

Mother's Day 2024 – Pastor Randy Winkles

- I. Honor the Mothers (Greet Them; Poem (Monte); Video – gifts of flowers and candy bags)
- II. Welcome to our Guest: Our Vision and One Core Value.
 - a. Vision of HPC We exist to create the atmosphere for God's Presence to Manifest in power daily, corporately and individually, for victorious living. How do we do this? Daily Encounters with God.
 - b. One of our core values here at HPC is "Family". "Instep with one another". Colossians 3:12–15 (NKJV) ¹²Therefore, as *the* elect of God, holy and beloved, put on tender mercies, kindness, humility, meekness, longsuffering; ¹³bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also *must do*. ¹⁴But above all these things put on love, which is the bond of perfection. ¹⁵And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also you were called in one body; and be thankful.
 - c. One of the top desires of any "Born Again Believing Mother" is to have her whole family saved and born into the Kingdom of God.
- III. Sermon: Knowledge brings awareness; revelation brings penetration that evokes change. EVOKE defined means to call forth or provoke; produce; elicit a change in the current situation. Main Passage: 2 Kings 4:8-37
 - a. Strategy (How)
 - i. The Shunamite's woman's strategy was to get to Elisha and allow nothing to come out of her mouth or anyone to negate or nullify what her goal was.
 - ii. She guarded her heart and didn't let anyone else speak into the situation until she could find the man of God - Elisha.
 1. Proverbs 4:20–22 (NKJV) ²⁰My son, give attention to my words; Incline your ear to my sayings. ²¹Do not let them depart from your eyes; Keep them in the midst

of your heart; ²²For they *are* life to those who find them, And health to all their flesh.

2. Paid very close attention to her environment that could have a direct impact on her situation.

b. Target (Who)

- i. Was Elisha and her son

1. She knew if she could get to Elisha without delay, that the man of God could change the atmosphere and cause a miracle to come forth. How? To create an atmosphere for God's Presence to Manifest in power.

- ii. Was her son's dead body. She kept focused; guarded her heart and her words from any negativity that would divert the desired outcome.

c. Desired Result (Outcome).

- i. Was to see her dead son raised back to life.
- ii. Desired results will require "specific actions" for the penetration to take place for the revelation to manifest.

IV. Application

- a. Deal with your own doubt and frustration in a situation submitting it to God. (Strategy).

- i. Mark 9:4-24. The Father's unbelief.
- ii. 2 Corinthians 10:4-5 (NKJV) ⁴For the weapons of our warfare *are* not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, ⁵ casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ,
- iii. Philippians 4:8 (NKJV) ⁸Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things *are* noble, whatever things *are* just, whatever things *are* pure, whatever things *are* lovely, whatever things *are* of good report, if *there is* any virtue and if *there is* anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things.

- b. Focused prayer – No Hail Mary’s, Lord if it’s your will prayers or praying from one’s emotions but praying in the spirit, by the spirit to the Giver of Spirit in the power and Name of Jesus Christ and the word of God. Know the scripture and penetrate with it. (John 14:12-14; 16:23-24; 1 John 3:22-23 (Target))
 - c. Speak the desired result with actions that bring penetration that evokes change. Harness your emotions and focus on God’s Word and the Desired Outcome (I speak Jesus by Charity Gayle)
- V. Altar Call.