

**经节：耶和华的使者从荆棘里火焰中向摩西显现。摩西观看，不料，荆棘被火烧着，却没有烧毁。摩西说：「我要过去看这大异象，这荆棘为何没有坏呢？」耶和华中他过去要看，就从荆棘里呼叫说：「摩西！摩西！」他说：「我在这里。」**

**（出埃及记三章2-4节）**

当摩西正要办完当天的例行公事时，他看见一株着火的荆棘。在当地，这是很普通的景象，但摩西注意到一些古怪的现象。虽然荆棘被火烧着，却没有烧毁。摩西想要走过去瞧个仔细。当神看到摩西搁置当天的例行公事时，祂开口对他说话。神在摩西身上过去四十个年头的带领，在此时此刻达到高潮。神的救赎计划等待摩西在平凡中去发觉它的非凡。

有时当你埋首于日常生活琐事时，你可能会忽略身边不平凡的事物。你可能正处于一个稀松平常的时刻，然而，就在此时你被神的同在所充满。也许你在繁忙的日程中，注意到非常特殊的事物。你第一个反应可能是：「我太累了，实在不想去搞清楚怎么回事！」或者是：「我不想被它搅乱我平静的生活。」但也许此时此刻就是你遇见神的一次独特机会。

神通常在你生活中一个司空见惯的场合对你说话，这往往不是你在教会敬拜神的时候。许多遇见神改变历史的际遇，是发生在生命中一段平凡的时刻。如果你在世俗平凡之处看到不平凡，千万不要继续埋首于日常生活的例行公事。也许这就是神计划好，要改变你和旁人生命的时刻！

### **The Extraordinary in the Midst of the Ordinary**

*And the Angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire from the midst of a bush. So he looked, and behold, the bush was burning with fire, but the bush was not consumed. Then Moses said, I will now turn aside and see this great sight, why the bush does not burn. So when the Lord saw that he turned aside to look, God called to him from the midst of the bush and said, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." Exodus 3:2-4*

Moses was going through the routine of his day when he noticed an ordinary thing: a burning bush. Moses also noticed something extraordinary. Although the bush was burning, it was not consumed. Moses turned aside to look more closely. When the Lord saw Moses turning aside from the routine of his day, He spoke to him. Everything God had been doing for forty years in Moses' life was culminating in this moment. So much of God's redemptive plan waited for Moses to notice the uncommon in the midst of the common.

There will be times when, immersed in the ordinary details of life, you may be oblivious to the extraordinary that is right next to you. You can be in the midst of a common moment, only this time the activity is filled with the presence of God. There may be times when, in the middle of your harried day, you notice something unusual. Your first reaction might be "I'm too tired to go aside to investigate this!" or "I'm not going to disrupt my life for this." Yet, in that moment you may have the opportunity for a unique encounter with God.

God usually speaks out of the ordinary experiences of life. Often, it is not while you are worshipping at church. Many of God's most profound and history-changing encounters come during the ordinary experiences of life. When you see the unusual in the midst of the mundane, don't continue business as usual. It may be that God has ordained that moment to be a life-changing time for you and those around you.

3月7日（星期一）－标题：**圣灵将你安置在何处？**

**经文：圣灵显在各人身上，是叫人得益处。（哥林多前书十二章7节）**

当你重生的那一刻，你接受了圣灵。圣灵是个礼物。神没有给你一些东西，神把自己给了你。圣灵就是神自己。当祂藉着你活出祂自己的生命，你有全能的神在你的心里，完成祂自己的计划。圣灵会藉着祂的生命显明祂自己，不只是为了你个人的好处，更是为了你周遭人的好处。

圣灵可能领你参加一个教会，祂可以藉着你帮助这教会的每个人（哥林多前书十二：18）。神并没有要你在教会作个旁观者。圣灵在教会身体中交给你一个使命，祂会以自己的同在装备你，来完成这个任务。

