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YEAR 2019 WINTER PARABLES IN LIFE

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NEW YEAR'S DAY, 2019

1 January 2019. Yesterday at 11:23 AM ·

Have you noticed? Walk into non-Holiday card section of any store and ~80% are birthday cards, ~15% are Sympathy. What's missing? It's a struggle to find **THANK YOU** cards. A meaning-ful & encouraging 2019 *goal*:

Tell people you appreciate them. Even when they didn't gift anything to you first... And since about 85% of my Facebook friends are *musicians>>>*

Remember to thank your Sound Production team, whether in your studio or band or CHURCH... After all: **They can make us sound like Mickey Mouse.** :) I taught the H.S./College Sunday School class how to do that to the preacher each year (with a parable & his OK, of course) >> One of their favorite lessons.

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2 January 2019. shared a post. First posted on

<u>DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com</u> <u>January 2</u> ·

https://www.facebook.com/DianaDeeOsborneSongscom-1656096334658657/ 8 hrs ·

True love *struggles* to drag a person off the railroad track

---- even when the speeding train is only yards away... My 2017 song cry-ingly asks, "HOW IS IT LOVE TO LET" people stay in DANGER instead of *insistently* warning them of a Forever punishment to come? To NOT give JOY to know Jesus loved them so much that HE came to warn as well as provide a Way To Safety: Which God ORDERS US to go tell... Matthew 28 end, Ezekiel 33 >> *WE* will be judged for casually watching

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that Eternal train of destruction bearing down on those we claim to love. We should already be judging OURSELVES as UN-loving if we think it's better to let anyone stay in danger instead of us "interfering" in Love. ... Song & Free music at http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2016-7.php --

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January 2 at 10:14 PM

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Yet another New Year here... Seems like there's been SO many, coming faster & faster. Fake math, of course ;)

My grandmother asked me when I was about 10, how old I thought she was. I very reluctantly, afraid I'd insult her, guessed "43 ??"

Took me a few decades before I figured out why she & Mom laughed and laughed when I thought 43 was ANCIENT... She was **64**.

No need to fret aging, though: God promises to take care of us who honor Him even when we're "old and gray"!! **PSALM 71 GRAYING PRAISING**Free music sheets & MP3 play at http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/PSALMS-and-Prophets.php PHOTO of cake covered with lighted candles found uncredited on Pinterest.

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3 January 2019 10:13 AM 11 mins

From DianaDeeOsborneSONGS WEBSITE FB at January 2

Have you ever been on Facebook and seen a DIRE NEED for PRAYER... and been ready to quickly type "YES, I'll pray!"... and then looked at the long-past Date--sadly?../.. GREAT NEWS in this photo of a Fact Of God... and a song draft I'm working on called RETROACTIVE PRAYERS for the Futures Tab at http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/FUTURE--P-R.php >>

**We can pray AFTER an event/ sickness/ etc for the person

& God WILL hear because He's NOT limited by Time!**

Wonderful Peace knowing we can pray for others even a long time after their post asking for Caring Prayers. Photo Credit: slideplayer;com/slide/2331496

<u>COMMENT 1</u> ADDED LATER: Psalm 37: 39 >> "But the salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; He is their strength IN THE TIME of trouble." ... LINK with other promises of God's Character in "Time":

<u>COMMENT 2</u>. Psalm 93: 2, "Your throne, O LORD, has stood from time immemorial. You yourself are from the everlasting past." (NLT)

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3 January 2019. 12:45 PM. 21 hrs

Prayer need for OTHERS this week: When SO many people are depressed after Thanksgiving family's gone home, Christmas busy-ness is over so you have time to think about being alone after the New Year's Eve party-- if not before:..... Make it a NEW

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YEAR GOAL to Pray-- right THEN--when you see someone looking really sad. (And DON'T flippantly say "Smile, God loves you!"). >> "At the Golden Gate Bridge, the world's most popular suicide destination, 515 people were grabbed by cops mid suicide attempt between the years of 1937 and 1971. A researcher in the late 70s tracked these troubled souls down, and found that **ONLY 6%** went on to kill themselves." Article by Jack O'Brien July 07, 2010 on Cracked:com continues:

"This isn't to deny that there are people in the world who have profoundly difficult problems. It just indicates that for 94%, , ceasing to exist only seems worth it for a remarkably **brief** window of time.

So whatever day of the week it is, if you're thinking of doing something drastic, it's probably a temporary trick of the mind. Sleep on it."

That's the writer's suggestion for super depressed people:

"Just Wait And It Will Get Better."

BUT people often have physical causes that were worsened by events, or lack of events like accomplishments called "successful". God may provide ops for *you to help them also by Being a Friend*. LUKE 18, Jesus: "And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart." Keep praying... and for others who are losing heart, too.

I try to not get "long" on posts... but sometimes the Sadness of others makes it hard for us to not share as much love & encouragement as we can.

<u>January 5 at 8:57 AM</u> Website photo for LAW-LESSNESS BRINGS DEATH original song at DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com January 5

Excitedly as I combed my (long!) hair this AM, I prayed THANKS! ---- to have *finally* gotten the **toy bear's song OUT of my head**-- and to realize the catchy melody & words I was singing was "my" (God's) song-- but which one? Thought it was 1 we'd already recorded (1 or 2 most weeks).. Realized NO! -- It's Bridge to song for next week shown in photo... not just Jesus's WARNING "I never KNEW you!" to people who don't honor God's Law (Matt. 7:23 etc) despite GRACE that pays the Price of Death for sins when we're sorry we did because Jesus did that (Bk of 1st John)...... but JOY that He gives Abundant Life to all who DO in LOVE for Him! John 10:10 CHOICE-- Jesus as LORD *or* Satan the DesTROYer. **Impt** scripture links > **John 8:44.**

January 6 at 7:21 AM

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Dozens of people now & in future would NOT EXIST if I had believed the CON when I was age 15 to 19: Every single boy I met was SO "dumb" (selfish, immature). I found the word "lesbian" reading dictionary L section (yep that's "me" even then! ;)) ... was *terrified* I was one because I despised guys. All I met were hurtful. TIL the one I met at 19 & celebrated our decades of marriage with last nite. If I had BELIEVED THE CON, then all our children & their FUTURE children's children would never exist-- their

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mates & children's future mates would have missed this happiness... BEING HURT is why people WANT to think they're homosexual. But their "answer" causes only worse agony in Life & After... Be kind but honest: Share God's Love but also TRUTH. WAIT on His plan (Jer 29:11-14). Don't let SATAN rush you toward Destruction (John 10:10).

COMMENT 1-6-2019. While looking for song ideas for my BIG WORDS audio album this AM, I came across the title idea TRYST WITH A SNAKE, which in my IDEAS folder on laptop, of course included source of the idea from 8 months ago-- from the FB post of a FB friend-l'II-never-meet-on-this-side-of-heaven.... God DOES use the ideas of His that you share in your various ministries. Sometimes you just don't hear about the results after you've reached ideas to people. So I encouraged him by telling him!

January 7 at 8:32 PM ·

PHOTO of an art DOODLE **PARABLE**

As my lesson to my H.S./College Age Sunday School class each year, I would have each "Draw a Doodle... anything with just one line." Most had a simple swirl that filled the paper. After teaching how Jesus JOYS in fulfilling Romans 8:28 for all of them who honor Him, I had them turn their drawing into something nice -- like a flower or pretty mountain rocks scene--- helping them think of possibilities, if needed.

Fun Art, fun lesson. THIS drawing? Adding an outline, it becomes a woven straw basket for the bunch of daisies to be added above it... by us on paper, by God in Real Life.

January 8 at 10:19 PM

Heart-BREAKing>> People raised with Islam live in TERROR that **some** 'god' named allah is going to punish them horribly--- with no hope of EVER being good enough---- Yet Christians who KNOW this hope oft worry about how they look if they tell ANY one "in person".

Facebook helps us share our faith in a GOOD way.... but how sad that we don't do it more Face to Face with people who will one day meet God Face to Face after a life of thinking He's non-existent OR as unkind & unloving as fake gods. 1st Peter 3:15... "But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with *gentleness* and respect." (NIV)...

Lovely photo by JudeoChristianChurch;com

January 9 at 11:45 AM ·

Startling find yest in Daniel 7:25> Vision from God about "one to come" whose INTENT = "change the TIMES & LAW". That happened!-- but centuries ago: The 1 Organized Church's leaders demanded that there was NO NEED to keep God's feasts anymore, & they changed HIS definition of His own Sabbath law..//...

