians 6:12 NIV).*

### WHAT MUST WE DO?

We must get **fully dressed for the battle!** Prepare and stand ready!

*“Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.*

*<sup>13</sup> Therefore, put on every piece of God’s armor so you will be able to resist the enemy in the time of evil. Then after the battle you will still be standing firm. <sup>14</sup> Stand your ground, putting on the belt of truth and the body armor of God’s righteousness. <sup>15</sup> For shoes, put on the peace that comes from the Good News so that you will be fully prepared.<sup>[e]</sup> <sup>16</sup> In addition to all of these, hold up the shield of faith to stop the fiery arrows of the devil.<sup>[f]</sup> <sup>17</sup> Put on salvation as your helmet, and take the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.*

*<sup>18</sup> Pray in the Spirit at all times and on every occasion. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all believers everywhere” (Ephesians 6:10 and 13-18).*

We must fast! We must read and use the Word of God! We must hold on to encouraging testimonies that will build our faith!

### STAND AGAINST SATAN!

**Satan wants us to give up! He wants to make us feel defeated and forsaken.** He taunts or makes slight or sneaky remarks to make us doubt God. He shows us the **“what if this happens or doesn’t happen?”** . This is to plant seeds of fear and worry in our hearts and minds. He doesn’t give up, so we must rebuke him in the Name of Jesus! **Take authority in the Name of Jesus! Call on the Blood of Jesus against him.**

The Bible declares or promises that Satan will flee when we come against him in the power and authority of the Lord Jesus Christ! However, we must submit to the will and way of the Lord. This is the first step.

*“Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. **8** Come near to God and He will come near to you” (James 4:7-8a NIV).*

## THE TRUTH

I am confessing: I have been fearful, worried, hurting and deeply troubled. Several of my dear family members and friends have been suffering with one thing and then another! My heart is broken and down in the pit! I have cried many tears...they have been mixed with my prayers!

I want to be brave... I HAVE TO CALL ON JESUS! I PRAY! My prayers go on day and night. The wonderful thing is I have others praying along with me. They are a mighty army. They are in this battle with me. Those who are standing in prayer with me ALSO ARE GOING THROUGH GREAT TESTS and BATTLES, too. We are fighting onward...

## VICTORY IN JESUS!

Precious ones, there are days that I feel like I cannot survive. I feel like I cannot hold on. I feel hopeless. But, that is when I take my eyes off myself and the critical situations that I see facing me. I have to make myself STOP IT! I say to myself, "I have V-I-C-T-O-R-Y in JESUS! JESUS CARES!" I have to confess it DAILY: day and night.

I hold on to scriptures that speak directly to my heart and situations. That is my survival. This is my strength.



*This issue of The Lamp Newsletter is for all of you who are waiting on the Lord to change things around in your life. My staff of leaders and writers has submitted what is on their heart to encourage and bless you in your darkest hour.*

*JESUS is our hope! We have VICTORY IN JESUS!*



## Into the Night

by Wanda J. Burnside

The night is dark dear Lord  
I cannot see my way.  
Will morning ever come?  
Will I see a new day?

It's cold . . . shadows have formed  
The wind howls through the breeze,  
The fog of fear has made a thick veil  
Will You be able to find me?

Come quickly Lord into my night!  
Help me! I cannot see my way.  
You are the Eternal Light.  
I need you now, right away!

I am afraid  
And filled with fear  
O, Savior I need You  
Hurry and come near!

Jesus, speak to me  
I must hear Your voice  
Satan laughs and laughs  
Oh, will I ever rejoice?

Precious Jesus,  
I need You!  
Precious Lord,  
I don't know what to do!

Come into my dark night  
Stay close by my side  
Answer my prayers and calls  
Please stay and abide!

At Your appearance---  
Bleak darkness will flee!  
Come quickly Lord,  
And rescue me!



*"Be strong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them:  
for the Lord thy God, He it is that doth go with thee;  
He will not fail thee, nor forsake thee"*

*(Deuteronomy 1:6 KJV).*

*“Fear not, for I am with you;*

*Be not dismayed, for I am your God.*

*I will strengthen you,*

*Yes, I will help you,*

*I will uphold you*

*with My righteous right hand”*

*(Isaiah 41:10 NKJV)*



## Praying Power

by Ramelle T. Lee

**Do you really want praying power?  
Then stay on your knees.  
Let your voice be heard in the heavens.  
Watch the Holy Ghost swing into action.  
Strongholds are coming down.  
Believe God for your answer.  
Faithfully wait on God to move.  
Receive your breakthrough like He  
promised.  
Standing firmly on His Word,  
Let your prayer be heard on high.  
God will give you praying power!  
Believe it, receive it and walk in it!**



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# There for You

By Scott Newport

*If there's a window  
Inside or outside today  
Look...*

*Be brave  
Beyond the blinds  
Reach...*

*Look up  
Look down  
Search...*

*Listen to the birds  
Learn the whisper of the  
winds  
Silence...*

*You're not alone  
Yes, don't be afraid  
Speak!*

*And I'll be there*

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**REGARDLESS OF WHAT IS HAPPENING,  
KEEP YOUR EYES ON  
GOD!**

*“I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills,  
from whence cometh my help.  
My help cometh from the LORD,  
which made heaven and earth”  
(Psalm 121:1 KJV)*

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*“I will love thee, O LORD, my strength”*

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*“The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer;  
my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler,  
and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower”*

~

*“I will call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised:  
so shall I be saved from mine enemies”*

~

*“In my distress, I called upon the LORD,  
and cried unto my God:  
He heard my voice out of His temple,  
and my cry came before Him,  
even unto His ears”  
(Psalm 18: 1-3 and 6, KJV)*

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## *I Lift My Soul To You*

*by Christine V Mitchell*

I lift my soul to You, my God,  
my Saviour and my King.  
I cannot do without You Lord,  
You are my Everything!  
Please fold your loving arms, O Lord  
around my body and soul -  
O spread Your healing wings upon me.  
You can make me whole.  
Dear Lord, I need Your strength today  
in every passing hour -  
to hold me up so I can stand  
through Your almighty power.

