

She's Just Perfect

A small boy invaded the lingerie section of a large department store and shyly presented his problem to the salesclerk. "I want to buy my mum a present of a slip," he said, "but I'm darned if I know what size she wears."

The clerk said, "It would help to know if your mum is short or tall, fat or skinny."

"She's just perfect," beamed the little boy, so the clerk wrapped up a size 12 for him.

Two days later mum came to the store herself and changed it to a size 18.



Ken Sleeman's Blog address

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EPIC (Women's Group)

Monday, May 14th at 9.45 - 11.30 am at Cath's home.

IMPACT (Men's Group)

On Monday, May 14th or 21st (TBA), at 7.30 pm.

Venue: John's home.



Happy
Mother's
Day



May 13, 2007

Service Time: 10.00 am

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Susanna!

What a difficult life. She was the twenty-fifth child in a dissenter's family. Though brilliant, she procured little education. Though strong-willed, she lived in a male-dominated age. She married an older man and bore him nineteen children. Nine of them died. Her house burned up, her barn fell down, her health failed, and she lived with the wolf at the door. She was Susanna Wesley.

Samuel and Susanna, married in 1689, began pastoring in dreary little Epworth in 1697. They served there forty years, enduring hardships like these:

- Samuel's salary was so small (and he was so incapable of managing it) that he was thrown into debtor's prison, leaving Susanna to fend for herself.
- They disagreed about Susanna's ministry, for her Bible lessons

drew more listeners than his sermons.

- Susanna herself was often bedfast, having to delegate home duties to the children. But several of her children were so wayward that she called them "a constant affliction".
- Her brother, having promised her a sizable gift, disappeared mysteriously and was never heard of again.
- Finally, on July 21, 1731, Susanna described an accident in which her horses stampeded, throwing Samuel from their wagon and injuring him so that he was never well from that day.

A difficult life. And yet the parsonage at Epworth was destined to become the most celebrated in English history, for from it came two of the greatest evangelists of all time, John and Charles Wesley. And the mother who raised them shook the world.

INGLE FARM COMMUNITY CHURCH

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WELCOME



Thanks for joining us today
It's our prayer that as we
worship God together, you
will meet with Him.

CARE CARDS:



Please fill these out on arrival
and place in the offering bag
later in the service.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:



Children are encouraged to
start the service with us before
moving to the back of the
church for their activities.

SAMARITAN SHOPPING BAG:



Please help us care for those
in need by bringing groceries
and placing them in the bag
by the door.

CHURCH OFFICE:



Located on the premises next
to the Centre Manager's
office. Feel free to call in
Monday to Friday 9.00 am to
5.00 pm.

AFTER THE SERVICE:



We would love you to join us
for tea and coffee following
the service so that we can get
to know each other better.

PRAYER:



If you would like prayer
following the service then
please speak to the pastor or a
member of the worship team.

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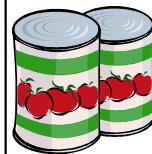
Budget \$1,273

Last Week's Offering \$1,475

Average for this qtr \$1,214

Average year to date \$1,275

SAMARITAN SHOPPING



Cereal

Sugar

Tea/Coffee

Tinned Veggies, Soup,
& Tuna.

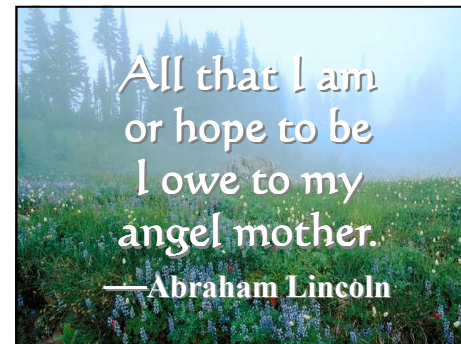
God's Four Answers

If the request is wrong, God says: *No*

If the timing is wrong, God says: *Slow*

If you are wrong, God says: *Grow*

But if the request is right, the timing is right, and you are right,
God says: *Go!*



Next Leaders' Meeting

Monday, May 14th, 2007

FOCUS

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author and not necessarily those of the
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Please submit all articles for the
FOCUS to Trevor Knott no later than
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