**Stepping Up……..God Has A Plan**

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and

not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

**3 John 1:2 -Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and**

**be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.**

**Hebrews 12:1 -Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so**

**great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin**

**which so easily besets us, and let us run with patience the race that is**

**set before us.**

**2 Chronicles 7:14 - If my people, whicha are called by my name shall**

**humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their**

**wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin,**

**and will heal their land.**

OBEDEINCE

♰ PRESENT: **Romans 12:1 - I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the**

**mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God,**

**which is your reasonable service.**

♰ LAY: **John 13:38** - **Jesus answered him, Wilt thou lay down thy life**

**for my sake? John 15:13 - Greater love hath no man than this, that a man**

**lay down his life for his friends. 1 John 3:16 - Hereby perceive we the love**

**of God, because he laid down his life for us: and we ught to lay down our**

**lives for the brethren. Matthew 6:20/21 - But lay up for yourselves treasures**

**in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do**

**not break through nor steal. For where your treasure is, there will your heart**

**be also. 1 Timothy 6:12 -Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life,**

**whereunto thou are also called, and has professed a good profession before**

**many witnesses.**

♰ ANSWER**: Isaiah 6:8 - Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom**

**shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.**

♰ NUMBER:**Psalms 90:12 - So teach us to number our days, that we may**

**apply our hearts unto wisdom.**

♰ SEEK: **Matthew 6:33 - But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his**

**righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.**

**Hebrews 11:6 - But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that**

**cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them**

**that diligently seek him.**

ACTION

♰ PRESS: **Philippians 3:14/15- Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended:**

**but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching**

**forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize**

**of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.**

♰ LEARN: **Matthew 11:29 - Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am**

**meek and lowly in heart; and  ye shall find rest for your soul. Romans 15:4 - For**

**whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we**

**though patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope.**

♰ ASK:

**Matthew 7:7 - Ask, and it shall be given you. James 1:5 - If any of you lack**

**wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally. Matthew 18:19 –**

**Again I say unto you, That if two of you shall agree on earth as touching any**

**thing that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father which is in Heaven.**

**Matthew 7:11 - If ye being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children,**

**how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them**

**that ask him.**

♰ NEED**: Hebrews 10:36 - For ye have need of patience, that, after ye have done**

**the will of God, ye might receive the promise. Luke 8:15 - But that on the good**

**ground are they, which in an honest and good heart, having heard the word,**

**keep it, and bring forth fruit with patience**

♰ STUDY: **2 Timothy 2:15 - Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman**

**that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of**

**truth. 2 Timothy 3:16 - All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is**

**profitable** **for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness.**

WORSHIP

♰ PRAISE: **Psalms 106:1 - Praise ye the LORD. O give thanks unto the LORD;**

**for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever. Psalms 107:8 - Oh that men**

**would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the**

**children of men.**

**1 Peter 2:9 - But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation,**

**a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called**

**you** **out of darkness into his marvelous light.**

♰ LET: **Matthew 5:16 - Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your**

**good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven. Galations 6:9/10 - Let us**

**not be weary in well doing; for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not. As**

**we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them**

**who are of the household of faith.**

♰ ACKNOWLEDGE: **Psalms 32:5 - I acknowledge my sin unto thee, and mine**

**iniquity have I not hid. I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD;**

**and thou** **forgavest the iniquity of my sin. Proverbs 3:6 - In all thy ways**

**acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.**

♰ NOW: **John 9:25B - One thing I know, that, whereas I was blind, now I see.**

**1 Corinthians 12:18 - Now hath God set the members every one of them in**

**the body, as it hath pleased him. 1 Corinthians 13:12 -Now we see through a**

**glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I**

**know even as also I am known. John 4:23 - Now is, when the true worshippers**

**shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to**

**worship him.**

♰ SERVE: **Exodus 23:25 - And ye shall serve the LORD your God, and he shall**

**bless thy bread, and thy water; and I will take sickness away from the midst of**

**thee.   Galatians 5:13 - For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty**

**only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.**

**Matthew 4:10B - Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou**

**serve.**