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"Thy word is a *lamp* unto my feet and a *light* unto my path" Psalm 119:105

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Dear Lamplight Family,

We are pleased to share with you the exciting things that God is doing through Lamplight Ministries in many different countries. Praise the Lord. We are grateful to you for your prayers and for your financial support that enables us to help many people around the world.

**COMMENTS FROM PEOPLE WHO HAVE  
BEEN HELPED BY OUR PUBLICATIONS**

If you would like to see the effect of your prayers and your contributions, please visit our website at [www.lamplight.net](http://www.lamplight.net) to see comments from people in more than 40 different countries who have been helped by our books and Scripture cards. You can order our publications from our website, from our Post Office box or the 800 telephone number at the bottom of this page.

NOTE: We receive testimonies from people in many countries. We very seldom mention the names of people who give us comments. Now or in the future that person might be persecuted because someone saw his or her name online sharing a Christian testimony.

**AN INMATE IN A FEDERAL PRISON IN FLORIDA SAID THAT YOU CAN HEAR THE VOICE OF GOD IS A SUPERB BOOK THAT IS JUST WHAT HE NEEDED.** This man said, "Your book on hearing God's voice is magnificent. You really have done a wonderful job of explaining how to hear God's voice. I know beyond any shadow of a doubt that I am now hearing God speaking directly to me in my heart. I am overcoming difficulties that I have had for a long time. This book is superb. It is just what I needed. Thank you for your wonderful help."

**A PASTOR IN ZAMBIA IS TEACHING IN HIS CHURCH FROM EXCHANGE YOUR WORRIES FOR GOD'S PERFECT PEACE. HE ALSO PLANS TO TEACH FROM ALL BOOKS IN GHANA AND MALAWI.** This pastor said, "I have been preaching and teaching in our church using your book titled *Exchange Your Worries For God's Perfect Peace*. I saw excitement on the faces of our church members. Next month I will be going to Uganda. In June I will be going to Malawi. I thank God that your books are my resource center for these divine works. Praise God. Surely Africa needs your books."

**A PASTOR'S WIFE IN THE TOGO REPUBLIC IN WEST AFRICA SAID THAT SHE FINALLY LEARNED THE SECRET OF LIVING A WORRY-FREE LIFE FROM EXCHANGE YOUR WORRIES FOR GOD'S PERFECT PEACE.** This woman said, "I was blessed by the way you explained about worry in your book entitled *Exchange Your Worries for God's Perfect Peace*. I have been a Christian for some years now but I have never learned the secret of

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living a worry-free life by taking hold of the perfect peace of God. This book has blessed my soul. I am discovering new things every day by reading your books given to my husband. God bless you."

**A MAN FROM GHANA SAID THAT *NEVER, NEVER GIVE UP* HELPED HIM THROUGH SOME DIFFICULT CHALLENGES.** This man said, "Thank you for giving me your book, *Never, Never Give Up*. I received this book when I was going through some difficult challenges. I handed it all over to God. I added patience to my faith. I have seen the hand of God move in my situation. I thank God for the life of Jack and this wonderful book."

## COMMENTS FROM JACK HARTMAN

I wrote our first Christian book thirty years ago. I now have written or co-authored with Judy a total of 26 Christian books. Judy and I also have co-authored ten sets of Scripture Meditation Cards.

I will be 82 years old in four months. My energy level has decreased significantly in recent years. Part of this is because I am growing older. Also, I do not sleep much at night because of digestive problems that I have had for more than 25 years. I write quite a bit when I am up at night and take naps during the daytime.

I now have rearranged my life so that I no longer do many of the things that I used to do. I spend most of my time writing and resting. I am spending more time writing than ever before. I am very excited about the books that God has led us to write during the remainder of my life. God recently put it on my heart to have ten black and white covers printed for our next ten books. I now have these covers. Seven of them are readily seen in my bedroom/office that I work out of. The other three covers are in the hallway between the bedroom and a bathroom. Every day I look several times at the next ten books that God is leading me to write. Eight of these books already have one or more drafts completed. The other two contain research material that has been completed. Draft #1 of each of these books will start in the near future.

I do not know the order that these books will be published. At this time we are planning to publish Book #27, *Give Your Problems To The Lord*, in June of 2013. We have almost completed Draft #3 of this book. Very few books have ever been written on this subject. I am excited that we will be able to help readers to learn from the holy Scriptures *exactly* what to do to give their problems to the Lord.

The other nine potential books are titled: *Absolute Reverence For The Word of God, Enter Into The Presence of God, God is Always With You, God's Incredible Love for You, God's Strength in Your Weakness, Jesus Christ Won His Victory for You, God's Plan for Your Life, Receive God's Supernatural Protection and Surrender Control of Your Life.*

God has used us to help many people around the world during my lifetime. I believe that we will be able to help many other people around the world during the remainder of my lifetime and also after I have gone home to be with the Lord.

Our primary goal is to send these books to pastors in Third World countries and to inmates in prisons and jails. A great source of fulfillment in my life is knowing that many pastors in different countries are preaching in their churches each week from our books. This enables contributors to Lamplight Ministries to receive the maximum result from each book that we give away. Instead of helping just one person with a book, pastors around the world continually use one book to help many people in their church. Some pastors preach all or most of their sermons from our books.

