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Full Time Ministry by David Wilkerson

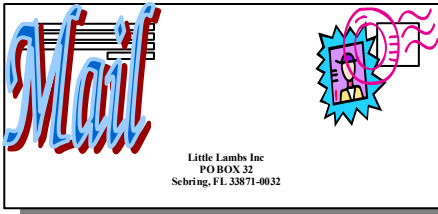
“Now, as (the apostle) John (on Patmos) watched the prison boat disappear, his own words must have come back to him. He was the one who had quoted Jesus as saying, “The time comes, that whosoever kills you will think that he does God service. And these things will they do unto you...But these things have I told you, that when the time shall come, you may remember that I told you of them.” John 16:2-4

By anyone’s standard, John was a failure. Many Christians today would look at him and say, “What a waste. Why would God allow one of the most anointed men of all time to be isolated this way? Why would he allow a devoted disciple to be exposed to the elements and nearly starve? I don’t understand why John didn’t ask God for deliverance. After all, he wrote that Jesus said, ‘Whatsoever you shall ask the Father in my name, he will give it to you...ask, and you shall receive.’” John 16:23-23 Where was John’s faith? Now imagine the reaction of church leaders today. Sadly, they would measure John by the current standard of success: no congregation, no church building, no money to rent or buy a structure. He had no vehicle to travel in, no house, no decent suit to preach in, no ministry agenda, not outreach to the community, no plan to win nations. Leaders today would quickly write him off, saying, “This man has nothing. He’s finished. Why was he called to ministry in the first place?”

How wrong they all would be. On that very first Sabbath on Patmos, John started a church. He called it THE CHURCH OF ‘I, JOHN’. He wrote ‘I John, who also am your brother, and companion in tribulation, and in the kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ...was in the Spirit on the Lord’s day. Rev. 1:9-10 John was saying, in other words, “Yes, I’m shut off from civilization. But I have a church. And I minister to the Lord here. I have no brother or sister to join me. But I’m in the Spirit.” I assure you, the praise John offered from that isolated island was as glorious to God as a thousand holy voices worshiping in a thousand different tongues. Something incredible happened to John after his first few days on Patmos. He made a decision that impacted the entire church world for eternity. Simply put, John died to all his own plans and thoughts of ministry.

John sought the Lord fully in his isolation. He moved in the spirit. And he gave himself as a living sacrifice. Beloved, this is the heart of my message: **John was now in full-time ministry.** I don’t mean this in terms of how we normally think of such ministry. It was full-time in the sense that John had God all to himself. You see, on Patmos there was no need for fund-raising, no need to compete with others or erect a bigger church building. There was no one to praise John, congratulate him, boast on him. His life was reduced to a single focus: Jesus Christ alone. That’s all John had. And he said, in essence, “That’s all I’ll ever need: prayer, worship and communion with the Lord.”

I believe God desires every believer to be involved in full-time ministry. Scripture says we’re all called as priests unto the Lord. Yet first, we have to remove from our minds that full-time ministry is not a paid position or career. In the Lord’s eyes, full-time ministry is **ministry unto himself.** Simply put, you can be like the apostle John, stranded on an island alone, and be involved in full-time ministry. In fact, I consider John one of the most successful ministers in the Bible. The only ministry that satisfies your soul is your prayer and worship to the Lord. You’d rather be alone with Jesus, feeding him with your praises, than to be admired as a great minister. You know that all ministry to others flows out of ministry to Him. “My one calling on this earth is to minister to the Lord.” then you’ll be ready for what God sees as full-time ministry. *by David Wilkerson 2002*



Ms Eileen Sala, Greetings, Little Lamb :)

Just thought I'd send you a few words to say Gracias for the Bible Study courses. I still have them all and even though I have been in prison almost 25 years now, Jesus used your ministry to feed me His Word. So, thank a million! Gracias for your earned efforts. And thanks for this Beautiful Bible you gifted me with which I received July 26, 2017. it's holding up pretty

good. I have written on its pages approximately 1000 notes and the paper holds the ink well. Although it bleeds thru a little but I also high light note with color pencils. (smile). I'm still studying, this will never end.

