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Walk The Line Of Faith

By Naomi Victorio

Hebrews 11:1 "Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." This verse is the driving force behind the young lady we all see in the hallways of our school, a young lady who greets you with a smile. Her name is Tara Schowe. For some of the veteran students of TLBC, we have gotten to know and love Tara as well as see her progression in the way she walks out her faith. Many of us can remember her coming to school with her faithful crutches. Then she started to come to school with her crutches less often. Tara began to

profess her healing and declare the strength that God was giving her to walk without her crutches.

Recently she was challenged to take another step of faith. A few weeks ago while in Los Angeles she left her crutches in her hotel. This was her next huge step of faith. I have personally walked with Tara in several situations; one being when a group of students had gone to San Francisco and we walked the streets handing food out to the homeless and praying with anyone we came across. I personally saw how much effort she took . . .

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The History of Revival of the Korean Church, part 4

By Esther Na

There are a few reasons for the Korean church's huge growth, despite its short history of one hundred years. When the Koreans first received the gospel, they had long had a spiritual and religious longing for truth and the light of life. Buddhism and Confucianism, religions for the nobility in many ways, were not enough to deliver the Korean people from despair and pain.

The gospel, which was introduced at the collapse of the Korean

feudal society, played a major part in breaking down superstitions, establishing human rights, providing medical and educational assistance, introducing democracy, and promoting substantial liberation of the Korean people. The first missionaries (who were mostly evangelistic pietists) devoted themselves passionately to missions, and to the "Nebius Mission Policy," which focuses on raising up indigenous populations, had a great effect.

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Lord, Open My Eyes

By Cathy Whalen

Do you really recognize His love for you? Sometimes, we can be so caught up in school, work and ministry that we forget His compassionate love for us. We become numb because of numerous trials and our focus on running the race. We are in survival mode.

Many of you have been running the race for a very long time, and sometimes it feels as if you aren't even close to the finish line. But, if you look in the spirit realm, you may be much closer to the finish line than you think. It doesn't mean that you have completed the whole race but you may have completed a leg of the race in your life. God may be ready to place you in a new leg, or level, with a greater anointing. Ask God to let you see through His eyes. You may just be



When you least expect it: change happens! Some changes you have anticipated for a very long time may be just around the corner.

amazed at the things that He desires to show you. One day, He gave me a vision of my arrival at the finish line. I looked so beat up and the bows that were crisp and new in my hair in the beginning of the race now looked all tattered and torn. I had many bullet holes from the enemy and I was just barely moving, but I made it. He showed this to me to give me hope.

Another example of God opening someone's eyes was in II Kings 6:15-17. This was when Elisha said, "O Lord, I pray thee open his eyes (Elisha's servant) that he may see." Then the servant saw what Elisha saw: "horses and chariots of fire round about them," protecting them from the Syrian army. As you ask God to let you see what He sees, in your situation. You will see some great and mighty things.

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Korean Protestants concentrated on Bible distribution and hymnal production, and established their foundation on the Bible. They also prayed fervently and fought illiteracy through Bible study. Korea's situation, at the time, made it easier for Koreans to understand Israel's history of persecution and identify with Jesus' suffering.

Lastly, Koreans' peculiar religious nature, especially their faith in the creator, the absolute being, helped people to accept the Bible, and Korea's rich religious culture helped the gospel to spread more easily. These factors had a big effect on Korea's Christian revival, but the main force was the work of the Holy Spirit.

Along with its success, the revival had a few problems to note. American Protestantism's denominational mission history contributed to the Korean church's current denominational nature by

mistaking denominational expansion for missionary work. Nebius Mission Policy also had a side effect as it promoted each individual churches' egocentrism, in result losing the apostolic church's unity and solidarity. Bible-centrism served as a driving force for the Korean revival, but also set some people against science and triggered enthusiasm for sentimentalism.

Finally, the missionaries, who did not understand the Korean religious culture, categorized all of Korea's traditional religion and religious culture as idol worship, and carried out "the purging of traditional Korean culture." This created many adverse side effects as well.

I will close this segment with an admonition: Missionaries must always study the history and society of the culture they are going to minister to, and they must have a deep understanding of the mission field and the specific culture.

'Then Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.'