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Sure! **We CAN still gather & worship on Sundays** -- Disciples (Bk of Acts) did *every* day... But we're missing the Joys of God-Named-YHWH's feasts-- and not obeying God's established Times while teaching "God Never Changes".

LOGIC> WHY did they kill ALL who refused the changing of Times OR who translated scriptures so people could read for themselves?? WHO created same excuses we're still taught like "to honor Jesus who rose on Sunday"? History shows: People who hated Jews. https://www.blueletterbible.org/nkjv/dan/7/1/t_conc_857025

January 9 at 10:34 PM ·

PHOTO = CHART of the 7 "I AM" statements of Jesus.

PURPOSE: To discredit people claiming FLAT EARTH THEORY based on POETRY in the scriptures including Psalms and Book of Job:

Jesus said I AM the bread... I AM the light... I AM the door...

I AM the vine... ---

and although never a shepherd in that society, He said

I AM the good shepherd...

(Photo has references from Gospel of John.)

Was Jesus literally these things? Of course not.

In grammar these are called **metaphors**, & we easily understand POETRY imagery that illustrates things & feelings beyond human words. I'm not joining in (or answering) these 1st Timothy 6:4 discussions "obsessed with disputes and arguments over words" that God decries>> God's Word is Truth but **even Jesus's parables were**NOT all <u>LITERAL history</u> in their usage for illustrating **Truth** in **understandable** ways.

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"I AM THE DONUT, the CAKE, the comfortable APPLE PIE"
trying to stop the starvation of those who THINK they're starving for *ENTERTAINMENT*,
fun, good times we used to call "church socials".

11 January 2019 21 hrs

PHOTO: quote of Albert Einstein:

"I speak to everyone in the same way,

whether he is the garbage man or the president of the university."

(used 1-11- 2017) One of my favorite IMPT movie quotes is from movie <u>OVERBOARD</u>: Roddy McDowell as patient butler Andrew says to haughty Goldie Hawn's RICH 'Joanna' role AT END, handing over her earrings] >

"You best not lose these again, madam". Joanna: [perplexed] "Again?"

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Andrew: "You will forgive me, madam" > [imitating her old way]

"Andrew! I seem to have lost my ruby earrings somewhere between 64th & 68th street. FI-....ND [find] them."

Joanna: "I've behaved so badly." ...
Andrew: [quietly] "Apology accepted, ma'am....

Most of us go thru life with blinders on. Knowing only that

little station to which we were born. But you, madam, have had the... rare privilege of escaping your bonds for just a spell. To see life from an entirely new perspective. How you choose to use that information is entirely up to you." ...

Luke 14:10 Humility.

"But when you are invited, go and sit down in the lowest place, so that when he who invited you comes he may say to you, 'Friend, go up higher.' Then you will have glory in the presence of those who sit at the table with you. For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted." -- JESUS

POST 12 January 2019. 38 mins

First Timothy 4:8 says "Exercise is of little use."

NO KIDDING. Few preach THAT verse...

YET they'll take the prior verses out of context to say "Eat any animal." Bits of simple LOGIC:

- (1) Such teachings on verses 4-7 conflict with Isaiah 66 ETC> Eating pork is an Abomination to God-- as rest of 'O.T.' says.
- (2) We rightly Teach that God does not change.
- (3) Even we humans never start loving something we've called an **ABOMINATION**.
- (4) "Food" never includes MICE or BATS: We *know* it's <u>unhealthy</u> to eat some creatures, even though people "push the limits" to eat anything & BRAG
- (5) Truth> First Timothy 4:3 <u>limits</u> edible creatures to -- QUOTE -- "foods which God <u>created</u> to be received with thanksgiving" (meals).
- (6) MOST IMPT: The ENTIRE reason why Jews reject Jesus as Messiah is because they think HE taught such things. History shows that this misteaching that First Timothy 4 were not taught for 150 years after Jesus walked on earth, by followers of The Way. Bishops of The Church were Jewish until then when Rome started killing ALL Jews.... and the New Church "govt" powers started reinterpreting scriptures like this out of context.

COMMENT 1-12-2019 re a famous pastor's newest mis-teaching:

I am glad to see that several leading pastors have stood up to him... and disappointed by his "defense" "critics needed to understand the context, especially

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since his remarks were more for an audience that is turned off by biblical arguments." In other words: He was "dumbing down the Gospel"??... Ezekiel 33's Truth reflected in 2nd Corinthians 6:7 etc should ALWAYS be our guideline: "We faithfully preach the truth. God's power is working in us. We serve God whether people honor us or despise us, whether they slander us or praise us. We are honest, but they call us impostors." :(... https://www.blueletterbible.org/nlt/2co/6/7/t_bibles_1084007

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13 January 2019. 2 mins ·9:31, No church. SNOW STILL FALLING after 15 hours.

This AM I looked at all the tiny bird prints on the snow covered deck & tossed seed wherever I saw that birds had been seeking...
Repeatedly, God's scriptures say that those who seek SHALL find.
But we don't usually find "it" the MOMENT we start looking: We have to keep seeking awhile.

God who knows when we're getting frustrated is like a Loving Father who waits--knowing we grow in faith while we keep seeking without results-- **YET throws out clues** that Feed our soul & delight us, at "just the right time!" to Encourage us!!! :) Proverbs 25:2, God gives us "glory", FUN in searching for His treasures-- Far more JOY than just "handouts"!

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January 14 at 9:43 AM ·

DianaDeeOsborneSONGS WEBSITE FB.

Not in happiest of moods. Facing another "dose" of homemade kefir didn't help. I 'survived';) & made tomorrow's batch. & gave some to 15-yr-old cat: Helps her stomach. What we 'like' & what's 'good for us' sadly doesn't always match up. But God helps when we ask, gives wisdom when we ask (James 1:5), & helps us determine our steps to do what He guides us to know truly will Brighten our darker moods. Especially reading His promises & realizing all the times "God came thru". "WHAT GOD HAS DONE, GOD CAN DO AGAIN... & Again... & again... & again" - SONG: http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2018.php

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January 14 at 10:00 PM · Photo of Ouija Board. -

January 14 POSTED to FB website page first

One lesson I taught yearly to my High School/ College Age Sunday School students was how I came to *firmly* believe in Satan before I firmly believed in God... Parents were annoyed that I'd dare to teach about the occult in church, but I demanded that youth (& THEY) need to know the Truth about Ouija boards... That shuttle is NOT controlled by "the unconscious mind", I & my friend had PROOF-- it turning TWICE by itself. I published my highest paying article about it in a huge Baptist magazine. Thanking God for His delivery & helping me find ways to teach this truth-- incl. so many

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SONGS with Scriptures about our Enemy. Samples: 2015 TAB with MP3 links, & http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/FUTURE--S-Z.php (ABC order).

My <u>COMMENT 1-16-2019</u>. <u>21h</u> <u>DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com</u> We have a CLEAR example of Spirits in Fortune telling like Ouija Boards being REAL >> Acts 16:16-18 where Paul gets annoyed with an evil spirit thru a girl. WHY? Because it was drawing attention AWAY from God's Truth that Paul was trying to teach, toward the truth that evil spirits pretend to "help" people.... Which is exactly why these NOT-a-toy boards are used... My friends & I used to ask "Will it snow??" with much hope of a day off from high school! ... https://www.openbible.info/topics/fortune_telling

My <u>COMMENT 1-16-2019 4 PM.</u> 19h 1 Chronicles 10:13 goes with 1st Corinthians 10:13 (pattern): About King Saul:" So Saul died for his UN-faithfulness which he had committed against the LORD, because he did not keep the word of the LORD, and also BECAUSE HE CONSULTED A MEDIUM FOR GUIDANCE.... 1 Corin 10:13 -- NO TEMPTATION to know the future without GOD's guidance can conquer you. Satan doesn't have that power. But you have the power to reject God's help against temptations to know what God has for now hidden from you.

16 January 2019. 11:59 AM. With cute photo of young duckling trying to climb a SNOWY high street curb, and one almost to the top. 23 hrs

It's fascinating how an obstacle that seems impossible suddenly seems do-able when someone else shows a way...such as sending Timothy "to establish you & encourage you concerning your faith, that no one should be shaken by these afflictions..." (1st Thes. 3:2-3).

