

iBlossom NEWSLETTER

Your Growth Continues Now



Hello Fellow Bloomers,
We are pleased to welcome you to the latest issue of our Blossoming Place Bi-Monthly Newsletter. This issue has rich content and insights to help you reach your maximum potential. We hope you find these updates a nourishing addition to your journey.

Bi-Monthly Blog Updates

Then Came the Light - By Paul A. Scavella

As I flew from Holland, Michigan, to Fort Pierce, Florida, on a cold December day, the grey skies loomed overhead. Despite my ambivalence about flying in such weather, the pull to be home for the holidays overshadowed my anxiety.

Takeoff was smooth, and the climb was as expected, yet I couldn't shake the question: How long would these bleak skies last? Closing my eyes felt like the best way to find peace amidst the uncertainty.

Then it happened — a burst of sunlight broke through, warming my face. Yes, the light had come.

In that moment, I realized my life often feels shrouded in a horizon of dark clouds, but I am reminded that the radiant light of Jesus is always lurking just above.

My prayer today for both of us is: Lord, kiss me one more time with the grace of Your radiant face.



SALE

Items For Sale?

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Newsletter!



Biblical Coaching 101

Each Friday Night
at 6:00 P.M. EST.



Available:

Books, Polo Shirts,
Book Markers,
and more.

FAITH POWER MOVES

Explore the power of faith with today's 'Faith Power Move' #faith-power-move'. This power move will inspire and invigorate your spiritual journey.

WHY INTERCESSORY PRAYER?

In the great controversy between good and evil, God has established some basic ground rules. He will not violate freedom of choice. He does everything He can to save each individual. He sends His angels. The Holy Spirit impresses hearts. He arranges circumstances in each life. But He only goes so far. Intercessory Prayer unleashes Heaven's power. God honors our choice for others. His life-giving love is poured out through us to them. Intercessory Prayer is also a channel for God's wisdom to flow through us to reach others. He provides us with the knowledge to share His love. He gives us the keys to their hearts.



Prayer Promises:

"The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." James 5:16

"Ask and it shall be given you." Matthew 7:7 — *Abbotsford Seventh-day Adventist Church*

FITNESS MATTERS

Your body is your temple. Our health and fitness updates provide effective workout routines, healthy recipes, and tips to maintain a balanced lifestyle.

The link between mental and physical health:

It surprises many people to learn that your mental and physical health are inextricably connected. How your body feels can affect how your brain feels—and vice versa.

Researchers have long studied how your mental wellness affects your physical wellness. Mental health conditions, particularly depression, can increase your risk for Type 2 diabetes, heart disease and stroke. In fact, depression is just as significant a risk factor for heart disease as smoking and high cholesterol.

In addition, more than half of all Americans receive a mental health diagnosis at some point in their lifetime. This means that more than half of Americans may also have an increased risk for many of these chronic health conditions. — Adventist Health

FUNDAMENTALS of Education

Career Personality Profile Test

<https://www.truity.com/test/career-personality-profiler-test>

Learning Styles Quiz

<https://learningstylequiz.com/quiz/start.php>

Understanding the principles that guide Adventist Christian Education is critical for spiritual growth. Dive deep into these fundamentals in our latest update.

Adventist Christian Education:

All our youth should be permitted to have the blessings and privileges of an education at our schools, that they may be inspired to become laborers together with God. They all need an education, that they may be fitted for usefulness, qualified for places of responsibility in both private and public life. (White, Ellen G., *Child Guidance*, p. 332).

Sponsor a child like Jordan Ritchie today! Read his Bio at: "The Blossoming Place".



Jordan Ritchie, 2023/24
Scholarship Program



Strengthen your family bonds with our guidelines on Family Togetherness. Discover activities, shared goals, and traditions that foster love and unity.

Reach Up To God:

- ❖ Involve your family in regular family worship and Bible Study.
- ❖ Encourage your teens and young adult children to download a Bible App into their mobile devices for easy access.
- ❖ Download the Family Worship App from iTunes as a resource for your family worship.
- ❖ Read the writings of the Spirit of Prophecy with your family on a regular basis.
- ❖ Read the Adventist Home and Child Guidance.
- ❖ Apply the counsel of the Spirit of Prophecy in your family relationships.
- ❖ Encourage your teens and young adult children to download the EGW App into their mobile devices for easy access. — *Adventist Family Ministries*



Financial Fitness

Learn effective money management, saving, and investment tips to secure financial health. It's time to take control of your financial future. It is more blessed to give than to receive. Receivers always give.

