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New Zealand/Australia Tour By Graham Cooke

The tour was loaded with opportunity, challenge, resistance, lens-changes, mind-shifts, and some powerful moments of transformative eye-opening revelation that were as sobering as they were exhilarating. Twenty-seven meetings in eleven days, a mixture of public teaching and private meetings with smaller groups.

Another creative opportunity to see past the physical challenge of events and their effect on the body and soul; in order to engage with the Spirit in your own spirit to practice the presence of rest and renewal each day. To start afresh everyday, literally to be new every morning (Lamentations 3:22-23), is the foundation for ongoing relationship with God in the test of being spiritual in a mental, emotional and physical world.

It's possible to reserve all your energy for the show...the public gatherings where people congregate in unrealistic expectation. There you expend energy, and then retire to a hotel room to get yourself "up" for the next meeting. Jesus had numerous impactful meetings out of the public eye and was always ready for the personal human encounter.

The tour centered on Think Tanks and Advances involving leaders from a group of churches throughout New Zealand and Australia.

Again, we looked at the new man, the power in discipling, and the transformative effect of the Kingdom, both on the Church and in the world.

We examined keys of faith and breakthrough. We explored keys to learning and unlearning. People are excited about the possibilities but still have a tendency to be daunted by the challenge of what needs to change. Often, that leads to more passivity and procrastination.

The real truth of the matter is found in the opposite Spirit to that way of thinking.

That is, the real challenge is that we are made weary by years of doing the same things that have short-term effect but do not bring long-term, life changing transformation. Lack of relational teaching creates a functional spirituality based on performance, behavior and huge self-effort with little or no productive output. Everyone is tired. Pastors feel beaten up by the same religious process. Results do not match the magnitude of the effort we put in.

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“If the axe is dull and he does not sharpen it’s edge, then he must exert more strength” (Ecclesiastes 10:10). Wisdom has the advantage of giving more strength. Building a church on the foundation of upgrading and improving the old nature is both futile and self-defeating. It consumes people and resources without creating the life and breakthrough required to transform people and change the custom, culture and traditions of the religious and secular worlds.

Only considering the role of Presence in a meeting context relegates the process of ministry to a human rather than a divine expression of power and significance. We talk about great meetings where God “really showed up,” thus relegating Him to the role of absentee landlord who only puts in an appearance to collect what is his due. Seldom do we talk from the place of life, love and laughter where God was in my day at work, home or in the car. Apparently, we only listen to God when we need Him rather than because we desire Him.

The sheer effort and energy required to create a system to improve the old is a hundred times greater than the joy and pleasure we receive from working with the new man in Christ. Of course, initially we have to dig out a new foundation and empower people to see with a new lens and unlearn from the old ways. It seems slower and more problematic, and of course, it can be just that...however, when the tide turns towards the new man in Jesus, the exponential power is so huge it creates a movement and a momentum that is exhilarating in it’s splendor. It carries a “Wow!” factor that is astonishing. A truly empowered church engaging with the fullness and abundance of the Kingdom has a life that transcends the world around us, creating opportunities and growth outside of any meeting focus and context.

**The world comes alive when the presence of God inhabits
His people and shows up where they live!**

To know the presence of God as an incarnational reality we must understand and experience His essential nature as our absolute normal in the rough and tumble of life. AS always, what we think about God are the most important thoughts we will ever have in coming to terms with life in His kingdom. Who He is in Himself is who He will be for us regardless of our circumstances and how well or poorly we handle them.

God is an absolute, meaning He is independent in Himself in relation to other things. He is a constant affirmation of life. Unlimited, unrestrained, infallible, unequivocal, sovereign, perfect, pure and unconditional. He is unchanging yesterday, today and forever.

We live by God’s absolutes about Himself. He swears by His own name. It’s impossible for Him to lie! His purpose today is exactly the same as at the beginning; to make mankind in His image and likeness. In the Old Testament, He demonstrates through the law the futility of that concept in a visitational culture that produced a roller coaster ride of placement and displacement in/from the land. Engagement and exile from purpose and relationship.

In the new covenant, God inhabits His people from within by putting Christ into us and us into Christ. The new covenant has better promises because Jesus, Himself, is the guarantee of a better covenant (Hebrews 8:6, 7:22).