Ahhh how tempting it is to get TIRED of people & want to stay Home Alone in our "nest". God knew what He was talking about in His command via Hebrews 10:25 to STOP neglecting to gather with others "as is the habit of some.".....

God is Wise. Why does that seem to surprise us whenever we see Yet Another Proof of that? -DD

17 January 2019. 11:30 AM 9 mins

Satan is an excellent **chess player** with 1,000s of years' more experience that you or I... "What would YOU do" if YOU were Satan, to con people into ARGUING until they drive people AWAY from seeking the True Creator God they claim to be "defending"?? Flat Earth Theory sure could fit Satan's "Good Strategy" column.

First Timothy 6:4 describes those who "get off topic" with Satan's SQUIRREL SQUIRREL strategies to divide us >> "...he is proud, knowing nothing, but is obsessed with disputes and arguments over words, from which come envy, strife, reviling, evil suspicions"...// FIVE of The "I AM" statements of Jesus are NEVER taken literally.

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Poetry thru the ages knows "the 4 corners of the earth" is a lovely way of saying EVERYWHERE. No sharp edges.

COMMENT 1-17-2019 DianaDeeOsborneSONGS WEBSITE FB.

Back around 2014, I was asking a <u>CCLI.com</u> rep about how to load songs onto their site, and I commented that I had a lot of songs that were built around the original AMAZING GRACE. Giselle replied with emotion, "There can NEVER be too many songs about God's Amazing Grace!"

COMMENT 1-17-2019 on post asking why Church doesn't teach REASON God gave manna ... Exodus 16:4. . ANSWER: that I may test them, whether they will walk in My law or not.

ME: Another related Q.... Why don't we ever hear the even More Miraculous Sign that God-Named-YHWH means what He said to do? >> Manna collected on Day 6 stayed good for Day 7's <u>Sabbath</u> meal so that NO WORK was needed/ done but manna collected on Day 1 (etc) was full of worms the next day when people tried to hoard it. A MIRACLE <u>PROOF</u> that God MEANS what He says!

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18 January 2019. 7:40 PM. 26 mins

I love ASTRONOMY... Stars give us reason to truly Look Up at the Creation above us... A "wolf moon" is just the folk name for a moon in January. A super blood moon, which is a total lunar eclipse that happens at "perigee syzygy" (straight line of Earth-Moon-Sun). A total lunar eclipse is called a blood moon because when these 3 all line up briefly, the shadow of the Earth casts a reddish shadow on the moon. Starting at around 7:34 p.m. PT or 10:34 p.m. ET Sunday, a partial eclipse will begin, with the full eclipse starting a little over an hour later.

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January 20 at 4:29 PM · PHOTO of Facebook thread asking: "What do you think is the #1 worst question you can ask a producer in the studio?"

and FB WEBSITE: DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com January 20 ·

I have lots of fun in some FB Groups, like GEAR TALK PRAISE & WORSHIP. One FUNNY thread this past week asked what we musicians think are terrible Qs that recording producers get asked. I gave some laughs with my answer: "Can we record this without a click track? It distracts me.";) ...//...

That click ("metronome") is what keeps us musicians "on the beat" & makes it easier for everyone to sing or play along with. People get annoyed with RULES quite often, including God's easy ones in the Bible: But "rules" are often Very good, make life easier -- & *definitely* easier on the ear than painful Elastic Timing in songs!

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January 21 at 3:15 PM · January 21 DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg
Would you WANT your house built by a carpenter who "eye-balls"
measurements, telling you how Experienced he is?? You'll need to jack up parts-- IF
they're fix-able. Most of us even measure for baking. Imagine a worship song adding
"more & more musicians & complex parts" but without a click track. "The final product is
going to very sloppy." ...

"Trust me, when you start 'Break Every Chain' too slow, the song drags out FOREVER!" WE SEE how "laws" of Measurement HELP us in "real life"-- So why Not in God's Bible? HENCE:

A lot of songs on my website are about God's GOOD Laws-- We're NOT "saved" by "works", but what God SAID was Good To Do is *still* our Goal to please Him. https://worshiponline.com/why-you-worship-band-click-track/

COMMENT ADDED 12w: "The carpenter **COULD** "eye-ball" his measurements, but as he begins to add more pieces & eventually finishes the house, that thing is going to be jacked up. When we start adding more & more musicians & complex parts, we could "eye-ball" it without a click track, but the final product is going to very sloppy. ARTICLE:

"I can't tell you how many times we've started a song a little too fast, or a little too slow, because we weren't using a click track. And trust me, when you start 'Break Every Chain' too slow, the song drags out FOREVER!" https://worshiponline.com/why-you-worship-band-click-track/

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January 22 at 9:36 AM ·

Not being trustful of any website with the word "Pundit" in its name... I searched info on one "bandied about" on Facebook. (What a cool phrase of Dad's I suddenly remembered!! ;)) ... Top results on a search call this site conspiracy theorist etc newspublishing stories ---

it declares FACT when no evidence verifies these.

PUNDIT: "a person who offers to mass media their opinion"....Plenty of *those* on Facebook, huh?!! ...

It's like a puzzle sorting good grains of rice out of the vacuum cleaner bag. Thanking God that this is a "game" in my life-- & NOT the way I live to survive, as shown in photo of cleaning wheat grain by grain... YET GOD: "Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving.." Psalm 147:7.

January 23 at 1:42 PM · PHOTO quote by John Wooden: "Seek opportunities to show you care. The smallest gestures often make the biggest difference."

Facebook is <u>NOT</u> a "Waste of Time" if you use it as a TOOL in reasonable Time limits of course: I set a Timer ;)

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BECAUSE: Often encouraging others & showing you care is the MOST IMPT thing you can accomplish in your day.... WORDS are our way to Connect to other people (or to God thru prayer). **2nd Corinthians 1:4, COMFORT others.**

Facebook is just our fastest tool to tell someone like you we'll never see "in person" on this earth: "I REALLY care & am sorry you're having a rough/ sad time"... Or: I *rejoice* with you! ...

and I've found it's a great way to share God's SONG IDEAS I've recorded with people around the world... The fancy church word is "Stewardship"... **Take Care of God's Gift of Time to you.**

January 24 at 12:52 PM ·

SO painful, watching "the news" of America & fighting wishing God would fulfill the MILLSTONE verses: If people choose to ignore God & do whatever Damned thing they want (=adjective-- not curse word)... **Even Jesus** couldn't convince people to **Choose Life** as God in love cries out to All (Deut. 30:19 etc).

We WRONGLY read Jesus's words of Luke 17:2 in a "Normal voice"...

He too was FURY-ous to think of people causing children to "distrust & desert One they should trust & obey"-- the literal Greek. To *teach* children to do what God calls an abomination? If the parents hadn't already murdered them as babies?...

And to think THEY call *GOD* evil for His *warnings* -- like of tying millstones around such evil people before throwing them into the sea... as WILL happen literally: Rev. 18:21. https://www.blueletterbible.org/search/search.cfm...

My <u>COMMENT LATER</u> If only America was LIKE nation described by GOD in Isaiah 58:... "Yet they seek Me daily,...As a nation that DID righteousness, And DID NOT forsake the ordinance of their God... They ask of Me the ordinances of justice; They take delight in approaching God." PROBLEM: The <u>Verb tenses</u>. Entire chapter is of how people <u>USED</u> to obey God... who still <u>say</u> they love the Law (ordinances) AND still pray (approach God).... <u>but have changed their love of doing what God calls Righteous</u>..... If only America was NOT like the nation God continues to address in Isaiah 58 with dire warnings

https://www.blueletterbible.org/nkjv/isa/58/2/s_737002 ... QUOTE: "doing your own

https://www.blueletterbible.org/nkjv/isa/58/2/s_737002 ... QUOTE: "doing your own ways,...finding your own pleasure,speaking your own words,...".... claiming they're describing God.

January 25 at 12:09 PM ·

"The church" (in general) has much responsibility for abortion becoming "popular" choice of girls in the 70s & 80s after legalized>>Girls couldn't figure out in those first weeks of horrible angst after confirming they were "in trouble":: WHAT TO DO? They'd seen church people scorn & gossip about other girls who "got in trouble". *I* saw that as a teen. A lot of my friends expressed this truth: "If I get an abortion, no one else will

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know." Because we all knew why some girl suddenly decided to go live with an aunt for the rest of the school year...

