谁能事奉神? Who can serve God?



事奉是什么? What is Christian service?

所谓事奉,就是信主的人运用他从圣灵 所领受的特殊技能(属灵恩赐),在神 子民的团体和神所放置他的环境中,发 挥他在神永恒计划中当有的功能,去服 侍人、教会和社会。

Christian Service means believers utilizing the spiritual gifts received from the Holy Spirit to fulfil their intended role in God's eternal plan, by serving people, the church, and society in the community where God has placed them.

从事奉观来看,事奉有三个层面: The three aspects of Christian service

- 1. 生命的事奉,就是以神为神,单单敬拜礼、荣耀祂。 The life service is to regard God as God, to worship and glorify Him alone.
- 2. 圣所的事奉,在圣所(教会)事奉,如同旧约的祭司和利未人。 The sanctuary service is to serve in the sanctuary (church), just like the priests and Levites in the Old Testament.

从事奉观来看,事奉有三个层面: The three aspects of Christian service

3. 万民中事奉,进入万民中来服事人, 使人经历神的爱。Serving among all nations means entering their midst and helping them experience God's love.

事奉是神对每一个基督徒的心意 To serve is God's will for every Christian

"为什么要事奉?"



Why should we serve?

一、能更新你对神的认识(3:7-15) To renew your knowledge of God

1. 耶和华是同在的神 Jehovah is the God who is with us.

2. 耶和华是伟大的神 Jehovah is the greatest God

事奉神,生命更精彩!

Serving God makes life meaningful!



出埃及记 Exodus 4:1-17

Serving can enrich your experience of faith

1节:

"他们必不信我,也不听我的话,必说: '耶和华并没有向你显现!"

Moses answered, "What if they do not believe me or listen to me and say, 'The LORD did not appear to you'?"

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摩西担心事奉的果效: 不是法老放不放人, 而是以色列人拒绝跟从他。

Moses' concern was not whether Pharaoh would allow the Israelites to leave, but rather the possibility of the Israelites rejecting his leadership and refusing to follow him.

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- 如果主日学教不好怎么办?
- What should I do if I don't teach Sunday School well?
- 学生越来越少不是很惨?
- Isn't it embarrassing if there are fewer and fewer students?
- 查经班解错经不是罪大恶极?
- Would it be a big offence to misinterpret a Bible verse during a Bible study class?
- 祷告会没有人来要怎么交代?
- What should I say if no one attends a prayer meeting?

1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God

第一个神迹是 使摩西的<mark>杖变成蛇</mark>, 然后又变回来。(v. 5) The first miracle was turning Moses' staff into a snake, and then turning it back again.



1. 经历神的作为 Experience God's works

第二个神迹就是 使摩西的<mark>手长麻风</mark>, 后来又使他复原。(v. 8) The second miracle was making Moses' hand leprous and then healing it.



1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God

第三个神迹就是要他从河里取些水,倒在旱地上,那从河里取的水必在旱地上变作血。(v.9)

The third miracle was that Moses poured out river water onto dry ground and the water was turned into blood.

- 1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God
- 事奉真正的精彩的地方并不在于果效, 而是在于过程。 The true wonder of serving lies not in the outcome, but in the process.
- 在整个过程中,这些顺服神的人都一次 又一次的经历到神的作为。 During the entire process, these individuals who obeyed God repeatedly experienced His works.

1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God

- · 我们经历神怎样透过我们意想不到的方式 供应我们的需用; We experience how God provides for our needs in unexpected ways;
- 我们经历神怎样改变一些我们认为他已经 没有希望的人; We experience how God changes people whom we thought had no hope.

1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God

我们经历过神怎么透过人看为困难的事情,来挽回一个即将破裂的婚姻;

We have witnessed how God works through challenging circumstances to heal a marriage that was about to fall apart.

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• 我们看过神怎样藉着家庭的遭遇使一个僵化多年的母子关系重圆; We have seen how God uses a family's trials to reconcile a long-strained mother-son relationship.

1. 经历神的作为 Experience the works of God

• 我们看过神怎样藉着取去一个亲爱的人来激发一个人无比的爱心,使许多人因他得福。We have seen how God uses the loss of a beloved one to ignite a person's deep compassion and blessed many through them.

事奉主的路上遇到拦阻,不要退缩逃避,因为那就是 你经历神大能的机会。



Do not retreat and run away when you face obstacles in your service to the Lord. Instead, embrace them as opportunities to witness God's power.

对愿意冒险的人来说, 生命总是有精彩的新发现。



Serving can enrich your experience of faith

2. 经历生命成长 Experience the growth of life







生命的成长在于顺服,按照神的指示去完

成每一件事。
The growth of life lies in obedience and completing each task according to God's guidance.

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2. 经历生命成长 Experience the growth of life

从摩西的角度而言,每一次神迹还没有发生之前,他都必须相信、顺服,并照着神的命令去作才会看见神迹,他的生命在一次又一次的顺服中成长了!

