

**Title : Extravagant stones**

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## **We are living stones**

**1 Peter 2:4-5 NKJV** Coming to Him as to a living stone, rejected indeed by men, but chosen by God and precious, you also, as living stones, are being built up a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ

# The Living ones

You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. – 1 Peter 2:5



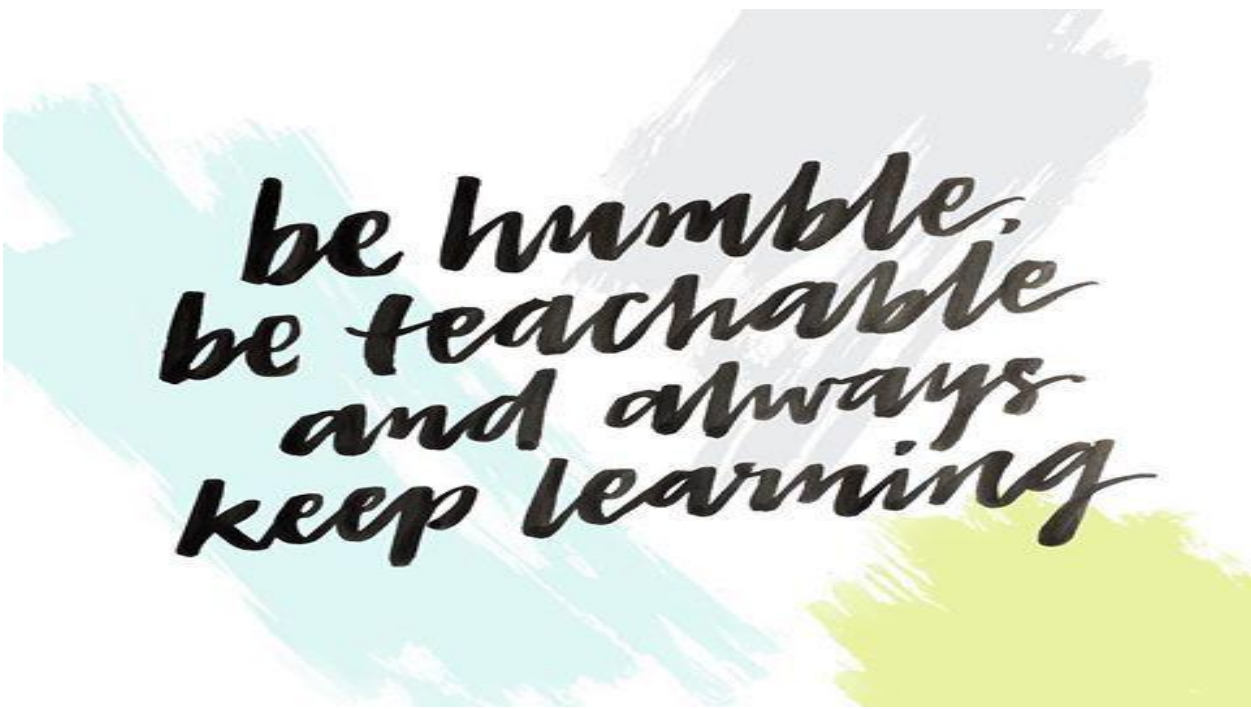


Commit to living and growing  
as a disciple

## *Living Stones*

The unseen is a priority for God

**Isaiah 66:2 ESV** <sup>2</sup> All these things my hand has made, and so all these things came to be, declares the Lord . But this is the one to whom I will look: he who is humble and contrite in spirit and trembles at my word.



*be humble.  
be teachable  
and always  
keep learning*

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WE DO NOT USE OTHERS TO BENEFIT OURSELVES,  
WE OFFER OURSELVES TO BENEFIT OTHERS...  
TO HELP THEM SEE AND BECOME ALL THAT GOD  
HAS CREATED AND CALLED THEM TO BE.

