

## **DOING GOD'S WILL**

Those who are in Muar are supposed to build Muar. Singaporeans are to build Singapore. Malaysians are to build Malaysia. We get better nourishment at the place where we are born.

**1Ch 11:1** *Then all Israel gathered to David at Hebron and said, "Behold, we are your bone and your flesh."*

**1Ch 11:2** *"In times past, even when Saul was king, you were the one who led out and brought in Israel; and the LORD your God said to you, 'You shall shepherd My people Israel, and you shall be prince over My people Israel.'"*

**1Ch 11:3** *So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron, and David made a covenant with them in Hebron before the LORD; and they anointed David king over Israel, according to the word of the LORD through Samuel.*

May God help us see things in proper manner and perception.

Everyone is a leader whether we know it or not. Somebody is watching our lives. If we are a bad example, it's very easy for people to follow because most people like those who are weak. And if we follow a weak leader, so many times we will find out that the leader won't be able to lead us to the other side.

Corporate destiny is very important. People are selfish and full of ego and own agendas. All these things complicate their leadership. We want to be a good leader but these things will cause us to stumble.

The change must come in the likeness of the Spirit. If we can't see what God is raising us up for, we will turn aside and forget how we look.

If we do the right thing, God will follow us. God will never follow and chose a lazy bum to be an apostle. All the apostles of Jesus are not lazy. They were all working before they followed Jesus. Allow God to train us in the house and we will become a useful instrument to the city. God must be building the house; the house that we grew up, the house of God, the house of our brothers and sisters, etc. God will raise up brothers in a certain way so that we can have the balance in our lives.

If we want to change the world we have to be cheerful. Nobody follows a depress person. We lack active leaders who can show expressions on the face.

We want to become useful and significant.

## **1. God must have a great destiny for us so that people who follow us will be blessed**

It is no use people following us and they get stuck. We must pursue the destiny in our own life so that when people follow us they can receive their destiny.

The greater the vision, the more people can consume what God gives to us. Help those who are trustworthy. Put them through a course or give them resources for their education. If we want to change the world and be a good leader, we must be doing great things and lead the way. If we have nothing, there's nothing to help. What we have must be able to accommodate others.

It is easy to become a politician because if we do what is right in the church, we will just duplicate it 10 times. We learn how to handle people in the church. We train to challenge the devil and put it in the right place. If we can talk to God, we can deal with the devil. Then we don't have to be afraid of other men.

God has to help us take our leadership to the next level so that we can help more people. The bigger we grow, the more we can supply. God must increase my level of competency so that we can become a greater blessing. If we want to bless people greatly, we must be great. We cannot bless people greatly if we are suffering miserably.

## **2. We must not only be a shepherd, we must be a prince**

*"You shall shepherd My people Israel, and you shall be prince over My people Israel."*

When we are a shepherd, we feed the sheep. When we are a prince, we govern. If we only feed them and meet their needs, they will go in a cycle and have other needs in the future. The need centered life will not be cut off.

We must put into them government. If we want to be a leader, build government into them so that they can stand on their own 2 feet without depending on us.

*"Going beyond needs, growing beyond needs"*

God does not want us to just meeting our needs when He created man. He told Adam that the tree of fruits, Life, knowledge of good and evil are there in the garden. Adam has to pluck the fruit himself to eat. He wants him to meet his own needs. People have a problem of looking at other people to meet their needs. Make sure we don't eat the wrong fruit.

*"I will help people meet their needs because I can meet my own needs."*

If we can't even find ways to manage our own lifestyle, we are in trouble. If we have a simple lifestyle it is simple to manage.

### **3. If we want to be significant, people must know what God wants to do in our life**

The people must know what God wants to do in our life so that the testimony of our life will bring the right people into our life. That's why we must hear what God is saying and know what God wants to do in our life so that we can invite others in. When we don't know, nothing moves.

*[Read the life of Jehu]*

If we want to change the world, people around us must know what we stand for. People must know the price that we are willing to pay.

Nehemiah knew what to do and didn't tell anybody. He surveyed the whole area and studied the area. Nehemiah has the grace to govern and the power to prevail.

*Neh 2:15 So I went up at night by the ravine and inspected the wall. Then I entered the Valley Gate again and returned.*

*Neh 2:16 The officials did not know where I had gone or what I had done; nor had I as yet told the Jews, the priests, the nobles, the officials or the rest who did the work.*

Nehemiah was sent by God to rebuild. If we are a leader, we must hide things from people who can steal them until we find the right people.

*Neh 2:17 Then I said to them, "You see the bad situation we are in, that Jerusalem is desolate and its gates burned by fire. Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem so that we will no longer be a reproach."*

We must know when to tell the people of things to happen.

*Neh 2:18 I told them how the hand of my God had been favorable to me and also about the king's words which he had spoken to me. Then they said, "Let us arise and build." So they put their hands to the good work.*

*Neh 2:19 But when Sanballat the Horonite and Tobiah the Ammonite official, and Geshem the Arab heard it, they mocked us and despised us and said, "What is this thing you are doing? Are you rebelling against the king?"*

*Neh 2:20 So I answered them and said to them, "The God of heaven will give us success; therefore we His servants will arise and build, but you have no portion, right or memorial in Jerusalem."*

After surveying the place, we show them what they can understand and let them catch the vision. This is what is expected to us as people of the house. We must say let us arise and build together.