

Devotional: Day 24: Unwrapping the Gift

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God has placed a great treasure inside you.

A treasure of such great value, it cannot be measured, or weighed.

He has placed a gift inside of you, No money or earthy wealth could repay.

So why do you hide it. Why do you shy away?

Do you not know that He is waiting?

Yes ... waiting for you to unwrap the treasure inside you.

So what are you waiting for?

Is it a bright, blinding light?

Or a burning bush: alight with God's presence, yet the leaves and the branches do not wither away?

Are you waiting for a loud booming audio voice, one that resonates with every molecule in your body?

Or is it fear? Fear which holds you back, stopping you from stepping into what God is calling you to do?

Do you not know that God is waiting?

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He is waiting for you to unwrap the present He has given you?

Waiting for you to step into what He has prepared for you?

What is holding you back?

Is it the unknown?

The unknown path you are to walk, the one not trodden before?

Is it the fact you will have to let go and let God take control?

Do you not know His plans for you are for good and not evil?

So what is holding you back from unwrapping the gift He has placed inside you?

Do you not know what this gift is which I am talking about?

Do you know what it is?

It is His very Self; His very presence.

He has gifted you with His very presence?

Can you imagine how awesome that is?

That the creator of heaven and earth chose to reside in you?

That everywhere you go, you carry the presence of God?

So why are you afraid to shine the light?

The Light of the world, which He placed inside you?

Let it shine.

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Do not be like an empty lamp stand without oil, because of what use is it?

But be continually immersed in His presence, in His Holy Spirit, ready to shine out the light burning deep inside of you.

Remember you have been chosen by God for such a time as this. It was not by accident you were put on this earth at this moment of time. God's planning is perfect!

You have a great destiny to fulfil. Believe it!

You have greatness inside you!

You don't have to look for greatness. He has already placed it inside you. So once you believe it, and walk in it, you will find that greatness will touch everything around you. And it will not be because you are good at what you do, although that is part of it.

But it will be because you are just being you ... just being who God has called you to be!

So Remember to unwrap the gift God has placed inside you, with a child like faith.

And go forth and let your light shine!