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Welcome to
YOUR PLACE CALLED
"there"

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Where Are You Called to Be?

In Woodland Park, Colorado, right at the entrance of our property, there’s a sign that reads, “Welcome to Your Place Called ‘There.’” Many people don’t fully understand what that means, but it’s a powerful truth I want to share with you, based on the life of Elijah.

In 1 Kings 17, God gave Elijah clear instruction to go to a specific place, a ravine near the Jordan River called the brook Cherith, where God would provide for him. That’s where God’s provision would flow—not just anywhere Elijah chose to go. If Elijah had wandered off to another place, he wouldn’t have received God’s provision. It was directly linked to him being in the right place, at the right time, doing what God called him to do.

God’s provision doesn’t automatically follow you wherever you go. He doesn’t send what you need to where you are, but rather, He sends it to the place where He has called you to be. **You might feel like you’re doing everything right, but are you in your “place called there”?** God doesn’t always call us to easy places, but He will always provide when we are where He’s told us to go. If you’re not where God told you to be, you might miss out on the very thing He’s provided.

Elijah’s Boldness and Faith

At this point in the story, Elijah was a nobody. He just showed up in front of King Ahab, who was doing everything in his power to destroy anyone who would worship the true God of Israel. Yet Elijah stood before him and boldly declared, “As the LORD God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word” (1 Kgs. 17:1).

Can you imagine the boldness it took to make that proclamation? Elijah was standing before a king who had the power to kill him, and an-

nouncing that there would be no rain or dew until he said so. I love that. **This was not arrogance—it was faith and submission to God’s Word.** Elijah understood what Deuteronomy 11:16–17 said: that if Israel turned away from God, He would shut up the heavens, and there would be no rain.

Elijah was simply declaring what God had already said. It wasn’t his own will or power that caused the drought—it was God’s Word. I just love that Elijah didn’t hesitate to speak the truth of God’s Word, no matter the consequences. He knew that God’s Word would never return void (Is. 55:11), and because he stood on that Word, God’s power moved.

The Boldness of Humility

This may seem like a strange concept—humility leading to boldness. But true humility isn’t about thinking less of yourself—it’s thinking of yourself less. It’s about recognizing God’s authority and submitting to it. In 1 Peter 5:6, it says, “*Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time.*”

God is looking for people who will stand up and speak the truth in love, people who aren’t afraid to declare, “Thus saith the Lord,” even when it’s not popular. I’ve seen this truth play out in my own life where my natural response



in some situations was to run, hide, or back down. But when I humbled myself before God, faith and boldness rose up within me. It wasn't my natural personality—it was God's strength empowering me to do things I wouldn't have otherwise done.

When God shows you something in His Word and faith rises up inside you, there's a boldness and authority that comes with it. You have to speak what God has put in your heart. It might feel uncomfortable or even unnatural at first, but when you step out in faith, God will back you up.

Bold Faith, Divine Wisdom

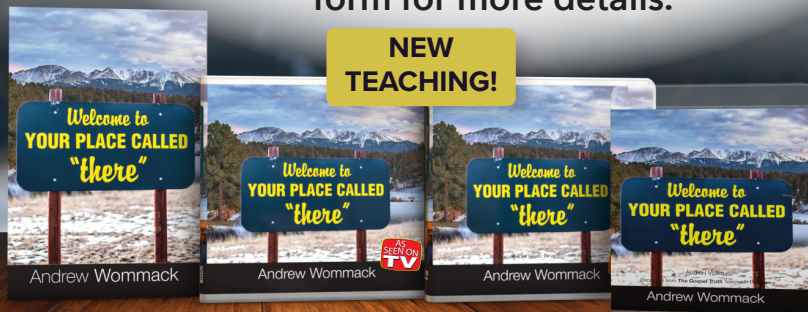
It's not just about boldness. We also have to use wisdom, and Elijah's story illustrates this too. After Elijah boldly confronted King Ahab, God foresaw the danger and told him, "Get thee hence . . . and hide thyself by the brook Cherith" (1 Kgs. 17:3). God didn't leave Elijah to face the threat alone. His instructions provided both sustenance and safety, shielding Elijah from harm while supplying his needs during the drought.

This highlights why it's crucial to follow God's every step. His guidance isn't just about provision—it's also about protection. If Elijah had stayed and defied Ahab further, he might have been killed. But by obeying God's direction, he found both safety and miraculous provision.



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A Call for More Elijahs

We need more Elijahs in the world today—people who will stand up for what's right, even when it's unpopular, and obey God's direction without hesitation. **We are not called to blend in with the world or accept evil as normal.** Like Elijah, we need to be willing to declare the truth of God's Word and go wherever He leads.

Are you where God has called you to be? I encourage you to allow God to reveal the areas where He's calling you to stand bold in His truth and follow where He leads, just like Elijah did. Your place called there is waiting for you.

I have a book titled **Lessons from Elijah** available for a donation of any amount, along with CDs, DVDs, and a USB. I'm also offering a brand-new free booklet, **Welcome to Your Place Called There**, which shares the first part of my teaching on Elijah's life. To place an order, visit awmc.ca/place, scan the code, call our Helpline at **647-348-2220**, or complete and return the enclosed form.

