

The Faith Script

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*“Be exalted, O God, above the heavens,
And Your glory above all the earth.”
Psalm 108:5(NKJV)*

[Prayer Wall](#)

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Recently I was traveling on a busy eight-lane highway when I noticed a large object lying in the road. Vehicles in front of me swerved to the left and right in an effort to avoid hitting what appeared to be about a twelve foot steel pole. By the time I could react, a truck in front of me clipped the end of the pole sending it up into the air like a missile. I tried to swerve out of its path, but was not able to avoid it completely. The pole came down hard on my car and the impact sounded like a bomb exploded. It hit my driver’s side mirror first and then bounced off the back of my car. Part of my mirror was left in pieces on the highway. I was shook up, but very grateful that the pole did not come through my windshield or the roof of my car.

While this unexpected accident caused me a few moments of being upset about the cost of repairs to my car and the amount of time it will take to have the repairs made, I know this accident could have been so much worse. When I told my story to a friend he said, “God is not finished with you yet.” I thought about his words and how many times we say and hear similar comments and never really ponder very much what those words mean. This time though I thought more about my friend’s comment because I felt that I had just experienced something that could have taken my life. My friend’s words were a fresh reminder that God has something for me to do. Indeed, God is not finished with me and He is not finished with you.

When we think about how fragile our lives are and our dependence on God for his protection, it becomes clear that God does have us here for a purpose. He has a plan for our lives. Often I get caught up in the everyday concerns of life and forget that God has a higher purpose for me. How about you? Do you also get caught up in the business of life and sometimes lose sight of the big picture? God’s Word reminds me that this is an important subject to Him. He tells us in Ephesians that we are chosen and predestined! “In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will,” Ephesians 1:11 (NIV) A well known and loved scripture in Romans reminds us, “And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.” Romans 8:28

We may not always be sure where God is calling us, but one thing we can always be sure of, He is calling us according to His purpose – to share the Good News and advance His kingdom here on earth.

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