



## Give Your Yes by Kaylee Leaman

Deuteronomy 10:12 says "And now, Israel, what does the Lord your God require of you, but to fear the Lord your God, to walk in all His ways, to love Him, to serve the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul." This is just the beginning of a beautiful portion of God's words to us, and I would encourage you to read the remainder of chapter 10 before you continue reading here.

I was struck as I studied this with how simple these commands are. We are to serve Him. He simply requires our yes. Our yes to taking up our cross and following Him daily. Our yes to church on Sunday after your children kept you up at night. Our yes to meeting a friend who needs someone to cry with even when it is your only free night that week. Our yes to sharing the gospel to that stranger who is crying out for answers. It's not easy but it's simple. Serve Him with ALL your heart and ALL your soul. Christian, you are not promised tomorrow. Our days are numbered by God Himself so do not tarry in following Him to the fullest of your ability. Today matters for eternity so don't waste it. Verses 14-15 speak of how all the heavens and the earth with everything in it belong to the Lord, yet the Lord chose the people of Israel. What a gracious God. Ruler of the universe yet He set His heart on His children. As Gentile Christians we have been grafted into this family of God, and that means that we also have the same responsibility to serve Him fully like He described to the Israelites in Deuteronomy 10. Let us not forget what He has saved us from. My prayer for myself and for each of you is that we would be motivated out of gratitude for this, to serve Him well today. What is He asking you to say yes to today? Don't overcomplicate it. The will of God is simple. He wants us to do the next thing that brings Him honor and glory. This could be sharing the gospel with a crowd or doing your household chores with a cheerful heart. Be bold for Him as He was bold for you. Jesus was faithful to say yes even when it meant His death. We owe Him our very lives. What is He asking of you today?

*Lord, we are so grateful that You have chosen us to be Your children. Give us courage to respond to that gift every single day with a willingness to say yes to what You ask no matter the cost to us. May we be willing to sacrifice our comfort, worldly pleasure, even our very lives, in order to bring You glory. Our days are not our own, and our reward is being stored up in heaven. Would You give us an eternal perspective? Help us to see beyond the here and now. Amen.*

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WOMEN'S MINISTRY MISSION STATEMENT: Encouraging women to connect in deeper, genuine relationships both with each other and with Jesus Christ.



# Making Connections

Meet **Reenie Hoover**.

My name is Reenie Hoover. I am married to Glenn; we have just celebrated our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We live in Hatfield where I lived my whole life. We have three living children – Matt lives in Hatfield and works as a Mechanical Engineer for CHL. Lindsey bought a home in Perkiomenville and works as a Radiation Therapist at St. Luke's Cancer Center in Quakertown. Eric is currently pursuing his passion for videography & film in London. We are thankful they have chosen Christ, and I love to see how the Lord works in their lives. I love to spend time with the 5 of us – whether being game nights, mountain trips or just sharing a meal and talking.



I've been blessed to be born and raised in a closeknit, Christ-centered home. I was brought into Franconia church as a baby and have chosen to make it my home church. My parents are Elva & Paul Mininger: Mom lives at SMH, and she just celebrated her 94<sup>th</sup> birthday, and I have been blessed to have her as a wonderful role model in my life. Dad went to be with the Lord at age 61--from a brain tumor. At the time, I was 27 and a new mom to Matt. We all struggled to understand God and His plan through it-- but for me it was one of my biggest spiritual struggles that God & I needed to work through. I am the youngest daughter. I have two older sisters who are both a part of Franconia -- Janet Alderfer and Carol Landis. I am so thankful for them and their friendships. Glenn's parents-- Willis & Mary Hoover are both with the Lord. Both of their deaths were unexpected (just 9 months apart), and this too left us with a lot of questions – but we are so grateful for the Christ focused lives they lived.

God has been so faithful in many areas of my life. One of my greatest joys currently is being part of the Shine Team. We are starting our fifth year, and it has been so amazing to see how God has grown the program and how He's working in these kids' lives. We love to see how their knowledge of the Bible continues to grow. We pray that the Lord will be the true light for each of them. It is a commitment at times but, like many things, God always rewards us greatly. We would love to have you join us--just ask one of the team and we will share or answer any questions. Our team is Janet Crawford, Renita Leatherman, Kathy Moyer, Jaselyn Ramos, and me.

*My current favorite verses are – Lamentations 3:21-23 "But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope. The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; Great is Your Faithfulness."*



# Get Involved!



Feed My Starving Children event was held at Berean Bible Church in Pottstown on Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for taking time out of your evening to make a difference!

### Exciting Facts:

We packed **478** boxes that night.  
That is **103,248** meals;  
That's **282** kids fed a daily meal for a year!!!



**October Wednesday night Bible studies**  
**October 8, 15, 22, and 29 at 7 PM**

### Other Upcoming Activities

#### Sewing Circle

Tuesday, Oct. 14

8 AM – 4 PM

#### Prayer Shawl Ministry

Tuesday, Oct. 14 at 7 PM



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