



Praying Parents Prayer Group Christian Ministry

3pG Preparatory Prayers and Lessons – REASON FOR THE CALL

Thursday 3rd October 2019 - Day 2

CALL CAN BE LOST

Breaking of Bread: Acts 1:16-25

None of us is indispensable, none of us can survive without Him. A Call that's not valued, that's not protected and hold dearly with utmost care is a call that's at the risk of being lost. The Bible is full of stories of people who started well but end very badly. On the top of this list is king Saul, the first king of united kingdom of Israel, Samson was another like him, Judas and Demas were all in this category and many like them. This list also include failed mothers and fathers who got distracted in their duties of Christian parenting and believers who got lost in the pursuit of money, pleasure, fashions, status etc. When Jesus called Judas Iscariot as one of the Twelve, by the wish two paths were laid up for him: God's will and Devil's will, he chose the latter, even when Jesus would have helped him, he was determined not to be helped. The Bible is full of such many examples, men and women who messed up the Call of God for their lives. May we not be found in this category in Jesus Name. Amen

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REASON FOR THE CALL: WE ARE CALLED TO SERVE

Thank God for the call He has called you, especially the call to be a parent and to serve with any other special abilities He has given to you.

Theme Song:

When He calls me, I will answer...

3x

I'll be somewhere working for my

Lord...

I'll be somewhere working for my

Lord...

I'll be somewhere working... 2x

I'll be somewhere working for my

I'll be somewhere working... 2x

Lord...

1. CALL CAN BE LOST.

A call can be lost and can even be forgotten. Do whatever you can to make your calling and election sure. Sin and worldly pleasure are Call killers.

Acts 1:17 For he was numbered with us, and had obtained part of this ministry.

Acts 1:20 For it is written in the book of Psalms, Let his habitation be desolate, and let no man dwell therein: and his bishoprick let another take.

a. I will not sell out the Call of God upon my life in Jesus Name. Amen

b. I am a covenant carrier, I will not forget who I am in Christ Jesus in Jesus Name. Amen

Colossians 4:17 And say to Archippus, Take heed to the ministry which thou hast received in the Lord, that thou fulfil it.

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2 Peter 1:10 Wherefore the rather, brethren, give diligence to make your calling and election sure: for if ye do these things, ye shall never fall:

c. Father, let Your will be done in my life, help me hold my ministry to the end in Jesus Name. Amen

c. I and my children will fulfil the Call of God upon our lives in Jesus Name. Amen.

2. A CALL CAN BE DISTRACTED, FRUSTRATED AND REPLACED.

A Call can be distracted, frustrated and replaced during careless and unguarded moments. The sin factor is also a problem where one is besieged or distracted by iniquities.

1 Kings 13:26 And when the prophet that brought him back from the way heard thereof, he said, It is the man of God, who was disobedient unto the word of the LORD: therefore the LORD hath delivered him unto the lion, which hath torn him, and slain him, according to the word of the LORD, which he spake unto him.

a. I will not trade the Call of God upon me for enjoyment and pleasure of sins in Jesus Name. Amen

b. Sin will not take my children away from the plan and purpose of God for their lives in Jesus Name. Amen

c. I will not be the reason for any of my children to miss out on the purpose of God for any of their lives in Jesus Name. Amen

1 Kings 20:40 And as thy servant was busy here and there, he was gone. And the king of Israel said unto him, So shall thy judgment be; thyself hast decided it.

1 Kings 20:42 And he said unto him, Thus saith the LORD, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people.

d. I will not be careless with my life in Jesus Name. Amen

e. I will not run and labour in vain in Jesus Name. Amen.

2 Timothy 4:10 For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world...

f. I will not join the bad wagon, I will not be carried away with the world in Jesus Name. Amen

g. My ministry will not fade away with the world and its pleasure in Jesus Name. Amen

3. DISCOVER, UPHOLD AND KEEP YOUR MINISTRY THROUGH PRAYER.

Acts 6:4 But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.

Matthew 17:21 Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting.

a. Father teach me and help me to pray in Jesus Name. Amen

b. Father, inspire my prayer life through the agency of your Word and with the help of Your Holy Spirit in Jesus Name. Amen

Mark 9:29 And he said unto them, This kind can come forth by nothing, but by prayer and fasting.

Romans 8:26 Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

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c. Father, strengthen me by Your Spirit, help me pray correctly daily in Jesus Name. Amen.

4. YOU WILL BE KNOWN BY WHAT YOU HAVE DONE.

The world will talk about you by what you have done and by what you are doing just as they did of Dorcas. Your Call will define you.

Acts 21:19-20 And when he had saluted them, he declared particularly what things God had wrought among the Gentiles by his ministry. And when they heard it, they glorified the Lord...

2 Corinthians 4:1-2 Therefore seeing we have this ministry, as we have received mercy, we faint not; But have renounced the hidden things of dishonesty, not walking in craftiness, nor handling the word of God deceitfully; but by manifestation of the truth commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.

a. The testimonies of my Call will glorify God in Jesus Name. Amen

b. My testimony will not be of dishonesty nor of deceit or craftiness in Jesus Name. Amen

c. My family, my neighbours and the world around me will speak of God's goodness through the grace of God upon me in Jesus Name. Amen and Amen.

5. Add your personal and family prayer requests.

6. Cover all prayers with the Blood of Jesus Christ and seal all with Amen.

May God count you faithful and worthy of His Calling and purpose for you and for your family in Jesus Name and may you find the grace to fulfil the good pleasure of His goodness in faith and with power in Jesus Christ Mighty Name. Amen and Amen

Happy Covenant of Words - Isaiah 59:21.

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