Even now: What are 99% of churches that are "Pro Life" doing about it? Donating some dollars out of the budget & maybe showing a short video once a year?..... If that much.... PHOTO: Ministry for girls who DID choose life.

MY COMMENT LATER: Photo source and ARTICLE on ministry for teen moms that churches SHOULD be doing-- started by Christa March in 2007 to train & equip churches to help care for these teen mothers. She'd learned in 1988 - only 20 years ago- that churches were NOT helping girls in 1980s when founded >> https://www.liveaction.org/.../next-step-ministry-serves.../

January 27 at 5:02 PM

CHEAP GRACE is a Whispering of Satan Photo 1 from teaching about Persecution in church history of people who *refused* to believe some quick prayer or payment would Earn forgiveness and Heaven... require God to give "promised grace". slideshare;net/Teaching_Missions/PERSECUTION-in-biblie-times-and-early-church/ Credit for Photo 2: CHEAP GRACE from AZ Quotes of Randy Alcorn

January 28 at 9:44 PM January 28 DianaDeeOsborneSONGS WEBSITE FB.

Mom lives 100 miles away, but sometimes we watch game shows "together" & then joke by phone about prices-- especially \$6,000 hot tubs! PHOTO caption = "A contestant on The Price is Right has walked away with a \$21,960 car for free" (Daily Mail). BUT a FREE CAR IS NOT CHEAP. **Somebody** had to pay the cost of the labor & parts to make this thing & ship it to this TV studio... The winner got a free car, but its COST was HIGH....

Song CHEAP GRACE OF SATAN-- who tells us to TAKE Christ's gift & do AnyThing You Want >> AUDIO

http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2018/CheapGraceofSatan.mp3

But: FREE GRACE HAD TRE-/ MENDOUS COST: _/
Jesus's DEATH up / on a cross. __

Song 4/4 time. LYRICS etc: http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2018.php ... Ephesians 2:4-8, "GOD, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, 5 even when we were dead in trespasses, MADE US ALIVE together with Christ... by grace you have been saved thru faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,.."

30 January 2019. 14 hrs

DO YOU REMEMBER? Elementary school... High School;) watching the clock's minute hand move inch... by inch.. til End of Day bell?? Pondering that during my 30-minute organ prelude in silent church-- my 3rd in 4 weeks> Any of these mourners thinking that? Did person whose body is in coffin ever "wish back" for

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excruciatingly slow minutes waiting for work, for church, for a boring car trip to end?....

CALVIN has it right: Time is unfair: It flies all the faster, the more fun we're having. Yet it's our choice: what to DO with our 24 hours today.

God didn't promise tomorrow on earth. But-- JOY!-- DID promise an Eternity with Him without clocks to watch if we rejoice in BE-ing with Him while here, even while the minute hand drags... 1st Thes 5:17 explained: Just talk with Him about This Minute, as a Friend He yearns to be for you. John 15 Promise.

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<u>DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com</u> <u>January 30</u>

I invented a notation method that works well for writing out songs on a plain piece of paper....

Copyrighted but free usage of **OTEN: Osborne TExt Notation method** (see website tab for free PDF downloads & videos). Examples & description at website, and you can "guess" at music notes (go up or down) if you don't have instrument with you-- later, the up/down & distance between Note letters will help you remember. -DianaDee :) >>> http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/OTEN-Method.php ... SAMPLE in photo below. AUDIO LINK (free) >>

 $\underline{http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2018/GodCanDoltAgain.mp3}$

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31 January 2019. Yesterday at 9:24 AM · Micah 6:8: "What does the Lord require of you but to DO JUSTICE, & to love kindness, & to walk humbly with your God?"...//.... I spent over an hour crafting words & researching a Q this AM-- a Q that applies to ALL of us on Facebook... Figured I may as well share: YOU'VE PROBABLY SEEN IT: People taking a comic strip panel like PEANUTS and then *CHANGING* the original words to add their own message. Often I even agree with the message-- but this is illegal and Just Plain Wrong.

Yet: Any time I SAY so-- not with "long preaching" but in simple <u>truth</u> that "stealing is stealing & the meme maker should make his OWN art work"... I get accused of Legalism. I repeat: <u>Stealing</u> is <u>Stealing</u>.

This Human Law of Copyrights reflects God's clear Law. So-- no fancy pictures & certainly not showing the meme that I took time to respond to :) ... Here's my Stand. <u>Don't bother telling me to Lighten Up</u>. GOD certainly **expects** us to Strive to do what He calls Right.... and <u>JUST</u>.

ASK: Why don't these MEME-Makers **make their** *own* artwork instead of **stealing** art that belongs to the company that spent a LOT of \$\$\$\$ to buy rights to use Charles Schultz's Peanuts characters?

It's easy to research who owns this art.... and who does *NOT* have the right to *add words*.

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1 February 2019. 11 AM 1 hr

As I huddle under a blanket after 2 hrs in my chilly basement music studio, I'm thinking of a thick "chair blanket" Dad bought when I was in High school. He was *so* excited to think he'd finally figured out what Mom would like. Money was tight and we didn't use credit cards, so he saved & saved. His hope was dashed that Christmas morn; blanket stuffed into closet for years.

Poor God: Unlike Dad, He's known since Forever how many people would hate the Costly Gift He'd planned with Love for eons....

People who still Ignore it, hide it from their minds,

and mock it whenever they happen to think of God's Precious Gift of Salvation to ALL who accept it:

John 3:16 continues on to some really scary words in verses18 & 19...

DEATH for all who Reject God's LOVE Gift that first Christmas.

February 4 at 5:40 PM ·

Simplest way to understand "Why keep God's Laws the best we can?" is a parable>>

- I love my mom.
- I would do anything I can to make her happy.
- If she told me she wanted a bed of sunflowers? in her small yard, I would **NOT** plant "roses" because "Everyone knows roses are better".
- .. ?... God's Laws tell us clearly What God Wants. Anyone who <u>truly loves Him</u> does NOT modify His clear Wants (Law) to give Him our ideas of gifts instead. And anyone truly thankful for HIS gift of grace tries as hard as possible--praying for help-- out of true Love, not to "earn salvation"....

It's not "work" to do what God wants out of true Thankfulness that we don't HAVE to do the impossible which Jesus did for us ?....

JESUS said this clearly: John 15... If you love me, OBEY me... and Jesus was there when Moses got the original Ten..... Photo credit: slideplayer;com/slide/8874506

February 6 at 11:00 AM

MY FAVORITE SOUND IS Though I'm a musician, it isn't "music"- yet IS: Ocean waves, laughter, purring, chirping?, and "I LOVE you."

February 6 at 12:16 PM · February 6 DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg It's **ONLY A SUGGESTION**... That's ALL Satan can do. He has NOT A BIT of power to *make* you do *his* will.... The opening line to this FUN GRUNGE song we

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just recorded 2 days ago. Free music download > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2019/OnlyaSuggestion.mp3 >

Do you need ENCOURAGEMENT in your battle against Temptations? This song is full of God's Word *with* scripture references so you can FIND His promises! Music sheets also free at > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2019.php ... Photo clip from Mission Venture Ministries 2015/05/25

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February 7 at 8:46 AM ·

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

"I'M FIRING ON ALL 8 CYLINDERS TODAY!!" my Dad used to declare happily during those years he managed 4 groups of people in 4 locations while driving far & doing homework for the 4-year college degree he had to get to KEEP his job. A age 12, I had no idea what he meant.

Now I do... but also know what happens when those cylinders don't work Together, in the right Timing-- If all tried to fire at once, which Dad seemed to think was a Good Life.

Psalm 46:10... May you & I find REST in GOD today... Otherwise you & I will find Life more like 8 STROBE LIGHTS all firing <u>AT</u> us, fast & scary.

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February 8 at 2:43 PM

TAUTOLOGICAL ARGUING: When you don't have enough evidence to support your belief, so you repeat the same statement in many ways-- trying to *confuse* listeners into thinking each is a separate, different evidence that you are right... NOPE: This isn't a political post. Though it applies.

It's SO SAD, how many people say they've **"given up on God"** when, in fact, it's the angry, nagging arguing of "religious people" (not necessarily in churches, as Facebook proves) which makes them GIVE UP trying to figure out God's Truth.

SO SAD that people ignore God thru 1 Tim 6:4- Don't be "obsessed with disputes & arguments over words, from which come envy, strife, reviling......."

