

Great Joy In The City Ministries

“With God all things are possible”



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Dear BSCMF Member,

"So don't worry about these things, saying, 'What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear? These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers, but your heavenly Father already knows all your needs. Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need. So don't worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring its own worries. Today's trouble is enough for today."

- **Matthew 6: 31-34**

Why are we full of worry and fear wondering if we can get through the next big problem or crisis in our life? That is not the way it should be in the life of any person, especially one who claims to “know God” and declares their faith in Jesus Christ. Understand, this lifestyle of worry and fear is not the original plan of God.

Man was never meant to struggle alone through life with God indifferently and distantly watching from Heaven. God wants everyone on earth to come to Him and have a loving relationship with Him; but it is especially true for someone who claims to be a Child of God. The whole purpose of creation was to give God a family and children to love and care for. Jesus stated in Matthew 7:11, “*So if you sinful people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give good gifts to those who ask him.*” Understand the words of Jesus: He is stating that if we people upon this earth, many with children whom we declare that we love and provide for – in comparison to your heavenly Father *who is love*: How much more does God want to do for us. You who are parents, would you not do everything in your natural ability and strength to help your children in any difficulty they were facing? Look back upon your past and to your youth, did your parents not give you food to eat, clothes to wear and a bed to sleep upon? If you were sick, didn't they help to heal you? If you had a problem, didn't you go to them to help figure out an answer? Everyone can look back to their youth or now being a parent, and understand that fathers and mothers take care of their children. Yet we do not look at God having such love for us. Too many people of faith look upon God as some distant and indifferent god. Too many Believers think that their heavenly Father doesn't really care for them, and they do not realize that God is eager to provide them all according to HIS ability to give (which is unlimited ability and resources) to make you happy.

The biggest failure in the world and especially among the Body of Christ and those who claim to know God, is not having a true in depth personal revelation of just how much God loves you as a Father. He is eagerly wanting to take care of you, and to be the focus of your life. More than any natural father who has ever lived upon the earth – Our Father God wants to provide the answer to every problem in your life, and to be the source of all your needs. What is missing from most of our lives, is a greater revelation and understanding of God's love for us and how to stay connected to that love. For there lies the key to success for your life – *staying connected to God and his love and ability*. It is only when we go out on our own and try to find answers, or try to make a way of success on our own, do we encounter obstacles, frustration and problems. If we will only stay connected to God and His “Zoe Life”, we will always find answers and success – that was the original Kingdom of God plan for mankind; that is how God intended for us all to live our lives here upon this earth. Make every effort to stay connected to God!

May God bless you richly,

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