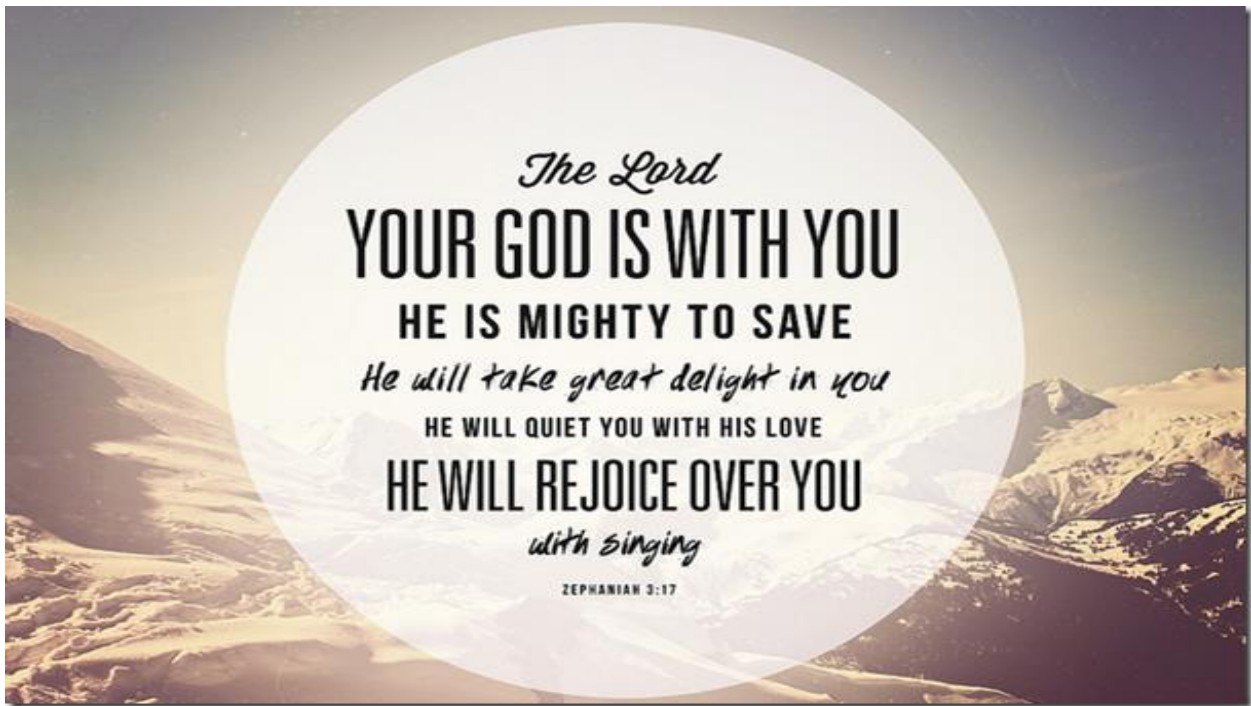
#HUMILITY

## 1. A house of spirit-filled worship

**Psalms 22:1-3 ESV** <sup>1</sup> My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far from saving me, from the words of my groaning? O my God, I cry by day, but you do not answer, and by night, but I find no rest. Yet you are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel.

