



LWML CNH CHRISTIAN LIFE LINE NOVEMBER 2022

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Fall is here and it's time for another Life Line. I had no idea how much I would enjoy working with Pastor Floyd and Pastor Colter to make the articles encouraging, uplifting, and meaningful for all of you. I was surprised, encouraged, blessed, and joyful over the comments some of you sent to me after my maiden voyage in October. Thank you, thank you, thank you. Praise God for His goodness.

I have seen so many yard flags that say, "God bless America". At every ball game I go to, someone sings "God Bless America". Bumper stickers and window decals say, "God bless America". Wow! That's a lot of asking without a "thank you"!



Here in America, we have the freedom to worship Him, however and whenever we choose. We have beautiful churches to hold our worship services and other activities in. We have excellent doctors, most of us have some form of health care, and we have many wonderful hospitals to care for us.

We have beautiful homes filled with love and family, plenty of food on our tables, and reliable automobiles to get us where we need to go. Our clothing can be top-of-the-line and how fashionable are our hair and nails?

We have parks, forests, and yards that are serene and beautiful, some with lakes or pools to refresh us on a warm summer day. We have many choices for travel on air, sea, and land if we need to be away from home.

Only in America do we drive to the gym to workout, then go buy a smoothie or get a massage before driving home to sit in a comfy recliner and watch hours of good or bad TV. Music abounds, and sports are available to watch or participate in. There are movie theaters and cultural centers in most towns and cities.

As if this weren't enough to make anyone feel blessed, God, out of His great love for us, sent His only Son to die in our place, for our sins and raised Jesus up on the third day. Through faith in Him, our sins are forgiven, and we get to live in heaven with Him forever!

So the next time you see a "God bless America" sign of any kind, remember that He already has blessed us beyond measure and say instead, "Thank you, Father, for all you have given me. I am truly blessed." And share that sentiment with those who need to hear it.



Let Us Sing Songs of Praise

¹ Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
² Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
³ For the LORD is a great God,
and a great King above all gods.
⁴ In his hand are the depths of the earth;
the heights of the mountains are his also.
⁵ The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hands formed the dry land.
⁶ Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!
⁷ For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture,
and the sheep of his hand.

A blessed Thanksgiving to each of you and your loved ones. Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!

DON'T MISS THIS!

CNH Retreat will be held at Oakhurst on August 25-27 2023

"Unwrapping Your Spiritual Gifts"

Bible study led by Michelle Ule

"Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit."

1 Corinthians 12:4

Music Leader is Melody Hues