The Call – 3

Welcome to Pearl Family Church

At Pearl Family Church we are here to help you grow into everything God has created you to be as you discover that you are the pearl of great worth.

Matt. 13:45-46 (WNT) the Kingdom of the Heavens is like a jewel merchant who is in quest of choice pearls. He finds one most costly pearl; he goes away; and though it costs all he has, he buys it.

Songs

GOD SO GOOD Dameon Aranda, David Wellman, Stacey Tyler, Stephen Cole ©2018 Life.Church Worship

CHORUS 1

Oh my God so good You never give up You never give up on me Oh what joy I've found Because of Your love Because of Your love for me

VERSE 2

This freedom purchased by the highest price This grace outweighing all my shame I'm made new through the power of sacrifice From death now raised to life again

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VERSE 1

One more step, one more exhale As I follow where You lead Feel my heart as it's racing Down the path You set for me

CHORUS

I won't let the race overtake me
Won't let anxiety phase me
Whatever comes, count me in
Count me in [Here am I lord – send me!] (Is. 6:8).
Oh, even when my legs are weary
I'm not gonna give up that easy
Whatever comes, count me in
Count me in

• Now it's time to worship with our giving.

Rev. 21:21 And the twelve gates were twelve pearls; every several gate was of one pearl: and the street of the city was pure gold, as it were transparent glass.

Rev. 4:11 Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

Ps. 16:11 Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.

Leviticus 27:30 And all the tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land, or of the fruit of the tree, is the LORD's: it is holy unto the LORD.

Luke 6:38 Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.

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The Call - 3 - Prepare to activate

• The "anointed" call (Is. 61:1-3; Matt. 9:36-38; Luke 4:18-19: John 3:31-36 Message; Eph. 4:10-12).

Is. 61:1 The Spirit of the Lord GOD *is* upon me; because the LORD hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; he hath sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to *them that are* bound;

Is. 61:2 To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn:

Is. 61:3 To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of righteousness, the planting of the LORD, that he might be glorified.

Matt. 9:36 But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.

• The most Holy anointed office of a shepherd

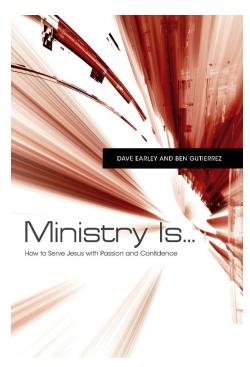
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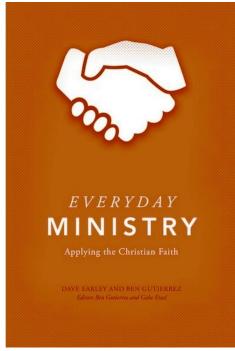
- **G2258** Imperfect (state) I exist, a destroyed state.
- **G4496** the idea of sudden *motion*); to *fling* (properly with a quick *toss*, thus differing from <u>G906</u>, (to slap) which denotes a *deliberate* hurl; and from), which indicates an *extended* projection); by qualification, to *deposit* (as if a load); by extension to *disperse:* cast (down, out), scatter abroad, throw (extra dung).
- **G4166** a *shepherd* (literally or figuratively): shepherd, pastor.

Matt. 5:48 Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

Eph. 4:13-15 Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ: That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive; But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ.

- Ministry Is . . . How to Serve Jesus with Passion and Confidence August 1, 2010 by Dave Earley, Ben Gutiérrez
- Everyday Ministry Applying the Christian Faith Dave Earley and Ben Gutierrez





Jesus was the Rock in the wilderness

1 Cor. 10:4 And did all drink the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ.

2 Chron. 16:9 For the eyes of the LORD run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him. Herein thou hast done foolishly: therefore from henceforth thou shalt have wars.

The Essentials of Ministry

#1 - Saying, "Here Am I. Send Me" - Dave Earley

• "Religion without relationship" is futile. God does not like fakes (Earley, 106).

"Seraphim were standing above Him; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew (Isa 6:2). (Earley, 106).

