ANOTHER STEP STEP OF FAITH MINISTRIES NEWSLETTER A CHURCH WITH YOU IN MIND



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## <u>Know your Identity</u>

Guest Speaker: Elder Millus "Doc" Bass

Who are you? We seek counseling to understand why God allows things happen in our life, but God already knows where we are. He already prepared the way and put people in place to deal with us in our mess. We miss it because we are insistent to be who we want to be. When we can't get off the ground, it's because we just don't know who we are.



*Romans 9:20* But who are you, a human being to talk back to God? Shall what is formed say to the one who formed it, "Why did you make me like this"? **21** Does not the potter have the right to make out the same lump of clay some pottery for special uses and some for common use? **22** What if God, although choosing to show his wrath and make his power known, bore with great patience

Isn't it a shame to go through life not knowing who you are? Sometimes we get confused about who we are and we try to be like someone else. God made us. Be content with yourself. Some hurt themselves because they do not know themselves and are looking for approval. Don't waste your life looking for approval. When you are forsaken, God will be there to pick you up. Many people border on the brink of losing it. Why? Because we are exhausted from chasing down our identity. All things that happen to us, happen right in front of God. Why does he allow these things to happen?

UPCOMING Happy Birthday to everyone celebrating in the Month of March

> Don't Miss Our Revival Friday and Saturday March 9-10<sup>th</sup> 7pm nightly

Ladies Fellowship Breakfast 3/11 Ladies Outing 3/17 Hope and healing outreach 3/18 Men's Fellowship Breakfast 3/25

the objects of his wrath-prepared for destruction? 23 What if he did this to make the riches of his glory known to the objects of his mercy, whom he prepared in advance for the glory. 24 even us, whom he also called, not only from the Jews but also from the Gentiles? When they said you were nobody (didn't count), the response is that we scramble to be somebody and defy the odds. The Lord said all you have to do is recognize that you are my people. You are

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somebody who was nobody. You were overlooked, ostracized, segregated, separated but you are a child of a living God and God is LOVE.

*The month of February was focused on the word LOVE.* Loving the Lord, loving ourselves and loving others. Love and prayer are the greatest things you can do in life, It takes heart, faith and determination to love and pray.

## Ask the Lord, "Please teach me how to love the way you want me to love."

## Sanctified and Set Apart – A Quote From Pastor

"Many times you stay in the condition you are in because of wrong company. You can poison your spirit. The Bible says you cannot drink from the Lords cup and the devils cup too. You can't eat from the lords table then turn around and eat from the devils table. You will be contaminated. The only way the devil gets in is through

- 1. Distraction and stronghold
- 2. Disobedience and laziness"

Why I Tithe



Books Available Now!!! www.whyitithe.com

> This book was prayerfully written by First Lady Constance Thornton

Congratulations to everyone who have stepped out in faith to pursue the gifts that God has created within. God doesn't give us purpose without a plan. We uplift our brothers and sisters with encouragement and love to praise his name.

Join us for fellowship in the Month of March and as always, Gerenade of Love

Saturday morning 6-9 am on KOPN.org for the best in gospel music. Join **Hosts** Pastor McBride Elder Joseph Wilson and Brother Riccardo Montgomery for wake up praise party. Facebook: Serenade Love

Straight Talk

Straight Talk invites you to listen in every Saturday

(a) 4 pm listen to 89.5 fm and KOPN.org.

Host Brother Timm Hudspeth brings you a
biweekly discussion on community and county
issues.

*Host* Brother Riccardo Montgomery brings you biweekly talks about community issues with a gospel flare.

Join the conversation every Saturday afternoon. Call the studio 573-443-8255 Special Guests for the Month of March are

- Chanedia Dixon and the cast of The Company You Keep (A gospel stage play)
- First Lady Connie Thornton of Step of Faith Ministries discussing her book "Why I Tithe"
- Erica Montgomery discussing her Imperfect Wisdom that led her to a Knowledgeable Journey. Info @ elegantwarriorinspire.com

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Learning to live the life

Sunday School Sunday Mornings at 9am Sunday School Needs You! Bible Study Wednesday at 7pm "A Class for Every Age" Sign up for Step of Faith Text Alerts Text EZKLK56267 to 31313