

Jubilee Music Enrichment

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On a beautiful fall afternoon, I took a ride to the Fairview neighborhood of Camden to take some pictures of the building we are seeking to purchase. As I approached the building, I saw two mothers standing on the corner, near the building, talking. One of the mothers had twin daughters with her. They looked at me strangely so; I proceeded to tell them why I was taking pictures, gave them literature and introduced them to the programs of Jubilee Music Enrichment. The mothers were very excited about the programs and the opportunity it presented for their daughters. The second of the two mothers informed that she also had twin daughters. She asked the girls who were standing there to run and get her daughters. The girls returned and began to ask questions about the programs. They eagerly expressed their desire to participate and joyfully volunteered to have their picture taken in front of the building.

As I went home and downloaded the pictures, I began to reflect on several teenage girls whose stories are on the pages of the greatest book ever written, the Bible. The first was Rhoda. Rhoda was at the home of Mary, the mother of a Christian worker, surrounded by a great number of saints who were praying. Suddenly, there was a knock and Rhoda went to see who was at the door. As she approached the door she recognized the voice of Peter who had been miraculously released from prison. Being overcome with excitement, she ran to tell those who were praying and forgot to open the door. We know she was consistently in the company of the saints because she had a love for the servant of the Lord and knew who Peter was by just hearing his voice.

The second girl was a great and skillful dancer. She performed at a party for the distinguished ruler, Herod, and all of his dignitaries. She made sure she had all the right moves. Herod was so pleased; he offered her anything she wanted. This young girl had no one in her life to lead her right. Rather than asking for something for her benefit she wasted the opportunity and, on the advice of her mother, asked for the head of John the Baptist on a platter. We know that this girl lived in a home where she was consistently surrounded by ungodly people. She was an expert on being seductive and there is no indication that she was repulsed by carrying a head on a platter.

Our youths live in a society where they are immersed in a culture of sensuality and pleasure. Our girls are constantly bombarded with messages that influence them to be like the girl who danced before Herod, sensual or as it is now called, "sexy". They are continually pressured to succumb to temptations that will produce stories of disaster. There is an immediate need to provide a shelter where they can be surrounded and guided by righteousness and, have a story like Rhoda who served and prayed with the people of the Lord. This is what we seek to do at Jubilee Music Enrichment.

I looked at the picture I downloaded and wondered, in a few years from now what will be the story of these beautiful young girls. Looking at the picture you see a door. We would like to open the door and lead them to a place where they can be in the presence of the Lord. We want to help them hear the knock of Jesus on the door of their heart so they can escape the prison of sin. We want their name and their story written in the Lamb's Book of Life. Please pray that the Lord will bless us with the means to make this happen.

Please pray:

- For Valerie Robinson. We are thankful that the Lord sent her to us. We welcome her presence and the passion she brings to the work of cultivating girls for Christ. She will be initiating a mentorship programs, Ladies of Excellence in Christ, for the girls who walk through our doors.
- That the Lord will provide the funds to purchase the building. We have until the end of the year. We are a long way from our goal however we believe that Lord can touch hearts to bless this ministry and provide the need.
- For the upcoming open house planned at the building we seek to purchase. Pray that it will be successful in meeting the goals and advancing this vision of this ministry.
- For our upcoming Christmas concerts. Pray for the youth as they practice their songs on the bells and memorize their piano selections. Please pray that we will be true instruments of Christ used to minister to those who attend.
- For our youth and their families. They come for various backgrounds and experiences. Pray that they will all know the transforming salvation of Jesus Christ.
- That the Lord continues to give guidance and wisdom to the leadership of JME. Please pray for our board, volunteers and their families. Pray that we listen to his voice and follow his will in all that we do.
- That the Lord will continue to bring people to us who love him and who will serve him through this ministry.

Thank you for sharing in this ministry through prayer.



And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament;
and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever.

Daniel 12:3

Cultivating Young Leaders
Through The Discipline Of Music Training