在旧约时代，神交给祂的仆人一些特别的使命，并且把圣灵放到他们心中，好让他们能够完成使命。在新约时代，神使每位信徒都成为教会肢体的重要部分。祂将圣灵安置于每位信徒的心里，藉着信徒彰显祂自己，鼓励及装备其它的教会肢体。这由神而来的托付，是多么令人兴奋！今日圣灵装备信徒，因为祂对每个仆人都赋予一项使命。

圣灵如何彰显在你的生活中，使你周遭的人因你得福？神已经给予你足够的装备，去教化教会的肢体。如果你让圣灵在你身上自由运行，其他人将因你得福。

### **Where Has the Spirit Placed You?**

***But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all.***

***1 Corinthians 12:7***

The moment you are born again you receive the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the gift. God doesn't give you some *thing*, He gives you *Himself*. The Holy Spirit is God. As He lives out His life through you, you have almighty God dwelling within you, carrying out His purposes. The Spirit will manifest Himself through your life, not for your good alone, but for the benefit of those around you.

The Spirit will lead you to a church body where He can minister through you to each person in that body (1 Cor. 12:18). God does not add you to a church body so you can be an observer. The Spirit has an assignment for you within the body, and He will equip you by His presence for this work.

In the Old Testament, God gave specific assignments to His servants and then placed His Spirit upon them to enable them to accomplish their work. In the New Testament, God placed each member as a vital part of a living body. He placed His Spirit within each believer and manifested Himself through the believer to encourage and equip every other member of the body. What an exciting commission from God! Today the Holy Spirit equips believers because He has given each of His servants a task.

How is the presence of the Holy Spirit in your life benefiting those around you? God has equipped you with exactly what is needed for the edification of the body in which He has placed you. If you allow the Holy Spirit to work freely within you, others will be blessed as a result.

3月12日（星期六）－标题：**我的道路非同你们的道路**

**经文：耶和華說：我的意念非同你们的意念；我的道路非同你们的道路。天怎样高过地，照样，我的道路高过你们的道路；我的意念高过你们的意念。（以赛亚书五十五章8—9节）**

神很少照着我们心里认为应该怎么做的方式去行事。我们的问题是喜欢猜测神的心意，然后下结论说：「喔！现在我知道神要怎么做！」当摩西知道神要救希伯来百姓脱离埃及的控制，他犯了同样的错误。神告诉摩西祂会使法老的心刚硬。然而，结果却出乎摩西的预料。法老王不但没有放希伯来人走，反而增加他们的苦工。在希伯来人当中，摩西不但没有变成英雄，反而因为带来更多苦难被人厌恶。摩西回到耶和華那里，说：「主啊！你为什么苦待这百姓？为什么打发我去呢？」（出埃及记五：22）基督徒许多的受挫与神的作为毫不相干，乃是我们预设神的作法，导致自己的沮丧。

你是否曾经顺服神的旨意行事，而事情却每况愈下？摩西完全误解了顺服神之后的结果。当事情不照他的预计进行时，他变得很沮丧。神告诉摩西该怎么做，并没有告诉摩西后果会如何。

想要用自己的常识去完成神的工作，是愚昧的。神不是要你把常识弃之不用，祂会圣化你的常识，赐给你祂的智慧，让你了解祂的道路。

当你回头检视自己生命中神的作为，你会在神的带领中看见祂至高的智慧。当你往前观看神可能的作为，小心避免预测祂的下一步行动。你可能会发现自己完全失算！

### **God's Ways Are Not Our Ways**

***"For My thoughts are not your thoughts, Nor are your ways My ways," says the LORD. "For as the heavens are higher than the earth, So are My ways higher than your ways, And My thoughts than your thoughts." Isaiah 55:8-9***

Rarely does God do something exactly as we think He will. Our problem is that we try to second-guess God, saying, "Oh, now I know what God is planning to do!" Moses experienced this as he learned how God was going to deliver the Hebrews out of Egypt. God told him He would harden Pharaoh's heart. Yet, the result was not what Moses anticipated. Rather than allowing the Hebrews to leave, Pharaoh increased their hardship. Rather than becoming a hero among the Hebrews, Moses was despised by them for bringing greater suffering. Moses returned to the Lord and asked, "Lord, why have You brought trouble on this people? Why is it You have sent me?" (Exod. 5:22). Much of the frustration we experience as Christians has nothing to do with what God does or doesn't do. It has everything to do, rather, with the false assumptions we make about how we think God will and should act.

