

Contentment in Christ

Responding to God's Call: Stepping into God Purpose

Heavenly Father,

People like me comes before you with heart full of gratitude for your boundless love and devine wisdom

Lift me up as a servant and disciple to your kingdom forever.

Thank you for my anointing to God in my life

Grant me profound wisdom and discernment

Feel me with your spirit to strengthen my faith in your kingdom

Protect me from sin and all unrighteousness

Keep my heart tender and responsive

Heal me with sick front diseases

In Jesus name, Amen

I knew that I got my calling from God because I noticed that I started to get a different result from the kingdom after I was born again September 4, 2011. My faith in God started to get stronger after I lost my student housing at DePaul University and ended up at Pacific Garden mission and ended up leaving Pacific Garden Mission to stay at Olive Branch Mission. I know other pastors had to witness this same thing I did after they God their calling to serve the kingdom. Before I got baptized and born again, I used to think and live as a sinner. I used to worry about what others think of me. I used to live by a mammon that always cared about making and spending time in this sinful world. I never paid any tithes to any church. Now, I pay tithes to church every month to pay tithes taken care of first to keep my faith and cheerful giving to the Lord. I pay my tithes to the Salem Baptist Church of Chicago that I still consider as a home church. I got highly motivated from Reverend Meeks preaching and teaching in the pulpit. I learned some good sermons from Reverend Charlie Dates and his sermons are motivating too. I know preaching is not all about competition. I think the only way I was able to get my calling to serve God and his kingdom is when I finally got out of the house with my mother and stepfather. They caused my sister and I to grow up as sinners and bondage. Only challenge that I still face is thinking too fast that messes me up economically and I need to start letting God work in me daily to help me accomplish my goals and vision. I do not live for Mammon any more because I do not live by greed. That's why I do not do what I do and preach in the pulpit for money. I preach in the pulpit during service comes from my passion to serve and be a servant to God as the rock of my salvation. My sister and I only went to church on Easter while we were children. I have been preaching for 14 years since I was first ordained as Bishop of the congregation Lord Jesus Christ Community Baptist Church and Man of God. After I left and completed the spiritual Recovery Program at Star of Hope, I do make decisions based on pride and too fast no more. I am starting to live under God's grace with obedience. Grace is all that God has done and will do because of what Jesus Christ did.

I knew God had a plan for me when he chose me to serve his kingdom. I am pro-life because I do not believe in abortion, same sex marriage, pride month, oppose the LGBTQ community because I call them basket of sinful deplorables. Abortion is lust and LGBTQ community represents abomination from God. I am not a tax collector. That's why I tell people that I feel I have a wall of angels around me daily to protect me from sin. Christians women in Cleveland told me it is like I am ahead of the line to get into heaven and be in heaven with Christ Jesus for the heavenly feast. I was a registered Democrat when I first

registered to vote at 18. I voted for the first time in 2004 when I voted for John Kerry in the primary election in Illinois. I did not vote in the 2004 general election because I was too close to call and undecided between George W. Bush and John Kerry because Homeland Security and Terrorism was the top issue in the election because of 9/11 that just happened. I volunteered for Barack Obama in 2008 and volunteered his campaign to help raise money, neighborhood canvassing with other volunteers in Wisconsin and Iowa. I helped raise over \$1,000 for the Barack Obama campaign as a volunteer in March 2007-November 2008. I started to distance myself from the Democrats after 2010 to become independent. I voted for Barack Obama in 2012, but I voted as an independent down the ballot when I early voted downtown Chicago. I voted for Rahm Emanuel twice for mayor. I supported Obama-Biden 42% and McCain-Palin 38%. I started out supporting Martin O'Malley for President in 2016 in the Iowa caucuses and I switched to Bernie Sanders in the Iowa caucuses. I supported Hillary Clinton 48% and Bernie Sanders 50% Democratic Primary until the convention in 2016. I voted as an independent down the ballot on election day in 2016-2024.

