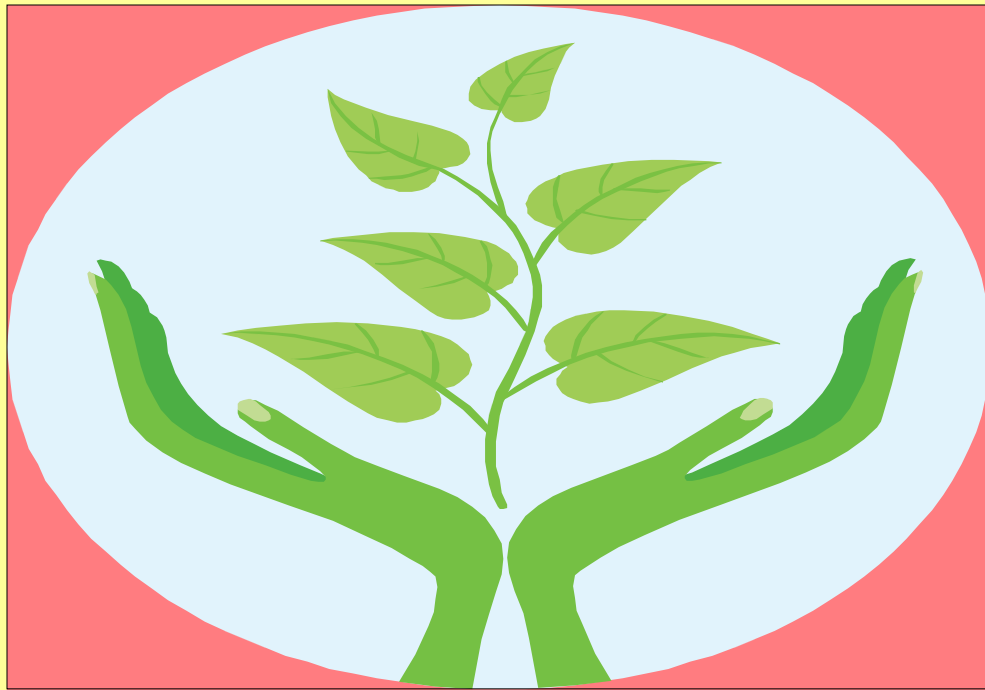


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Welcome to the second edition of "The Jane Doe Diaries". I trust that you and others have come to a place of comfort and security within our FATHER, his son JESUS & the HOLY SPIRIT.

Deuteronomy 32:3-4 (NIV)

"I will proclaim the name of the LORD, Oh praise the greatness of our GOD! He is the ROCK, his works are perfect & all his ways are just. A faithful GOD who does no wrong, upright and just is he".

This month I have the privilege to share with you the testimony of Jane Doe 1953. May we all be constantly reminded we are the apple of GOD's eye.

Jane Doe 1953

Dear Diary,

If I forget everything may I always remember the love of God.

This is one of my earliest memories. Even before I knew what or who God was I felt His love. I felt safe, secure and special. I can remember running through the fields with the wind blowing in my hair, the sun warming the air to a gentle breeze and the power of the moment that this day, this time was made just for me and whoever made it loved me very much. I know now this was my GOD, the one that knew me before I was born.

Then I met my parents. I knew they loved me but it was different than the love I had felt before. My mom had two miscarriages one before and one after me. She was always afraid something bad was going to happen to me. She loved God, but her God was strict, condemning, and you were to fear Him. The only time I can remember God's love being mentioned was in the song "Jesus Loves Me" If I would mention things I felt I was silly or didn't know what I was talking about.

Slowly the love of my God was replaced with a God that was condemning, judgmental and you just never had a chance. I never seem to fit in with anyone or anywhere. I was taught the Ten Commandments and the Golden Rule and that if I did something wrong and my parents, didn't catch it he would. I was doomed before I got started. I would wait because I wasn't smart or pretty and everything I did good or bad was wrong. I waited for God's judgment on me. All that I felt about me was my punishment for not being what I was suppose to be.

