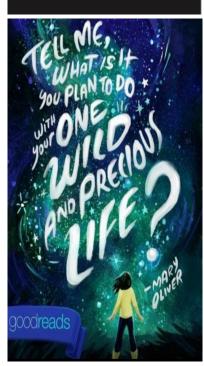


TRUTHS that Transform



You are the choices you make, and how you deal with the consequences.

You are not born a winner; you are not born a loser.
You are born a chooser.





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Secret? We Become What We Think About

...most of the time!

Dale Carnegie said this! He was an author-lecturer. He developed courses on self-improvement He developed a check-list.

1. Attitude- it develops your altitude.

2. Think—Exercise your mind. Don't be a follower of followers...
3. Truth — when you stop chasing the wrong things, you give the right things a chance to catch you.
4. Research — dreams and your motivation.

Attitudes toward other people—are they rich, or poor or homeless...?

Do you coast thru life without thinking? Going to work & living on the edge of happiness, w/o time to think at all...? We are more than *cattle-made* in the *image of God*.

Do you sense that a woman who lives with a man, she's shutting out opportunities to meet *other* men? Not a loser she lives with! I've seen that before.

A 'strange secret,' Dale Carnegie said. "We become what we think about...most of the time."

The time to be happy is **now!** You have clean water where you live & a bed, electricity AC too. You can purchase any foods you want to eat...

Maybe you think it's not the right time to be happy, with all the upheaval going on and turmoil in the world. We are faced with domestic disasters and foreign failures!

Inflation has gas prices we've never seen before in USA! Shipping costs are inflating the cost of food-clothes-products.

It's a 'strange' time to be happy... But it is stranger that you can be *happy* anytime..! I will talk about it on the backside of this.

Meantime, I want to talk about your dreams. ...It's what you are for! Don't meant make excuses.. You're not enough ...or you feel like a failure. You are not defined by your mistakes! What are you hoping for in your life? A Principal in Hi school asked me 'what are your goals?" I thought "Surviving this week!" I ran <u>away</u>.

I know a woman who sits in wheelchair daily. But she puts posters daily outside her apartment to inspire people who pass by. She's a friend on Facebook, and I love her posts... so wise and inspiring.

The path to your dreams is a grateful heart! Are *you* grateful?

I have to tell you this – you probably won't reach your dreams, without God's help...! He put those dreams in *your* heart! Surrender your heart to Jesus...He is Good!

Do you feel that you want to make a difference in people's lives? Maybe you love animals God *loves* animals-He created them all...Take care of His animals

You have a heart for the homeless...? Do what you *can* for them!

Give them socks on a cold winter night.

Do you have health I issues? I had health issues in 2021 with congestive heart failure, pneumonia, kidney failure, severe sepsis in February.

Then in May, I lost the use of my legs. Also I had clot on my mitral valve in my heart. Drs could not get it OFF! I was in 40 days of hospital care last year.

But...God was there! My friend Nancy Gray was there every day!

I'm okay now... God saved me for a reason!

My retina specialist made a hole in my retina in Sept but he didn't tell me until four months later.

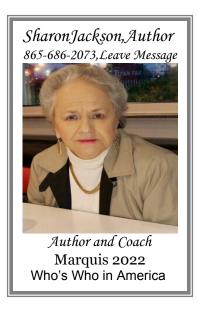
I have a new eye Dr & he said: "It's **miraculous** that you can see thru that eye because it has a big *hole* in it!

God is Good.

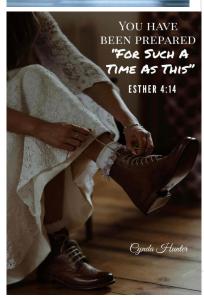
Equip yourself for your dreams and your future. *Read* Proverbs! There are 31 chapters; one chapter per day. It will give you *knowledge*, wisdom,understanding too...!

These items translate what, how & why!
Read 31 chapters over & over-for 6 months!

Corrie ten Boom told 118 about building in Holland where she lived. The owner was an atheist & he wanted to stamp out the Bible! After he died -his 4 story building filled was with BIBLES storage house.... We saw a picture of it. God protects His Word







I Am Soo "BLESSED..."