“For I know the plans I have for you-this is the Lord declaration-plans for your well-being, not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope”-Jeremiah 29:11

“For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time for us to do.”-Ephesians 2:10

Genesis 12

Exodus 3

Isaiah 6

Jeremiah 1

“As he was walking along the sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon (who called Peter), and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the sea-for they were fishermen. Follow me, he told them, and I will make you fish for people. Immediately they left their nets and followed him. Going on from here, he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee, and his brother John.”-Matthew 4:18-22

Acts 9

Hebrews 11

“Now as we have many parts in one body, all the parts do not have the same function, in the same way who who are many are one body in Christ and individually members of one another. According to Grace given to us, we have different gifts: if prophecy, use it according to the proportion of one's faith; if service, use it in service; if teaching, in teaching; if exhorting, in exhortation; giving, with generosity, leading with diligence; showing mercy with cheerfulness.”-Romans 12:4-8

“Now there are different gifts, but the same spirit. There are different ministries, but the same Lord, And are different activities, but the same God works all of them in each person. A manifestation of the spirit is given to each person for the common good: to one is given a message of wisdom through the spirit to another; a message of knowledge by the same spirit, to another; faith by the same spirit, to another; gifts of healing by the one spirit to another; the performing of miracles to another; prophecy to the other;

distinguishing between spirits to another; different kinds of tongues to another; interpretation of tongues 1 Corinthians 12:4-11
Ephesians 4:11-12

After I was born again, I started to become a cheerful giver to the Lord but my case manager from Star of Hope Mission in Houston when I was in the spiritual Recovery Program says I need to start balancing out my cheerful giving to the poor and homeless. That is why I told the case manager at the time that the reason why I am always financially and emotionally squeezed is because I give more of my personal money to help the poor and homeless by donating to homeless and social services organizations. I still get my blessings from God when I do so. I donated \$2,235 of my personal money to an organization that helps the homeless in Dubuque, Iowa in 2017. I donated over \$235 of my own money to help the homeless in Detroit in 2018. I donated \$50 to the poor and homeless in Louisville. I donated \$30 of my personal money to Atlanta Mission. I donated \$25 of my own personal money to Star of Hope Mission in Houston in 2023. I donated another \$461 of my own personal money in Detroit to an organization. I donated \$12 of my own personal money to an organization in Northwest Indiana in 2011. All this information is based on my previous receipts and filed tax returns to the IRS. I donated another \$12 to a social services organization in Detroit helping the homeless and needy in 2018.

What do you need to do to be like me and have a strong heart and faith in God?

1. Find yourself a spiritual environment to spend time with God and stay away from sinners and haters on earth they act jealous and envy of you.
2. Read and study the Bible daily
3. Memorize key scriptures in the bible to help you live closer to the Lord and his kingdom
4. Do not be a tax collector
5. Do not live by mammon and let money make you powerful with sin, bondage, evil and temptation
6. Trust in God as rock of your salvation forever
7. Live obedient under God grace daily
8. Live with the fruit of the spirit
9. Stay away from people that speak with lot of profanity and not negativity because those people are judgemental against other people think they know it all
10. Strongly believe that the devil is a liar
11. Do not follow the path of Lucifer and end up burning in hell in the lake of fire in hell.
12. Always keep a clean and pure heart for Christ Jesus by continuing to repent and confess our sins.
We are in war with hell and the devil trying to steal our hearts, mind and soul
13. Focus and keep your mind on Christ Jesus and living obedient to his kingdom
14. Make sacrifices and turn your life over to the Lord
15. Find a church home and stay loyal to that church. Join and serve as a Christian and disciple of a church
16. Don't gossip about people you don't know to think you know it all
17. Be a cheerful giver and pay tithes to the church. A taker is the devil's work and way of thinking.
18. Be cautious not to be friends with anyone in the LGBTQ community because they represent abomination from the Lord. Do not believe what they say or not one says that it was Adam and Steve before Adam and Eve.

19. Guard your heart and mind to God daily
20. Transform your way of thinking
21. If you cannot change it and God has allowed it, then find out how to prosper in it.
22. Where you stand must be determined by where you are seated