Matthew 28: 18-20

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. . . to make it through the entire trip with her crutches. Another time I met her in the school parking lot and we were walking up to the school. All I could do was stare at her, anticipating that she may fall, because that day she didn't have her crutches. Then suddenly she fell. When she got back up she turned to me and said it was easier just to fall so she can quickly get back up. This is the way Tara has lived her life. She continually pushes herself to get right back up, trusting that God will help her take the next few steps.

What a testimony of faith! To realize that your footing is not steady, but knowing that God's secure hands will always be there, waiting to catch you. The line of faith that Tara walks is one of trusting that God will enable her

to complete and fulfill the destiny He has for her - despite her physical limitations.

Tara has chosen not to place her identity in her disability but rather to find her identity in God's word and believe what He says. And, God has declared her healed! This is faith. Some may ask, "How can she say she is healed? I don't see her healed." Remember, faith believes without seeing. We must understand that God's thoughts are higher than ours. Just like Tara, God is asking each of us to go beyond what we think we are and allow God to speak the truth about the purpose of our life. Then we need to allow Him to call us onto the line of faith and follow Him!

His Faithfulness! Endures! Forever!

By Inoke Waqavesi

Genesis 28:10 – 30:43

Situation: Jacob left his home and started a 400-mile trip north to Haran to search for a wife. In place of the customary dowry, Jacob pledged seven years' labor (which became seven more years, thanks to Laban's deception).

Observation: God remains faithful to us, just as he did to Jacob. He fulfills his promise by blessing us during trying circumstances.

Inspiration: God is economical; He doesn't waste training or experience. He knows what we are doing, what we are learning, and how he's going to use all, whether it's five, ten, or twenty years from now.

It's easy to be disappointed when we have prepared for "the plan of God for my life," only to have the door shut in our faces. That's because we're busy

focusing on the plan when God was focusing on the preparation. Watch how he uses that preparation in a whole new way. When the signals are blurry and you are uncertain, keep on praying, and getting Christian counsel, but don't stop what you are doing. Trust him to steer your course. But don't stop!

A sailboat's rudder is useless while the sails are down. Set sail. Get going. You can't move in any direction until the wind fills the sails. Then when the wind changes: be ready to come about. God may have to change your course, but when he does, you will have the momentum for it.

God knows how to move you when the time comes for you to be moved. He knows what is happening to you and what should be happening for you. In other words, ***trust God to be God.***



Let God be your rudder.

Heart For Your Desire

By: Lowell Alexander, Gayle Bordres, Jeff Borders, Dae Clark, & Tony Wood



Deep In my Soul
 There's a longing I feel
 To look at my life in the light of
 Your will
 Knowing Your Heart
 Trusting Your Truth
 Day after Day
 I'm Walking With You

All my Hopes
 All my Dreams
 Help me forfeit everything
 For whatever Your
 Kingdom requires
 Guide my steps
 Let me see
 The best You have for me
 Give me a heart for Your desire

Teach me, oh God
 In the ways of Your word
 Whisper through voices that I've
 Seldom heard
 Strengthen my faith
 Weaken my will
 Lead me to where Your love
 Is filled

As I delight in You, oh Lord
 Within me there's a fire
 And I'm finding the desire
 Of my heart
 Is a heart for your desire

