

Help Wanted! Skilled labor!

“You, LORD, give perfect peace to those who keep their purpose firm and put their trust in you.”

Isaiah 26:3 Good News Translation (GNT)

My goal is God’s desire for his church; to nurture and mature the congregation. In order to do this, there is a strategy based on truth and promise. When we follow the Biblical blueprint for the church as set forth by Jesus, to go into the world to preach the Gospel, to teach and to baptize them, the end result will be people reaching people and God being glorified.

God has a standard by which He measures righteousness. As it was in the days of Lot in Sodom and Gomorrah, so shall it be at the coming of the Son of Man. If I did not love you, I would go along with you. To love means that a rebuke must come in order to set precedence of what is the will of our Lord.

Fifty percent of all prisoners in America are black men. This would suggest that something is missing in the black communities across America. This also suggests that the ethical and moral code of our families continues to be tampered with by an agenda that has been the destruction of families since the removal of prayer from the public arena. During the 1960’s thru the 1970’s the church continued to be the center of our communities, but less than twenty years later, it seemed as if we just didn’t give a damn. This observation will offend many of you because the reality is that we have seemingly forgotten why we are here today.

God is looking for skilled labor in all of us. Period. Skilled labor. The truth suggests that we have much work to do, but attitudes suggest that we aren’t interested in our families becoming better, but only prosperous in the things of the world. Our church is not a club, but God’s gift to the world. You, the church, are God’s gift to the world. Why then are we not more interested in saving souls than building a god of our church for the world to boast about? The world is lost, and we just don’t care. The proof is the lack of skilled labor.

The plan of attack is strategic, and anyone who desires to grow will grow. The worse thing that we can do at the end of the day is to think that we have done all that we could to please God. God examines our lives by the quality of service that we give to each other, rather than the quantity. We are not speaking this in the church and our communities are suffering because of it. Those fifty percent of black men in prison came from our communities, but we weren’t interested in acquiring the skills necessary to pray for them before they entered the system and binding the enemy to keep them out of it. We criticize each other and fight over trivial matters while our sons and daughters are failing in school and slowly becoming the new candidates for the world system. Are you tired yet? No you aren’t. If you were, you would invest time in becoming skilled. The pimp, prostitute, drug dealer, and whoremonger is not only on the street, but in the church. The only difference is, we cover it up with suits, dresses, and hats. What are you going to do? Are you mad at me or are you mad at the devil? Skilled labor means informed labor. God gives man the information needed to overcome the enemy. When this one fact is overlooked, man will never operate proficiently, but incompetently.