

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

LORD, GIVE ME STRENGTH
FOR THE BURDEN

Jeremy Rodriguez

QUOTE

The world isn't waiting for a new definition of Christianity, it is waiting for a new demonstration of it.

– Leonard Ravenhill

JEREMIAH 20:9

But if I say, “I will not mention his word or speak anymore in his name,” his word is in my heart like a fire, a fire shut up in my bones. I am weary of holding it in; indeed, I cannot.

MATTHEW 7:15-20

“Beware of the false prophets, who come to you in sheep’s clothing, but inwardly are ravenous wolves. ¹⁶

You will know them by their fruits. Grapes are not gathered from thorn bushes, nor figs from thistles, are they? ¹⁷ So every good tree bears good fruit, but the bad tree bears bad fruit. ¹⁸ A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. ¹⁹ Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. ²⁰ So then, you will know them by their fruits.

MATTHEW 7:21-23

“Not everyone who says to Me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of My Father who is in heaven will enter. ²² Many will say to Me on that day, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in Your name, and in Your name cast out demons, and in Your name perform many miracles?’ ²³ And then I will declare to them, ‘I never knew you; leave Me, you who practice lawlessness.’”

LUKE 13:6-9

And He began telling this parable: “A man had a fig tree which had been planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and did not find any.⁷ And he said to the vineyard-keeper, ‘Look! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree without finding any. Cut it down! Why does it even use up the ground?’⁸ But he answered and said to him, ‘Sir, leave it alone for this year too, until I dig around it and put in fertilizer;⁹ and if it bears fruit next year, fine; but if not, cut it down.’”

THOUGHT

If we try to win over people giving up the standards that Christ teaches us to keep, namely Holiness and Righteousness, then we are compromised and lead people to build their lives upon a cracked & decrepit foundation that will be sure to collapse.

REVELATION 4:8

And the four living creatures, each one of them having six wings, are full of eyes around and within; and day and night they do not cease to say,

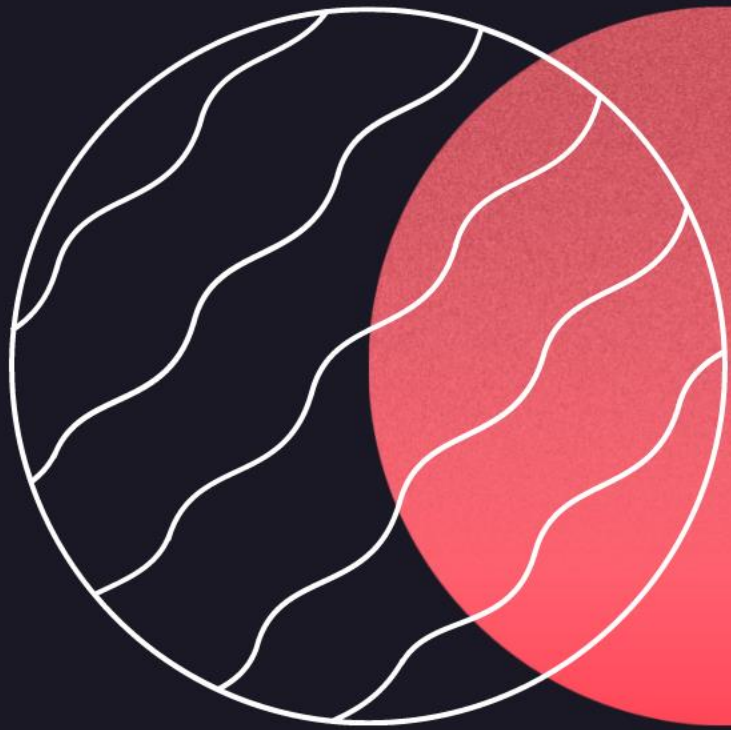
“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God, the Almighty, who was and who is and who is to come.”

REVELATION 4:9-11

⁹ And when the living creatures give glory, honor, and thanks to Him who sits on the throne, to Him who lives forever and ever, ¹⁰ the twenty-four elders will fall down before Him who sits on the throne, and they will worship Him who lives forever and ever, and will cast their crowns before the throne, saying,

¹¹ “Worthy are You, our Lord and our God, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things, and because of Your will they existed, and were created.”

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**WHAT IS GOD
CALLING YOU TO DO?**

**Pastor Derek Forseth
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QUESTION

What is God calling you to do?

1 CORINTHIANS 7:17

17 Nevertheless, each person should live as a believer in whatever situation the Lord has assigned to them, just as God has called them. This is the rule I lay down in all the churches.

PRACTICAL NEEDS IN CHURCHES:

Deacons, elders, ushers, teachers, children's workers, young adult helpers, youth workers, people to clothe and feed those in. Need, people to clean, serve meals, set up and breakdown for events, play instruments, sound, PowerPoint, security and missions.

PSALM 100: 2

² Serve the LORD with gladness: come
before his presence with singing.

COLOSSIANS 3:23-24

²³ And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men; ²⁴ Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ.



QUOTE

It is impossible to serve God without
serving one another. -AB



QUOTE

True Faith is when you serve God to get
nothing else but more of God.

-JDG

PHILIPPIANS 4:13

13 I can do all this through him who gives
me strength