



Little Lambs Inc

A John & Eileen Sala Prison Ministry

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Mothers Day! Why did God create us so that it is necessary to have two people, a male and a female, to produce a baby? And humans make babies without an expensive laboratory and equipment or a controlled environment. God's plan is 'and two become one.'! **Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.** KJV Gen 2:24 That new "one flesh" carries both his mom and dad inside himself along with seed to produce more of himself.

Two people- a mom and a dad, a male and a female, loving each other. This provides that 'baby one' with a godly, loving environment so he can grow, be different and have his needs met until he learns to meet his own needs. God knew the physical dangers a young child would face and the emotional challenges in their future so He provided stability by giving the child 2 loving parents.

The God-given roles of Mother and Father are perhaps the most important roles we will ever fulfill. These roles determine the character of the next generation. To have a godly home is in opposition to our culture. It takes brave mothers and fathers to limit the cultures influence on their children. This requires very secure parents in the Lord, and we have only about 18 years to build this foundation.

Some of us have failed, we have let the culture countermand Christ. We have yielded or been silent at strategic points. We now have abortion on demand that says God didn't really mean to create you. He made a mistake. We have gender-reassignment which is really saying, God made another mistake when He gave you your sex! We have given mothers the right to play God when pregnant! A kid soon learns God is not all that powerful! So our kids grow up with a little g god instead of a big G God. They lose all fear of God. *There is no fear of God before their eyes. Rom 3:18*

Part of God's plan was for a husband and father to love God, their wives and children and model that love before his children. They would grow up knowing what a male, a husband and a father should be and do. The greatest gift a father can give his children is to love their mother! Mothers are to model that same love towards God, her husband and children so that they would not be confused about their role later in life. Children's pre-frontal cortex of the brain, the seat of judgments and self control and personality, do not mature until they're 25-26 years old. So confusing gender messages from our culture have a profound effect on a child without life-experience and maturity to fully understand the path they are taking or to make sound judgments. Your influence is powerful. The relationship between the father and the mother will set the tone in the home and health of the children.

Mothers and Fathers, be aware of the holy calling from God to give your children a firm biblical foundation and prepare to be profoundly blessed!

Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies. The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil. She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life.

Prov 31:10-12

A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband. Prov 12:4

Every wise woman builds her house. Prov 14:1



Dear John & Eileen, I am writing to thank you for the lesson you have provided "The Word Of God, The Creation". I am not new to the Word but I am young in it's understanding of it. You have given me enlightenment about so many questions that is often asked of me or statements made about the Bible to which I vaguely knew the answers but didn't truly have an understanding, such as "Who wrote the Bible? Why did they write the Bible? How was the Bible written? just to name a few of the questions I have faced. I used to feel hopeless and helpless because of my current situation but through the Word of God I have found hope and Salvation. I have searched other teachings and have found no other way to lift the burden that I felt but through Jesus Christ. It is a journey of patience and persistence that allows us to receive all that God has for us and through faith we can acquire all that is required. Once we have the requirements, we now have to put things into action and live as we believe. I write this and am amazed at the words being written. It is God working in my life. I pray God's continued blessings upon your efforts to spread His Word as you are doing. I am a student for life. Yours in Christ Jesus, KD, FL *only one lesson!*

To Whom It May Concern, Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is BK and I am a born-again Christian Inmate serving time in the Federal system. My date of re-birth is Nov. 16th 2018. and just like a new born, I am dazzled and amazed daily as I walk hand in hand with my heavenly Father who showed total mercy on me and placed me in confinement to get my attention. I am so excited that this has happened. I wasn't looking for Jesus, and as it ends up, He wasn't lost. I was lost and he found me!! I was a Pagan following the Wiccan Faith for over 20 years and now I am Proud and honored to proclaim Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. My captivity was a total blessing and although I am now in prison, I have never felt so free and enveloped in total Joy!!