Seraphim were standing above Him. The beings closest to God are a special type of angels called "seraphim." The word seraphim is a Hebrew word meaning "burning ones." Why burning ones? God's holiness is a consuming fire (Heb 12:29). These seraphim are asbestos angels, burning constantly throughout eternity in the presence of a holy God:

And one called to another: Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of Hosts; His glory fills the whole earth (Isa 6:3). (Earley, 106).

"Holy, holy, holy." Those magnificent, glorious angels not only burn continuously in the presence of God and fly perpetually in the presence of God, but they also worship unceasingly in the presence of God. Their worship is in the form of a declaration that they cannot help but make. The essence of the One before them is so intense that the words are irresistibly drawn from their lips. "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; His glory fills the whole earth!" (Earley, 106-107).

"Holiness is a word that means "separation." God is absolutely separate from any and all sin. Through all eternity the only moment sin and God ever came together was on the cross when Jesus Christ took our sin on himself as he died for us. God's holiness gives God's love form and strength:

The foundations of the doorways shook at the sound of their voices, and the temple was filled with smoke (Isa 6:4). (Earley, 107).

The holiness of God is so intense that the seraphim do not quietly call out, "Holy, holy, holy." No, they bellow it out so loudly that heaven shakes under their thunderous song of worship. (Earley, 107).

Heb. 12:29 For our God is a consuming fire.

• Disobedient priests

Nadab and Abihu (Exod. 30:7–8; Lev. 9:6–10; 10)

Lev. 10:1 And Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the LORD, which he commanded them not.

Lev. 10:2 And there went out fire from the LORD, and devoured them, and they died before the LORD.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nadab_and_Abihu#:~:text=When%20Nadab%20and%20Abihu%20lit,from%20the%20sacred%20bronze%20altar.

• Step in – so He can energize you

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying: Who should I send? Who will go for Us? I said: Here I am. Send me (Isa 6:8). (Earley, 108).

"Here I Am. Send Me."

When Isaiah said the words, "Here I am," he was making a total commitment. He was literally saying, "Lord, here, take all of me. Here is my past, my present, and my future. I give you all of me - my dreams, my hopes, my aspirations. Here I am. Send me. I am available. Use me. Send me to turn Judah back to You. Send me to my people. Send me."

God did not hesitate. (Earley, 109).

God pours out his favor and power on those who are willing to go. You cannot truly be a follower of Jesus until you are willing to go. You are not truly *following* Jesus until you are intentionally *going* for Jesus. (Earley, 109).

Isaiah is not the only one God told to "go." Seven hundred years later, Jesus encountered a creepy, demonized man who lived in the cemetery. Jesus delivered the man from the demons, and the fellow wanted to travel with Jesus and the disciples. However, Jesus gave him a higher calling:

But He would not let him; instead, He told him, "Go back home to your own people, and **report** to them how much the Lord has done for you and how He has had mercy on you" (Mark 5:19, bold added for emphasis). (Earley, 110).

The last words Jesus gave his disciples of that age and all ages were essentially the same words God had given Isaiah—go and tell:

Then He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to the whole creation" (Mark 16:15, bold added for emphasis). (Earley, 110).

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. (Matt 28:19, bold added for emphasis). (Earley, 110).

Is. 6:8 Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.

• "pray the 'send me' prayer" (Earley, 111).

I walked into the hair salon and was given the only open chair. A wild-looking young lady put a sheet around my neck and asked me how I wanted my hair cut. Then we engaged in small talk. As we did, she asked me where I worked. (Earley, 111).

"I am the campus pastor of Liberty University."

"Oh my God!" she gasped. (I became worried at this point because she was holding scissors, and I was unarmed). (Earley, 111).

"I don't believe this!" she said, as she started to cry. "This morning as I got ready for work, I told God I would give him one last chance. If he did not send me a Christian to talk to today, I was going to end it all tonight." I guess this assignment was worth it after all! (Earley, 111).

What Now?

Get alone with God. <u>Tell him that you will go anywhere he wants you to go, do anything he asks you to do, and be anything he wants you to be</u>. (Earley, 111).

