



THE GARDEN POST

DOING LIFE TOGETHER

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SERVING
Others is the ultimate
act of serving God.

SOW
Into the kingdom of
God by sowing into
others.

SPROUT
In faith, mercy, and
grace.



SUNDAY'S THOUGHT

Kairos is a Greek word that refers to specific moments or opportunities, that are divinely appointed. It contrasts with **chronos**, which denotes mere chronological time.

During these God-provided **Kairos** seasons, we (Believers) must exercise discernment which is the ability to recognize and seize these divinely appointed moments when God acts in a timely and transformative way.

This story 2 Kings 7 and the four Lepers teaches that **Kairos** discernment involves recognizing God's timing and responding in faith rather than doubt. It requires sensitivity to God's movement and a willingness to act decisively when the divine opportunity arises.

Then they said to each other, "What we're doing is not right.
This is a day of good news and we are keeping it to ourselves..."
2 Kings 7:9

God's "But"

The impact of **"But God"** is comprehensive —it tells us that salvation and transformation are not based on our efforts but on God's grace. This truth brings hope, reassurance, and a sense of gratitude to every Believer, reminding us that our lives are changed, not by what we do, but by what God has done for us. It's a message of hope that extends to everyone, offering the promise of new life in Christ, regardless of where we've been or what we've done. We should always be thankful for **God's "but."** Because when God puts **His "but"** into our situation, it changes everything.

- What was is no longer what is because of **"but God."**
- What's behind you is not what's ahead of you because of **"but God."**
- Your past doesn't have to be your future because of **"but God."**
- We were dead, **"but God"** gave us life, new life, in Jesus.

But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us, Even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;).

Ephesians 2:4-5

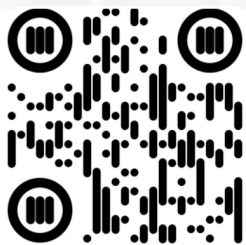


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Upcoming Events:

Work Out with Jeremy /
Tues and Thurs @ 11:00

Bible Study / Weds @ 11:30

Small Group Fair
September 8th Immediately After
Morning Worship

Practical Living Series with Sheena
Thomas
September 11th @ 7 PM

40 Days Of Harvest/Missions
September 29th

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