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THE POWER OF  
*Partnership*



# Strength in Every Season

by EMILY JAMES

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As November arrives, calendars start filling up—work deadlines, holiday plans, family gatherings. This season can feel chaotic, even

overwhelming. And maybe, beyond the busyness, you're also walking through a valley of your own, the kind Psalm 84 calls the Valley of Baka, or "the valley of weeping." It's the place where strength feels thin, tears flow easily, and the journey seems impossible.

But time in the valleys is never wasted with God.

Psalm 84:5-7 says, *Blessed are those whose strength is in you, whose hearts are set on pilgrimage. As they pass through the Valley of Baka, they make it a place of springs; the autumn rains also cover it with pools. They go from strength to strength, till each appears before God in Zion.* (NIV)

What begins as a valley of weeping becomes a place of refreshment. That shift happens when our eyes are lifted from our circumstances and fixed on God. Author Carlos Whittaker says, *"We often gaze at life and glance at God, when we were made to gaze at God and glance at life."*

It's like strength training; growth doesn't happen instantly but through steady resistance over time. In our spiritual valleys, God often uses the "time and tension" to strengthen us. Sometimes He even asks us to set down our pride or control so we can lean on Him fully.

This month, as life speeds up, pause to ask: What is my gaze resting on? When it rests on God, even a valley—or a busy season—becomes a place of renewal and strength.

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# A Flood of Thanksgiving

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**M**y heart sank as I awoke to find the floor of our camper soaked with water. "No! Not again, Lord," I thought.

I'd rushed to tear out the inside of the RV, remove any mold, and lay new flooring so our two toddlers could be safe—all while living in it. So much had gone wrong. I'd been injured, and now I needed to rip out the floor *again*.

I couldn't afford this kind of mistake.

The worst part was how hopeful we'd become the night before after the roof held up under a terrible storm. Then instead, the place had flooded from the *inside* due to a leaky faucet.

Shock gave way to desperation, and then my heart filled with rage. How could God let this happen? We had an agreement. I'd asked for help, and He was supposed to answer!

There was no solution but thankfulness—through a return to the cross.

I had to bow before God and yield my sinful self to Him. God had promised that *I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me* (Galatians 2:20 ESV).

Jesus had given His life to get me to the Father's side, and He had promised His presence in life now. I had a reason to be thankful! And my angry, fearful old identity had been buried. I didn't have to be that man anymore.

As a new man, I could give God thanks. As His Word reminds us, *Be content with what you have, for he has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you"* (Hebrews 13:5).



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# THE POWER OF *Partnership*

As the days grow shorter and the chill of November sets in, our hearts naturally turn toward the holidays—a season filled with gatherings, generosity, and the joy of giving. At **The 700 Club Canada**, we are continually humbled by the faithful support of our partners who make it possible for us not only to share the Good News of Jesus Christ across our nation, but also to extend His love in practical ways.

Your generosity doesn't just sustain this ministry—it flows outward into the lives of thousands across Canada through our partnerships with frontline organizations. Each year, we have the privilege of coming alongside ministries that meet people at some of the most difficult points of life—whether in hunger, grief, addiction, imprisonment, or exploitation—and shine the light of Christ's hope.

This month, we are highlighting two ministries that your faithful giving has blessed. Each one uniquely embodies what it means to bring comfort and joy to those in need.

## **PRISON FELLOWSHIP CANADA— ANGEL TREE PROGRAM**

Christmas can be especially painful for children with an incarcerated parent. For Indigenous families in particular, the separation and stigma often compound the challenges they face. Through the **Angel Tree program**, Prison Fellowship Canada partners with churches and ministries across the country to deliver gifts on behalf of incarcerated parents—restoring a sense of connection and dignity to families who feel forgotten.

Last year alone, more than **300 children and 125 families** experienced this life-giving connection. Many also attended summer camps staffed by caring mentors who shared the love of Jesus. This Christmas, your partnership helps ensure that Indigenous children in remote communities, and children across Canada, know they are not forgotten—that God's love reaches even into the hardest places.

## **CORNERBEND GRIEF MINISTRIES— HOPE FOR THE HURTING**

While the holidays bring joy for many, they also magnify loss for those walking through grief. **CornerBend Grief Ministries** steps into this tender space with Christ-centred empathy and practical support. Through resources, workshops, and community events, CornerBend equips people to walk alongside those who mourn, ensuring no one grieves alone.

This Christmas, their special initiatives include three impactful events designed to bring comfort to grieving hearts. Attendees receive resources like *The Little Black Funeral Dress*, along with simple expressions of hospitality—meals, conversation, and presence—that embody the truth of "Immanuel, God with us." With your help, CornerBend is able to shine the light of Christ into some of the darkest valleys people face.



