

Mother's Day...with Sheryl

- The Call
- The Conflict
- The Covenant

- **Eph 1:3-5**

3 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.

4 For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love

5 he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will--

**6 to the praise of his glorious grace,
which he has freely given us in the One he
loves.**

**7 In him we have redemption through his
blood, the forgiveness of sins, in
accordance with the riches of God's grace**

**8 that he lavished on us with all wisdom
and understanding.**

Ps 139:1-6

1 O LORD, you have searched me and you know me.

2 You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar.

3 You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways.

4 Before a word is on my tongue you know it completely, O LORD.

5 You hem me in-- behind and before; you have laid your hand upon me.

6 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to attain.

Ps 139:13-18

13 For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb.

14 I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well.

15 My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth,

**16 your eyes saw my unformed body.
All the days ordained for me were
written in your book before one of
them came to be.**

**17 How precious to me are your
thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum
of them!**

**18 Were I to count them, they would
outnumber the grains of sand. When I
awake, I am still with you.**

Heb 11:7 Noah

7 By faith Noah, when warned about things not yet seen, in holy fear built an ark to save his family. By his faith he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.

Heb 11:8 Abraham

8 By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going.

Heb 11:23 Moses

23 By faith Moses' parents hid him for three months after he was born, because they saw he was no ordinary child, and they were not afraid of the king's edict.

- We seek out those to whom we can relate.

- Age
 - Gift Mix
 - Interests
 - Children
- Education
 - Experience
 - Income
 - Family Needs



- More ways to relate:

- Physical Fitness

Church

- Health

Vision

- Moral Standards

Calling

- Generations

Gen 4:6-7

6 Then the LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast?"

7 If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must master it."

James 4:1-3

1 What causes fights and quarrels among you? Don't they come from your desires that battle within you?

2 You want something but don't get it. You kill and covet, but you cannot have what you want. You quarrel and fight. You do not have, because you do not ask God.

3 When you ask, you do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, that you may spend what you get on your pleasures.

Isa 42:6-7

6 "I, the LORD, have called you in righteousness; I will take hold of your hand. I will keep you and will make you to be a covenant for the people and a light for the Gentiles,

7 to open eyes that are blind, to free captives from prison and to release from the dungeon those who sit in darkness.

Ps 139:7

**7 Where can I go from your Spirit?
Where can I flee from your presence?**

**8 If I go up to the heavens, you are there;
if I make my bed in the depths,
you are there.**

**9 If I rise on the wings of the dawn,
if I settle on the far side of the sea,**

**10 even there your hand will guide me,
your right hand will hold me fast.**

Rev 3:7-10

7 "To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: These are the words of him who is holy and true, who holds the key of David. What he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open.

8 I know your deeds. See, I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. I know that you have little strength, yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name.

9 I will make those who are of the synagogue of Satan, who claim to be Jews though they are not, but are liars-- I will make them come and fall down at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you.

10 Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come upon the whole world to test those who live on the earth.