Our relationship is built on the foundation of goodness and our confession of it. We learn the absolutes of God's nature in the Fruit of the Spirit. Who He is for us becomes the very seedbed of all our growth and experience. We carry those truths in our inner man and they become the constant, never-changing reality that God is always present and never forsakes us in relationship.

It's the truth that guarantees our experience, not the physical, emotional reality of being touched. We are His habitation and as we trust His word we experience and encounter His life in all its forms.

On the tour, I got to talk freely about how God thinks and how we can renew our minds by His perspectives. I spoke about new Kingdom realities that occur when every generation present is engaged in on heart, spirit, mind and voice. Every generation from the youngest to the oldest must find their voice, activate their anointing and join together as one people to demonstrate Kingdom relationships in a world of fracture and chaos.

Favor with expectation is a normal part of presence in the Body of Christ. We live in the present/future with God. We know that He is in advance of us, working on what He wants to bring to us. He is in the present with us showing us how to inherit and receive.

It was a matter of continuing to give the same message in New Zealand as in previous years and allowing for the change in some of the leaders but also pressing for a reformational momentum throughout the nation. One message in particular was a prophetic call to church leaders. Some will encounter the Kingdom reality via a rude awakening that would become wonderful. Others were charged with the context of living in a great awakening that would birth an end time movement that was inclusive and inclined towards One voice, heart, mind and Spirit.

In Stairway, Australia it is the continuation of fifteen years of continuous growth that has seen this congregation grow from a few hundred who trucked their P.A. system into a rented building once a week to a large, dynamic community in a multipurpose building that is a creative center for worship, arts, business and the prophetic engagement in the Kingdom. A community that embodies unity and oneness of mind, heart, spirit and voice.

A great tour. Now, we wait and watch.

Graham

TESTIMONIES

AGLOW NATIONAL CONFERENCE - NEW ZEALAND -Victoria Boyd

The four conferences I've had the blessing of attending where Graham has been the keynote speaker, have all been packed full of keys that have led to upgrades and development across my life. This one was no exception. However, this time a different expectancy, impartation, and "tone" came from the Holy Spirit, and I believe it was about preparation for what is ahead that is far more expansive than what I can comprehend right now.

I thoroughly enjoyed the intentionality with how Graham showed up at each session. The apostolic called us higher and addressed who we are as a nation that needs to rise into something greater. As a father, he reassured us with kindness. As a Prophet, he spoke plainly about taking a different approach than trying to fix things, and instead changing what we're doing so we can become transformational communities. As a coach, he was more light-hearted and fun, as he demonstrated how we could live.

I've been contemplating my own different personas and identities and looking at my identity statement and kingdom assignments again with a fresh perspective. How am I showing up to each assignment? In my relationships? What are the provisions and language for them?

I'm also considering my different identities in the light of who I am as an overcomer (above and not beneath), and as 'more than a conqueror' (making pathways for others). The tools and keys in my reservoir are not just for myself, but for others, for cities, for key territories, and they are for multi-purpose use. There is much to explore!

I can see that this next phase will require a new rhythm, a new intentionality, and a pace that considers rest and longevity. In the coming months I'll be sharpening my "arrows" (promises and prophecies) to release them into the targets they were intended for. My devotional life needs an upgrade, and so does my worship if I am to launch into a greater place of taking possession of territories. It's an accelerated preparation time! I joyfully embrace it and give thanks for the comradeship and the love I have with my Warrior friends! - Victoria



WARRIORS ON THE GROUND: Urs Burkart (Sydney, Australia), Victoria Boyd (Tauranga, NZ), Graham, Cherie Trent (Auckland, NZ), Neil Hardisty (Christchurch, NZ), Tanya Fletcher (Melbourne, Australia).

GRAHAM IN AUKLAND, NEW ZEALAND - Cherie Trent

Graham opened the Auckland conference with this weighty question that went into my spirit and is still doing a work. What is Jesus and Holy Spirit praying for this city and nation? It is time to listen, worship and write these down noting what is repeated. It is time to write new prayers for our nation.

As a Pioneer and Door-opener, I loved the steps Graham also talked about. He called for a time of upgrade in being a son, a co-heir, in delight, an upgrade in partnering with God personally and then an upgrade in how we partner with God for our communities.

