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Daughter



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DEVOTIONS TO GET YOU
THROUGH THE YEAR

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I dedicate this book to my Father Mr. Elmer E. Pickell, who without question has been a wonderful example to me of my Heavenly Father's love. I also dedicate this book to all daughters both young and old who for whatever reason or circumstance, lived without a natural father in their lives. Please allow this book to serve and remind you of the fact that indeed you do have a Father, and He will never leave you or forsake you. His love is unconditional. His love is sure. His love is genuine and available for you always and at any time.



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INTRODUCTION

“We maintain a balance by allowing our Father’s Words to live and move freely in us becoming the primary priority force in our lives.”

-Adrien D. Crutch

Dear Sister,

This book is intended to be read as a devotional on a month to month basis. Although simple in delivery, there are significant practical and spiritual truths contained in each lesson. The idea is to center in on the “*Daughter Mentality Focus*” given for each month. Each lesson has a work plan for you to apply divine insight. Stay in faith as you read each scripture, pray each

prayer and daily declare the month's faith confession. Keep in mind, once you pray, it isn't necessary to pray the same prayer again. However, your faith confession should be confessed daily to agree with the prayer you've prayed. All scripture reference comes from the King James Version. I highly recommend The Message Bible or The Amplified Bible as companion references to help you better understand the scripture text. Hopefully, you will keep this devotional in your personal library. This devotional is intended to be a yearly reference and review. It gives me great joy to share some of the things I've learned as a daughter both naturally and spiritually. May the Lord bless and keep you close.

"I am Adrien, Daughter of the Most High God. I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus. I am justified, sanctified, predestined for greatness on purpose, strategically placed and saved by grace through faith. Signs and wonders do follow me, and I live my life totally pleasing the Father."

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JANUARY DAUGHTER MENTALITY “I’M FOCUSED ON MY ASSIGNMENT”

When I was a little girl, my father taught me how to ride a bicycle. I remember one day in particular, my dad instructed me on how to balance while riding a bike. Earlier during the day, daddy removed the training wheels off my bike. He would then hold onto the back of the bike and run me down the block. My instruction from dad was to look forward consistently and keep pedaling. I could hear him in my ear saying, “go, go, go!!! Go

Boop!” Daddy and I did this for a while until I was laughing and assured that I wouldn’t fall. Then my dad said “okay, let’s try again, are you ready?” I was very excited, and it was a lot of fun having daddy run behind me as I rode my bike like a big girl. My dad then said to me, “now, don’t you look back, just look forward and keep on going.” He looked at me and asked “okay?” I said, “okay.” Then, we took off. Daddy was running alongside me, holding onto the back of my bike. I was pedaling, looking and moving forward just like he told me to do. Then I did the unthinkable. I looked over my shoulder to tell my dad I was doing just as he said. As I did so, I discovered my father had stopped holding onto the back of my bike, and I was riding and balancing myself under his instructions. As soon as I realized I was balancing and moving forward on my own while my dad stood by watching and cheering me, I began losing balance leaning over until I hit the ground. My dad came running over to me, and I begin to have a serious conversation with him. I asked him,

"Why did you let me go? You know I can't ride by myself." To my surprise, my father started asking me questions of his own. He began with, "What did I tell you to do? Didn't I tell you not to look back? Didn't I tell you to keep pedaling and keep going forward?" I replied, "Yes daddy but, (tears coming down now) I can't ride by myself." My father then said these words to me, "Just do what I've asked you to do. Let's try again." I answered, "okay daddy, but don't let go of the bike again." At that point, my dad spoke the words that encouraged me to live peacefully with him many times through the years. My dad said this to me, "don't worry about what I'm going to do, just do what I asked you to do."

Spiritual Truth

So many times we try to do things our own way and totally forget what our Father has instructed us to do. Even worse, we try to figure out, at times, just how He's going to work out our circumstances. It's not for us to figure out "*how*"

our Dad is going to do what He's going to do, but rather to "*trust*" that He will do what He has promised. Our part is to follow His every word.

Power Prayer

Father, I give you honor and praise for who you are. You are my teacher and my King. You rule supreme in my life. Father, I know all good things come from you. I'm asking you to lead me and guide me as I start this year off doing all that I'm supposed to do and being all that I'm supposed to be through your grace and strength. Help me to hear your voice clearly. Father, I depend on your guidance to help me get to the place you've designed for me. Lead me in the paths that are right for me. Father, help me recognize and avoid any traps, snares, distractions, evil or wickedness devised against me. Help me to follow your every word. In Jesus Name, Amen

Faith Confession for the Month

I am well able to walk in the plans my Father has for me. It's a good plan. I'm looking forward and moving ahead in my purpose. I am balanced

because I do exactly what my Father tells me to do. Jesus is Lord of my life. All of the Lords plans for me are accomplished and His Word is faithfully being fulfilled in my life. In Jesus Name, Amen

JANUARY POWER POINTS

Watch your words.

Resolve to say in agreement only what the Lord says. Don't allow yourself to say things that contradict what you are capable of doing through His strength.

Watch your thoughts

While you are moving forward toward greater accomplishments during this month, focus your thoughts on doing exactly what the Lord has said or shown you to do. Meditate on your assignment and your faith confession as you say it daily.

Watch your emotions

Don't allow an emotional roller-coaster of ups and downs affect your assignment. You know what your assignment is, and our Father has equipped you with everything you need to accomplish it. Stay in control of your emotions and do your assignment.

Create in your Image Nation

Close your eyes and create exactly how you see yourself accomplishing your assignment. Create a scenario of the things you see yourself ach-

ieving as you move forward doing your purpose. Design yourself a successful assignment accomplishment.

Control your Actions

You are in control of what you do. Just as the ant works her assignment on a daily basis not needing anyone to stand over her to make sure she gets her work done, so are you capable of doing what the Lord has called you to do. Think about what you have to do, pray always, then do it.

PULL IT IN**January Daughter Mentality Focus****“I’m focused on my assignment”**

What can you do in each of these areas to achieve the Daughter Mentality focus for this month?

In your relationships

In your spiritual life

In your finances

In your health & fitness

In your personal development

Stick to the plan!

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE**Proverbs 16**

Commit thy works unto the LORD, and thy thoughts shall be established.

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.

Job 5:8

I would seek unto God, and unto God would I commit my cause:

Psalms 37:4-5

4 Delight thyself also in the LORD; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart.

5 Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass

John 10:27

My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.

James 1:22-23

22 But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves.

23 For if any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass:

Psalms 138:8

The LORD will perfect that which concerneth me: thy mercy, O LORD, endureth for ever: forsake not the works of thine own hands.

John 2:5

His mother saith unto the servants, Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it.

