

Victory In Jesus

Chorus

O victory in Jesus
My Savior forever
He sought me and bought me
With His redeeming blood
He loved me ere I knew Him
And all my love is due Him
He plunged me to victory
Beneath the cleansing flood

Verse 1

I heard an old old story
How a Savior came from glory
How He gave His life on Calvary
To save a wretch like me
I heard about His groaning
Of His precious blood's atoning
Then I repented of my sins
And won the victory

Verse 2

I heard about His healing
Of His cleansing pow'r revealing
How He made the lame to walk again
And caused the blind to see
And then I cried dear Jesus
Come and heal my broken spirit
And somehow Jesus came and brought
To me the victory

Verse 3

I heard about a mansion
He has built for me in glory
And I heard about the streets of gold
Beyond the crystal sea
About the angels singing
And the old redemption story
And some sweet day I'll sing up there
The song of victory

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Eugene M. Bartlett

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Nothing But The Blood

Verse 1

What can wash away my sin
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 2

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 3

Nothing can for sin atone
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 4

This is all my hope and peace
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
This is all my righteousness
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

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Robert Lowry

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Because We Believe

Verse 1

We believe in God the Father
(We believe in God the Father)
We believe in Christ the Son
(We believe in Christ the Son)
We believe in the Holy Spirit
(We believe in the Holy Spirit)
We are the Church and we stand as one
(We are the Church and we stand as one)

Chorus

Holy holy holy is our God
Worthy worthy worthy is our King
All glory and honor are His to receive
To Jesus we sing because we believe

Verse 2

We believe in the Holy Bible
(We believe in the Holy Bible)
We believe in the virgin birth
(We believe in the virgin birth)
We believe in the resurrection
(We believe in the resurrection)
That Christ one day will return to earth
(That Christ one day will return to earth)

Verse 3

We believe in the blood of Jesus
(We believe in the blood of Jesus)
We believe in eternal life
(We believe in eternal life)
We believe in the blood that frees us
(We believe in the blood that frees us)
To become the bride of Christ
(To become the bride of Christ)

Verse 4

We believe in the Christmas story
(We believe in the Christmas story)
We believe in the gift of life
(We believe in the gift of life)
We believe in the newborn baby
(We believe in the newborn baby)
King of kings He is Jesus Christ
(King of kings He is Jesus Christ)

Verse 5

We believe in the shepherd's journey
(We believe in the shepherd's journey)
We believe in the guiding star
(We believe in the guiding star)
We believe in the humble manger
(We believe in the humble manger)
Where love came down and filled our hearts
(Where love came down and filled our hearts)

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Wonderful Merciful Savior

Verse 1

Wonderful merciful Savior
Precious Redeemer and Friend
Who would have thought that a Lamb
Could rescue the souls of men
Oh You rescue the souls of men

Chorus

You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for

Verse 2

Counselor Comforter Keeper
Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts
Have hopelessly lost the way
Oh we hopelessly lost the way

Verse 3

Almighty infinite Father
Faithfully loving Your own
Here in our weakness You find us
Falling before Your throne
Oh we're falling before Your throne

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP!
New Life Church
February 13, 2022

WHEN LIFE GETS HARD!
Message 2
II Chronicles 20, NKJV

What Do You Do When You Don't Know What To Do?

"...we do not know what to do...", II Chronicles 20:12

Seven Habits We Can Hold On To When Life Gets Hard

♦ **We can admit our fears, seek the Lord and yes, even fast! vs 1-3, NKJV**

20 It happened after this *that* the people of Moab with the people of Ammon, and *others* with them besides the Ammonites, came to battle against Jehoshaphat. ²Then some came and told Jehoshaphat, saying, "A great multitude is coming against you from beyond the sea, from Syria; and they are in Hazazon Tamar" (which *is* En Gedi). ³And Jehoshaphat feared, and set himself to seek the LORD, and proclaimed a fast throughout all Judah.

♦ **We can wake up, get up, get out and get in church! vs 4 & 13, NKJV**

⁴So Judah gathered together to ask *help* from the LORD; and from all the cities of Judah they came to seek the LORD.

¹³Now all Judah, with their little ones, their wives, and their children, stood before the Lord.

◆ We can get serious about our relationship with our Lod God! vs 5-12, NKJV

⁵ Then Jehoshaphat stood in the assembly of Judah and Jerusalem, in the house of the LORD, before the new court, ⁶ and said: "O LORD God of our fathers, *are* You not God in heaven, and do You *not* rule over all the kingdoms of the nations, and in Your hand *is there not* power and might, so that no one is able to withstand You? ⁷ *Are* You not our God, *who* drove out the inhabitants of this land before Your people Israel, and gave it to the descendants of Abraham Your friend forever? ⁸ And they dwell in it, and have built You a sanctuary in it for Your name, saying, ⁹ 'If disaster comes upon us—sword, judgment, pestilence, or famine—we will stand before this temple and in Your presence (for Your name *is* in this temple), and cry out to You in our affliction, and You will hear and save.' ¹⁰ And now, here are the people of Ammon, Moab, and Mount Seir—whom You would not let Israel invade when they came out of the land of Egypt, but they turned from them and did not destroy them—¹¹ here they are, rewarding us by coming to throw us out of Your possession which You have given us to inherit. ¹² O our God, will You not judge them? For we have no power against this great multitude that is coming against us; nor do we know what to do, but our eyes *are* upon You."