I saw divine strategy opening up in the three steps of Renewal (for believers), Reformation (for how we do things), and Revival (for the unsaved to find Jesus).

Indeed it does feel like we are in a time of preparation and a time for new prayers. There is an intentional call to align and prepare with Heaven's purposes. I loved having my TWC family there - five Warriors from TWC and Graham. I loved my own family being part of the worship team with my husband leading and two sons playing and singing. There was an invitation to an intentional upgrade in life released and it was a joy to be part of that for Auckland, NZ and the islands represented. - Cherie



Worth the Risk

By Christine Casten
Executive Director in TWC



The Kingdom community of ministries and churches is diverse. Each one has a unique identity for bringing the Kingdom of God to earth. I celebrate its variety and potential! However, The Warrior Class is my tribe and I hope to see this tribe of warriors continue to rise.

The question is this: How are we developing our warrior mindsets, and facilitating resolve, maturity and completeness in Christ?

We hear many stories of what God is doing in each of our lives and how He allows those things to become truly embedded, as reformed DNA, in each of us. Few places exist where so many can tell “warrior” stories with others who get it! The connections we make here are precious and have eternal value.

I have faced different challenges over the years. Some tested my perseverance and resolve to stay true to my warrior training. It can be simpler at times; to take the easier road. But, what benefit is the easier way to a warrior? My warrior identity will not allow anything different. My fellow warriors encourage me to dig deeply into all the areas of training and stay resolved to live out of the depth of my transformation. These warriors sharpen me and lift me up to new heights.

The renewing of our minds requires an intentional focus on training. We continue to have deeper and expanded ways to establish transformation within us. Times of difficult life circumstances provide a greater opportunity to see the depth of these transformations. But through it all, we get to pour into each other along the way. Those times I’ve wavered or needed encouragement have been the times when my TWC friendships have stepped in and refocused my perspectives.

The risk of reaching out and connecting to people in TWC through calls, Facebook or directly, seems high, initially. But because our culture is about seeing the best in each other, opening the way for more, and encouraging the other to soar, that risk pales in comparison to that benefit that relationship with other warriors brings.

God does require sacrifice for our growth and maturity. We get to count the cost, yet, the cost is always worth it in the end. Tapping into my fellow warriors has allowed me to lay the things down I no longer need and expand in new ways. Seeing warriors lay things down so they, too, can develop encourages my resolve.

It takes intentionality and courage for all involved. Few of us prefer to be the first to extend the hand of friendship. But as we continue to connect and journey together, we give space for others around us to grow and launch into all God has for that season. At the same time, we get to receive from fellow warriors as we each take steps toward more completeness in Christ.

We know it is the process of our growth that makes us rich. At the end of the day, the journey of walking out those “processes” together enriches us beyond measure! Therefore, let’s be resolute to encourage each others transformation and have the courage to reach out to each other. A warrior friendship is well worth the risk.



Karleigh Wood
Director of Intel

What Intel Opens Up?

Key Territories are found in Training Journals 15 & 16

I hope you all are getting excited about participating in intel this year! It is such a neat time to develop intimacy with God, listen to His heart, grow in our prophetic gift AND make an impact for the Kingdom of God. What fun!

Intel opens up so many things. Since each event is comprised of a new combination of people and the target is different, we get to be sensitive to the new thing God wants to release. Each time it evokes a new thing in us and others. It becomes a two-fold blessing.

A video will come out in April to discuss the foundations of Intel and our new process. You can also go on the website under Intercession to get a sneak peak at the new questions along with explanations to help you further.

Below are some recent testimonies ~

The intel assignment that I turned in last month was very different for various reasons but was for sure what Holy Spirit gave me. This morning on the prayer line it looked like nobody was going to come to me as the church had almost emptied out. A man walks up crying he buries his head sobbing on my chest and tells me his 18 year-old daughter was in rebellion and being a prodigal. Exactly what my intel was about last month! When we were done praying he walked away in total peace and smiling. Thank you, Holy Spirit. – Ray Otto

I went on a walk to collect Intel for an event, came back and wrote it all out. About an hour later my husband and I were having our weekly worship time together. Afterwards he was like, “That was amazing! God did so much! Gave me a new identity statement and everything!” and proceeded to quote all the Intel I had just collected for Allison. (God's so amazingly multidimensional!!) – Stacey Beebe

I love how intel isn't just for Graham or Allison or a particular event, it's for us also because we are all in the Kingdom and I think therefore Kingdom words. – Jodi Marie

Catalyst

Graham is speaking April 12-13th, 2018

TWC Prayer



As we stand with Catalyst ~

We declare a time of deeper trust in God's loving-kindness. We release an empowering breakthrough to each person to see the next version of themselves in Jesus.