Photo credit: xkcd;com/703

February 9 at 9:04 AM · PARABLE

How often do we DRIVE AWAY people from seeking God by GUIDING them to "shortcut" but hard scriptures instead of letting them follow the Basics until they're ready for the fun of Exploring??... I almost drove back 25 miles-- Never seeing the easy route only a bit further. >> In the 3 days between huge ALIVE Music Festival near Canton OH & CREATION in western PA... I'd go exploring each year-- No smart phones then, just GPS unit.

In its 23rd year, 2010, ALIVE had grown so much, it moved the ~30,000 worshipers to Lake Atwood-- MUCH harder to find: Tiny roads, poor maps. Main roads DC to OH-- but needed GPS since heading different way> PA.

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Completely disoriented at dusk on winding country road, NO places to ask. And GPS told me to turn onto a 4 digit road. 'NO WAY!' I yelled as I looked up the mountain that road went up. **Kept driving.** JUST 3 miles >> Easy interstate... a PARABLE of God.

February 10 at 5:04 PM · Day before we recorded TWO songs for

Psalm 18 DELIVERING HYMN and Psalm 18 DELIVERING ME >>

NOTHING can happen to us where the words God inspired in the Song of Psalm 18 cannot comfort you, me >> "I will love You, O LORD, my strength. The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. I will call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised; So shall I be saved from my enemies. 4 The pangs of death surrounded me, And the floods of ungodliness made me afraid. The sorrows of Sheol surrounded me; The snares of death confronted me.

6 In my distress I called upon the LORD, And cried out to my God; He heard my voice from His temple, And my cry CAME BEFORE GOD, even to His ears."

POST 13 February 2019. 11:45 AM .. 14 hrs

In a "Charlie Brown" mood today... and appreciating Charles Schultz's reminder thru humor that Fully Living our life involves awareness.... not wasting it. I failed for the most part today... But thank God there is tomorrow. Probably:) James 4: 13-15, if the LORD wills! https://www.blueletterbible.org/nkjv/jas/4/13/s_1150013

<u>DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com</u> <u>February 10</u>

"Good Mom, Bad Mom CHORUS"... Sometimes the hardest part of writing a song is coming up with a catchy but descriptive title! Power-hitting drums by Claxton Wilson in this original song recorded in January was inspired by a young mother who doesn't **KNOW** she's a Good Mom: >>

Defined in the song-- and by God-- **as a mother who CARES**. N o Perfection Required! Free MP3 download >> http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2019/GoodMomBadMom.mp3 ... Free music sheets on the 2019 tab of website with over 500 Songs of God >> http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2019.php ... Photo Credit: MyLifeTree;com "No Perfect Parents"

February 13 at 10:58 AM • February 13 DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com
It fills OVER 2 pages in my Bible... God's EXCITING Psalm FULL of His
promises... We songwriters can find it Daunting to craft God's inspired words into a
single modern song to help people Learn the JOY of promises >> Thanking GodNamed-YHWH (Isaiah 42:8, He TELLS His Name!) for the idea to split my 7-year-old

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draft into TWO songs, the Chorus "Psalm 18 Delivering HYMN" and the 5 song verses "Delivering ME"... both recorded 3 days ago and now on the World Wide Web with FREE music sheets & MP3 downloads at http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2019.php

May you have fun learning, thru music, "As for God, His way is perfect; The Word of the LORD is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him." (vs 30) ... just 1 of His LOVE songs to you. 2nd AUDIO (both on website):

http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/NewSongsList2019/Psalm18DeliveringME.mp3

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February 16 at 10:46 AM ·

As I re-filled the deck birdfeeder, something "wrong" caught my eye in the house. I turned fast: My rather lazy Maine Coon cat was excitedly CHASING something just inside the closed sliding door. "Ohhh, I **HOPE** she's just chasing her tail & not a critter that snuck in when I opened the door!" I 'prayed'!...

Experience: 1 mouse, a dozen lizards, and a *bat* HAVE snuck in over the years. Experience: 1 of the cats or I DO catch it in a day or 2. **But even 24 hours with it in your house is HORRID!** :) ...//... God says the same: Matt 7:15-, 2 Peter 2, Jude 1:4 & His "T" books. We must stay aware & CATCH them & Throw them OUT - not for 'intolerance' but to protect people from Destructive Deceivers who will harm them... **THIS,** God defines as" Love" --- Ezekiel 33.

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February 16 at 11:25 AM

HERESY. It does NOT mean what we were taught that it means, to "Not believing what God says, thru His Bible, is RIGHT & must be believed".

What God thru scriptures says in MANY places including Ezekiel 33:

TRUE LOVE WARNS.

For centuries, people have chosen to die fighting doctrines that changed "Believe this" into "Believe that" to become popular. Jesus included >> He was a Heretic, to Jewish leaders of his day who added opinions as if Laws to God's Word. Why are we afraid to be labeled "intolerant" because we obey Ezekiel 33 & Eph. 4:15... Speaking God's TRUTH *as* our True Love that Warns?

EZEKIEL 33 is anyone's Easy Answer >>> God declares (1) WARN people of what HE defines as Sin, and (2) it's NOT our job to convince them, and (3) But if we do NOT warn... if we Condone... **God will judge US as well.....**

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February 17 at 11:54 PM

Why God doesn't just wipe out Satan & Demons... or entities that propose great Evil and murders?? Was amazed to **really** read **Judges 3** yesterday >> We miss out on a lot of Encouragement if we read only God's Newest Words (aka the "old" testament) >>>

<u>God *deliberately left* His people's enemies alone</u>, so they'd STAY around His people. Why? God answers >>

To see if His people **"would obey the commandments of the LORD,** which He had commanded their fathers by the hand of Moses." Like James 1 says... God uses our challenges to help us GROW in patience, endurance, and most of all: Trusting HIM.

February 20 at 2:21 PM ·

Yesterday I had to decide: ??> Take time in my rush to get out the door for putting more birdseed in deck feeders as the snowstorm approaches & they're hungry??

- (1) <u>First</u> thought: I feed them to enjoy **watching** them-- and hey, why add seed since I WON'T be home for hours TO watch them?
- (2) 2nd thought: They will come hoping for food. It's KIND to give some even if I won't "benefit".
- (3) <u>Final</u> thought that I'm sure was from God: HE sure doesn't get "benefits" from His Compassion & Kindness in blessing people most of the time -- even people who ignore Him. Yet in love He still does. First John 4:19, GOD first loved US.

DECISION: Left 5 minutes late.

Still pleased this AM with that choice to set aside my selfishness.....

February 22 at 8:55 AM

FACEBOOK encourages "Write your own Question", to Up their readership:) - SO: Here's a Q>> WHAT WOULD YOU DO to save the life of someone you dearly love?.../... Suppose 'courage' isn't required? Just talking-- or just a lifestyle change, giving up something?... IF SO: Would you do that to save the life of someone you DON'T even know??.... **NOT a subject change** >>

- Q: Why do Jews refuse to believe Jesus is their Messiah?,...
- A: Because they think it was **Jesus** who said "I've replaced the Law",

... because Christians have been taught for 1,850 years (NOT 2,000 -- a JEWISH Bishop of the Churches for first 150 years until Rome started murdering any Jew in the city) that Jesus did say that....

SO: AS an EASY way to start teaching them about their Messiah: What <u>harm</u> does it do to stop eating Pork & shellfish, and to stop doing work on the Bible-

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defined Sabbath-- Sunday church service still being OK since Worship every day is?....
Isn't it SELFISHNESS to demand YOUR way to do what you want & then claim
Jesus & Paul said it was ok? (Picking scriptures that support you, ignoring others.)
WHAT WOULD YOU DO to serve God by living a way that you can talk to His
People of Israel about their True Messiah? 1st Corin. 8:13 can be read to NOT EAT
what God says not to, as your beginning Witness when talking with Jews: "Therefore, if
food makes my brother stumble, I will never again eat meat, lest I make my brother
stumble."

February 22 at 9:15 PM · GREAT FUNNY PHOTO of many color designs on young cat & words, "When you are the last cat built for the day and there are no matching parts."

Anyone who knows me knows that my posts number about, oh, Zero.0001% shared photos. But as a cat lover (who's had two super-smart calico Maine Coon cats).... This little girl just makes me Laugh! ... and enjoy God's Weird Science Designer Color Plan that 100% of calico cats are female >> The orange mutant gene is found only on the X, or female, chromosome.