We already are receiving comments on our latest book, *You Can Hear The Voice of God*. If Jesus Christ is your Savior, *you* have been given the ability to hear God speaking to you every day. God is

omnipresent, omniscient and omnipotent. He is fully able to have individual conversations with billions of Christians throughout the world at the same time. We pray that this book will help many Christians to learn how to hear what God is saying to them.

I cannot imagine being almost 82 years old and devoting my life to the pursuit of pleasure. I am highly motivated to successfully complete the assignment that God has given to me. We now are looking at a total of 36 books and 10 sets of Scripture Meditation Cards. I believe that we ultimately will write more than 40 books. I thank God every day for the assignment He has given to me. I pray for excellent health throughout the remainder of my life to fully complete this assignment.

## COMMENTS FROM JUDY HARTMAN

Dear precious Lamplight family,

**A SPECIAL GIFT FOR YOU**☺ We trust that this month you are immersing yourself in Chapter 13 of I Corinthians, the love chapter in the Bible. If we meditate on this chapter every day and teach others to do so, we can transform our little corner of the world. I am printing a copy of I Corinthians 13 and handing it to everyone I meet this month as a Valentine's gift "from me to you." I am printing it on colored paper and cutting it into a heart. I will let you know the responses I receive. I am sending the chapter to you. Let me know if it makes a difference in your life and in the lives of your family, friends, and co-workers☺ We can change the world one life at a time with the love of God in Christ Jesus. No one could even think of being transformed into a I Corinthians 13 person without the power of the Holy Spirit working the character of God into his or her life. We have the answer!

### ***GOD'S INSTRUCTIONS FOR GROWING OLDER IS NOT JUST FOR OLDER FOLKS.***

A man from Pennsylvania wrote: "I have been reading thru *God's Instructions for Growing Older*. It's a great book and really for all ages. You are both really inspiring."

### ***EXCITING NEWS ABOUT TRUST GOD FOR YOUR FINANCES!***

Pastor Eben Connor of Word of Truth Family Church in Arlington, Texas gives a copy of *Trust God for Your Finances* to each new member. New visitors to their website see the verse: "Those who are planted in the house of the LORD shall flourish in the courts of our God" (Ps. 92:13). New members learn the purpose, values, history, and vision for the future. They take home God's instructions to "prosper and be in health, even as their soul prospers," (Ill John 2). They will be blessed with Jack's testimony of God's faithfulness as well as receive steps to have healthy finances themselves.

### ***AUSSIE FINDS TRUST GOD FOR YOUR FINANCES ON "THROW OUT" TABLE AT ORPHANAGE IN THE PHILIPPINES.***

A man from Australia was visiting the orphanage in the Philippines where he and his wife adopted two children. The man was looking "on the throw-out" table near the library. The books raise money for the orphanage. This man said, "Jack's was one of five I picked up. No idea why I was looking for books on water baptism because I planned to be baptized when I returned from the Philippines. The inscription on the book was dated 1997. In the time I spent with the director and his family, they shared that they lived entirely on the grace of God. They have no visible means of support other than God's provision and that sometimes they had to wait on the Lord to provide urgent funding. I had started reading Jack's book and was excited, firstly that I had travelled thousands of miles to find a book which would be part of growing into God's anointing, and, secondly, I shared with the Director about the words written in the book. I said that I would give him the book before I left the Philippines but I was still digesting it over the weeks there. I

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have promised to provide him with a copy. He struggles for funds during the months of September to December each year. We had discussed the need to develop a means where he could cover these months of the year. I see the book as part of the solution in growing a group of Christians who will provide funding for the home.

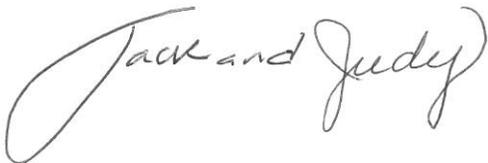
“Our Australian church is very small at present. I have been discussing Jack’s book with both my pastor and our men’s group. These men’s hearts are open and I want to develop a workshop in which the principles outlined in the book can be digested and become part of the “air we breathe.” But, firstly, before I can run this workshop, I have got to live the principles (that’s the only way I can express it) so it’s real and not just words.” He found significance in the closing of my email, “Blessed to be a blessing.” He is sending a copy to the Director of the orphanage and ordering books for his church to get started on the book. Please pray for our new friend from Australia that God will transform his life and use him mightily for the glory of God. We thank God for bringing us together through *Trust God for Your Finances*, written in 1983 and ever new for today☺

**A NUMBERS MAN FROM DELAWARE GIVES THE MINUTE INCOME ARRIVES.**

“My business partner gave me a copy of *Trust God for Your Finances* two years ago. It really spoke to me. I have always been a numbers person. I have an engineering background. I tried to do it on my own. The book helped me change how I looked at things. It takes time to change how you manage things. We have a really good approach that we are using. It is really working. I have a lot of different income streams. Every time I receive income, I tithe and offer from that income. I do it transactionally. It is easier to see what I am doing and when I am doing it.”

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