We embrace God's vision breaking off reliance on people or institutions.

We replace freedom from performance and function with a radical revelation of the kind intentions of God.

We proclaim God's throne of loving-kindness and hope established in our hearts to displace despair and disappointment to mend hearts and bring relational wholeness in Christ.

We declare unity and equipping the Saints for active contribution to God's Reformation.

We release promises that provide: courage, fortitude and endurance.

We release trust in relationships creating a platform for individual growth and unity.

We call up an acceleration for the Dreamers and Seers and the establishment of a culture of honor.

Scriptures:

Acts 20:32 "His grace is able to build you up and to give you the rightful inheritance among all those who are sanctified."

2 Peter 1:3- "Everything we could ever need for life and complete devotion to God has already been deposited in us by His divine power. For all this was lavished upon us through the rich experience of knowing Him who has called us by name and invited us to come to him through a glorious manifestation of His Goodness."



Rebecca Schwab
New Member Coach

Training with God From Performance to Adventure

Many times I have heard the phrase, "there is so much to do!" Well, yes there is! Learning from Allison and Graham is like drinking from a fire hose and that hose has an intensity and refreshment that makes you feel like you are drowning in Holy Ghost water. It's all good, because the Holy Ghost is holding that fire hose.

**He adjusts the intensity. He adjusts the power of the water.
He will stand in the water with you as long as you want to.**

TWC has proven to be an amazing encounter with the impact of choice and personal responsibility in spirituality. This is core to TWC. It was created to have a core process with permission granted to drive your own training at the Holy Ghost pace. With this, members begin to craft their own story and experience a journey with God. (A.Bown, 2015). TWC wants members to have their passion for Jesus and powerful choices lead to joyful adventures with God.

In discovering my story and journey, I looked at Level 1, and thought, "how and when will I get this done?" I talked with my leader and she said, "let the Holy Spirit lead." I didn't quite understand. I wanted her to tell me how, but those three simple words led me down an exciting journey with God and I discovered my story.

Level 1 teaches about soaking and resting in God for as long as you like. I hadn't done this before, but it was where Holy Spirit wanted to start. He had to teach me to journey with Him and allow Him to lead. It took a while for me to surrender and to just sit with Him, but it became beautiful, joyful and a time that I didn't want to end.

**We discovered together and the overwhelming feelings of the level began to fade.
He guided me to the areas He wanted me to tackle and we grew together.**

It took 18 months for me to get thru Level 1 but I was on His journey and discovering the story He wrote for me before I was born.

In those 18 months, TWC core values of permission granted to have my passion for Jesus and powerful choices to lead my journey never changed. TWC instead rejoiced in my growth. Permission granted is a powerful weapon against our enemy and one that when walked in, shifts mindsets from performance to adventure.

Enjoy the joyful journey and discover your story. We will rejoice with you!

- Rebecca



Susan Morningstar
Warrior Team Coach

Training Call

Hearing the Voice of God

I got to host a call on one of my favorite topics, “Hearing the Voice of God.” Each member brought such richness, sharing testimony after testimony of unique ways God revealed His heart to them. What impacted me most was the incredible atmosphere of hunger, passion, and intentionality – and the deep love for God and excitement to **know Him** all the more, so evident in each heart.

Being able to grow in our ability to hear God, to stay in ongoing communication with Him, is the foundation of all that we are and do as warriors.

- To discover our true identity and learn to live from that place, we need to know how we are “known in heaven.”
- To be able to reveal God’s nature, “who He really, really is” we must see, encounter and hear Him.
- To become warriors who “love the majesty of God” seated in heavenly places and who “fight FROM victory”, we must abide in His thoughts, behold His beauty and carry His heart and power.
- To become prophetic intercessors who “pray WITH God” bringing heaven to earth, we must be able to hear, receive and release the prayers of His heart.
- To become mature “sons” trusted by Him with much, we must become fully responsible for our own growth – through our intimate relationship with Him.