We love you,

Andrew and Jamie



HEALING NOW

Delivering the Healing Christ Paid For



Have you ever ordered something online and eagerly awaited its arrival, knowing it had already been paid for? When the delivery person showed up, there was nothing left to do except receive it. This is how healing works. When we lay hands on the sick and pray in faith, we're delivering something that's already been paid for by Jesus Christ. This is why Mark 16:18 promises, "They shall recover."

This powerful truth was the cornerstone of Curry Blake's teaching during his Healing Now session last October. Healing Now is a life changing, live-streamed healing service at Charis Bible College Woodland Park, held every Wednesday at 1 p.m. MT. It draws both local and international viewers, united in their desire to experience God's healing power.

Every Healing Now event features:

- Uplifting, anointed worship
- In-depth biblical teaching on healing
- Prayer ministry, both in person and through our Helpline

These services are completely free, made possible through the generous support of our partners. Together, we're not only empowering people to receive healing—we're helping them to walk in divine health and minister healing to others!

To understand how healing works, Curry explained that God created our bodies with

intricate systems—muscular, skeletal, neurological, cardiovascular, respiratory—each functioning in a precise and specific way. When any of these systems are not working correctly, we refer to it as sickness or disease. Just as God designed our physical systems, He established a spiritual system for His power to flow through, known as the law of faith. This law operates consistently, much like the law of gravity—always functioning in the same way.

As John G. Lake taught, there is both an art and a science to divine healing. The science involves the principles that govern healing, while the art is in how we deliver that healing, each according to our unique personality.

Curry sums it up simply: "Healing isn't automatic; it's mechanical. God's power isn't automatic either; it's mechanical. If you don't lay hands on the sick, they won't get healed. That's the science of healing that will work every time."



Healing Now is streamed live every week at Charis Bible College, and it's free! Explore [CharisBibleCollege.org/Healing Now](https://CharisBibleCollege.org/HealingNow) to learn how you can get involved!



Quote edited for clarity.



Curry R. Blake is the general overseer of John G. Lake Ministries. He is recognized worldwide as a leading authority on divine healing, charismatic church history, and the life and ministry of John G. Lake. Curry communicates deep spiritual truths in a simple yet profound manner, igniting spiritual revival in Christians around the globe.

THE POWER OF TRUTH

Engaging in the Battle

We are in a very real battle, not against flesh and blood, but in the spiritual realm. Sadly, many of God's people are unaware that we're in a war. They don't know the nature of the battle, how to fight, or when to engage. This lack of awareness is costing the body of Christ dearly in our marriages, families, churches, and even our nation.

Brothers and sisters, there is a violent spiritual clash that is raging between the devil—the father of lies—and Jesus Christ, who is the Truth. And the reality is, we've been called to engage in the battle. We must fight for this generation, and if we choose not to engage, our silence will give the enemy room to deceive the world. As believers, **we are responsible** for taking

JESUS SAITH UNTO HIM, I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE: NO MAN COMETH UNTO THE FATHER, BUT BY ME.

JOHN 14:6

also mighty in God and able to pull down any strongholds, vain imaginations, and arguments against the truth.

Praise God, **we have the ultimate Truth**—Jesus Christ—on our side (John 14:6)! So, don't compromise the Word of God—be sold out to the truth. Let it change you, and then learn how to communicate it to set the captives free.

*For though we walk in the flesh, **we do not war according to the flesh**. For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, **bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ**.*

2 Corinthians 10:3–5, *New King James Version*, emphasis added



our thoughts captive so they don't become vain imaginations or strongholds that exalt themselves above the knowledge of God—the Word of God. What does this mean? It means we must bring our thoughts into alignment with the truth of God's Word and the obedience of Christ (2 Cor. 10:5).

Truth is one of the greatest spiritual weapons we have in this battle (John 17:17). We need to know it, believe it, and share it. God is teaching us that we're in a battle and that we're on His team! We're not warring after the flesh and with natural weapons. The weapons of our warfare are spiritual. They're



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SHINING FOR JESUS

A Lighthouse Leading Refugees to Safety

If you really want the God thing in your life, it's going to be overwhelming, and you have to be willing to say, "Yes, Lord, I will go wherever You send me."

— Deborah Hoppe



As their Charis family surrounded them with prayers and support, Gerd and Deborah's mission caught the attention of Andrew Wommack. Thanks to the generosity of AWM partners, Andrew provided the Hoppes with a reliable van to maximize their efforts until more help could arrive.

As Deborah puts it, "In that time, we drove over ten thousand kilometers (6,214 miles) in only twelve days because we knew every person we brought safely to their destination was a life saved from potential risk of abuse." This relentless dedication continues to shine a light of hope, guiding many to safety and freedom.

Since then, God has expanded their ministry. Light House Foundation now operates from a new office offering shelter, counseling, transportation, and legal consultation. They have helped many human trafficking victims reclaim their lives and find hope once again.