Have you ever done the will of God and then things seemed to become worse? Moses completely misunderstood what the results of His obedience to God would be. When things did not turn out as he anticipated, Moses became discouraged. God had told Moses what to do, but He had not told Moses what the consequences would be. It is foolish to attempt to do God's work using your own "common sense." God does not eliminate your common sense, He consecrates it. He gives you His wisdom so you can understand His ways.

As you look back on God's activity in your life, you will recognize the supreme wisdom in how He has led you. As you look forward to what God may do, be careful you do not try to predict what He will do next. You may find yourself completely off the mark.

3月11日（星期五）- 标题：**燃起我们的期望**

**经文：你求告我，我就应允你，并将你所不知道、又大又难的事指示你。**

**（耶利米书三十三章3节）**

我们往往还没有完成神要我们做的事，就停下来。当我们读到耶利米书卅二章27节：「我是耶和华，是凡有血气者的神，岂有我难成的事吗？」我们回应：「是的，主啊！在祢没有难成的事。」然而，一旦遭遇困难，我们却开始修正自己对神的信心，降低对神能力的期盼。相信神能够行圣经中的神迹、在一千年前行奇事，或在朋友身上施展大能，那是一码事；而全心全意相信神完全掌控我们的生命，又是另一码事！

当全能神对我们说话，不管我们口中的回应是什么，我们接下去的行为已证实了信心的多寡。神向摩西透露自己的计划，要编写人类历史中最伟大的出埃及记，祂要使用摩西完成这个计划。摩西的第一个反应，竟是向神讨价还价！摩西无法置信自己刚刚听见的信息，并且开始找借口，不愿参与神的行动。摩西可能早就相信神的大能，只是无法相信神可以借着自已行奇事。摩西与神讨价还价的结果，限制了他一生的事奉（出埃及记四：13—16）。

你是否感觉到，神给你的使命比你现在的经历要大的多？求神光照祂到底要你做什麼，然后以信心回应神的呼召，顺服祂的旨意。

### **Raising Our Expectations**

***Call to Me, and I will answer you, and show you great and mighty things, which you do not know. Jeremiah 33:3***

Too often we settle for much less than what God wants to do through us. We read in Jeremiah 32:27: "I am the Lord, the God of all flesh. Is anything too hard for Me?" and we answer, "No Lord." Yet, when we face difficult situations we begin to qualify our belief in God and lower our expectations of what God will do. It is one thing to believe God could perform a miracle in the Bible, or a thousand years ago, or even in the life of a friend; it is quite another matter to wholeheartedly believe God can do anything He chooses to do in our lives!

When almighty God speaks to us, what we do next proves what we believe about Him, regardless of what we say. God revealed to Moses His plan to orchestrate the greatest exodus in human history, and He wanted to use Moses to accomplish it. Moses responded by arguing with God! Moses was overwhelmed by what he heard and began to make excuses for why he could not participate in God's activity. Moses would have readily acknowledged his belief in God's power, he simply did not believe God could do His miraculous work through his life. Moses' argument with God limited his ministry for the rest of *his* life (Exod. 4:13-16).

Do you sense there may be far more that God wants to do through your life than what you have been experiencing? Ask God to show you what it is, then be prepared to respond in faith and obedience to what He tells you.