Jesus Christ coming to earth to reconcile the world to God is the central event of all history; the cross of Jesus Christ is at the center of the good news He brought. The vertical post of the cross is longer, taller, further reaching than the crossbar; even so, our ‘vertical’ relationship with God is the center, the very heart, of our life in Him. Knowing Him, is everything.

There is nothing that so grows a child, a warrior, than an intentional pursuit of God Himself for who He is; I could hear the romance and wonder of THAT woven through all of our testimonies on this call.

SO. Incredibly. Beautiful.

How will you position yourself and your heart to hear Him more, and to have even MORE joy and fun doing it?

- Susan



Madeline Rooney
Champions Team Coach

Training Call

Making Good Choices

At the start of the Champions Team, I was given the opportunity to write a training piece on a topic of my choosing or passion. As one who adores process, writing and putting language to my process was a completely different situation. This would really be a stretch for me, yet I felt a stirring within that kept me going. As I pondered where to begin, I remembered something He had placed on my heart six months prior. My training piece would be about joy! As we moved into our Focus training, I was excited to see again how God would continue build on what He had started many months prior. Reflecting on both of those situations, I came to see that I was embarking on my dream. These words from Isaiah 49:15,16, best describe how our Focus training has impacted me. “The Lord never forgets. I have inscribed you on the palms of My hands; Your walls are continually before Me.” No matter what, God never forgets where I am and where I am headed!

As a team, I have seen our training come to life through our team calls. It is the level of dialogue and shared capacity that has brought a beautiful cohesiveness on this journey together. It has been my joy to watch Holy Spirit illuminate and bring value to our dreams that at first seemed too small or simply words on a page!

Here are some nuggets of wisdom I've learned along the way:

- When you don't know what to do, follow your heart and do what sounds like fun to you. You may be surprised to find Him there.
- Begin with what you have (Mk 8, the feeding of 4,000).
- Trust what you have received (2 Tim 3:14).
- Stay the course under pressure.
- Know your permissions and explore them.

Questions for you to consider:

1. How are you viewing your circumstances in view of the territory ahead?
Considering you have the green light to engage, what will it take for you to stay the course under pressure?
2. How can you position yourself to receive what you need for what is ahead?

- Madeline

Website Feature of the Month

INTERCESSION ARCHIVES



As we continue to focus on intercession this year, we have a wealth of resources available. Are you interested in learning more/or discovering more about Dream Interpretation or the Limitless Possibilities a lifestyle of intercession brings? What about more on the Key Territories and personal Crafted Prayers for YOU in each of these territories?

We have collected a treasure trove of training and development in these archives spanning the years from 2014-2017. Those resources were developed in tandem with our discoveries and carry many Kingdom keys we gathered along the way. To open the treasure chest and see what is inside, go to Resources/Publications/Intercession Archives.

Warrior Class Training

COACHES ARE AVAILABLE TO SUPPORT YOUR TRAINING

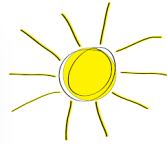


Our coaches are some of the most excited encouragers on the planet! They enjoy connecting with you and would be happy to support you in your process. All you need is a question or a point of clarification and they are ready to jump in to help you out. No question about your growth, transformation or TWC is too insignificant. They became coaches because they value the process of growth and get so much out of going through it themselves! They have experiences and tools that help them and they WANT to help YOU have the best experience possible!

New Members: We have several coaches in place to answer any questions as you acclimate to TWC. Feel free to email us at: twc.newmemberteam@gmail.com

Warrior Team Members: Our coaches will answer any questions and dialogue about your training experience. Feel free to email at: twc.warriorteam@gmail.com

All of our support info and discount codes are available in your GUIDEBOOKS. If you need a copy they are on the website under: Resources/Team Guidebooks. Feel free to email a coach with any questions, they are happy to assist! Facebook is a great place to come and dialogue about our life-experiences that relate to our training, get to know each other and much more...but keep in mind that you do have personal support from your coaches via email.



