

Lydia Lifeline

Seeking God Together for revival!

March 2009

Dear Lydia Lifeline,

What a joy it is to be "In HIM" even when we are located in many different parts of the country and even the world. On Ash Wednesday, February 25th, many of us participated in a special day of prayer and fasting, especially for our families. It was a beautiful day for me of waiting upon Him and letting Him prepare my heart for the Lenten season. At the end of the time, I went to check on my father, Dennis Kinlaw, who lives up the street. He mentioned to me that two preachers want to come and meet with him. They both have a burden for revival. They want to come not only to share with my father but also to go to Cane Ridge, Kentucky to see the place where the great awakening occurred on the American frontier in a camp meeting at Cane Ridge in 1803-1805. Their desire was that the Lord would come again and revive and awaken us.

While my father was talking, a great longing came to my heart that while the men meet together to share and seek Jesus maybe we women could do the same. We could meet as women and ask the Lord Jesus to raise up Psalm 1 men, women and couples to lead the people of God throughout the nation. My heart is especially burdened for the Wesleyan Holiness World. We need a new touch from God and we need to have new vision and power to share the beauty of the message of the holy heart. It is our day, so to speak. Sin is so grievous that people are getting desperate for something more. They just don't know what it is. The glorious reality is it is not something, but some One that they are longing to find. He is the Person of the Holy Trinity who longs to come and indwell our lives by the power of the Holy Spirit (Ephesians 3:14-21).

The men are coming to Kentucky March 16-17, 2009. We would like to invite you to join us in prayer from March 15 -18, 2009. Some of us are gathering in Wilmore to pray, but we would like to invite you to participate in praying for revival from your own homes. Below is an outline of some of the ways in which we will be seeking God for revival. It lists the topics we will be praying for each day. We invite you to join us in prayer that day as God leads you. It may be taking time set apart or it may be praying as you go about your daily day. Some of us sense God leading us to fast as we pray Monday - Wednesday. Please ask Jesus if He would have you fast, also. He may ask you to fast sweets, coffee, a meal or two, a TV show, etc.

On Wednesday morning, we will be concentrating our prayer on our families. Those of us in Wilmore will be going to Hughes Auditorium and will be breaking up into groups of two to pray for our families as we lay their pictures on the altar. We encourage you to create an altar in your home (your kitchen table, bedside, couch) and to pray with one other person face-to-face or over the phone for each of your families. Let's pray that generational sin would be broken and that all of our family members would live out the full purposes for God in their lives. We are asking Jesus to bring revival to our families, our holiness institutions, our nation and the world.

We love you and are so grateful we are co-laborers together with Him.

Love,

Beth

Blow the trumpet in Zion,
declare a holy fast,
call a sacred assembly.

Gather the people,
consecrate the assembly;
bring together the elders,
gather the children,
those nursing at the breast.

Let the bridegroom leave his room
and the bride her chamber.

Let the priests, who minister before the LORD, weep between the temple porch and the altar.

Let them say, "Spare your people, O LORD. Do not make your inheritance an object of scorn,
a byword among the nations.

Why should they say among the peoples,
'Where is their God?'....

"I will repay you for the years the locusts have eaten-
the great locust and the young locust,
the other locusts and the locust swarm -
my great army that I sent among you"....

"And afterward,
I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your old men will dream dreams,
your young men will see visions.

Even on my servants, both men and women,

I will pour out my Spirit in those days" (Joel 2:15-17, 25, 28 and 29).

Monday, March 16

9:00am Meet at Beth's House – Share the burdens on our hearts for the holiness world and the nation.

Prayer for Psalm 1 men, women and couples

Psalm 1:1-3 (NJKV)

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful; but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and in His law he meditates day and night. He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that brings forth its fruit in its season, whose leaf also shall not wither; and whatever he does shall prosper.

Prayer for leadership in holiness institutions, denominations and camp meetings (Psalm 1 leaders who are seeking God)

Matthew 9:15-18 (NIV)

Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

Prayer for leadership in our nation and around the world (That they would seek God and make God-choices. No more Hitlers, Musselinis, Stalins or Joseph Koneys)

2 Samuel 23:3-4 (NIV)

The God of Israel spoke, the Rock of Israel said to me: 'When one rules over men in righteousness, when he rules in the fear of God, he is like the light of the morning at sunrise on a cloudless morning, like the brightness after rain that brings the grass from the earth.'

Prayer for a spiritual awakening in the US and around the world (That we would know our need for God and have a hunger for Him).

Psalm 85:6-7 (NIV)

Will you not revive us again that your people may rejoice in you? Show us your unfailing love, O Lord, and grant us your salvation.

II Chronicles 7:14 (KJV)

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

Tuesday, March 17

9:00 am

Prayer for Lydia Prayer Groups (For a ground swell of prayer to come forth from them)

I John 5:14-15 (NIV)

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us whatever we ask we know that we have what we asked of him.

Prayer for Titus Women's Ministry (Conferences, Retreats, Publishing and Financing)

II Corinthians 9:12-15 (NIV)

This service that ye perform is not only supplying the needs of God's people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God. Because of the service by which you have proved yourselves, men will praise God for the obedience that accompanies your confession of the gospel of Christ, and for your generosity in sharing with them and with everyone else. And in their prayers for you their hearts will go out to you, because of the surpassing grace God has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Psalms 37:5-6 (NIV)

Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun.

Proverbs 3:5-6 (KJV)

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

Prayer for the Brabons: (For the people of Taiwan)

John-Mark and Susan leave September 2009 to go to Taiwan to be the International Regional Directors of Asia for OMS International. Previously serving as missionaries in Mexico, God has given them a new assignment. They are leaving 4 young adult children in the US.

Romans 10:14-15 (NIV)

How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

Prayer for the Searls: (For the people of Hungary)

Dan, Katy Beth and their four daughters leave in May to return to Erd, Hungary where they love Jesus through one-on-one discipleship, lifestyle evangelism, English Camps and Clubs and starting a church.

Acts 26:18 (KJV)

To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins, and inheritance among them which are sanctified by faith that is in me.

March 18

9:00 am – Hughes Auditorium

Prayer for our families (For generational bondage to be broken)

2 Samuel 5:17-25

Now when the Philistines heard that they had anointed David king over Israel, all the Philistines went up to search for David. And David heard of it and went down to the stronghold. The Philistines also went and deployed themselves in the Valley of Rephaim. So David inquired of the LORD, saying, "Shall I go up against the Philistines? Will You deliver them into my hand?"

And the LORD said to David, "Go up, for I will doubtless deliver the Philistines into your hand."

So David went to Baal Perazim, and David defeated them there; and he said, "The LORD has broken through my enemies before me, like a breakthrough of water." Therefore he called the name of that place Baal Perazim. And they left their images there, and David and his men carried them away.

Then the Philistines went up once again and deployed themselves in the Valley of Rephaim. Therefore David inquired of the LORD, and He said, "You shall not go up; circle around behind them, and come upon them in front of the mulberry trees. And it shall be, when you hear the sound of marching in the tops of the mulberry trees, then you shall advance quickly. For then the LORD will go out before you to strike the camp of the Philistines." And David did so, as the LORD commanded him; and he drove back the Philistines from Geba as far as Gezer.