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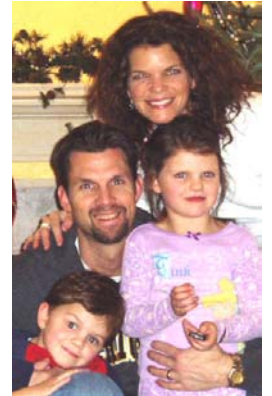


Luke 18:1 Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up.

John 15:16 You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit—fruit that will last. Then the Father will give you whatever you ask in my name.

PERSISTING IN TRUSTING GOD FOR FRUIT: Roger, Troy's son, Mom, Calvary Men, Fred, TJ
Recent examples of God fulfilling His promises to bear fruit as we persist in prayer:

TROY, SON, MOM: It must have been hard for Troy's Mom to trust God to bear fruit in her son Troy's life. He was wild. She was a single mom. But she did persist in prayer, for years.. Now he's saved, being mentored, ministering to youth in his church, leading a couples' group through "Destined" mentoring. Last year Troy and Christy's daughter Isabel received Christ. Their son Ian just trusted Christ. He said, "God's really happy and Satan's really bummed!"



Troy's Mom Claire has been teaching a Bible Study for 20 -30 single Moms. They just started going through the "Destined" book. What could help a single mom more than knowing her Heavenly Father loves her, forgives and empowers her? What can help a kid more than a parent who persists in trusting God to change lives? When Troy and I met with Claire, we dreamed of the day when Troy, Christy and the kids would share their stories with these moms. What hope that could give them to hear of God's work through generations!

CALVARY MEN'S MINISTRY: I've been praying for Calvary Church's Men's Ministry for over 10 years. The leaders of Calvary's Men's Ministry met with us Oct. 12 to plan for Accelerated Equipping for Mentoring.(AEFM)Thursday Nov. 3, 7 pm.



They are eager to take what they learn to start other men in the mentoring process. Russ has already begun to mentor one guy. Earl said, "We need to get started with this. Men are taking hits from our culture. This is what God has commanded us to do."

Troy & Christy's couples

+ One hour before the Calvary meeting, Jim L. called from his work in Ionia. (I've been praying for him, Pastor Darrel and their church in Belding since doing some training there several years ago.) He said, "We have around 34 people who have recently expressed interest in discipleship... Our church is starting to form small groups... Can you tell me more about the "Destined" Mentoring Process...?"

I explained, "Jim I must limit what I do right now because of Lyme's disease. This is one of the few things my Regional Director will let me do while on medical leave. Can you join us and the Calvary leaders at noon?" Jim drove here from Ionia. Pastor Darrel joined us too. Everything described in planning for Accelerated Equipping for Mentoring (AEFM) directly related to their needs and questions. Jim hopes to bring a few others, to help them bear more fruit. Pastor Darrel is also encouraging Jim to visit Pastor Tom's Wed. night "Destined" group to learn how to use the same format at their church. Pastors Darrel and Tom have often prayed with each other over the years as fellow church planters.

FRED: A few hours later, Fred R. asked for help in starting "Destined" mentoring with his group. He now plans to attend AEFM Nov. 3 . This will help him be more effective and connect with one of our "coaches" who will help mentor him so he can help his group bear more fruit. I've been praying for Fred for 2 years.

TJ: recently said, "I can't tell you what a great reward I feel in mentoring Scott." God is bearing fruit in TJ's and Scott's life, bringing great reward to Kurt K., who is mentoring TJ. Kurt K. has also started "Destined" with his couples' group, and hopes to help the Men's Ministry at his church bear fruit in discipleship. All three generations of these fruit bearers bring great joy to me, having prayed for Kurt K. for 10 years.

Thank you for praying for us, and faithfully supporting us. It matters more than you can imagine.

GRATEFULLY, Kurt and Ginger

WILL YOU PRAY PERSISTENTLY FOR THE ABOVE, AND FOR US? Protection, provision, fruit...

Praise: +Jim and Kelly are seeing the beginning of the multiplying resources they need.

+As they live and give more and more by faith, Jim has another better job in "design"

+Kelly has new possibilities of expanding her massage therapy business by partnering

with a doctor. Her therapy is a powerful ministry to many people

→please pray that they'll soon have a home on the NE side of town.

+ Kurt C. saw fruit in a recent S.O.A.R. ministry in California mountains. He learned a lot about climbing and leading teams. Many teens' lives were touched as they practiced faith in scary places. + God is giving them great fruit in their ministry in their home on Bridge St. Other ministries are discussing partnering with them for more fruitfulness.

→ please pray for multiplied resources, a reliable vehicle for him, wisdom for future...

→ Also, **KURT C. SPEAKS FOR MISSIONS, BELLA VISTA CHURCH, Sun. NOV. 13, 9 and 10:45 am.**

→ Ginger; Health, fruitfulness,. → her parents Charles & Joyce here Nov 10 -25, hear Kurt C speak

→ Kurt; Healing, Lyme's disease (at 20% now). →gone on trip with Dad Curt Oct. 19-28



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