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Day 1: The God Who Sees You

Devotional: Like Hagar in the wilderness, many women today feel overlooked and undervalued. Yet God revealed Himself to her as "El Roi" — the God who sees. He sees your exhaustion, your silent sacrifices, and your faithful service. The apostle Paul recognized both male and female elders—presbyteros—calling the church to honor spiritual mothers and fathers alike. Your significance isn't determined by recognition from others but by God's attentive gaze upon your life. He sees every act of love, every moment of teaching, every sacrifice made in obscurity. Today, receive this truth: you are seen, valued, and called by the God who never overlooks His daughters. Your visibility to Him is what truly matters.

Reading:

Genesis 16:1-13 NKJV

Now Sarai, Abram's wife, had borne him no children And she had an Egyptian maidservant whose name was Hagar. So Sarai said to Abram, "See now, the Lord has restrained me from bearing children. Please, go in to my maid; perhaps I shall obtain children by her." And Abram heeded the voice of Sarai. Then Sarai, Abram's wife, took Hagar her maid, the Egyptian, and gave her to her husband Abram to be his wife, after Abram had dwelt ten years in the land of Canaan. So he went in to Hagar, and she conceived. And when she saw that she had conceived, her mistress became despised in her eyes. Then Sarai said to Abram, "My wrong be upon you! I gave my maid into your embrace; and when she saw that she had conceived, I became despised in her eyes. They Lord judge between you and me."

So Abram said to Sarai, "indeed your maid is in your hand; do to her as you please." And when Sarai dealt harshly with her, she fled from her presence. Now the Angel of the Lord found her by a spring of water in the wilderness, by the spring on the way to Shur. And He said, "Hagar, Sarai's maid, where have you come from, and where are you going?" She said, "I am fleeing from the presence of my mistress Sarai."

The Angel of the Lord said to her, "Return to your mistress, and submit yourself under her hand." Then the Angel of the Lord said to her, "I will multiply your descendants exceedingly, so that they shall not be counted for multitude."

And the Angel of the Lord said to her:

"Behold, you are the with child,

And you shall bear a son.

You shall call his name Ishmael,

Because the Lord has heard your affliction.

He shall be a wild man;

His hand shall be against every man,

And every man's hand against him.

And he shall dwell in the presence of all his brethren."

Then she called the name of the Lord who spoke to her, You-Are-the-God-Who-Sees; for she said, “Have I also here seen Him who sees me?”

1 Timothy 5:1-2 NKJV

Do not rebuke an older man, but exhort him as a father, younger men as brothers, older women as mothers, younger women as sisters, with all purity.

Revelation: In what ways might the church today be contributing to women feeling undervalued, and what practical steps can we take to create a safer, more honoring environment?

Day 2: The Power of Temperance

Devotional: Maturity isn't measured by titles or positions but by character—specifically, temperance. Like closing unnecessary apps draining your phone's battery, temperance means eliminating background distractions that rob you of spiritual power. Reverent behavior, controlled speech, and moderation in all things establish your credibility as a leader. The enemy wants you overwhelmed and scattered, but God calls you to measured, intentional living. Consider what "background apps" are draining your spiritual energy: gossip, comparison, anxiety, or busyness? Mature women exercise self-control, acting as though Jesus is present in every moment—because He is. Your Christ-like character becomes the foundation for impacting others. Today, identify one area where you need greater temperance and surrender it to God.

Reading:

Titus 2:1-5 NKJV

But as for you, speak the things which are proper for sound doctrine:

That the older men be sober, reverent, temperate, sound in faith, in love, in patience; the older women likewise, that they be reverent in behavior, not slanderers, not given to much wine, teachers of good things—

That they admonish the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, to be discreet, chaste, homemakers, good, obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be blasphemed.

Galatians 5:22-25 NKJV

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.

Revelation: What background apps or distractions might be draining your spiritual battery and preventing you from maintaining focus on what really matters for Kingdom impact?