He did but it surely wasn't what I had expected. However, I know now that GOD always was there for me. He would say "You are my child and I love you!". I would say "Why look what I've done again and again". He would say "Because you are my child and I love you". He said it until I believed it.

Today I have been through addiction, loneliness, death of love ones, moving to find myself etc. I found something that I had misplaced but he never misplaced me. He was in my heart waiting patiently on me keeping me safe, loving me when I couldn't face the day or love myself. When He wasn't carrying me, He was walking along side me never to leave me or forsake me but be my refuge and my strength. He died for the very sin I committed. He went through them again and again forgiving me telling me how much he loved me and invited me back to that place where I felt so safe, so secure and so loved. I said "Yes **LORD** I am your child and I know now you love me and always have and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever and ever".

SO IF YOU DO NOTHING ELSE TODAY KNOW THAT GOD LOVES YOU ALWAYS. MAKE THAT COMMITMENT TO HIM. INVITE HIM INTO YOUR HEART & LIFE. ASK HIM TO FORGIVE YOU OF YOUR SINS. KNOW THAT HE IS IN EVERY PART OF YOU AND LET HIM GUIDE YOU, LOVE YOU AND LEAD YOU HOME. GO AND SIN KNOW MORE. AND KNOW THAT IF YOU DO HE WILL FORGIVE YOU AS YOU FORGIVE YOURSELF AND OTHERS.

Roman 8:38-39 (NIV)

"For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any power, neither height nor depth nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of GOD that is in CHRIST JESUS our LORD.

Jane Doe 1861

2010 Dear Diary,

I've re-written the following entry three or more times. What has been revealed to me is that the topic of abortion is a very serious subject that we as Men and Women of America need to take a stand on. The topic deserves and warrants the truth.

Over 29 years ago I made the wrong decision and aborted my child at the age of 16. I pray that someone will connect with my experience and make the right decision and choose life no matter what the circumstances.

You see when we are afraid, ashamed and selfish we open the door to Satan which allows him to do what he does best; lie, deceive and ultimately try to destroy the will of God. "Many are the plans in a man's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails." "Stop listening to instruction, my son, and you will stray from the words of knowledge." Pr.19: 21,26.

At 16 I was confused and allowed my mind to validate my actions. I had many excuses; my age, my plans for college, the shame of having to go on welfare, the shame on myself and my family. The how's and the what's flooded me until I thought I had solved my problem. The mental consequences of my choice did not arise until I was married and attempting to conceive my first child. Again I found myself flooded with emotions that I thought I had stuffed deep down never to rear its ugly head again, but I was wrong the devil had attacked my mind again.. However there was good news God's word entered me and reassured me that he was not punishing me. I had done a good job of that on my own. I was reminded that all have fallen short of God's glory, but if we repent and go forth and sin no more we will be blessed. We serve and awesome God that forgives us and that nothing can separate us from his unconditional and enduring love. Jesus Christ has bore my sin and by his stripes I'm healed physically, emotionally and spiritually.

Never make any decision no matter how great or small with out consulting our heavenly Father. For God's word will guide and reveal his purpose in your life. Never rely on your own understanding as I did at 16. Just as Isaiah 55: 8-9 (NIV) makes evident that "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD. As the heavens are higher than the earth so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts." He has a plan for your life if we would just sacrifice self and allow the Father, Jesus and the Holy Spirit have their way. For everything that God sets his hand to is perfect and right without a flaw or blemish. We are his children who he will never forsake.

I have learned several lessons since 1981. Life is not greener on the other side. Life itself is precious and very short. We are but a vapor on this earth. We need to live each day as if it were our last and love our fellow man. Never deny the word of God for it is our instruction to having a fulfilling life and to help others obtain the same blessing.

I also know that what Satan meant for my destruction I now use to help others who need counseling, guidance and making the right choice LIFE and most importantly LOVE.

In closure I paraphrase Pastor Jerry "Your flesh will take you to places and depths you never thought you would go."