Hope you doing well health wise as everyone close to you. Me, I'm better than what I should be. God is good. He allowed me to go through Hep C treatment, so I'm pressing on in faith. I was also notified by parole director that they are ready to release me. I'm sorting my thoughts out asking God to help me as I prepare myself to bet back into society. I need a place to parole. I cannot go back to San Antonio due to broken gang ties but God has placed a burden in my heart a church in Pasadena, Texas. Please pray I find a Christian place who will receive me because I have been disowned by my family. (I don't blame them. I pray God saves them.) Anyhow, if I don't find a place I will go to a homeless shelter and know I can share the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ there as well. Anywhere God leads me will be opportunities to share His Word. The enemy is attacking the new Generation. Pray God uses us more than ever. I'm in segregation still but have shared God's Word here where it is greatly needed. Let us pray more than ever. In Faith, Paul, Tx. PS Just turned 56 years old 2/23/2023, and March 16th will be 12 years since Jesus changed my destiny. 'A good soldier suffers hardship.' *Please pray for Paul. Getting released is one of the greatest tests of a Little Lamb. Pray for a safe place for him. Pray for him to keep the fire of the Holy Spirit. Thank you!*

Dear Bro and Sis in Christ,

I just wanted to write to let you know that I apologize for the long delay in sending in my studies. I have been struggling with a room mate who was in active addiction and although I wanted to help her so very much, it became a very toxic situation to my own well-being! I did not relapse myself, Glory be to God! But sometimes we seem to want better for others than they want for themselves. I've been that person myself before, so I've had to take a step back and remove myself from the situation and am no longer in the cell with her. She is angry with me so please pray about that but I couldn't be around the drug use and stay sober myself. It just wasn't possible anymore. I love her but she has to want this for herself.

But! I have been in my new room for only 3 days now and I am right back to my bible studies! Thank you, Jesus! And I want you to know how much I am enjoying and learning from the Little Lambs! Did you know that I have attended church off and on my whole life with my family but never picked up on the true meaning behind the Passover until doing this study just now?! I truly love that I am getting a real and true understanding of the Word through Little Lambs. And I thank you both so much for making it available to me and others like me!

I have a friend (sister really) who has been locked up for 1 1/2 years at the county jail where I'm from on a 9 years sentence. She is doing time in a county jail and would love to receive your bible studies, please? She will need postage paid envelope due to the fact they are only allowed to purchase pre-stamped envelopes there and she would not be able to add the necessary postage to send the study. Thank you . Agape Always, Teresa

Notes on Spanish lessons:

John and Eileen, Sala Family and Ministry, Completely my heart and soul have been touched forever because of your ministries and the Word, Jesus. Thank you for loving me and not treating me like a loser. My dear thanks.

My blessing comes by knowing "God" now better than ever before. Understanding more clearly "God's" laws. My mother, if able to see her soon, will see the different me I have become by the Word!! Ed *Isn't it a wonderful to give a mother her son back from hell! I thank God for the gospel everyday and the power to restore families. Keep praying for all our students. I have no doubt that that is one of the reasons Little Lambs is so effective. God bless you.*

Greetings, Hi my name is Birdie.

Thank you so truly much for letting me be a part of your family. I truly loved and enjoy reading and studying God's Word. I would like a copy of Mr. John's book if I could. Could your pretty please send me a KJV Bible? I'm using one of my friend's here now and I can't find one to be able to use for my studies. I also enjoy reading Mr. John's Testimony. It was amazing. Thank you for sharing your story. I thank God each time that I pray thanking Him for the many blessings that He has given me and thanking Him for forgiving me of my sins. I'm so truly thankful to be alive today and getting a chance to learn about His Word and grow more in my faith. God is good. He has really helped me and I truly want to be able to help others when they are down and depressed. My family would love to see if they could join your family, my mother and my sister. They would really love to hear from you. Thank you, Birdie

Dear Pastor John and Eileen Sala

I am an inmate in a Texas unit. I am serving a 50 year sentence aggravated, but I have found the Lord here in prison. I was saved on September, 2019. I have been serving the Lord for 4 years. I am an elder at the Rockwell Chapel; on the secondary Spanish speaking community service, and a teacher for the Discipleship Class and a facilitator in the Faith Dorm.

I read your book and I can identify myself with the old me! But I never used needles or any strong drugs. But I did sell them. I came to prison the first time when I was like 18 years old for burglary of habitation and other criminal activities. Than after 32 years, I came back to prison again on a charge of sexual assault. It's something so embarrassing for me to say, but God has shown me to confess my sins to another person.

Well, the reason for my letter is not to talk about me and what I believe or think. I need some help here, me, Martinez, Campos and our Life Coach and mentor Ramires, we need a curriculum to teach here for the Spanish speaking community. Most of them do not speak any English. I did the first part of a bible study you sent me and I see it is simple and stays on the Bible, the Word of God the Father, Christ, the son, and the Holy Spirit. I would like to know if you could send us some of those Bible studies to each here, and how many you could send us and what you need for us or from us to teach it here. Please help us. I don't know if you have them in Spanish. Thank you for time and understanding. Write back soon, Francisco