The Value of Hard Work:

- ❖ Proverbs 12:11: "Whoever works his land will have plenty of bread, but he who follows worthless pursuits lacks sense."
- ❖ Proverbs encourages diligence and hard work as the path to financial stability. Engaging in "worthless pursuits" or impractical endeavors often leads to financial instability. Focus on diligent labor and practical endeavors often offers more reliable financial rewards.





“Faith is to believe what you do not see; the reward of this faith is to see what you believe.”

— Saint Augustine



Laughter refreshes the soul. Enjoy our Christian #joke-of-the-day and share the joy with others.

How do pastors like their orange juice?

With pulpit.



Draw strength and peace from our selection of powerful Bible prayers. Let them guide your prayer sessions.

Philippians 1:9-11

Paul's Prayer for Love, Knowledge, and Discernment:

“And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.”

Bible Trivia of the Day

Test your knowledge and enjoy some fun with our Biblia Trivia.

Trivia Questions - Timothy:

In 2 Timothy, who is referred to as a 'beloved son?' (Hint, see 2 Timothy 1).

Who is Timothy's grandmother?

How does the writer of 2 Timothy remember Phygelus and Hermogenes? (Hint, see 2 Timothy 1).



Upcoming Events

Join us for upcoming events that reconnect, enrich life's journeys, and foster healthy communities. Take a look at what's coming up.

October 18, 2024

Discipleship Coaching 101 - Friday evenings 7:00 p.m. live on our YouTube and FB channels.

October 20, 2024

Each Sunday at 5:00 p.m., Join the Weekly Blossoming Bible Class online. This week we continue to examine the Three Angels' messages of Revelation 14: 6-12.

October 23, 2024

The Search for Truth Gospel Campaign continues every Wednesday night beginning at 7:15 p.m. Join us live on the Freeport Adventist Church YouTube channel.

October 2024

The Renew Prayer Journey continues at 6:00 a.m. Guest presenter, date and topic to be announced.

October 22 - November 3, 2024

Dr Paul and Lady Joan's Anniversary Cruise to the Mediterranean. All are invited; for details, PM Dr Paul if you want to join them.

November 29 - December 8, 2024 - 6:00 a.m.

The Renew Prayer Journey Continues. Special Guest Speaker: The Governor General of the Bahamas, Dame Cynthia A. Pratt.

Weekdays (M-F)

Daily FB Live with Dr Paul is on call at 11:45, Monday-Friday.

Daily Life Coaching

Sessions are available; book your appointment today by visiting our website listed below.

COMING SOON - Bone Alignment Therapy (BAT) Blog and Podcast.

Thank you for being part of our community. We look forward to bringing you more empowering resources in our next issue.

Please share this newsletter with anyone who might benefit from it. If you have any suggestions or comments, please write back to us.

Stay blessed,
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Founder/Chairman
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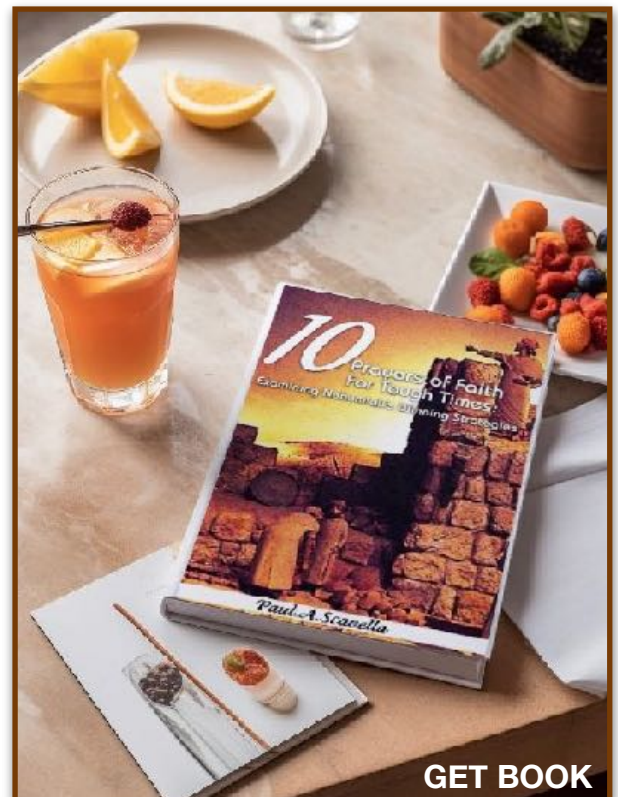
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