Deuteronomy 30:19 (NIV)

"This day I call the heavens and earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life & death blessing and curses. Now choose life so that you and your children may live"

I leave you with MUCH LOVE

Jane Doe 1861

For those who want to share their resurrection from what ever depths they have come out of or are still struggling with, I encourage to participate should you be moved to do so. I suggest you respond as follows: janedoediaries@hotmail.com. You can sign your works Jane Doe or John Doe with a specific number or lettering that will enable you to share and remain anonymous.

June 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<i>1</i> Council Meeting	<i>2</i> Men's Prayer Group @8:30	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i> Boy's Game Night	<i>5</i>
<i>6</i> Men's Breakfast 8am	<i>7</i> Missionary Meeting	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i> Men's Prayer Group @8:30	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i> Girls Sleep-Over over	<i>12</i> WVCU Graduation
<i>13</i> Sunday School Graduation	<i>14</i> Women's Ministries Mtg	<i>15</i>	<i>16</i> Men's Prayer Group @8:30	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i> Gospel Sing, Helvetia
<i>20</i> FATHERS DAY	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i> Men's Prayer Group @8:30 Am	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i> Teen Challenge	<i>26</i> Teen Challenge
<i>27</i> Teen Challenge	<i>28</i> Kid's Crusade	<i>29</i> Kid's Crusade	<i>30</i> Men's Prayer Group @8:30 Am Kid's Crusade	JULY 1 2010 Kid's Crusade		

Praise and Worship Practice

Youth - Wednesday 6:00PM - 8:00PM, Youth sanctuary

Adult - Wednesday at 7:00PM, Sanctuary

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Meets at the home of Vicki Homes on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 8:00pm, and led by Carrie Luzader 304.452.9569

Cell groups:

All meetings begin at 7:00PM

Sunday

The Middle School Youth Group meets at 6:00PM on Sunday evenings in the fellowship hall, and Joyful Noise (Middle School Dance Team) meets at 7:00PM on Sunday evening

Sunday @ 6pm

Thomas & Sonya Akers

“The 411” Ages 18 to 25 are welcome.

For more information; contact The Akers's 304.517.3030 or 304.517.3333

Thursday

Prayer and Bible study

For more information, please contact Kevin Hanifan at 304.472.8405

OTHER INFORMATION

******June 12, 2010******

WVCU

Graduation

2:00 PM

Main Sanctuary

CONGRATULATIONS

Pastor Murrell.....Masters Theology

Pam Lloyd.....BA Theology

Cheryl Smith.....BA Theology

Elizabeth John.....BA Theology

Wesley Brown.....BA Theology

******June 25, 26 & 27 2010******

TEEN CHALLENGE

Friday evening service, Saturday Jawbone Park Joan Knight 1-4pm

Sunday Morning Worship

See Margie Mitchell 304.472.7453

******Take A Stand For Jesus******

June 26, 2010

1:00 PM thru 4:00 PM

At Jawbone Park

Buckhannon, WV

NO FEE REQUIRED

******June 28, 29, 30 2010 & July 1, 2010******

Kid's Crusade

See Lynn Tenney

******Women's Ministry for Widows******

June 21

See Carol Biser 304.472.0028

*****New Beginnings Prayer Meeting*****

June 22, 2010 @ 10am

Will meet every other Tuesday

See Mrs. Susie Moneypenny 304.269.2386

OTHER INFORMATION

******PLAY DAY******

Every Wednesday
12-4 pm
See Wesley Brown
304.439.4662

******Operation Christmas Child******

Solar Calculators
Stuffed Animals
Needed.
Collection tote can be found
in the rear of the
Main Sanctuary

******Women of Faith Conference******

September
Cleveland, Ohio
See Sharon Boone 304.472.8706

******Central West Virginia for Pregnancy Care******

304.473.1122
Strict Confidentiality

*******SPECIAL NOTE*******

If you have left items here
at the church, please take them home.
Help us keep GOD'S house
Clean & in order
THANK YOU

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