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I received the bible study Series 2 Book 3, thank you. I just wanted to write you and thank you for all that you are doing to help me strengthen my faith and my walk with the Lord. Thank you very, very much. I have learned so much about God and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ through your bible study. And it is one of my mail goals to complete all your bible studies to receive a diploma and a KJV bible from your ministry. I have been in prison for almost 4 years now. I am almost done with my prison sentence. I have a little over 2 years left. I was wanting to know what steps do I need to take to become an ordained minister to teach and preach the Word of God to inmates in the county jail in my home town in Carlsbad, New Mexico. I was wanting to know if you could provide me with an advice that could help me to do this. It is not a want for me but a desire in my heart to do this for others but most of all for God and His kingdom. And for others to know and feel and experience what I have through God's Word and it's love. God has changed my life completely around and I want others to feel what I have. Because only God can do that for them, but I want to help and direct the lost in the right direction and through God's Word and Jesus Christ is the way to direct them. I do hope to hear from you. Thank you so much for your ministry and all that you do. Phillip, Tx

We often get letters like Phillip's letter. That new-found faith is burning in their hearts. In reference to that, we send them a copy of David Wilkerson's article, "Full Time Ministry". As you well know, David was a man after God's own heart and the advice in that article I have included parts of it on the front page. It's takes ministry and service to God to a new level and it includes everyone!! Ever one is to be a 'full time minister' to the Lord Jesus Christ. Pray for Phillip!

Dear Partners,

In one of the letters inside, a young inmate asked about ministry. It something we often get asked. The best advice we can give is the article by David Wilkerson that I excerpted on the front page. This is especially applicable because they are separated from society in prison. It is better to prepare and start your ministry while in prison instead of waiting till you get out. The distractions will overwhelm a person unprepared in his spiritual life.

This month of March has fled on wings! The first week of March, we were invited by the Widows at Bible Fellowship Church to speak and tell the ladies who were the young men they saw at church every Sunday. 2nd Chance Ministry with Founder Aldo Guzman and all the residents attended. Many of them were able to give a short testimony. It was the first time for many of them. But they had a great time! They talked about it often after that. Our class with 2nd Chance has completed the book of Matthew and the crucifixion, a perfect illustration for Passover and First Fruits. They are beginning to sing together and performed a song last Wednesday for me. Reckless love, it was great! Their first time singing together. They are being led by resident Michael, who plays guitar and sings. Great job, Michael.

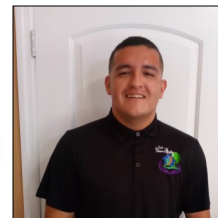
This month was also the beginning of Charlotte Heston's volunteer status! She is learning our finances and our internet site and Facebook. This is wonderful for me. She will also be putting all our lessons into new formats for the newer computers. I will be starting classes at Avon Park Prison in April and she will be able to take a lot of the responsibility for me as well as cover me when I'm gone.

I want to wish all of you a very special and blessed Passover Feast and First Fruits, both of which our Savior fulfilled in his time here on earth. I am sick of eggs, bunnies, and all the pagan signs that really steal the focus from the Lord. Our young people rarely hear the gospel anymore or talk about God. In fact, He is not allowed in most places they go today. And Jesus said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God. 17 Assuredly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will by no means enter it." Luke 18:16-17 NKJV

Much love and thanks to all of you! Your servant,
Eileen S.ala

SCHEDULE APRIL 2023	
Mon.....	Avon Park Prison, Marriage, & Family Class, Work Camp
Tues.....	Avon Park Prison, Marriage, & Family Class, Main Unit
Tues.....	Bible Study, 2nd Chance
Wed.....	Bible Study, 2nd Chance Ministry
Thurs.....	Celebrate Recovery, 2nd Chance Ministry Counseling by appointment 863-273-6075

This is Jose. He works in the office at 2nd Chance Ministry.



Jose was one of the original men who came into the program. He has graduated but elected to stay and assist Director Aldo Guzman. Jose has been my helper too. After recovering from Covid and a health scare last year, he has been cutting my lawn every week as a build up his strength. He usually accompanies any of the men when they work at my home. He even juiced for some time after and greatly improved his health. He is a determined young man.

Now meet another one of my friends, Joey. Joey is the resident carpenter. He has replaced rotten siding all over the ministry, replaced some steps, replaced doors, put our sign back up after the hurricane, and helped to finish my office and lay sod at my house last year. Joe has a small son he is very proud of. With Paul as Director of the house, Joey is the Sub-Director, meaning they are responsible when Aldo is away.



Below is a picture of the men getting ready to begin their sales day. In their hands are the baked goods they sell in cities around Florida. The goods are baked at the ministry by another crew. They have used the proceeds to buy 4 vehicles, make improvements, buy expensive items like ovens, pay fines, build a new fence. Just yesterday they had to have new air-conditioning!!

