

Hello everyone. Looks like a beautiful day in Lancaster Ohio. I pray you are blessed with the blue skies where you are that we have been blessed with today.

I have to be careful sometimes not to box God in. Do you ever deal with that? I size God up in my own thinking. I know that anything if possible with God, so limiting God with my thinking is not the right thing to do. So often in life we are faced with what looks like impossible situations. I think about Lazarus. If you went to a doctor with someone that had been dead for three days ...... well they would probably call the police on you. But with Jesus, the impossible was ...... IS ...... Possible. It's important to remind ourselves of that. It's not Paul Hensley that I can depend on to solve life's problems. Don't get me wrong .... I need to use good sense, the sense God gave me. I need to use wisdom, again that God gave me, but I also have to include that variable that I can't put in a box, or size up ..... and that is God. The one that loved me enough to save me. The one that says ask what you will.....the one that says He is touched by the feelings of our infirmities. The God that owns the cattle on a 1000 hills, who knows the birds in the mountains. There is no sizing God up.

The devotion reminds us ".......so shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void". Long before I got saved, God's words had be sewn into my life. Little did I know that a seed had been planted. Little did I know that the prayers of a grandmother were bombarding heaven right along, and God was intervening. Many people had sized me up. I was a mess. But they forgot about that variable ..... that variable that you can't size up. A loving God! A merciful God .....

THE Faithful God. I remind myself of those things often. Especially when life gets messy. When the trials seem to be mounting up, and the air is filled with trouble. I remember how bad it was before God stepped in. I am His ...... YOU are His ..... if the birds don't go hungry because of His care, how much more valuable are you and I? His words don't return void. Those promises are not empty. God is not just "a" variable....... He is "THE" variable. He is a difference maker. Yes there is a big bad virus....... but there is a much Bigger God. I won't forget that when the death angel passed through the streets, that when the blood was applied, there was nothing to fear. I am thankful to have the

## blood applied.

I pray this blesses you like it has blessed me. Remember ..... God is in control. Do you have need today? He is right there. Does your situation seem impossible? With God nothing is impossible. Lean on that ...... God bless --- Pastor Paul

## April 3

Beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness.

My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith 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. For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, ... so shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall acomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

God hath concluded them all in unbelief, that he might have mercy upon all. O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! how unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!

II PET. 3:8,9. Isa. 55:8-11. Rom. 11:32,33.