

BIG GOD, BIG LIFE

I have no doubt that you know we're serving a BIG GOD, who desires for us to live a BIG LIFE.

What does it mean to live a BIG LIFE? For the Israelites following God and Moses, it meant that they had to leave where they were to go into the Promised Land.

Deut 1:6 "When we were at Mount Sinai, the LORD our God said to us, 'You have stayed at this mountain long enough. 7 It is time to break camp and move on. Go to the hill country of the Amorites and to all the neighbouring regions -- the Jordan Valley, the hill country, the western foothills, the Negev, and the coastal plain. Go to the land of the Canaanites and to Lebanon, and all the way to the great Euphrates River. 8 I am giving all this land to you! Go in and occupy it, for it is the land the LORD swore to give to your ancestors Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, and to all their descendants.'

How often don't we think that the Promised Land will be free of any "danger, toils and snares?" The Israelites, God's people, discovered that the road was long and tedious. That, even though they were promised the Land, they had to fight for it. We, the Spiritual Israel, will discover that too.

Living a BIG LIFE means that we will have to face the GIANTS that come up against us. We can't simply roll over and die.

To develop the capacity to live a BIG LIFE, you need a measure of FAITH. Faith will sustain you in times of spiritual drought.

You also need fortitude. Courage in adversity. Nobody has ever done anything worthwhile without having courage. The tenacity to hang in there in spite of things going wrong. BIG LIFE people are people that never give up the fight.

"The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy."

Martin Luther King, Jr.

I'll be away till the 27th March. God has allowed me to be invited to an International Missions Conference in the USA.

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WELCOMES YOU

MORNING SERVICE

9h30

EVENING SERVICE

18h00

WEDNESDAY 2

Prayer Celebration
19h00 - 20h00

SUNDAY EVENINGS

ON LOCATION
with ANDY STANLEY
6 March: Head Count
13 March: Being There
20 March: Shine
27 March: Road Trip

WOMEN OF HOPE

Bible Study
Every Thursday
09h45 - 11h00
18h45 - 20h00

MENS PRAYER GROUP

Every Thursday Morning
6h00-6h30

WOMEN OF HOPE

HIGH TEA

Saturday 12 March
14h00-16h00

SUNDAY 27

Guest Speaker: Ester Watson
09h30

EASTERFEST FUND RAISING DATES

13 March Pan Cake Sale
27 March Boerewors Rolls



For more info contact Kyle House

MARCH 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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We congratulate
Kyle and Sharon
on their wedding
on Sat 5 March

YOUTH MEETS EVERY FRIDAY 19h00

SUNDAY 6 & 20

Protea Park 12h30 - 14h30

PREFERRED FUTURE

SATURDAY 26
In Protea Park
9h00-12h00



Sunday
@ 09h30
in the Kidz Centre