February 22 at 9:57 PM ·

COMMENT 3: 23m

False teachers DEPEND on listeners to (1) assume their authority means they ARE an authority; (2) ignore the LOGIC that conflicts with "authority person" ideas; plus (3) not know Scriptures or be wiling to look for EASY- to FIND scriptures, using FAST online resources like with BlueLetterBible org.

COMMENT 4: 22m

Pastors would NOT be ABLE to "get away" with saying Genesis includes stories of what never happened if WE STAND and quote all the times *JESUS* said they did! ...
Photo of JESUS's quotes about Sodom being **REAL**.

February 23 at 11:00 PM ·

We KNOW words change meaning over Time.

(Cool, Sweet, ... TROLL, CELL, CLOUD..).

So WHY do we decide GOD is wrong / evil/ etc if we don't understand scriptures written in Hebrew, translated to Greek, re-translated to Latin and/or OUR language??

Exodus 21 > We question God's Laws & Heart about a man selling his daughter & forget **LOGIC**: God who is *Good* gives only *Good* Laws. (Romans 7:7 Paul declares!)

Learn about BOND-SERVANTS from American history... AKA "indentured servants"... 70%-80% of people who fled England could afford the trip to American ONLY by contracting to serve for a period like 7 years-- an Early Version of our Credit Cards??...

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Leviticus 19:29 is CLEAR: It DEFIES *mis-teachings* about Exodus 21: God says 'Do <u>NOT</u> prostitute your daughter, to cause her to be a harlot..." She was as <u>servant</u>, and God's related laws <u>DEMANDED she be treated Kindly.</u>

25 February 2019. Yesterday at 8:05 AM

There's a little owl hooting in nearby trees that delights me: Such a sweet, almost Longing sound... and amuses me: "It's 8 AM. Why aren't you in bed yet?" Maybe if "the early bird catches the worm" (BIG incentive to leave warm blankets on a drenching rainy day!) it's thinking "the early owl catches the mouse"... almost a song rhyme;) ... God's Nature gives so much pleasure, whether or not we credit Him as the artist...

25 February 2019. 2:42 PM. 5 mins ·

Wouldn't you try to drag a rebellious teen off the track as a fast train races near? Wouldn't you WEEP if ANY one fought you with "It's MY choice"?... **Ezekiel 33: TRUE LOVE WARNS.** We are not facing just

- (1) Church top leaders choosing to be "Compassionate" (which they should!) by condoning the choice to Stay in the Path of Destruction (God's Wrath that WILL come like a train, *Jesus* said... NO ONE loves more than HE, yet HE warns...) ... What is also before us is
- (2) Church top leaders guiding people everywhere to Choose God's Pre-warned Punishment... <u>That is *not* love</u>. Ezekiel 33: God will judge those who do NOT warn... hold them accountable when others choose Death because of this.....
- 2nd Peter 2:6, God inspired warning: Sodom is our "example". NOT LOGICAL: These same church leaders who ignore many verses (incl. by Jesus) and reinterpret words like changing "homosexuality" to "inhospitality" also fervently preach, "God NEVER CHANGES."

February 26 at 9:37 AM ·

My big Maine Coon greeted me early this AM frantically pawing at her face. I finally figured it out (& apologized for laughing): She'd stuck her nose where it didn't belong (literally!;)) A wad of long fur she'd shed & left under the sofa where I missed it.. now stuck to her whiskers!...//...

I don't beat her, scream at her, starve her...

But I did "sin against" her by not sweeping more carefully. I caused her *much* anguish: Truly a "sin". // WE are NOT TAUGHT: Just as the English word "Love" has many different Greek words & very different meanings >>

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"SIN" has over TEN different words in Hebrew, from "I goofed" to "I rebel against God". DON'T BE MISLED by churches CONDONING "popular" sins with the excuse: "Everyone sins & God forgives all." ... NO: God SAYS He does NOT forgive rebellion we gladly call "OK"... ("I have not sinned"-- First John 1).

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February 27 at 3:10 PM

People don't believe me when I say I was a super-shy introvert til middle of college Year 2. Made myself sit in first row, forced myself to raise my hand to answer Qs even if not quite sure-- Made myself talk with fellow students to be more visible to the profs who noticed before & after class... Very much beyond my comfort zone:

But both my majors were in "subjective" areas (Unlike *Right or Wrong* math & Chem equations!)...and I'd seen how professors assumed students who spoke up in class were smart, dedicated learners, so often gave A's to them even if on the edge of a B...//..

NOW: I easily talk with anyone, any time. But the "real me" is an introvert... Most people hide their own "the real me". The REAL ME of God: He provided a Savior (Isaiah 43:11, 45:21) & yearns for EACH person to accept >> Holy Yet LOVE-ing.

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2 weeks ago, we recorded "Psalm 11 Testing Righteousness" ... where God (Named YHWH we see in Isaiah 42:8 Hebrew-- wrong translation ~6000x uses title "Lord": not His Name) gets even MORE clear about it in 11:5 >> "The LORD (YHWH is His Name) tests the righteous, But the wicked and the one who loves violence His soul HATES." ...//..

WE FORGET: Like "Love" which has 1 word in English and over 3 in Greek; there are at least TEN words for "sin" in Hebrew... God's not talking about "Oh I Goofed" or "Romans 7 Trying to Do Right but Failed" sins... Psalm 11:5 HATRED by God is about people who Love LIES (end of Revelation) and other Rebellious, Evil Wicked sins.... INCLUDING: "*I* know what's Right more than any God." Free MP3s & Music > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2019.php

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March 1 at 10:21 AM ·

HOW DO YOU ANSWER one who declares (rightly> Mal 3:6 etc) "God Never Changes" & ALSO "God changed His mind about severely punishing those who disobey His Will (known thru laws etc)?../... 4 EASY Answers...

- (1) Ezekiel 33: God tells US to warn + *we* are NOT told to convince + *we'll" be punished if we don't Speak Truth.
- (2) We speak Truth OUT of Love, not wanting their future suffering. (Eph 4:15)...
- (3) God CLEARLY says (Ps 11:5) He "...tests the righteous, But the wicked & the one who loves violence His soul HATES."

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(4) Like "Love" with 3+ different Greek words: Hebrew has 10+ words for "sin"... from "I Goofed" > "Romans 7 Trying to Do Right but Failed" sins...> loving LIES (Rev 22:15) + other Rebellious sins.... INCL: "*I* know what's Right more than any God."And God-Named-YHWH hates all types of sins-- even those we Love to Excuse.

March 2 at 8:41 AM

The 2nd cross provides Evidence that NO "good works" or baptism (ANY style, so why argue?!) are Required to live with Jesus forever. Only requirements:

- (1) Honor Him,
- (2) believe He is NOT a liar but exactly Who He says-- who tells us only TRUTH,
- (3) and KEEP doing so as long as you live-- or as short.

 Jesus promised the thief on the cross beside Him who'd done this

 "TODAY you will be with me in Paradise." (NOT in the grave waiting around.).....

BUT..... We must be careful not to interpret quotes like Yancey's that "Grace does not depend on what we have done for God" to mean that God gives Grace to *everyone*... There was a THIRD man on a 3rd cross with this Evidence: Only those who accept GOD's conditions-- humbly and honoring Him-- receive His Grace.

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March 3 at 4:39 PM · March 3 DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg
Psalm 120 God's Word shows that He wants us to NOT be DISCOURAGED
BY OUR OWN SELF – & sins we won't give up: Ezra 18:31-32. " 'Cast away from you all the transgressions which you have committed, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit. For why should you die...?

For I have NO PLEASURE pleasure in the death of one who dies,' says the Lord (YHWH- Isaiah 42:8) GOD. 'Therefore turn & live!"

God has MANY words of Comfort and more... He honors us with the ministry of setting His psalms back to music. Free MP3s & music sheets at http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/PSALMS-and-Prophets.php - incl. PSALM 120 CURING DISCOURAGEMENT with Claxton's great drums. AUDIO: http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/Psalmtab/Psalm120CuringDiscouragement.mp3

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March 4 at 4:32 PM ·

Early AM, I wearily stumbled toward the main room with containers of seed to toss out for birds who loudly were NOT waiting for "Dawn's Early Light." Wasn't an easy trip: My cat kept circling my feet & chirping out her pathetic meows. Finally I had pity, went to her dish-- but found my husband had filled it the nite before. What joy to realize: She didn't want anything FROM me... She wanted to BE with me! ..//...