I serve a loving Father and together we are about to embark on several amazing journeys that will expand his kingdom while I am here on earth. Please send me more information on your ministry as well as any resources you may provide to incarcerated servants of the Lord. With love, gratitude, and Blessing, BK *Of course we enrolled him right away. He will a great testimony for the Lord.*



Dear Sisters and Brothers, I'm very sad to have graduated your Bible study program because I enjoy our correspondence sooooo much. Do ya'll have any others that I may do? I'd love to keep in contact with ya'll !!



THANK YOU ♡

The graduation gift you sent me brought me to tears! (crying heart) I have a desperate need of a good study

Bible... it's beautiful! 🥰 I'll always cherish it! May God bless ya'll in all ya'll do! Remember, God loves ya'll and I do 2! Huge hugs and Eternal life! 🥰 Lovingly your sister in Christ. YL, Tx

We hope that this bible becomes her dearest companion throughout her stay in prison and in her life. We pray that it seal to her, her worth to the Lord. Her excitement is contagious!

To whom it may concern"

Thank you so much for sending me the first lesson in the Sala Discipleship Training Series!! It made 🥰 my day .and not to mention, I received it on my birthday so I definitely appreciated my "birthday card"!!

I really enjoyed completing the bible study. It was really encouraging to study the Word of God and see scripture reflecting it's importance in my daily life!!

I write in the spirit of thanksgiving for your wonderful ministry!! I can't wait to get my next lesson in the mail. Until then, your entire ministry will be in my prayers!!! Thank you and God bless you all! In Christ, AP, Tx

Dear All at Little Lambs and Sala Ministry:

Praise the name of our heavenly Father first & foremost. Praise Him!

We, this unit is currently on a major lock-down/shake - down. This place has gone and will continue to get worse. I predicted two or three years ago, at least by 2018 and no later than 2020, this unit would become super violent. Why?

This place is turned into a 'medical' unit. And people on the outside so, "So?" Well, a lot of people take meds that alter their ways. Since my major seizure in 2014, they have had me on the wrong meds at first; then, not enough; too much; then stopped which can be deadly, cause a stroke or cause more seizures. I got the latter. I can get really angry for really no reason. Yet, others are pure NUTZO! However, it is clearly apparent the guards are trained to be guards only. They are clueless on how to handle a person with seizures or other major illnesses. The gurney, we call 'the ambulance', the trained medical person walk and talk as if nothing is going on. When they arrive, and the person is dead; they pick up the body.

There have also be a sharp rise in stabbings, being hit in the head with a small fan motor, stuff like that! The illicit drug use is unbelievable. Major fights are now daily.

One dude walked by me 'rapping' with a black eye, cuts on his back (not all on the same day receiving such), but was saying, "You know I'm sorry, I know I'm no good, I'm worthless to others, and I hate my mom, friends, and I know there is no God..."

It's cold. No heaters. The vents are on. I still praise our Lord for He saw me and loved me to die not only for me, but for the world. Amen. HP

Please make this you man and his institution, it's administration, a matter of urgent prayer.



Another urgent prayer request

With this lesson I'd like to add a very important prayer request, if you don't mind. A guy here on our unit was recently killed by another inmate and I'd just like everyone out there to pray for him, his family and friends, just everyone involved with this situation. We are currently on lockdown status and have been since March 7, 2019 because of this situation. But I continue to do God's work, and what He has planned for me!! Thank ya'll for every lesson and I'm looking forward to my lesson!! God bless everyone there and the work ya'll do to help inmates receive God's Word!! Your friend and brother in Christ, WA

Dear John & Eileen,

Hi, this is Brother James and thought I'd send you a brief letter because I was transferred to another prison. I don't know if you remember me. I recently got myself into some legal trouble and was facing life without parole. While fighting my case for over 2 years in the county jail, I believe there was a transformation over my soul and a facelift where this face went from the lights being out then someone turned on the lights!

I think a lot of people get caught up in wanting to live on earth forever. I believe you can be dead and still be upright and your heart still beating. But there's a difference between living and feeling alive through Christ.

