

## Life Without God is Hard !!

Hebrews 13:5-6 AMPC Let your character or moral disposition be free from love of money [including greed, avarice, lust, and craving for earthly possessions] and be satisfied with your present [circumstances and with what you have]; for He [God] Himself has said, I will not in any way fail you nor give you up nor leave you without support. [I will] not, [I will] not, [I will] not in any degree leave you helpless nor forsake nor let [you] down ( relax My hold on you)! [Assuredly not!] [6] So we take comfort and are encouraged and confidently and boldly say, The Lord is my Helper; I will not be seized with alarm [I will not fear or dread or be terrified]. What can man do to me?

In these verses we see that when man is not seeking God and His support, they will be seeking the natural riches of this world to take care of themselves. We must not replace God with this world and its wealth. Money is neither good or evil, but it can be used for either one. Money is a lousy god. God wants us to always know that His love and support is always there for us when we put Him first in our lives.

Matthew 6:33-34 AMPC But seek (aim at and strive after) first of all His kingdom and His righteousness (His way of doing and being right), and then all these things taken together will be given you besides. [34] So do not worry or be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will have worries and anxieties of its own. Sufficient for each day is its own trouble.

Matthew 6:24-25 AMPC No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will stand by and be devoted to the one and despise and be against the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (deceitful riches, money, possessions, or whatever is trusted in). [25] Therefore I tell you, stop being perpetually uneasy (anxious and worried) about your life, what you shall eat or what you shall drink; or about your body, what you shall put on. Is not life greater [in quality] than food, and the body [far above and more excellent] than clothing?

We are living in trying times. If we allow God to be our major base of support, no matter what happens in this present evil world, it will not shake us. God's desire is that all of His children be completely taken care of. If you look at the way God created man in the beginning, He didn't create them in a desert; He created them in a beautiful garden with all of the provisions that they would ever need. God wants the same for His children today, but we must believe that He will support us as we seek and do His will.

The devil is trying to get us to not trust our Heavenly Father. If this occurs, it is a natural thing for us to turn to our own natural power to try to survive.

Proverbs 3:5-6 AMPC Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with all your heart and mind and do not rely on your own insight or understanding. [6] In all your ways know, recognize, and acknowledge Him, and He will direct and make straight and plain your paths.

As I close today, let me say it one more time. We must seek the Lord and His support

and strength, if we are going to make it in this world. I encourage you today, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might.

Ephesians 6:10 AMPC In conclusion, be strong in the Lord [be empowered through your union with Him]; draw your strength from Him [that strength which His boundless might provides].

Love you, and I'm praying for you,  
Pastor Paul  
This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday	Romans chapter 9
Tuesday	Romans chapter 10
Wednesday	Romans chapter 11
Thursday	Romans chapter 12
Friday	Romans chapter 13
Saturday	Romans chapter 14
Sunday	Romans chapter 15

\*Upcoming Events

1. Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon - Fri 10-11am
2. Mobile Prayer: Wednesdays 1:30-3pm 11th & Lee; Fridays 1:30-3pm Sam's Warehouse
3. Noonday Bible Study: In the Sanctuary and live on KJRF 91.1fm & streaming live on TCC  
app.12:15-1pm Mon-Fri
4. Baptisms: Sunday at end of Services
5. Service: Sunday 10:45am and Wednesday 7pm in the Sanctuary. We will also be streaming live on the TCC app. (Instructions below on how to get the app)
6. Children's Church & Youth: Will be starting again in February
7. Dr. Mark Barclay: Will be at the Duncan Christian Center 7pm Sat. February 27, then at the Lawton Christian Center Sunday February 28 at 10:45am
8. Men's Fellowship: Saturday 9am at Golden Corral
9. Crosses at the Corner: Saturday 12-1pm

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\*\*Use this link for The Christian Center app - - <http://bgw1.itexttoday.com/apps/2323/8833/indexm.html>

\*\* Here is a list of the many gatherings we have for you to get together and fellowship with your brothers and sisters. Please take advantage of them, and you will bless

yourself and others also.

Sundays: Services 10:45am

Adult, Youth, and Children classes: Presently postponed

Faith Class: -----Michael Whitley

Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul

Foundation 2 Class: ---Mike Wiggins

Healing Class: -----Lester/Monica Witherspoon

Marriage Class:-----Danny/Demetrius Williams

Prayer Class: -----Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade

Youth Services: -----Lucas/Cyndi Moore

Young Singles/College & Career-Eliav/Kim Nash

Daily. \* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am

\* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

\* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 10-11am in the Gym

Weekly \* Sunday Services: 10:45am

\*Wednesday night 7pm

\* Mobile Prayer: Wednesdays 1:30-3pm 11th & Lee; Fridays

1:30-3pm Sam's Warehouse

Monthly \* Men's Meeting: 9am 1st Saturday of each month at Golden Corral

\* Crosses at the Corner: 11am-1pm 1st and 3rd Saturdays corner of

Sheridan and Cache Rd.

\* Women's Meeting: Postponed

\* Horse Ministry: 1-3pm 3rd Saturday of each month