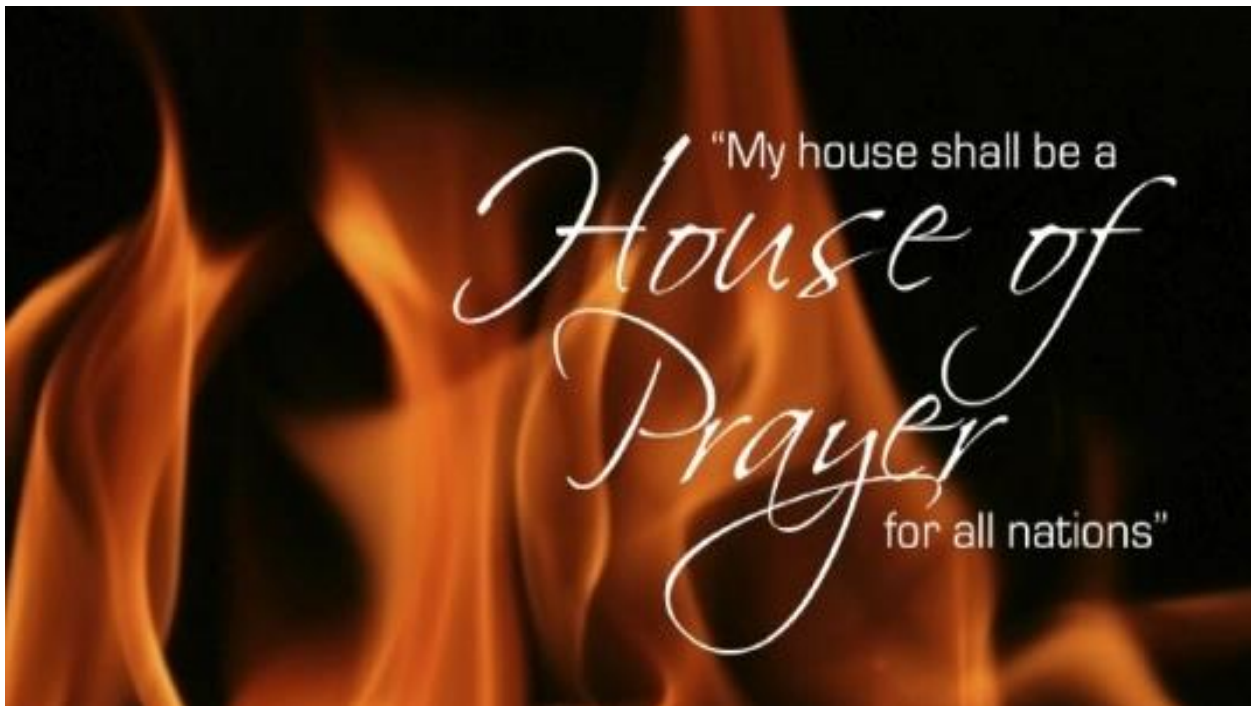


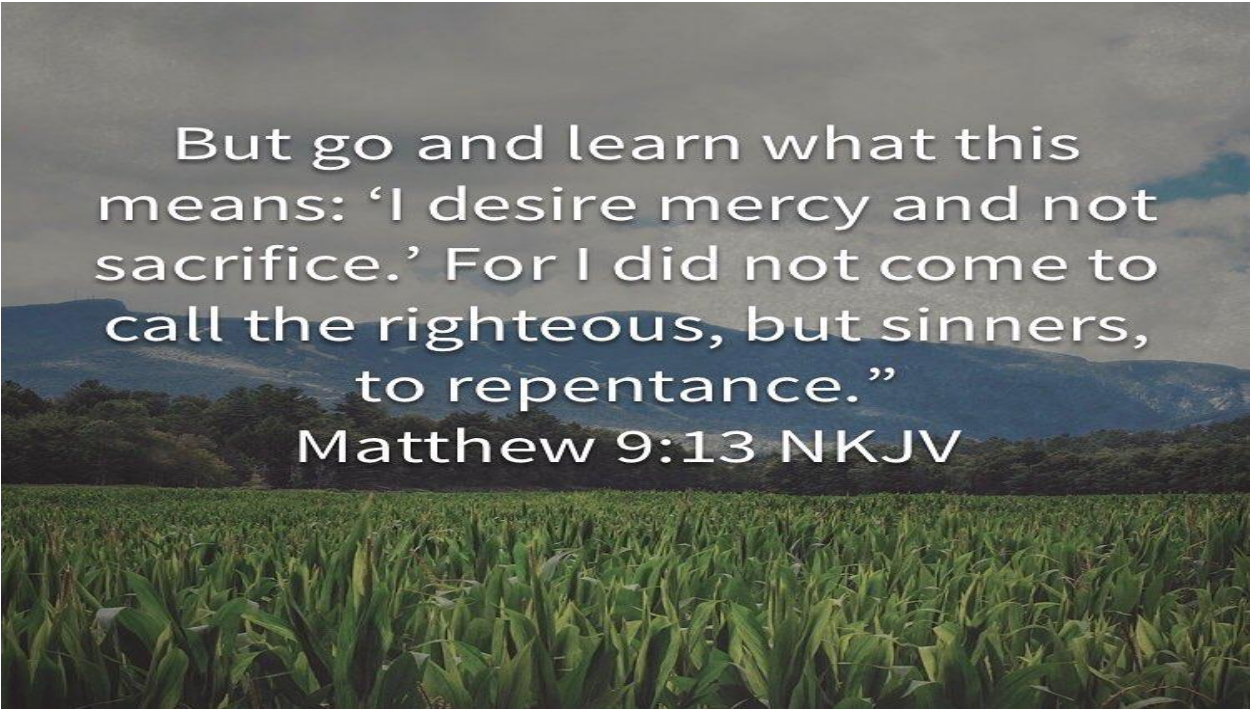




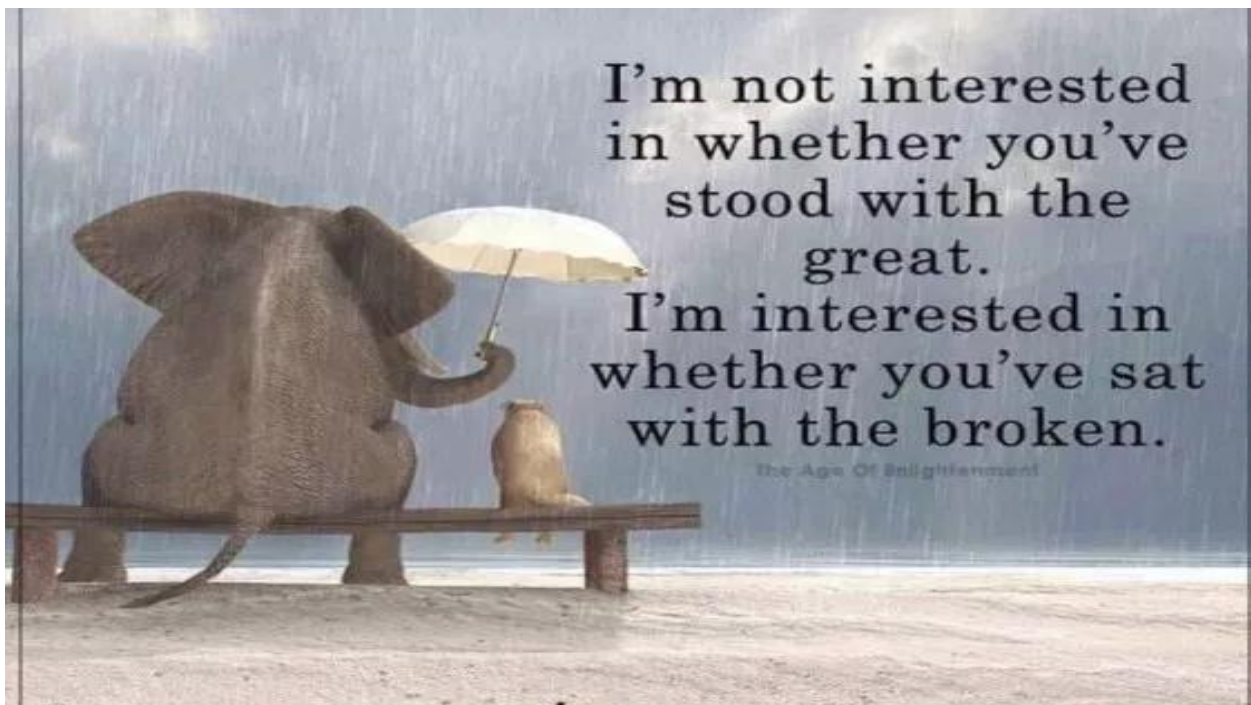
## 2. A house of passionate prayer

**Isaiah 56:7 NKJV** <sup>7</sup> Even them I will bring to My holy mountain, And make them joyful in My house of prayer. Their burnt offerings and their sacrifices Will be accepted on My altar; For My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations."





But go and learn what this means: 'I desire mercy and not sacrifice.' For I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance."  
Matthew 9:13 NKJV



#### 4. A house of extravagant giving

**1 Chronicles 29:1 ESV** <sup>1</sup> And David the king said to all the assembly, "Solomon my son, whom alone God has chosen, is young and inexperienced, and the work is great, for the palace will not be for man but for the Lord God. <sup>3</sup>So I have provided for the house of my God, so far as I was able, the gold for the things of gold, the silver for the things of silver, and the bronze for the things of bronze, the iron for the things of iron, and wood for the things of wood, besides great quantities of onyx and stones for setting, antimony, colored stones, all sorts of precious stones and marble. Moreover, in addition to all that I have provided for the holy house, I have a treasure of my own of gold and silver, and because of my devotion to the house of my God I give it to the house of my God: and for all the work to be done by craftsmen, gold for the things of gold and silver for the things of silver. Who then will offer willingly, consecrating himself today to the Lord?" Then the leaders of fathers' houses made their freewill offerings, as did also the leaders of the tribes, the commanders of thousands and of hundreds, and the officers over the king's work.

- invests in future generations.

- builds for God's greatness.
- does not see a difference between holy and personal and willingly gives.

Is your heart part of the wall of provision  
lives?