

Greetings from the Pastor

“For all our days are passed away in thy wrath: we spend our years as a tale that is told.” - Psalms 90:9



Every life is a story. The Bible says our lives are like a tale that is told. Everyone’s life is composed of hundreds of stories. Have you told your stories?

We have been studying the Gospel of Mark through stories of individuals who encountered Jesus and were never the same. Mark is a storyteller. In this, the smallest of the Gospels, he chooses to give us snapshots of over 30 people whose lives were touched by Jesus. Even the woman who broke the alabaster box of perfume, Jesus declared that her story would be told wherever the gospel was preached.

Today, those of us who have received Jesus as Savior have a story to tell, how we came to know him, he healed us, delivered us, changed us, or answered our cry when we called on him.

This small booklet contains just a few our stories. Each individual’s story is unique, different and deeply personal. God’s has touched these lives in many ways. Each touch leaves us marked forever with the fingerprint of God. We pray that these stories will stir your heart, inspire your faith, and encourage you to write your own untold story.

Touched by the Master,

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Pastor Dick LaFountain

“Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us.” – Ephesians 3:20

An Invitation

Jesus Christ is alive and moving today. He desires to enter your heart and brings about a transformation in you. Jesus himself offers this invitation;

*“Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and fellowship with him, and he with me.”
Revelation 3:20*

Peter’s first sermon after the resurrection contained the same invitation;

*The promise is for you and your children
and for all who are far off—
for all whom the Lord our God will call.” – Acts 2:39*

The Apostle John in his gospel, gives us multiple invitations to “Receive Christ and be changed.”

*“He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him.
Yet to all who **received him**, to those who believed in his name,
he gave the right to become children of God” – John 1:12*

*“For God so loved the world that he gave his one
and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall
not perish but have eternal life.” – John 3:16*

The Apostle Paul echoes the same invitation when he said,

*“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation;
the things have passed away and all things have become new!”
– 2 Corinthians 5:17*

If you have never **RECEIVED** Jesus Christ into your life you are missing the life God intended for you to have. Receiving Christ involves a specific act on your part. Believe that he died on the cross for your sins, and that he rose from the dead and lives forever. Then **CONFESS** your sin and need of the Savior and by prayer **INVITE** him to come into your heart and life, to give you a new and everlasting life. He will come in and transform you.