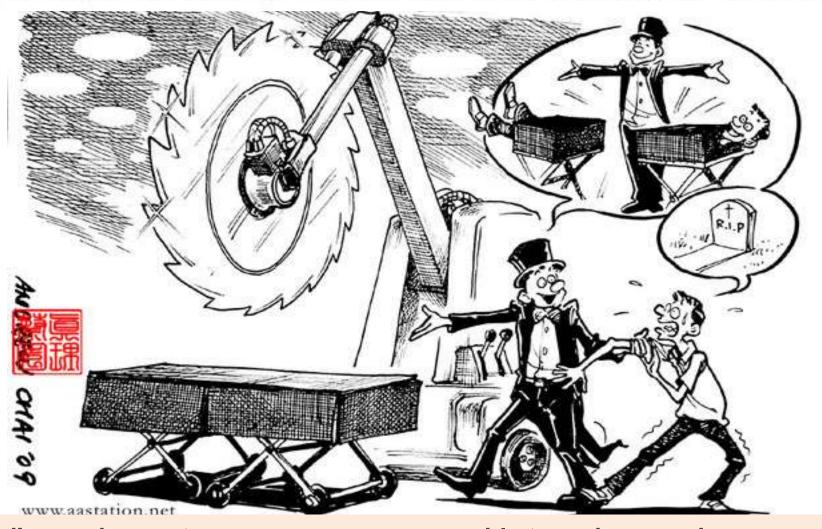
From Moses, before each miracle happened, he had to believe, obey, and act according to God's commands in order to see the miracle. His life grew in each act of obedience!

学习和成长不能单求知识, 更当求实践。



Learning and growth should not be limited to acquiring knowledge alone,

神的许多要求对人而言不合理,是因为我们对该事情的认识没有神认识的那么深,所以只要信靠顺服神就没有问题了。



God's requirements may appear unreasonable to us humans because our understanding of the matter is limited compared to God's. However, if we have faith, believe, and obey God, there will be no issues.

- 神透过事奉开发我们生命新的领域;
- God develops new areas of our lives through our service;
- 神透过事奉发掘我们内里隐藏的潜能;
- God unlocks our hidden potential through our service.

- 神透过事奉中同工的配搭磨炼我们的生命,使我们品德更成熟;
- God refines our lives through collaboration with co-workers in our service, making us more mature.
- 神透过同工的相处帮助我们认识自己的强点和弱点; God helps us to recognize our strengths and weaknesses through our co-workers;

- · 神透过事奉中的挑战考验我们坚韧的毅力; God tests our perseverance through challenges in our service.
- 神透过事奉上的挫折操练我们对他的紧 紧倚靠。 God trains us to rely more closely on Him through the setbacks we encounter in our service to Him.

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2. 经历生命成长 Experience the growth of life

弟兄姐妹,你的生命和10年前有什么不同?

Brothers and sisters, what differences are there in your life compared to 10 years ago?

参与服事是你不能缺少的管道,来把自己的生命操练得更成熟。

Participating in service is an essential channel for maturing and refining your life.

- 可能也许这些你都知道,只是你面对一个非常实际的问题:我真的不懂!
- You may know all of these, but you are facing a very practical problem: I really don't understand!

2. 经历生命成长 Experience the growth of life

摩西也想过这个问题,但是放心,因为神可以借着事奉提升你成事的能力。

Moses also struggled with this question, but rest assured that through service, God can enhance your ability to succeed.

三、提升你成事的能力 (4:10-17)

Serving improves your capacity to achieve tasks

4:10

摩西对耶和华说:"主阿、我素日不是能言的人、就是从你对仆人说话以后、也是这样、我本是拙口笨舌的。"

Moses said to the LORD, "O Lord, I have never been eloquent, neither in the past nor since you have spoken to your servant. I am slow of speech and tongue."

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事奉神不应将眼目专注在自己身上, 而是专注在神身上。When serving God, one should not focus their eyes on themselves, but on God.

因为Because......

三、提升你成事的能力 (4:10-17) Serving improves your capacity to achieve tasks

1. 神必赐下恩赐 God will give gifts

事奉不只是靠本能, 更是靠恩赐。

Serving is not about relying on one's own abilities, but on the gifts given by God.

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1. 神必赐下恩赐 God will give gifts

4:11 耶和华对他说、谁造人的口呢、 谁使人口哑、耳聋、目明、眼 瞎呢、岂不是我耶和华么。

The LORD said to him, "Who gave man his mouth? Who makes him deaf or mute? Who gives him sight or makes him blind? Is it not I, the LORD?