I'll take death in the flesh and all the things material-wise that this world has to offer and trade it in to live for Christ. I know while I was in that county jail and my life was like a boxer in the ring and I was cornered and there was no way out from the punches I was taking from my opponent. And just when I thought the odds against me were going to win and defeat me, the Lord stepped in and said my life was worth saving. I do hope you remember me. Christian friends are hard to come by and I got rid of old acquaintances and bad habits and examples of that life style. My friendship network is small and if I can be honest with you, it gets real lonely doing this righteous walk and dropping old past friends. Write soon, Your Christian friend, J

Dear Partners,

April was a whirlwind. And I mean whirlwind. My ceiling leaked and water dripped from every part of the ceiling in my laundry. Faulty new roof!! The challenges keep coming, but we are victors over all.

As graduation nears for our local GCBI school as well as our Hogar Resa, we will miss the students. Although here under different circumstances, both will greatly impact young peoples lives. Jan will miss her sponsored student, and I will miss Keith, Director of the Sebring Hogar. Keith has helped us with so many things at the ministry and at home this year. He is obtaining his CDL license and plans to travel as work. Also graduating will be the Hogar Resa State Supervisor and Sebring Hogar resident, Aldo Guzman. He became a dear friend and always a joy and a help. We have often basked in the gratitude shown by these men. Aldo married during his last segment of the program and continues to work with courts throughout southern Florida. He keeps the 6 Hogars at capacity. I recently toured the latest home on Gloria St in Avon Park. It has been gutted and beautifully done and is welcoming place for senior staff of the program. The men are so proud of their work. Feel free to visit any Hogar and ask for a tour or call Aldo for a tour. They love to show off their handiwork and blessings.

We also completed a three day seminar on Anger Management with a total of 11 people attending and graduating. All have now met their court ordered demands or Parenting Classes. "Woke" is a new cultural term added to Merriam-Webster, that means a new self-awareness, striving for something better, roused from an inactive state. This term reminded me of the attitudes of the class. I pray that these men and women stay "woke", awoken to a new self-awareness and the effects of their behaviors on those around them, and action to change. It was great to see several of the guys requesting to photo the illustration on the board of the dysfunctional family to show their wives at home. A sudden awareness of dysfunction rampant in the home! We pray that they will seek God as never before for wholeness!



Left, first man standing, is our own Monte Dowling, featured in the local newspaper. Monte is a Monday volunteer and printer and has served God with Little Lambs for almost 10 years now. A Navy veteran from Lake Placid, Monte also volunteers with Hospice at The Manor in Sebring, a dementia unit. The military veterans held a 'Salute' for the six vet residents at the home. Monte also trained and became an auxiliary state trooper while working with us. He is often called to work big accidents, fog, or ball games, even Daytona races. It seems that between all his volunteer activities and visiting his large family, he has no time to be idle. We tease him that you almost have to make an appointment to see him he's so busy! We do appreciate all his help through the years as he has worked alongside his father-in-law and his wife, both now deceased, for Little Lambs.

As Mother's Day approaches, I think like my friend, Boon. I wish I had known the things I know now when I was raising my children! I am a different person now from then. The greatest difference is that I know God. God has changed me. I had a few years with my children as a Christian but I began unsaved and without the peace of God. Knowing God makes me a better grandmother. Whatever the state, the gift of our children, a loan from God, is our greatest joy and our legacy. I pray that God take all our lives and glorify Himself more and more in every way. Happy Mothers Day to all those who are raising children and raising spiritual children.

With all my love,
Eileen Sala

Schedule MAY 2019

Mon...Avon Park Prison Bible Study

Tue...Marriage & Family/Biblical Boundaries Avon Park Prison

Tues...Bible Study @ Hogar Resa Sebring With Rev. Joe Valentin

Wed... Overcomers Bible Fellowship Church @ 6 pm

Thurs..Released to Love, Women Codependent recovery @ 6:30 pm @ Little Lambs Inc

Thurs..Marriage & Family /Biblical Boundaries . Avon Park Prison

MAY 11...Graduation Hogar Resa Sebring Civic Center 2 pm

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