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT:



Chevy Walton
Warrior Team Member



ABOUT ME

My name is Chevonne, “Chevy’s” Walton. Chevonne means God is gracious, and the Lord has been incredibly gracious throughout my life. I am from the wonderful state of Wyoming. I started this life-changing journey with TWC in 2017 after Graham Cooke rocked my world and life through a Bible study that my church family offered at Word Alive. I am a mother, mentor, massage therapist, writer, speaker, and creative artist.

BECOMING THE BELOVED

Before I started “Becoming the Beloved,” the Lord spoke to me and stated, “Don’t let your heart be heavy. I AM with you, in you, around you. I know the plans I have for you and they are success. Trust and believe.”

God knew exactly what I needed and when I needed it. I was radically upgraded and emerged as a whole new creation by becoming the beloved. My heart and spirit grew and my yoke is now light. The Father showed me His great and everlasting, never-ceasing love for me, and my worth to Him is beyond measure. I am worthy of His great love and the Lord told me that He is proud of me and my journey.

In this great walk with the Lord and His love, He has delivered me into my identity as His beloved daughter. Without this shift and mindset change, I could not have my advances and upgrades. It was essential to spiritually behold the essence of my identity in order to become His beloved.

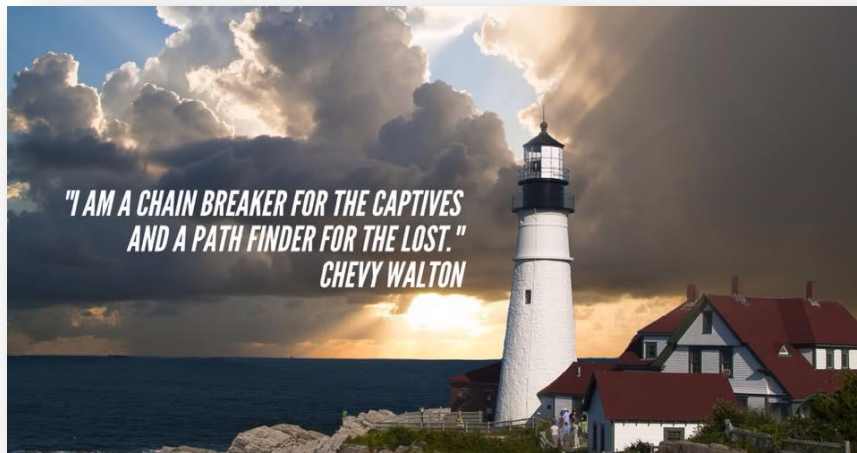
GOD’S NATURE

His love and goodness are everlasting. They are blessings wrapped in abundance of favor. God showed His love, goodness, and favor with Mary in Luke 10:38. I want to experience more of His love and goodness. He has helped me through the muddled times, and as we walk through fields of harvest, we always focus on Joshua 1:9 and Psalm 91:4. God is calling me to rise up a warrior through His great love, wisdom, and power. By knowing that I am His beloved, I am walking and growing in my determined purpose that He has set for me, which strengthens me in our relationship (Philippians 3:10).

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MY LANGUAGE UPGRADE

My thoughts and language have been set on the Most High in my traveling with TWC. My lens and mindset have been upgraded. I see from above and the Spirit. Everything in my vision and spirit has been radically changed into a new man. I see circumstances as upgrades and blessings, not as setbacks. I am blessed with moments that wake up my wonder because I have a WOW God, a living God, a God of miracles and wonders, and a risen Savior. My determined purpose is to live and abide in my persona that God sees and to fully walk in my Kingdom identity.



My Identity Statements:

- I am bold and strong as a lion, and the kindness of the lamb.
- I am a teacher and prophet to bring the good news of the Lord.
- I am a student yearning infinite wisdom from the Holy Trinity.
- I am love and the beloved of my Abba.
- I am writer to show others the way, a creative artist to bring the joy of the Lord into this world.
- I am a healer, because God healed me first.
- I am a daughter of the beloved Father with a child's heart for my Heavenly Abba.
- I am a woman of faith, a child of the Lord.
- I am warrior for Yahweh and will fight the good fight.
- I am a frontliner battle born warrior. I will not be broken, I will only grow stronger.
- I am the light to seek the lost and bring them home.
- I am full of wisdom, love, grace and mercy because I receive and desire all things Christ.
- I am a psalmist yearning after my Abba's heart.
- I am all this because God loved me first, and I am all things in Christ.