3月8日（星期二）- 标题：**确信神的供应**

**经文：我的神必照祂荣耀的丰富，在基督耶稣里，使你们一切所需用的都充足。**

**（腓立比书四章19节）**

这段经文是圣经中最实用的经文之一。我们每个人都面对自己生活的需要，有些需要有时超过能力所及。然而，这不是我们变得忧虑及惊惶的时刻。我们也不应该遇有挫折，就灰心丧志。这是神要从祂无尽丰富的宝库中提取物资，来满足我们需求的时刻！也惟有祂能够满足我们的需求。

你是否相信神可以满足你经济上的需求、健康的需求、子女的需求、父母的需求，以及教会的需求？圣经上告诉我们，你永远不会面对神无法供应的需要。这个应许一再地出现于圣经中（诗篇一一六：6；希伯来书四：16；马太福音六：8；诗篇六十九：33）。如果没有经历到神丰盛的供应，问题出在哪里？是否这件事对神太困难？或是你根本不相信神能够供应你每一个需要？

神的每项资源是任何一个信祂的儿女，都可以取得的。从来没有一个人曾经用尽神的供应，更没有一个信神的人，会因货源不足而苦恼。不幸的是，有些基督徒的生活好象得不到神的资源似的。他们是王的儿女，却过着乞丐的生活！你身边的亲友是否由你的生活中，看到你对神的信实有毫不动摇的信心？

### **The Certainty of God's Supply**

***And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.***

***Philippians 4:19***

This verse is one of the most practical we will ever encounter in the Bible. Every one of us faces needs in our lives; at times, they are beyond our own means. Those are not the times to become anxious or to panic. Nor should we give up in defeat. It is at these times that God wants to draw from His unlimited storehouse to meet our need as only He can.

Do you believe God can meet the needs of your finances? Your health? Your children? Your parents? Your church? Scripture says you will never face a need for which God's provision is not more than adequate. This promise appears over and over again in the Scriptures (Ps. 116:6; Heb. 4:16; Matt. 6:8; Ps. 69:33). If you are not experiencing God's bountiful provision, what is the problem? Is the difficulty with God? Or could it be that you do not really believe that God stands ready to meet your every need?

Every resource of God is available to any child of God who will believe Him. No one has ever exhausted God's supply nor suffered a shortfall when trusting Him. Unfortunately, some Christians live as if God's abundant resources were not available to them. They are children of the King, but they live like beggars! Would the people close to you affirm that your life gives evidence of an unwavering belief that God will do what He said?

3月9日（星期三）- 标题：崇敬

**经文：弟兄们，我们既因耶稣的血得以坦然进入至圣所，是藉着祂给我们开了一条又新又活的路，从幔子经过，这幔子就是祂的身体。**

**（希伯来书十章19—20节）**

我们这个世代，缺乏对神的赞叹感与崇敬感。我们把神降到我们的水平，视神为平凡无奇。祂是神！虽然身为祂的子女，我们可以直接与祂相交，但我们永远不能忘记，我们能够与祂相交，乃是因祂独生子的宝血重价买赎而来。一个真正了解救赎真理的人，决不会进入神的同在，却没有敬畏感。人若理解救主在髑髅地付上重价，就不会把自己与神的关系，视为理所当然。

除非先领悟神的圣洁和祂对祂子民圣洁的要求，就永远不能了解神和祂亲近我们的方式。如果与神同在，我们就是站在圣地！我们的行动决不能以「我们成功是神的目的」，作为我们的指针。一旦神没有照着我们所期望的方式及时间回答，我们就不耐烦，这种态度真是荒唐！祂是神，我们不是！

如果你默想耶稣在十字架所付的代价，让你能够直接亲近天父，你会珍惜自己的祷告时间。崇拜会变成你的特权——你会心怀感激地把握这个特权。当你在一件事上追求圣洁时，圣经对你会变得特别宝贵（哥林多后书七：1；彼得前书一：15）。

如果你不再赞叹神的救恩，你一定要重访髑髅地，目击救主为你舍命的一幕。神所赐的救恩，真是无价之宝啊！

### Reverence

***Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh. Hebrews 10:19-20***

Our generation lacks a sense of wonder and reverence toward God. We want to bring God down to our level, to the commonplace. He is God! Though we have direct access to Him as His children, we ought never to forget that this access was purchased with the precious blood of His only Son. No one who truly understands this ever enters God's presence without a sense of holy awe. No one who comprehends the incredible price paid at Calvary ever takes his relationship with God for granted.

