



Life Line



SUCCESS GOD'S WAY

Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth: meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it.

Then you will be prosperous and successful. (Joshua 1:8)

Everyone desires to be “prosperous and successful.” How good to know that God desires prosperity and success for His children. But we must be careful that we define prosperity and success as God defines those terms.

For Joshua and the Israelites, prosperity and success entailed possessing the Land of promise. Many military battles lay ahead before they would occupy the land which the Lord promised to them. But victory was assured if they would “be careful to do everything written in the Book of the Law” of God. For the Israelites, the Book of the Law was the revelation of God’s will and ways for His people given by the Lord to Moses; that is, the Old Testament books of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy. For us, the Book of the Law is the entire canon of 66 books of the Holy Bible.

Success, as God defines it, is found in obeying the commands and precepts of Holy Scripture. The Word of God reveals the will of God. To embrace the will of God is to experience authentic success and spiritual prosperity.

The key to knowing and doing God’s will is found in meditation on the Word of God. We are to immerse ourselves in God’s Word so that our instinctive reflex is to obey God at all times. However, only as we commit God’s Word to memory will we be able to “meditate on it day and night.” Therefore, let us continue to hide God’s Word in our memory bank.

Pray for the following needs in the life of SHBC:

Julia Woods’ and **Joe Colonna’s** grandmother, Maria Colonna, passed away on March 25th.

Kamie Manzie is scheduled for a C-section on March 26th.

Bianca Blake is grieving the loss of her uncle Sal who passed away on March 21st.

Alex Grillo’s mother is in pain and is unable to eat due to her gall bladder issue. Her surgery is scheduled for April 27th.

Elisabeta Nemes is in Memorial Hospital waiting to be transferred to a room. Besides waiting for a kidney, she is on antibiotics due to a badly infected toe and a blockage in her artery.

Pat Pinkerton is at a Melbourne hospital due to a high heart rate.

John Newberry is scheduled for a biopsy on April 1st.

Bob Moneypenny will need to have a procedure on his bladder.

Nancy Kurosky is waiting to receive the results from a guided needle aspiration procedure. She is scheduled for surgery on July 12th.

Charlotte Poer is still seeking in-home care. Church members are encouraged to visit Charlotte to keep her company and make sure she is eating. Bringing food is an option and greatly appreciated.

Pregnant mothers:

Cristina Smith, Daniela Aponte, Kiana Ovalle, Danae Rojas, and Taniesha Adderley

The Nation of Israel

When you pray for someone’s health, remember to pray also for God to sustain and strengthen his or her faith.

Marie Arias, Bernita Blanton, Sheila Burt, Bette Campbell, Ted & Robin Copella, Carlitos Estrada, Jerry Hackett, Esau Jaggernauth, Jean Manning, Meryl McQuaig, Bob & Carol Moneypenny, Elisabeta Nemes, Charlotte Poer, Verona Plummer, Andrew Santiago, and Carol Stephenson.

Pray for SHBC Missionaries

CENTRAL ASIAN PEOPLES

Scott & Dawn P.

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Mark & Cathy K.

Kimberly G., Blanca J.

EAST ASIAN PEOPLE

**Saul & Alison Kes
Tony & Kalyn S.**

AFRICAN PEOPLES

Matthias & Karin