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MUSIC FOR OUR MAKER



**WANTED!**  
**Past Music Camp disciples,**  
**parents, staff, volunteers.**  
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*Words of  
Encouragement*  
by **Julie Dearham**



Whose Side Am I On? It is clear that Jesus will be coming very soon. Am I ready? How do I know if I am ready? Are these questions that you are asking yourself as you become aware of the events taking place currently in our world? The main question to be asked in order to determine the answer to this question is: Am I on the side of Satan or of Jesus?

“It is not necessary for us deliberately to choose the service of the kingdom of darkness in order to come under its dominion. We have only to neglect to ally ourselves with the kingdom of light. If we do not co-operate with the heavenly agencies, Satan will take possession of the heart, and will make it his abiding place. The only defence against evil is the indwelling of Christ in the heart through faith in His righteousness. Unless we become vitally connected with God, we can never resist the unhallowed effects of self-love, self-indulgence, and temptation to sin. We may leave off many bad habits, for the time we may part company with Satan; but without a vital connection with God, through the surrender of ourselves to Him moment by moment, we shall be overcome. Without a personal acquaintance with Christ, and a continual communion, we are at the mercy of the enemy, and shall do his bidding in the end.” The Desire of Ages 324.1

Is Christ dwelling in your heart? Are you vitally connected with God? Do you have a personal acquaintance and a continual communion with Jesus? This is what is essential in order to be found on the side God!

**How do I know if Christ is dwelling in my heart?** Surrender to Him moment by moment. **How do I surrender to Him?** Lay all your plans and desires down willingly at the feet of Jesus. Remember that He is in control of every situation. He knows what is best for you. Then rise up rejoicing to follow his plan and not your own.

## Baptism Congratulations



*to Caleb and Luke  
Hodgkinson who were  
baptised at the Harvey  
SDA church in Western  
Australia on the 5th  
September.*

I have written unto you young men because ye are strong, and the word of God abideth in you, and ye have overcome the wicked one... Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world... the world passes away, and the lust thereof; but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever. John 2:14-17



## Prayer

**Prayer is heaven's ordained means of success in the conflict with sin and the development of Christian character. .**

AA 564.1

- *Pray for another Music Camp soon and the planning and preparations of it.*
- *Prayer for more opportunities for each of us to share Jesus.*
- *Pray that each music camp disciple makes a firm commitment to God.*
- *Pray that the music videos that have been produced will reap a harvest for the kingdom of heaven.*
- *Please pray for the souls who have received the books distributed over the years that they begin reading them and find the PEACE above the storm of life.*

**Prayer Requests Welcome**

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**and/or Mr Higgins 0468 321 559**

How can I have a personal acquaintance and a continual communion with Jesus? Spend time with Him. Read the Bible. Talk to Him continuously. Tell Him your thoughts.

**Think of His love and faithfulness.  
Include Him in every aspect of your day.  
Remember that He is always present to help and encourage you.  
Make Him your Best Friend Forever!**

Now is the time to connect yourself personally with Jesus! Now is the time to allow Jesus to develop His character in you! Now is the time to surrender yourself to God so that you can resist the unhallowed effects of self-love, self-indulgence, and temptation to sin! Satan knows that his time is short. Do not allow his distractions to lure you away from Jesus so that he can take possession of your heart!

**Ask yourself these important questions:  
Who am I spending my time with?  
Whose plans am I following?  
Who am I working with?  
Is Jesus smiling upon me every moment?**

If you know that you are not personally acquainted with Jesus, if you know that you have not accepted Him as your Best Friend, if you have neglected to connect yourself with Jesus and Satan has taken possession of your heart, Jesus is calling you now to come to Him. He is asking you to accept His friendship and His plan for your life.

What is your answer to Him? JD



### *Continuing Campfire Sharing with Lyndell Scheman*

I am currently studying nursing and have a deep passion for health. As anyone who knows me will realise, I absolutely love studying about the human body God has created. I am also keen to learn how best to care for our bodies which are bought at such an immense price.

One day, as I was studying in preparation for a tutorial, I watched two videos showing real footage from cardiac arrest rescues. As I watched them, I was in absolute awe. Here were people on the brink of death that have now been saved! WOW! My heart pounded with excitement and immediately ensuing was a deep desire to save someone's life in this incredible way. I started to ponder on what a phenomenal privilege it would be to impact the life of one who is on the very verge of death. Then, it dawned upon me - all around this world are millions of lives, all on the brink of death, spiritual death. What am I doing to help save these dear lives? How much greater a privilege would it be to see someone in heaven because of the power of God working in our lives, pointing them to our dear Saviour, than merely helping to save a physical life. God has entrusted to us a with a great responsibility - to work in cooperation with Him to seek and save the lost. WOW! What a high calling. Oh, may we have a greater love for souls. May our lives be so closely connected with God that we can help lead others to Him. This is the ultimate privilege! Who else has this desire?

Oh friends, may we put aside all sin, all the pleasures of this dark world, give up all our selfish desires and humbly consecrate our lives to the Giver of all life - our Lord and Saviour. May our prayer be "sever any tie - save the tie that binds me to Thy heart." May we all seek to save the lives of our brethren who are lost in this dark work - point them to our Precious Saviour, who gave his life to save us.  
Lyndell

*"Jesus said, and none need feel that there is no place where they can labor for Him. Millions upon millions of human souls ready to perish, bound in chains of ignorance and sin, have never so much as heard of Christ's love for them. Were our condition and theirs to be reversed, what would we desire them to do for us? All this, so far as lies in our power, we are under the most solemn obligation to do for them. Christ's rule of life, by which every one of us must stand or fall in the judgment, is, "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them." Matthew 7:12. - {DA 640.3}"*

*"The redeemed will meet and recognize those whose attention they have directed to the uplifted Saviour. What blessed converse they will have with these souls! "I was a sinner," it will be said, "without God and without hope in the world; and you came to me, and drew my attention to the precious Saviour as my only hope. And I believed in Him. I repented of my sins, and was made to sit together with His saints in heavenly places in Christ Jesus. {6T 311.1}"*

### **A Promise 4 U**



**"Commit thy works unto the LORD and thy thoughts shall be established.**

**O LORD, how great are thy works! and thy thoughts are very deep.**

**Proverbs 16:3; Psalms 92:5**



*Choose the Faith Book  
not Facebook*





share a testimony ...

tell us what God has done for you.

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## WANTED

"Men [and women] of courage are wanted now; ... who will watch unto prayer, and whose prayers will be mingled with living, active faith."

GW 92 436

Please contact Christine Godfrey 0415791790 if you'd like to be a part of a prayer team that will pray together on a regular basis for all music camp disciples.

We live in fearful times where each young person is a determined target for the evil one.

*As music camp is designed to draw young people to Christ so our prayer sessions are designed to keep them in Christ.*

**IF YOU'VE BEEN BAPTISM  
THIS PAST YEAR PLEASE  
SEND IN DETAILS AND A  
PIC. WE'D LOVE TO  
INCLUDE IT AS IT WILL BE A  
GREAT ENCOURAGEMENT  
TO OTHERS.**

*Those who accept Christ as their personal Saviour are not left as orphans, to bear the trials of life alone. He receives them as members of the heavenly family; He bids them call His Father their Father. They are His "little ones," dear to the heart of God, bound to Him by the most tender and abiding ties. He has toward them an exceeding tenderness, as far surpassing what our father or mother has felt toward us in our helplessness as the divine is above the human. . DA 327.2*