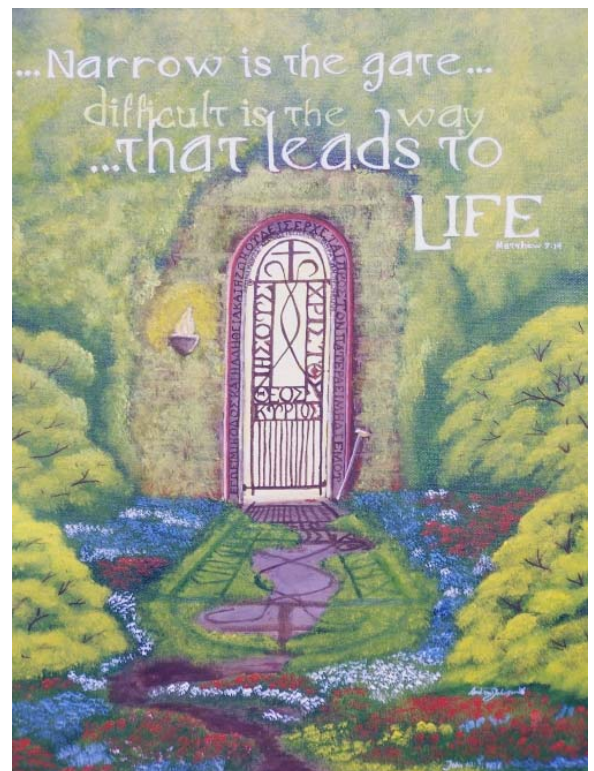
I want a heart for your desire

As we head for summer
 break some are moving on and some
 will be returning. I encourage all of
 you, including myself, to not just pray
 that your heart's desires be filled, but
 that the Lord would fill your heart
 with HIS desires. Only when our
 hearts are filled with His desires can
 we truly do His will and be truly
 happy. When our hearts are full, not
 of our own thoughts and desires, but
 the Lord's, then we are true
 champions!!

God Bless all of you. Have
 fun this summer, and never stop
 praying!!

I look forward to seeing you
 all next year!!!

Jennifer Johnson



Artwork by Andrew Johnson

Bonus story: God, light the fire again in Korea!

By Esther Na

Revival means to vitalize (-vival) again (re-). Revival is often expressed as "revival movement," because revival is God's providence that is not only for certain individuals and certain churches, but for a specific period and people. When the church was weak, God used the revival movement to wake them up.

Korea's revival in 1907 was also God's plan to vitalize the feeble Korean church and achieve His will. There aren't too many cases in the world's Christian history in which so many souls were saved in such a short time as in Korea. The largest churches are in Korea, and Korea became a nation that sends out the most missionaries in proportion to its population.

Currently, however, the Korean church suffers from many problems, and the people are calling for a revival once again. Some of the reasons are because the Korean church has stopped growing since the mid-1980s, and because the church is not showing signs of maturity. Growth and maturity are the fruits of revival, thus stagnation of these two things means the church has already passed the revival stage and entered the subsiding stage, and that the power of God's word is not being revealed in the Christians' lives. If the church loses its life and its power to renew, it could no longer be called a church. How would the church bring dead souls to life if it

was not constantly renewed and filled with life?

For a long time, one of the biggest obstacles for the Korean church's revival was division among churches. But now, God has raised people that truly yearn for the Korean church's revival and have begun to tear the walls of division down. True unification can only be achieved through denying oneself at the foot of the cross. Then, when the Korean church repents for focusing on superficial growth and getting distracted by worldly values, when they recover a passionate prayer life, then a path to revival will open. Year 2006 is the one-hundredth anniversary of the revival. Numerous people are praying that God will spark revival in Korea once again.

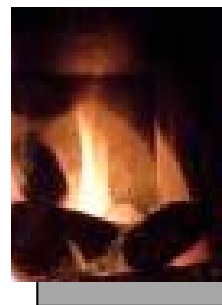
Korea is surely not the only place that needs revival. I pray that all the churches of this world will burn with the flames of revival, so that I may see God's will be done.

"This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come."

Matt. 24:14

"...for the earth will be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the water cover the sea."

Habakkuk 2:14



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Summer Mission's Trips

TLBC would like to include your summer mission trip or ministry event in the newsletter or the yearbook. Please take a lot of pictures and turn them in to the

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Graduation Banquet

6:30 pm, Friday, June 9th
The Lions Gate Banquet Hall
Tickets \$25 each available
in the TLBC Office

Commencement Exercise

2:00 pm, Saturday, June 10th
Trinity Life Center Sanctuary
Reception to follow.

Fall Registration Opens July 17

Early Registration Rally
August 8, 10 AM - 8 PM
In the Atrium.
There will be Advisors,
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"Turbo Charge" Summer Classes:

June 9 - Last day to sign up for the
second Turbo session.
Turbo Sessions 3-5 - Preferred
registration is through June 30th. The
deadline to register is one week before
each session begins.

Evening Summer Classes

June 19-23 - Late Registration,
one week only!

Word Find Puzzle

Called to Be Holy

1 Peter 1:13-25

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ACTION	FERVENTLY	HOLY
ADDRESS	FLOWER	IMPARTIALLY
BELIEVERS	FOREFATHERS	INHERITED
COMPLETELY	FOREKNOWN	MINDS
CONFORMED	FOUNDATION	OBEDIENCE
ENDURES	FUTILE	PERISHABLE
ENDURING	GRASS	

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