May we give our ever-blessing LORD God the same Joy in far more of our prayers.

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5 March 2019 8:58 AM. March 5 · DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg
Can you remember lots of God's COMFORT scriptures when you need courage,
endurance, fearlessness, peace... protection? Most of us don't... That's why
DiDoReflections (Die to Self, DO for God, REFLECT Christ) created
GYM MEMORY SCRIPTURES & NIGHT MUSIC.... available free (MP3s & Scripture
Sheets) on our SPECIALS tab at

http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/SPECIALS.php

Plus over 100 Psalms songs on another tab. This AM I was So EXCITED to be about to rise from knees & realized: I'd forgotten to pray about the serious issue that's been utmost in my mind 7 days!...

Scripture songs help us remember: Yes, we rightly humbly pray for wisdom, opps, Health & Safety & sufficient resources for ourselves. But we Don't HAVE to Fret! We can trust God Who So Loves!

DDO PHOTO: DSCN0403 river sunset dreary

7 March 2019. <u>15 hrs</u> 9:41 PM.

The IRS has given God's Church a FANTASTIC "gift" in its new tax code where most people benefit most from the Standard Deduction rather than filing Schedule A!.... TRUE: Tax accountants report this>> Even for those who tithe, the S.D. is usually the better option. SOOO....

Remember all the churches expressing fear that if they "preach anything related to politics", they will lose their Tax Exempt Status?

NO PROBLEM to people who won't be putting Gifts to God via churches onto Schedule A anymore! Now churches "without fear" (that they should've already voted to not have) can speak the Truth they feel God wants them to share... even if re political discussion. (WONDER WHY churches haven't excitedly taught this yet?!)

.March 7 at 2:00 PM ·

Today is a sad anniversary for me... Year 11 of something dire. Sometimes feel like a fool for being so naive, so trusting even when "old". BUT: Given a choice: I wouldn't change.

The alternative is Cynicism = always doubting people, never trusting. Risking sadness is well worth the Possibilities of enjoying being with people. God sure thought so: He knew from Day 1 who would/ will reject Him. How sad for HIM!... Given a choice: He STILL does not change: STILL loves each of us (1st John 4:19 "First loved us") despite heartaches we cause. And... oh yeah... I *do* have a choice.

I reject Cynicism.

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March 9 at 8:49 AM March 9 DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg

God's MIRACLE #6 in 5 years of saving my life is no less Amazing: On Thurs, Dr found cause of 2-yr intermittent pain, & it's deadly if ignored long... So God's saved me these yrs too. SO EXCITED! 30-min in-out surgery in 2 days should fix it!...

YET: Long before this OR 4 other Saving Miracles, with confidence in God's Plan, I recorded a Truth for 100% of humans, with a Promise for those who believe God: "I'm Gonna Die BUT God"... Free MP3 & music sheets for Comfort Song at >> http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2015.php - Hear it, with great Lead Guitar by Johnny Kyle of J&T Studio and drums by Claxton Sticks Wilson of Valley Worship & Praise Studio >>

http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/New_Songs_2015/ImGonnaDieBUTGOD.mp3 ... LYRICS: I'm gonna die..... but it's All Right! My God's with me! I'm gonna Die, and for a short while, you will not see this failing body. But I'll be all Right! So, please SEE:

For how else ever can we BE when we're with our loving LORD God, Who's walking right BESIDE me to eternity. God promised all who believe and honor Him: "I will never leave you nor forsake you." -- Hebrews 13:5 and Deuteronomy 31: 6 & 9

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.March 15 at 8:15 AM ·

He was "sick unto death", begged God, & God not only healed him but *promised* 15 more years! SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD ENDING, doesn't it? ... **NOT**!! Because God in Grace gave Hezekiah 15 more years... BUT because Hez prayed for his OWN will>> In those 15 yrs, he fathered the Worst King, Manasseh (2nd Kings 20-21), who caused not only 1000s of physical deaths but spiritual Forever-Deaths by leading people to reject God & do evil.

SO WHAT FOR US? Let's stop being Presumptuous, even in prayers for Healing (which any loving Father DOES welcome), & always end as Jesus showed: "BUT NOT my will, but Yours, O God"... For HE WILL do what's best for us-- Even if it's to bring us to Him earlier than we'd hoped.

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March 17 at 4:01 PM ·

I'm on Facebook only a short while when I am... & don't answer my cell phone the moment I hear an alert that someone messaged. I've been at times fussed at for "worrying" someone for not answering instantly... And enjoyed a friend's Sunday School comment today that we Treat Holy God the same way:

We pray & then want an instant answer from God-- *worried* that something's Wrong if He doesn't give us guick response showing that He heard our prayer.

PSALM 46:10... Just one place where God tells us, essentially:

"RELAX. I've GOT THIS. TRUST Me.".

Psalm 46;10 = One of the most comforting scriptures you could ever memorize to go with "Not my will but Thine" >> Mark 14:36, Luke 22:42.

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March 17 at 5:24 PM ·

Interesting to share re American News & party wars (on any topic): What WOULD happen-- God clearly warned -- when people rejected Him & demanded that they have a King to take care of them: First Samuel 8. Which ends, so God gave them what they demanded

..... a warning for America, wanting the Government to be King that gives everyone everything (they think, hope) -- God won't save a nation from what the majority of people demand despite all the warnings they got.

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March 18 at 10:46 PM ·

With cups of seed that had been inside by the door, I stepped out barefoot into snow -- because all the tiny bird footprints looked so pathetic: I didn't want them to have to wait for birdseed feeder refills while I got shoes. Moments later as I stepped back onto my warm floor & firmly closed out 25-degree air, I humbly realized >> I did so 'because I could.'...//....

I need, we need more awareness of all we have & can do that many people can't >> warm homes, working cars, work-able feet, sufficient health.... Thanking God for blessings often care-Less-ly taken for Granted. With prayers to see where I, we can help.

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21 March 2019. **9:55 AM** · 23 hrs ·

This AM as I was rushing to leave for hour drive, I grabbed the scissors & snipped the plastic strap holding 4 new big binders together-- only needed 2 for church music sets. Rushed to put scissors away... returned to 'throw' 2 binders into music crate: And found the 4 STILL bound: There was a 2nd strap...//...

As we struggle to stop doing what God clearly says in His Bible that He does not like (incl. "just" lying-- Rev. 22:15), often we REJOICE! We conquered a temptation's hold on us!... But then despair to realize: There's another that we'd never noticed in us, being so focused on that One Strap of Sin...

First Corinthians 10:13, REJOICE ANYWAY! God won't let ANY sin bound us.... IF we really want to cut it loose from our life. PHOTO I created from: https://hymnary.org/hymn/SoS1945/149 "Glorious Freedom" from Alfred Judson

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23 March 2019 9:42 AM. 1 min ·

2 *decades* ago, our newly ordained pastor read Joshua 3:10> "By this you shall know that the living God is among you, and that He will without fail drive out from before you the Canaanites and the Hittites and the Hivites and the Perizzites and the Girgashites and the Amorites, the **copyrights**, **the urbanites**, **the parasites**, and the Jebusites:" He was miffed because our minds seemed a'wanderin' Memorable

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sermon! ... & WARNING - Serious! It's EASY for anyone to insert "a few personal interpretations" into Bible verses as they read.

Follow along to be sure it's God's word-- AND IN CONTEXT with verses before & after. Else you find out it was the guy God was Angry at, who said that--- especially in Book of Job. VERY IMPORTANT teachings:

TOP 6 Bible Verses Often Taken Out of Context >>

- Matthew 5:38 "You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." -- Jesus was quoting Exodus 21:22-25, which demands the death penalty for anyone who causes harm to an UNBORN child -- showing that GOD considers a pre-born child to be a HUMAN of value. Jesus's "But I say to you" was about instances NOT about "turning the cheek" to those who kill babies.
- Matthew 7:1 "Judge not, that you be not judged." -- Jesus clearly said to judge yourself first... and it was NOT about sending people to hell, and we ARE to discern what goes against God's Word.
- Matthew 5:39 "if anyone slaps you on the right cheek, turn to him the other also."-- Jesus was NOT talking about self defense when your life is endangered; simply -- when others insult you (we've seen movies where a face slap = insult), don't retaliate.
- Matthew 18:20 "For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them." -- This verse is taken out of context and ripped out of a paragraph. This is about what to do when a brother or sister in your church sins against you... Entire section on Right Discipline in churches.
- Philippians 4:13 "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." -- The context is saying that we can do anything that is in the will of Jesus Christ because He is the One who will strengthen (enable) you do to it. Paul is not saying that you can do anything you want.
- First John 4:16b "God is love." -- TRUE but a fraction of God's character-- which includes JUSTICE and HOLINESS that lead to RIGHTOUS Punishment after Judgment.