You paid the price at Calvary,  
You suffered all my pain.  
You conquered death in victory  
when You arose again.  
O come, dear Lord, let healing flow  
Dear Jesus, You're my Light.  
I thank You that Your presence is  
unhindered by my night.  
I lift my soul to You, my God,  
my Saviour and my King.  
I give You thanks for being near  
and praise for everything!  
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## ***The Lion Of Judah!***

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The Lion of Judah is your strength,  
He's the Word so clear and true  
Your Defender is most powerful,  
there is nothing He can't do  
He speaks instructions to the watchmen,  
a warning of ever-wary  
To the evil wiles and wicked ways  
of the scheming adversary  
With fire in His eyes in the lion's den,  
King Jesus tends over you!

The devil is a liar, with baleful eyes that dart  
Your weakness is his target...  
he launches at your heart  
Prowling as a predator,  
seeking always to devour  
Like a vulture he watches and waits  
in your darkest hour  
The hungry lion of the grave desires,  
to rip your life apart

You may stumble in every battle ground  
Yet in every circumstance of fear,  
your victory will be found  
With the Lion of the Lord beside you  
even in the darkest hour  
In every broken moment, never forget  
His amazing grace  
For even when you fell in faith,  
Christ rose in leonine power!

O downcast heart look above,  
the Son of God is praying  
The plans and assignments of the enemy,  
Jesus has been slaying  
There awaits an open heaven  
poised to receive your prayer  
Even your broken spirit will be  
healed beneath His care  
Wrapped in light with ribbons of love,  
the answer awaits you there

Yeshua is the open window,  
at the closing of the doors  
Your Prince of peace arrives in glory....  
**When the Lion of Judah roars!**



*PRAYERS by Michele Barnes...*



The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven,  
hallowed be thy name:  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass  
against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil  
Amen.

I'm sharing an additional prayer. For me, it's not too many days that go by that I don't have to add another name, or another situation to pray over. In the Bible, PHILIPPIANS 4:6 states, "*Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.*"

Writing the names down helps me to remember to keep each one in my prayers! Do you have a prayer list? Is your list growing too?

*Lord,*

*In the name of Jesus, I am praying the "Victory" for those seeking: healing, victory in finances, love, peace of mind, freedom from drugs, freedom from alcohol, protection from any and all evil attacks!*

*It is my prayer that we will not faint in our walk by faith with You Lord. I pray for strength as we wait for You to show Your hands and prove there is nothing too hard for You!*

*I thank You for all Your blessings and for all the blessings that are about to come! May Your grace and mercy be granted upon each person on my prayer list, in Jesus Name I pray.*

*Amen*





*But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint. - Isaiah 40:31*

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**Lord, Help Your People! Bless us!**

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**Exodus 22:4**

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## **URGENT REQUEST:**

**Please join us in daily FERVENT prayer for our sick and shut-ins.  
We have many desperate needs listed here!**

***“LORD my God, I called to you for help, and you healed me” (Psalm 30:2 NIV).***

***Prayers are extended for our sick and shut-ins:***

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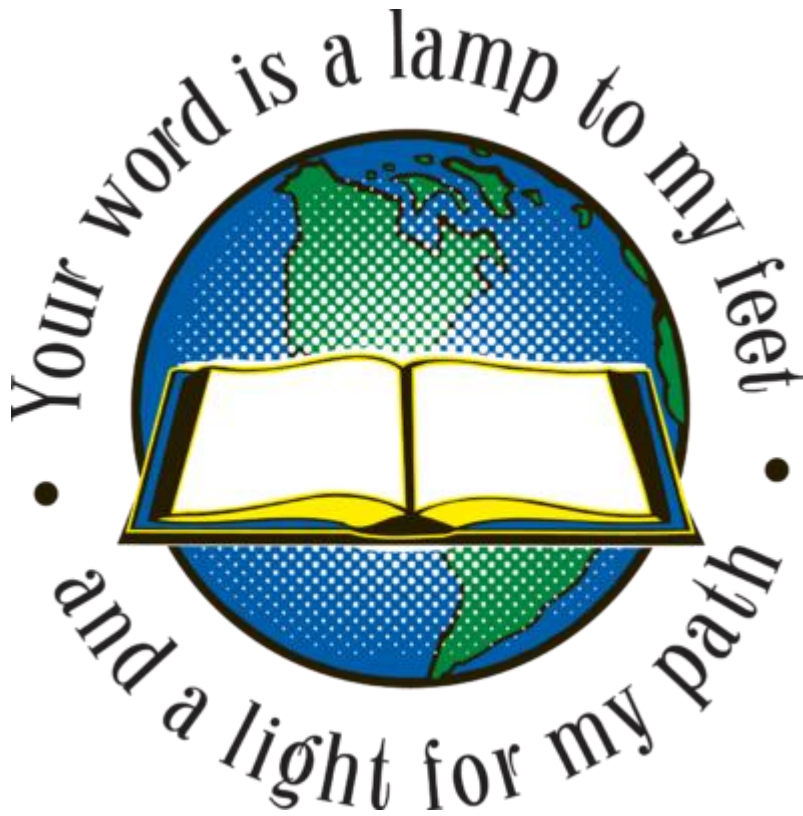
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