We will never truly understand God and the way He relates to us unless we first comprehend a true sense of His holiness and His demand for holiness among His people. If we are in God's presence, we are on holy ground! We must never act as if it were God's purpose to make us successful. It would be preposterous for us to become impatient when God does not answer our prayers when and how we think He should! He is God, we are not!

As you meditate on the price Jesus paid to give you access to the Father, you will come to treasure your prayer times with Him. Worship will become a privilege you seize with gratitude. Scripture will be dear to you as you strive to be holy in all that you do (2 Cor. 7:1; 1 Pet. 1:15).

If you have lost your wonder at the incredible gift of salvation that has been given to you, you need to revisit the cross and witness your Savior suffering for you. How priceless God's gift of salvation is!

3月10日（星期四）- 标题：试炼显露你的内心

**经文：你也要纪念耶和華——你的神在旷野引导你这四十年，是要苦炼你，试验你，要知道你心内如何，肯守祂的诫命不肯。祂苦炼你，任你饥饿，将你和你列祖所不认识的吗哪赐给你吃，使你知道，人活着不是单靠食物，乃是靠耶和華口里所出的一切话。（申命记八章2—3节）**

神允许我们面对困境是有原因的。神让祂的以色列儿女在旷野漂流四十年，是为了试炼他们，使他们谦卑。以色列百姓当年拒绝顺服地进入迦南地，他们暴露出自己并不是真的认识祂。如果以色列百姓真的认识祂，他们的信心会大得多。神花了四十年去试炼祂百姓的心，看看他们是否能胜任下一个任务。

试炼显露出你内心的实际情况，并且熬炼出不屈不挠的信心（雅各书一：3、12）。神允许祂的百姓面对饥饿，好叫他们能经历祂的供应，建立更深的信心。当人们与神同行，他们渐渐地了解自己是靠祂的话语而活，他们知道神的话是他们拥有最重要的资产。当他们靠着神在沙漠生活四十年之后，他们听从神的话，并且相信神。当他们终于进入神的应许之地，与敌人交战，以色列百姓清楚知道，神的话意味着生与死。他们预备好要聆听，结果神带领他们得到盛大的胜利。

神正试炼你生命的哪一部分？祂的测试显露出什么？你是否因为所处的环境，而对神满怀苦毒？还是你因而更信任祂？

### Testing Reveals Your Heart

***"And you shall remember that the LORD your God led you all the way these forty years in the wilderness, to humble you and test you, to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep His commandments or not. So He humbled you, allowed you to hunger, and fed you with manna which you did not know nor did your fathers know, that He might make you know that man shall not live by bread alone; but man lives by every word that proceeds from the mouth of the LORD." Deuteronomy 8:2-3***

God allows us to suffer difficulties and hardships for a purpose. God led the children of Israel to wander through the wilderness for forty years in order to humble them and test them. When they refused to obey Him and enter the Promised Land, the Israelites revealed that they did not really know Him. If they had, they would have had more faith. God spent the next forty years testing the hearts of His people to see if they were prepared for His next assignment.

Testing reveals what is in your heart and produces a robust faith (James 1:3, 12). God allowed His people to hunger so they could experience His provision and develop a deeper level of trust in Him. As the people walked with God they came to understand that their lives depended upon His Word. They learned that God's Word was the most important thing they had. After depending on God for forty years while living in the desert, the people listened when God spoke, and they believed. When they finally entered the Promised Land and waged war against their enemies, the Israelites knew that God's word meant life and death. They were prepared to listen to Him, and as a result He led them to an astounding victory.

Is God presently testing you in some area of your life? What has His testing revealed? Have you become bitter toward God because of where He has led you? Or have you come to trust Him more as a result of what you have gone through?