Everyday Ministry Is...

- 1. Getting a fresh vision of God.
- 2. Coming clean before God so we can hear his voice.
- 3. Responding to his call.

- 4. Living a life of saying and praying, "Here am I. Send me." (Earley, 112).
- **Rom. 11:29** For the gifts and calling of God are without repentance.
- Rom. 11:29 ESV For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable.
- <u>Spiritual Leadership is not an occupation. It is a calling</u> HENRY AND RICHARD BLACKABY. (Earley, 112).
 - #2 Responding to the Call of God Dave Earley (Earley, 114).

Rom. 8:14-15 For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father.

Rom. 8:14-15 BSB For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery that returns you to fear, but <u>you received the Spirit of sonship</u>, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!"

A son's heart worship

Rom. 12:1-2 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, *which is* your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what *is* that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

• Are you serious?

Gal. 2:20-21 I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me. I do not frustrate the grace of God: for if righteousness *come* by the law, then Christ is dead in vain.

• Help those who have been labeled as "extra dung"

Matt. 9:36 But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.

tap the raise hand tab if you prayed or are willing to receive Jesus as your Lord



• Jesus is the Way

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

• Jesus is the go-between

1 Tim. 2:5 For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;

Jesus is the Redeemer – to release you from your captivity

2 Tim. 2:26 ESV and they may come to their senses and escape from the snare of the devil, after being captured by him to do his will.

2 Tim. 2:26 YLT and they may awake out of the devil's snare, having been caught by him at his will.

• Jesus is God's Gift for you

Eph. 2:8-9 for by grace have ye been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, *it is* the gift of God; not of works, that no man should glory.

• Jesus is has Redeemed with His blood

Eph. 1:7 In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;

1 Pet. 1:18-19 Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot:

Rev. 5:9 And they sung a new song, saying, Thou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation;

• Your active part – align your heart with your mouth

Rom. 10:9-10 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

• Jesus is interceding for us

Rom. 8:34 Who is he that condemneth? It is Christ that died, yea rather, that is <u>risen again</u>, who is even at the right hand of God, <u>who also maketh intercession for us</u>.

Rev. 12:11 (ISV) Our brothers conquered him by the blood of the lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to their lives even in the face of death.

John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

• Come Home

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

• God has already demonstrated His love toward us

Rom. 5:8 ISV But God demonstrates his love for us by the fact that the Messiah died for us while we were still sinners.

• Jesus emptied Himself for you

Phil. 2:7-8 ESV but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

• Jesus became was the perfect sacrifice to restore your fellowship with God

Is. 53:4-5 Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

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Jesus is the resurrection, and the life

John 11:25-26 Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this?

• Jesus is your Comfort and will Guide you into all Truth

John 16:13-14 Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, *that* shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come. He shall glorify me: for he shall receive of mine, and shall shew *it* unto you

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2 Cor. 1:2-3 Grace be to you and peace from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort.

2 Cor. 5:17 Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

<u>This is your moment</u>. Pray where you hear it with your own ears and the whole church will pray together with you along – so now pray along with Pastor Dave...

"HEAVENLY FATHER, I COME TO YOU IN JESUS NAME. AND I BELIEVE WITH ALL MY HEART THAT JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD. HE DIED ON A CROSS TO BEAR MY SIN STAIN. AND I NOW OPEN THE DOOR OF MY HEART. I OPEN THE DOOR OF MY LIFE AND JESUS, I INVITE YOU IN. I RECIEVE YOU NOW JESUS TO BE MY SAVIOR AND TO BE MY LORD. THANK YOU FOR COMING. I'M NOW A CHILD OF GOD. AND MY SIN IS WASHED AWAY AND I'M HEAVEN BOUND. AND JESUS IS MY LORD, IN JESUS NAME, AMEN."

IF YOU HAVE PRAYED WITH ME, JESUS HAS COME INTO YOUR LIFE AND HE WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU OR FORSAKE YOU. FIND A GOOD CHURCH TO HEAR GOD'S WORD AND TO GROW SPIRITUALLY.

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