I hear this all the time They don't realize that the word means happy. The Beatitudes in the Bible means happy... if you follow them! I don't follow the KJV of the Bible because I don't speak Elizabethan and I don't know anyone else who speaks it. But according to answers.com, the word bless, blessing and blessed is in the KJV of the New Testament 499 times! Wouldn't you **want** to be happy?

Bad choices have end results. They make our lives bitter and anguished. I saw the damaged lives when I was in high school! Bad choices start in high school...you get with the wrong crowd and they party and have sex...abortion was not legal then and the results were pregnant girls... or car wrecks. Now they start out life w/abortions,,,!

Sometimes bad things happens to innocent people, like car wrecks! That happened to my friend, but she has a blessed life blessing others! It's all about your attitude-it determines your altitude! Remember, your path to your dreams come with a grateful heart!

I want to talk about what Christians don't even practice...! It can keep your family and friends, Blessed!

This is Matthew 8:1-16 In Part -When he entered Capernaum, a centurion came forward ... appealing to him "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, suffering terribly." And he said to him, "I will come and heal him." But the centurion replied, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof, but only say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I am a man under with soldiers under me. And I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard this, he MARVELED & said to those who follow-

Truly, I tell you, with No One in Israel have I found such faith." And to the centurion Jesus said, "Go; let it be done for you as you have BELIEVED." The servant was healed at that very moment. This Man UNDERSTOOD AUTHORITY! And Jesus *marveled*!! Marvel means "filled with wonder or astonishment."

"According to your faith let it be done to you."6

Jesus said. "Behold, (means gaze intently) I have given you authority to tread on serpents & scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy..." Psalm 91:13 mentions that as well. Mark 16:18 says you can take away serpents (not **pick up** serpents-I took Greek!)

And Jesus gave the church "the *Keys*" The Kingdom of heaven, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, & whatever you loose on earth will be loose in heaven." Matt. 16:19 Owning your authority can safeguard you, and your family and friends.

God has also set eternity in the human heart... Ecclesiastes 3:11 God put a hunger in you for spiritual truth. Just maybe you were born "for such a time as this! He has a plan for your life according to Ephesians 2:10.

References: 1) Josh 1:8 2) Gal.3:13-14 3) Ephes 2:10 4) Jas 4:7 5) Is. 59:2 6) Matt 9:29 7) Luke 10:19 8) Acts 19:19

"What's He saying..."

My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. John 10:27

God's word is living and active (Heb 4:12) & breathed of God (II Tim 3:16) and it was made flesh (John 1:14) in Jesus Christ, only begotten Son of God.

However, much controversy amounts to hearing voices in your head... I'm a literal person -black & white- so I want to believe Jesus when He said, 'My sheep hear my voice...!' God says in Psalm 46:10 'Be Still, and know that I am God.,." First of all, Americans don't *ever* get **still-**they have their phones

in their hands; they are busy inside and out...so cluttered with abundance! I've searched Bible truths. I'll show you what I found: Abraham heard God: "Ishmael will be a wild donkey Jacob heard God-"you'll be named Israel." Moses, in a burning bush. Samuel heard God calling him. Daniel heard God in Daniel 4:28. Gideon heard in Judges 6:23. Elijah heard a 'still small voice'. John wrote the book of Revelation, hearing Jesus' voice! "Everyone who is of the truth *listens* to my voice." John 18:37 You can't find this info on the internet. I had to search it out! That voice will always be scriptural! It's always HOLY.... If you live an unholy life; are ignorant of Biblical truths...you probably won't hear His voice!

Mental illnesses have many voices...But not the right **One** though...! So I asked God, how could Moses write the Torah, the prophets & King David write *without* You talking to them...?

He answered, "The same way you hear..."



You have vour heads in vour Bibles constantly because you think you'll find eternal life there. But you miss the forest for the trees. These Scriptures are all about me! And here I am, standing right before you, and you aren't willing to receive from me the life you say you want. ~ Jesus (Jn 5:39,40)



When you see a person without a smile, give them one of yours.