Day 3: Called to Teach and Disciple

Devotional: You don't need a title, a platform, or perfect circumstances to fulfill God's call to discipleship. The mature believer naturally pours into others, teaching good things and modeling godly living. Like Tom Brady transforming the Buccaneers not just with skill but with a winning mindset, spiritual mothers pass on more than information—they transfer a kingdom mentality. Who in your sphere needs your wisdom about loving family, managing a home, maintaining purity, or honoring God? Your experience with the Lord qualifies you to guide others. The church is weak not from lack of programs but from shortage of spiritual parents willing to invest in the next generation. Discipleship is the mark of maturity. Today, ask God to show you one person you can begin mentoring, and take the first step.

Reading:

Matthew 28:18-20 NKJV

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing

them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” Amen.

2 Timothy 2:1-2 NKJV

You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to others also.

Revelation: Why is discipleship and mentoring considered the mark of spiritual maturity, and who in your life might God be calling you to intentionally disciple?

Day 4: Guarding God's Reputation

Devotional: Your life is a living testimony—either bringing glory to God's name or causing others to blaspheme it. This sobering reality should shape every decision, relationship, and response. Like the Better Business Bureau validates a company's claims, your obedience validates God's Word to a watching world. When you live with integrity, submit to God's design, love sacrificially, and serve faithfully, you become a catalyst for transformation. People don't just hear about God—they experience Him through your life. The enemy wants to discredit God's name by wearing you down into compromise, bitterness, or withdrawal. But when you stand firm in faith and embody Christ's grace, you protect His reputation and point others home. What does your life currently testify about God? Let your works praise Him in the gates.

Reading:

Titus 2:5 NKJV

To be discreet, chaste, homemakers, good, obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be blasphemed.

1 Peter 2:9-12 NKJV

But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light; who once were not a people but are now the people of God, who had not obtained mercy but now have obtained mercy. Beloved, I beg you as sojourners and pilgrims, abstain from fleshly lusts which war against the soul, having your conduct honorable among the Gentiles, that when they speak against you as evildoers, they may, by your good works which they observe, glorified God in the day of visitation.

Revelation: The sermon emphasizes that our lives should bring glory to God rather than cause people to blaspheme His name. In what areas of your life might your testimony be compromised, and how can you realign with God's purposes?

Day 5: Your Season to Shine

Devotional: "Many daughters have done well, but you excel them all." The woman who fears the Lord deserves praise—not for perfection, but for presence, for being the peace that calms troubled hearts and the light guiding others home. Your calling as a spiritual mother isn't a burden; it's a blessing. The world desperately needs women who stand firm in faith, lead with love, and refuse to be sidelined by exhaustion or devaluation. This is your season to rise—not for applause or recognition, but for God's glory. Stop waiting for "someday" and step into today's opportunities. Focus on your soul, not your stuff. Seek first God's kingdom, and everything else will be added. Your story is just beginning. The legacy you leave depends on choices you make now. Will you answer the call to spiritual motherhood? Will you commit to growth, temperance, and teaching? Stand firm. Shine bright. The kingdom needs you.

Reading:

Proverbs 31:25-31NKJV

Strength and honor are her clothing;

She shall rejoice in time to come.

She opens her mouth with wisdom,

*And on her tongue is the law of kindness.
She watches over the ways of her household,
And does not eat the bread of idleness.
Her children rise up and call her blessed;
Her husband also, and he praises her:
“Many daughters have done well,
But you excel them all.”
Charm is deceitful and beauty is passing,
But a woman who fears the Lord, she shall be praised.
Give her of the fruit of her hands,
And let her own works praise her in the gates.*

Philippians 2:14-16 NKJV

Do all things without complaining and disputing, that you may become blameless and harmless, children of God without fault in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world, holding fast the word of life, so that I may rejoice in the day of Christ that I have not run in vain or labored in vain.

Revelation: How do cultural pressures and modern expectations contribute to the exhaustion and anxiety many women experience, and what does biblical temperance offer as an alternative to these demands?