SOURCE OF BIBLE STUDY ABOVE (still active webpage on 8.3.2020) https://www.whatchristianswanttoknow.com/top-6-bible-verses-often-taken-out-of-context/

March 24 at 3:10 PM March 24 at 2:53 PM DianaDeeOsborneSongs WEB Facebook pg I was up early: My cat pittered in with her pathetic mewing at me.

I looked down, then said aloud in realization, "OH! You thought I was talking to YOU! Nope, I was talking to the God who made you-- and He did a really nice job--You'll love meeting Him one day!" ...

Then I laughed to realize how weird I'd sound to anyone who doesn't know me :) ... BUT REALLY! There's *NO* Bible evidence of church teachings that "Animals

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don't go to heaven because they have no souls"... FREE Downloads of song "PET HEAVEN" & music sheets give PLENTY of BIBLE Evidence: Our innocent-of-sin Pets will be there with their loving Creator. >> PET HEAVEN audio FREE > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/media/2010to2012SONGS/Pet_Heaven.mp3 Music sheets: > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/Songs-2008-2012.php

DianaDeeOsborneSongs.com shared a memory. March 25 at 9:09 PM

I didn't "send ahead" tracks from my home studio via Google Drive to my producer before my studio session. So I watched with amused expectation as he started initial mixing, hearing the song for the first time. A drummer for bands: SO he was instinctively nodding his head to the beat as he mixed. SURE ENOUGH-- He stopped mid movement as soon as the violins came in, & looked puzzled. I struggled to hide my laughter: I'd deliberately created "flexible timing" so that the violins were always Slightly Off Beat, to reflect the tension of the words of Psalm 119:161 re STUMBLING...

This DRUMMER KNEW something was "wrong". AND:

God yearns for US to know His Word-- His "beat"-- so well that we're Startled and Notice when someone's preaching is "just a little off" what God's Bible actually says. (Thank you, <u>Claxton Sticks Wilson!</u>) Hear the song FREE (with music sheets) with dozens of other Psalm set to music at > http://dianadeeosbornesongs.com/PSALMS-and-Prophets.php

25 March 2019. 6:05 PM while producer finishes up Studio files: **20 hrs PHOTO:** Pug huddled under thin blanket out on path. I added words The Calendar says it's spring. Please tell Spring... But I shall **NOT** whine. I'm blessed with blankets. Psalm 100:4, "Be THANK-fool to God and bless His Name!" - DDO:)

Photo: AndrewSpenceOnline

26 March 2019. 2 PM. 28 mins ·

A good reminder to myself from FB post 6 years ago: March 26, 2013 at 3:47 AM ·-- Up until 4 AM finishing taxes. But actually in a great mood. Every time I caught myself beginning to mutter (with the Alternative Minimum Tax form being the height of math encirclings), I reminded myself: Many people have too little to bother filing tax returns. We are blessed.

27 March 2019. 20 hrs ·

I'm not fond of squirrels & possums that come up on my deck to steal birdseed... yet it makes me sad yesterday to see one's carcass beside the road..

God is sad at even evil people choosing what harms them or even causes eternal death... Some people say "The God of the Old Testament was an ANGRY God"... But His GRACE & Love is ALL thru those older words too: He does Not change...

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Ezekiel 18:32, God urges, "For I take no pleasure in the death of anyone, declares the Sovereign LORD. Repent & live!".... In 33:11, "As surely as I live, declares the Sovereign LORD, I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that they turn from their ways & LIVE. Turn! Turn from your evil ways! Why will you die...???" Photo via MyDailyBible

28 March 2019. 11 AM. 4 mins ·

This AM I *finally* took time to get the knots out that had been bugging me for 4 days. It took time, but was easy with conditioner, de-tangler comb. Had to choose: Put up with more knots soon-- OR trim the ragged ends even though my goal is for "longer"?...Trimmed;) and I Love the smooth feel! ...

Because it takes time to actually study God's word, we often quickly read some verses and ignore the "knots" in our life: Imperfect peace, impatience, annoyance... sorta not praying lest God notice us!

YET: When we "Condition" with God's Peace & *warning* promises, and detangle busy-ness, we can enjoy Life so much more! BUT we must choose to actually TRIM off ragged little sins that God draws us to notice when we take time with Him & His Word..... Psalm 19:13 Prayer: "Keep your servant from deliberate sins! Don't let them control me."

29 March 2019. 12:10 PM. 1 min

Traveling west on huge highway: 3 of 4 EAST lanes had JUST become blocked by 2 separate accidents, 1/4 mile apart. Just 2 miles past that, I saw cars approaching at normal speeds: Drivers had NO idea of the huge delay & potentially dangerous brake slamming just ahead. I was sad for them, wishing I could somehow give a message: Exits they were about to pass COULD provide easy alternate routes to escape sorrow! Yet I had no way... and being "just 1 person", probably would've been ignored or mocked EVEN if I could've...

Over & Over God has shown how He yearns to help people escape blocks & dangers ahead if they keep going. Matthew 23:37 the HEN verse shows: Jesus *sorrows* when we ignore His Danger Warnings & offers of Salvation-- available only if we *choose* to exit the"bad way".

My COMMENT 29 March 2019. For a friend writing about how scientists "use science" to "prove" their belief in evolution. ME: I recommend a re-wording of your opening sentence-- to make it accurate & reflect what you're saying after it (quite well): >> "The use of Established Science to claim a truth for the theory of the evolution of the universe...." ... Reason: Only recently have scientists abandoned the 17th century's formal "Scientific Method" (declaring studies must NOT be begun with a pre-determined opinion of what they'll show)... 100s of scientists over the centuries would agree with your continuing words....

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My COMMENT 2· >> Not agreed upon by all scientists, of course. The determination to not be controlled by an Omnipotent Creator YET to also have no fear of Consequences > has created an animosity against believing in any Designer. Thus the common self-deceit , in persons of all categories/ professions, of "pick & choose" what you'll believe... incl. some Scientists included.

30 March 2019 9:58 AM. Just now

The 5 year old exclaimed as I opened the car door, "It's HOT! We need the air conditioner!"... I said "hmmm" so she'd know I heard. Started driving & she got more frantic, "It's HOT! We neeEEdd the AC!" I replied, "Let me show you this trick:" ... and I put down the windows. :) ... and resolved to start reading Calvin & Hobbes to her, about a time 20 years ago when children still loved playing even out in the heat. ..//...

Reminded me of how once we knew of God we often started praying for simple blessings... but as we age, our requests (often demands of "If You love me...") became more fancy & optional "needs"...

Sad for God but also for US: We forget to appreciate His simple gifts--like summer heat after a COLD winter. >> Phil. 4 -- Contentment with God!

31 March 2019 10:50 PM Just now ·

I was given a stack of old Methodist journals (from long before the "United" was added). Being an avid reader... delved into them. From 1938's "The Richmond Christian Advocate" >QUOTE>

"Is Methodism to become another spent -ISM in the ancient history of the future?"...

"Right now Methodism needs to be ENDUED with the same force that got into the hearts of the Apostles at Pentecost -- ENDUED WITH the power that came into the heart of John Wesley..."// //... I'm sad.

The above was my Facebook post 4 years ago, on March 31, 2015 about a church denomination I'd loved all my life--Years of reflecting on these 80-year-old words in that old "Richmond Christian Advocate" inspire these Qs in 2019 >>>

What would "the hearts of the Apostles" say today? Or John & Charles Wesley?

Surely they would ALL say -- unlike many Methodists and persons in other denominations **these** days especially in America, the Nation that God blessed with FREEDOMS & Protection for centuries. YET:

"God Does NOT Change; His Scriptures Say the Same."

Malachi 3:6, spoken by God: "For I am YHWH the LORD, I do **NOT** change; -- says God:

Proverbs 14:12,

"There is a way that <u>seems right</u> to a man, But its end is the way of **Death**."

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