## All In: Living With Undivided Faith in Jesus

by BILL MARKHAM

Co-Host, *The 700 Club Canada*



Have you ever wondered what it really means to be all in for Jesus? It's not just about believing—it's about surrendering everything we hold

onto and trusting Him with it all.

In Luke 5 (pause and read it if you can), we find the story of Simon Peter. After a long, exhausting night of catching nothing, Peter is cleaning his nets when Jesus steps into his boat. Think about it—his boat was his livelihood, his security, his very identity. Yet when Jesus asked for it, Peter said yes. And what Peter surrendered became the very platform for Jesus to reveal His Word and His character. Jesus follows Peter's first step of faith with a deeper challenge. Jesus told Peter, "Put out into deep water." The "deep water" represented the unknown and uncertain. Peter initially pushed back—"We've tried everything!"—but then spoke one of the most powerful statements of faith: "But because You say so, I will." That single act of obedience changed everything. The nets overflowed with fish, but more importantly, Peter's heart overflowed with faith. For the first time, Peter truly saw himself—and he truly saw Jesus. That moment of surrender prepared him for his greater calling: not to catch fish, but to reveal Christ to the world.

**The pattern is the same for us:** Focus: fix your eyes on Jesus (Hebrews 12:2). Surrender: release what you hold most tightly. Purpose: Let Him use your life so others see Him.

**A challenge:** What "boat" is Jesus asking you to surrender? Take one step of obedience this week—and see how He meets you in the deep water.

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### TOGETHER, WE GIVE BACK

As we prepare for the holiday season, we want to pause and thank you—our partners—for your faithfulness. Your giving makes all of this possible. Together, we not only proclaim the hope of the Gospel, but we also live it out through the love we extend to our neighbours.

This year, as you gather with your loved ones and celebrate the joy of Christmas, know that your generosity is bringing joy, healing, and hope to countless others. Because of you, families are fed, children are remembered, women in recovery are encouraged, the grieving are comforted, and survivors are given a future.

Truly, this is the heart of Christmas: Immanuel—God with us.

Thank you for giving. Thank you for caring. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus in this season of hope.





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### AN OTHERWORLDLY ENCOUNTER

Emotionally wounded and relying on alcohol to get him through, Jeff had little hope until one day he was involved in a devastating car accident—and his soul left his body. What happens next is almost unbelievable.



### THE YEARS THE LOCUSTS HAVE EATEN

Years of conflict and an emotional affair led Dani and Monte to divorce. But that wasn't the end of their relationship. You won't want to miss their unlikely story.



### ON THE OTHER SIDE OF PTSD

Growing up, Ben was surrounded by dysfunctional parents and bullies. He thought the military would give him purpose—but what he saw left him traumatized. Yet, there was hope on the other side of his suffering. Watch and see how God turned his life around for good.

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For those looking to create a meaningful, lasting impact through their estate plan, this one-hour webinar hosted by Abraham Somavarapha and our partners at Advisors with Purpose offers practical, professional guidance on how to include charitable giving as part of your legacy.

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# ENTER INTO HIS REST



By Gordon Robertson  
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As we prepare our hearts for Advent, there's an invitation from God that we often overlook: "Enter into My rest."

In times of stress, suffering, or unanswered questions, it's natural to strive for answers, to ask, *Why am I going through this?* Often, we make futile attempts to solve, fix, and carry the weight of every burden. But Scripture shows us a better response—one rooted in faith. It's an invitation from the Lord to step out in faith and surrender.

Hebrews 4:10 says, *The one who has entered His rest has himself also rested from his works, as God did from His.* This isn't just about taking a break—it's about laying down the burden of striving. It's trusting that God has already worked out the solution.

Entering into His rest means we stop rehearsing the problem and start remembering His promises. It means we quiet the noise of fear and listen for His voice. We give thanks not for the hardships we encounter, but to the God who walks with us through them.

This is what Advent reminds us of: *Immanuel—God with us.* In every moment of anxiety or uncertainty, He is present. We don't have to carry it all. We can cast our cares on Him, because He cares for us (1 Peter 5:7).

So as you reflect during this season, ask yourself: Am I striving, or am I trusting? Am I clinging to control, or am I resting in Him?

God is not asking you to fix everything. He's asking you to believe that He already has. That's the rest He offers—a peace that passes understanding, a confidence in His faithfulness, and the quiet assurance that He is with you.

May God bless you as you say yes to His rest today.

*Scripture is quoted from the NASB.*

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