As a young girl from Poland with a heart to help those trapped in human trafficking, Deborah found herself attending Charis Bible College Poland after discovering Andrew Wommack's powerful teachings. Later, she met her husband, Gerd Hoppe, a former businessman who attended Charis Germany shortly after receiving salvation.

During their honeymoon, Gerd and Deborah had a profound vision of a lighthouse on the

shore. Its light communicated a powerful message: stay focused on the light, and you will safely navigate your ship to port. This inspired them to establish the Light House Foundation ministry, dedicated to helping victims of human trafficking and prostitution.

In early 2022, just as the world began to reopen from COVID-19 lockdowns, Russia invaded Ukraine, sparking the worst conflict in Europe since World War II. As millions of displaced Ukrainians fled for their lives, Gerd and Deborah realized that refugees crossing into Poland were becoming prime targets for human traffickers.

Caught in the crossfire of political turmoil and prostitution rings, the couple faced a difficult decision: hide in the safety of their home or trust the Holy Spirit. Though they knew they couldn't save everyone, they refused to give in to the darkness around them. They drove to the Polish border, where, like a lighthouse, they guided weary travelers to safety in their tiny European car. Day after day, hour after hour, they transported refugees from the border to secure locations, fueled by the hope that God would multiply the work of their hands.

Do you have a testimony?
Visit our website at awmc.ca/testimonies to share it with us!





FESTIVAL OF NATIONS: Celebrating Unity in Diversity at Charis Toronto



On December 21st, Charis Bible College hosted its Festival of Nations, an extraordinary celebration of cultural diversity and unity in Christ. With 101 students representing **42 nations and cultures**, the event was a vivid showcase of the beauty of God's creation through diverse cuisines, traditional attire, and heartfelt prayers.

The festival featured ten cultural stations, with representations from North and South America, the Caribbean, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, South Asia, and Southeast Asia. Additionally, special stations were dedicated to **Israel and Native First Nations**, honouring their unique heritage and significance in God's covenant.

The day began with a powerful exhortation from Charis Toronto's leadership, emphasizing that while we come from different backgrounds, we



are united in **one Spirit**. Team leads led prayers over their respective continents, lifting petitions for transformation and revival. The event concluded with a heartfelt rendition of the Canadian National Anthem, followed by **worship** led by the Charis worship team—a true reflection of the **unity and diversity of the Body of Christ**.

Ready to Experience Charis Bible College?

If the Festival of Nations inspired you, and you're eager to be part of a community that celebrates both diversity and unity in Christ, now is the perfect time to explore Charis Bible College! Join us for our upcoming *Open House Event* on **February 8th** with Barry Bennett (live via Zoom).



Visit awmc.ca/events/open-house or Scan the **QR Code to Register!**

CHARIS BIBLE COLLEGE TORONTO: OPEN HOUSE

February 8, 2025 | 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM | Doors open at 9:00 AM
300 Steeprock Drive, North York, M3J 2X1
Guest Speaker: Barry Bennett (Live via Zoom)

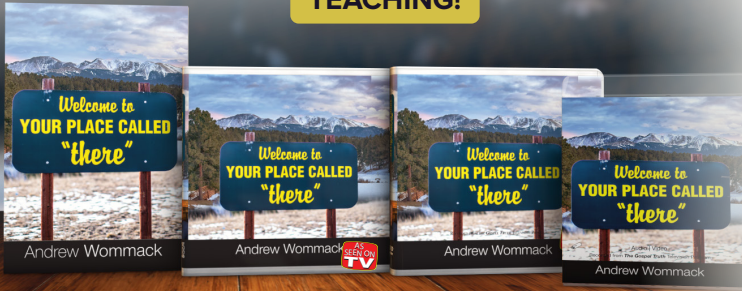
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**NEW
TEACHING!**



Are you feeling stuck, unsure about your next step, or questioning your purpose? In *Welcome to Your Place Called There*, Andrew Wommack highlights the importance of identifying the place where God has called you—where peace, provision, and purpose align. God has a specific place for you—now is the time to find it.

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**FEBRUARY
8**

**Charis Bible College:
Open House**
TORONTO, ON

Speaker: Barry Bennet (Live via Zoom)

**FEBRUARY
15**

**Radiate: Women's
Conference**
Toronto, ON

Speakers: Katherine Smith, Janice Jackson, Tannera Lindvall (Live via Zoom)

**MARCH
6-8**

Men's Advance
WOODLAND PARK, CO

Speakers: Andrew Wommack, Jesse Duplantis, Duane Sheriff, Billy Epperhart, and Mike Pickett

**MARCH
21**

Festival of Nations
WOODLAND PARK, CO

An event celebrating the advancement of God's kingdom

**MARCH
28-29**

Talita Musical
WOODLAND PARK, CO

**APRIL
8**

Grace & Faith Livestream Canada
ONLINE

Speakers: Andrew Wommack, Mike Pickett, Carrie Pickett, Katherine Smith

**MAY
10**

Campus Day
TORONTO, ON

Speaker: Ricky Burge (Live via Zoom)

**JULY
19**

Charis Day
TORONTO, ON

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