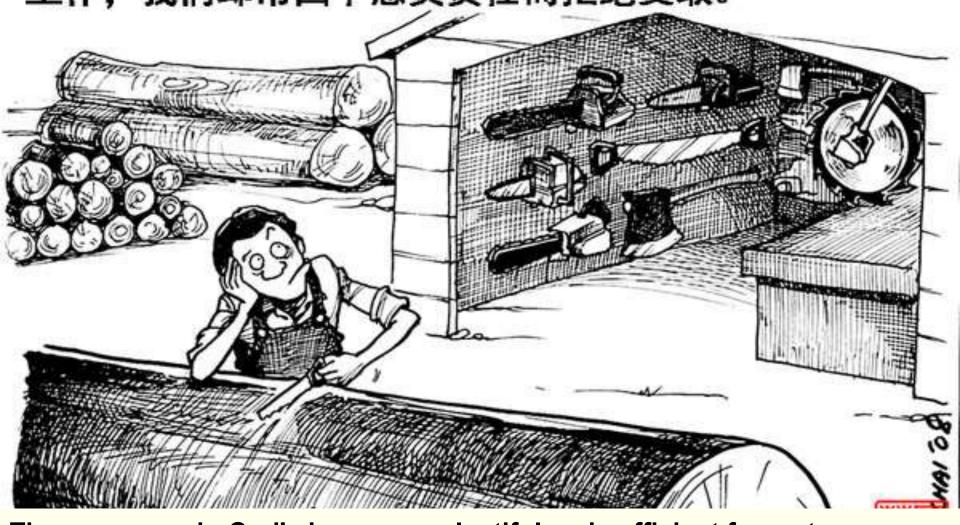
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1. 神必赐下恩赐 God will give gifts

4:12 现在去吧、我必赐你口才、指教你所当说的话。

Now go; I will help you speak and will teach you what to say."

神家里拥有丰富的资源,足以让我们完成他所交付的工作,我们却常因不想负责任而拒绝支取。



The resources in God's house are plentiful and sufficient for us to accomplish the tasks entrusted to us, yet we often choose not to utilize them due to our reluctance to take on responsibility.

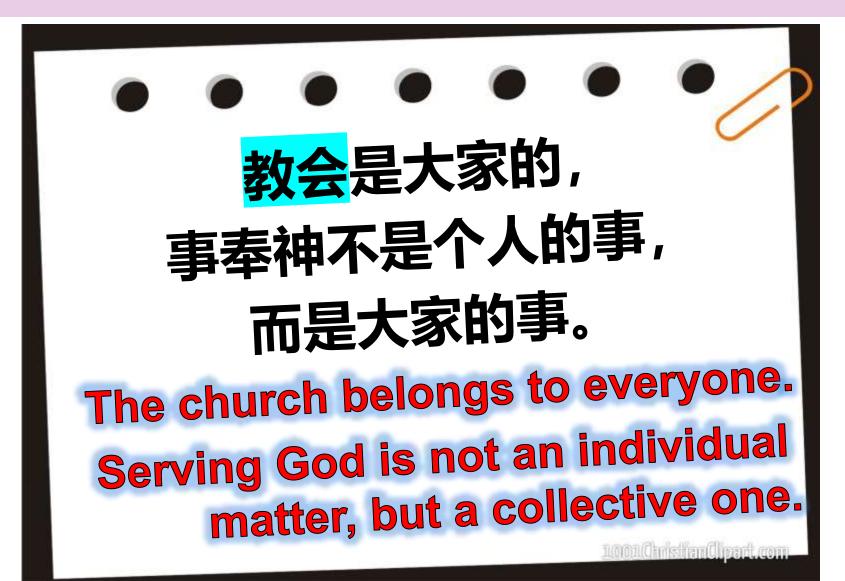
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4:13 摩西说: 主阿、你愿意打发谁、 就打发谁去吧。

But Moses said, "O Lord, please send someone else to do it."



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2. 神必预备同工 God will prepare co-workers

4:14 耶和华向摩西发怒说、不是有你的哥哥利 未人亚伦么、我知道他是能言的、现在他 出来迎接你、他一见你心里就欢喜。 Then the LORD'S anger burned against Moses and he said, "What about your brother, Aaron the Levite? I know he can speak well. He is already on his way to meet you, and his heart will be glad when he sees you.

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4:15 你要将当说的话传给他、我也要赐你和他 口才、又要指教你们所当行的事。

You shall speak to him and put words in his mouth; I will help both of you speak and will teach you what to do.

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2. 神必预备同工 God will prepare co-workers

4:16 他要替你对百姓说话、你要以他当作口、 他要以你当作神。

He will speak to the people for you, and it will be as if he were your mouth and as if you were God to him.

Serving improves your capacity to achieve tasks

没有一个人拥有所有的恩赐, 也没有一个人完全不需要其他 的人,因此神建立了"教会", 使我们能彼此配搭、取长补短、 同心同行来完成事工。

No one has all the gifts, and no one is completely selfsufficient, so God established the "church" so that we can complement each other, learn from each other's strengths and weaknesses, and work together in unity to accomplish the work.

结论 Conclusion

摩西的40年

三個階段都是四十年 摩西他第一個四十年他學了一句話

I am something.

第二個四十年他學會另一句話

I am nothing.

第三個四十年他又學會了一句話

God is everything.

结论 Conclusion

信主这么久 after believing in Him for so long,

你对神的认识是什么?

How well do you know God?

你对神的真实大能经历了多少?

How much have you experienced the true power of God?

在事奉的能力上又成长多少?

How much have you grown in your ability to serve?

你的信仰生活精彩吗?

Is your spiritual life fulfilling and exciting?

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