◆ We can be enlightened and encouraged by others! vs 14-17, NKJV

¹⁴ Then the Spirit of the LORD came upon Jahaziel the son of Zechariah, the son of Benaiah, the son of Jeiel, the son of Mattaniah, a Levite of the sons of Asaph, in the midst of the assembly. ¹⁵ And he said, "Listen, all you of Judah and you inhabitants of Jerusalem, and you, King Jehoshaphat! Thus says the LORD to you: 'Do not be afraid nor dismayed because of this great multitude, for the battle *is* not yours, but God's. ¹⁶ Tomorrow go down against them. They will surely come up by the Ascent of Ziz, and you will find them at the end of the brook before the Wilderness of Jeruel. ¹⁷ You will not *need* to fight in this *battle*. Position yourselves, stand still and see the salvation of the LORD, who is with you, O Judah and Jerusalem!' Do not fear or be dismayed; tomorrow go out against them, for the LORD *is* with you."

♦ **We can bow down and then stand up to worship and praise our great God!
vs 18-21, NKJV**

¹⁸ And Jehoshaphat bowed his head with *his* face to the ground, and all Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem bowed before the LORD, worshiping the LORD. ¹⁹ Then the Levites of the children of the Kohathites and of the children of the Korahites stood up to praise the LORD God of Israel with voices loud and high.

²⁰ So they rose early in the morning and went out into the Wilderness of Tekoa; and as they went out, Jehoshaphat stood and said, "Hear me, O Judah and you inhabitants of Jerusalem: Believe in the Lord your God, and you shall be established; believe His prophets, and you shall prosper." ²¹ And when he had consulted with the people, he appointed those who should sing to the LORD, and who should praise the beauty of holiness, as they went out before the army and were saying:

"Praise the Lord,
For His mercy *endures* forever."

♦ **We can press on and watch our great God show up and show off!
vs 22-26, NKJV**

²² Now when they began to sing and to praise, the LORD set ambushes against the people of Ammon, Moab, and Mount Seir, who had come against Judah; and they were defeated. ²³ For the people of Ammon and Moab stood up against the inhabitants of Mount Seir to utterly kill and destroy *them*. And when they had made an end of the inhabitants of Seir, they helped to destroy one another.

²⁴ So when Judah came to a place overlooking the wilderness, they looked toward the multitude; and there *were* their dead bodies, fallen on the earth. No one had escaped.

²⁵ When Jehoshaphat and his people came to take away their spoil, they found among them an abundance of valuables on the dead bodies, and precious jewelry, which they stripped off for themselves, more than they could carry away; and they were three days gathering the spoil because there was so much. ²⁶ And on the fourth day they assembled in the Valley of Berachah, for there they blessed the LORD; therefore the name of that place was called The Valley of Berachah until this day.

♦ **We can return, rejoice and rest in all that God is and for all that God did!**
vs 27-30, NKJV

²⁷ Then they returned, every man of Judah and Jerusalem, with Jehoshaphat in front of them, to go back to Jerusalem with joy, for the LORD had made them rejoice over their enemies. ²⁸ So they came to Jerusalem, with stringed instruments and harps and trumpets, to the house of the LORD. ²⁹ And the fear of God was on all the kingdoms of *those* countries when they heard that the LORD had fought against the enemies of Israel. ³⁰ Then the realm of Jehoshaphat was quiet, for his God gave him rest all around.

*God doesn't give the Hardest Battles to His Toughest Soldiers;
He Creates His Toughest Soldiers through Life's Hardest Battles.*

*Hard things are put in our way, not to stop us,
but to call out our courage and strength!*

NLC's Verse for 2022

³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few.
³⁸ Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."
Matthew 9:37-38, NIV

BIBLICAL ELDERSHIP LESSONS

There are six (6) Biblical Eldership Lessons:

1. What is Biblical Eldership? - Lesson 1
2. What is Biblical Eldership? - Lesson 2
3. Why Biblical Eldership? - Lesson 1
4. Why Biblical Eldership? - Lesson 2
5. How Will Biblical Eldership Impact Church Life? - Lesson 1
6. How Will Biblical Eldership Impact Church Life? - Lesson 2

Biblical Eldership Lessons are being offered via three (3) schedule options.

Session locations will be determined based upon the size of the respective sessions through online registrations.

Sunday Mornings:

9 to 10 am

Six (6) Sessions - Feb 27th through April 3rd

Sunday Evenings:

5 to 6:45 pm

Three (3) Sessions - Feb 27th, March 13th & March 27th

Each session will consist of two (2) lessons

Nursery and childcare will be provided during these sessions only.

In order to have proper supervision scheduled for the children, **ALL children must be pre-registered by Feb 20th.**

Wednesday Evenings:

6:45 to 7:30 pm

Six (6) Sessions - March 2nd through April 6th
Awana and Youth Group will be in session during this time

Pre-registration is required for each of the sessions and for those requiring childcare (during the Sunday evening sessions only).

Please be sure that you register for only one (1) session option.

To register, use the link in News & Notes or contact Ginger Wallace.



Third Sunday Food & Fellowship Potluck Meal

**Sunday, February 20th
in The Gathering Place
following the 10:30 am service.**

Each family should bring an item from the list below (based on your last name - the list will rotate monthly).

A thru F - Salad
G thru M - Side Dish
N thru So - Dessert
St thru Z - Meat or Casserole

For more information, contact Mandy Davis

ATTENTION ALL MEN!

Mark your calendar now for a very special
Men's Breakfast!

Saturday, February 26th
at 8 am in
The Gathering Place.

Young men ages 13 and up
are invited to attend the
breakfast with their fathers.



Chef Russ Dingeldein will prepare the buffet style breakfast.

Eric Stelzer will be the guest speaker.

Pre-registration is required by 12 noon on February 20th.

To register, use the link in News & Notes or contact Ginger Wallace.