

PROMISE! POSSIBILITY! POTENTIAL!

When my daughters were little girls over 40 years ago, they learned a song in Sunday School called "I Am A Promise". Recently I attended the graduation program from Pre K for my darling great grandson, Maverick. The program was delightful to hear these precious children singing songs & reciting verses. These big words sung by these little ones touched my heart and I began to reminisce from years gone by. I have been thinking about these lyrics and it is clear to me that we as adults need to remember that we need to be "as little children to inherit the Kingdom of God." The Message translations reads that Jesus said, "I am telling you once and for all, that unless you return to square one and start over like children, you're not even going to get at look at the kingdom let alone get in." This isn't just a kid's song but an adult song!! Here's the lyrics:

I am a promise; I am a possibility.
I am a promise with a capital P.
I am a great big bundle of potentiality!
And I am learning to hear God's voice and I am trying to make the right choice; I'm a promise to be anything He wants me to be.

PROMISE

The promise is actually inside us if we are born again and filled with the "precious treasure in earthen vessels" which is Jesus! We are God's promise to the world to simply be light and salt and bring hope. We can literally change the atmosphere all around us! God so loved the world that He sent a promise of a Savior.... Jesus....to give the world a promise for a future in eternity with Him! "Christ in you, the hope of glory."

POSSIBILITY

The possibilities are endless of how the Lord wants to use us if we will simply make ourselves available! He isn't looking for qualified vessels but yielded, willing and believing individuals

that believe that "all things are possible with God."! 1 Corinthians 1:26-31, the Apostle Paul tells us that God chooses the foolish, weak, unwise, unknown, and insignificant. He also says that when he came to the churches he didn't have lofty or eloquent words but he came in the power and demonstration of God speaking about Jesus and Him crucified.

POTENTIAL

As little kids we all said many times, "when I grow up.... I want to be....". The skies were the limit in our minds and we thought ourselves invincible! Well, fast forward to now.... there is no timer on our potential in God's plans for us! Gravity may be pulling downward and the years are going by way too fast but the question is.... are we fulfilling all of our potential in Him?? I think that if we ask this question to our Father God, He will show us how much more He wants to do in and through us especially in these last days before He returns! I think it will blow our minds when He shows us the signs, wonders, miracles and exploits He will do in and through us!!! And all glory will go to Him for what He is about to do!!!

I am out of space but there is one more "P" word which is out there.... procrastinate. Let's get this word out of our vocabulary! The minute the Lord asks us to do something.... let's obey immediately!

Sending my love, prayers and gratitude for each of you!!

Rhonda



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Philippians 1:6

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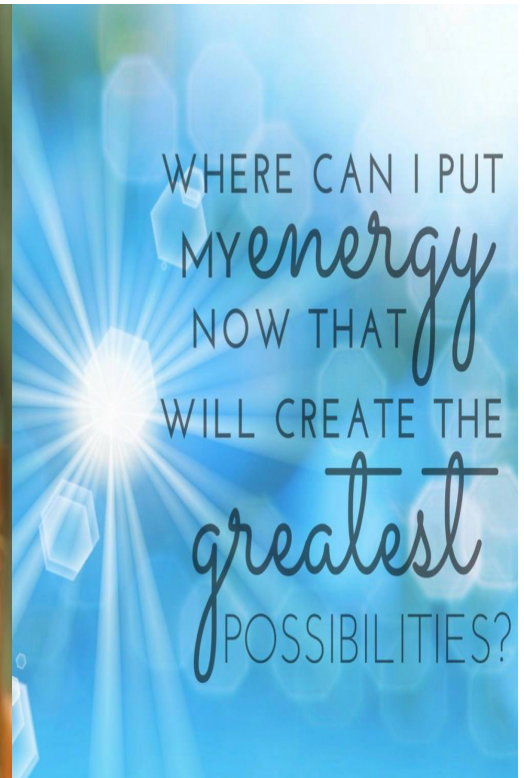


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