

God in MyspacE...

Pushing Back Darkness



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It's Dark Outside

Genesis 15:1-6

2-3 Abram said, "God, Master, what use are your gifts as long as I'm childless and Eliezer of Damascus is going to inherit everything?" Abram continued, "See, you've given me no children, and now a mere house servant is going to get it all." (*The Problem*)

What about Myspace?

What is Myspace?

It's a popular social networking site that allows you to share your life and connect with people all over the world.

It represents a small glimpse of your life. If I asked you what's going on in your life you could only give me a glimpse (good, bad, challenges, problems)

Darkness All Around Us

Child sacrifice - death by modern culture.
Busy schedules, rebellion.

Abuse - of children, spouses, corporate
privileges, finances

Perverse Sexuality - child porn, adultery,
fornication, homosexuality. Sex on
demand is the norm.

How Do I Live in Darkness?

Do I live to lie...or live by TRUTH?

Do I do a little...or give my ALL?

Do I settle for less...or strive for the BEST?

Do I fall back...or do I pursue with POWER?

Do I hear the word...but don't live it FULLY?

If we want to occupy and walk in the King's
Dominion...we *must* push back the darkness!

Get God's Vision

God told Abram,

"Don't be afraid, Abram. I'm your shield. Your reward will be grand!" (v1)

Then God's message came: "Don't worry, he won't be your heir; a son from your body will be your heir." (v4)

Then God took him outside and said, "Look at the sky. Count the stars. Can you do it? Count your descendants! You're going to have a big family, Abram!" (v5)

God Gives Vision

HE GIVES LIFE

HE GIVES CREATIVE BUSINESS IDEAS

**HE GIVES SONGS THAT WILL CHANGE
LIVES (NOT DESTROY THEM)**

HE GIVES IMAGES, DESIGNS, STORIES

**HE GIVES A VISION FOR SUCCESS IN
SPITE OF OBSTACLES**

HE GIVES HOPE

Believe His Vision

A challenge for us all!

You must accept His vision, the “*God said*” for your life.

**And he believed God! God declared him
“set right with God”**

**When he believed he was consumed in
GOD’S SPACE.**

Live Out the Vision

God took him to the darkness and told him to focus on the light (stars). It's in the book!

Your ability to focus on the light will determine your ability to possess the promise.

Push Back Darkness...

Life is more than

- the boyfriend, girlfriend thing,
- the play and party thing,
- the “have my way or get out of my way” thing...

Kingdom life is walking in the light.

What Did God Say....

SICKNESS (Prov. 18:14)

DEPRESSION (Rom. 13:14)

TEMPTATION (Deut. 6:18)

DIVISION

WICKEDNESS

When God Is In Myspace...

It doesn't matter who's on your friends list

It doesn't matter what they say or do

It doesn't matter where you are from

It doesn't matter how old you are

It doesn't matter what color you are

When **God** is in your space...darkness flees!

Sin can't live in MYSPACE!

Live in the Light!!!

