OCTOBER 6/7 | STAYING POWER | DAVE GRUHN

LOVE & BLESSING 1 Peter 3:8-17 The Big Idea: _____ those who do not deserve it _____ Jesus. Love defines _____ we ____ 'Blessing' is _____ we are called to _____ We have nothing to _____ **Next Steps:** • Start each morning this week reminding myself of 1 Peter 3:8-9. • Commit to listening to my own voice: "What and how am I saying what I am saying?" • What step do I need to take to build confidence in explaining the "reason for the hope" that is in me? • Holy Spirit, show me how you want me to respond:

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ALL CHURCH

Church Assessment: Take the church assessment by October 14 at 2RC.tv/Assessment.

Wade In: Our new member class will teach you why we do what we do & help you determine if Two Rivers Church is the church for you. The next Wade In class starts October 21 at 12:30P in Worship Center. Space is limited! Sign up at 2RC.tv/WadeIn or Get Connected.

Realm Opt-In: When you opt-in to the "Two Rivers Church" group on Realm, you will be able to receive weekly upcoming event previews, personal notes from the week's teaching pastor & the Weekend Recap with links to the sermon & the weekend's worship playlists on Spotify! This is also where we will send out important All Church notices, like cancellations for bad weather. So go to your settings & adjust your notifications for the 2RC Realm group. Not on Realm? Go to 2RC.tv/Realm for simple steps to get started!

PRAYER

Quiet Waters: Register for Quiet Waters @ the Knoxville Campus on November 1/2! Get more info & register at 2RC.tv/QuietWaters.

Family Night @ The Well: Join us for an interactive prayer & worship experience for you & your family to meet with God in a deeper way on October 17 @ 6:30P @ the Knoxville Campus.

KIDS

Anchor Class: The Anchor is a 45-minute class for parents & kids (K-5th) to learn about what it means to have a personal relationship with Jesus. The next Anchor class is October 21 at 9:45A in Classroom 1 upstairs. Cost is free, but space is limited. Register at **2RC.tv/Anchor**.

Child Dedication: Dedicate your child at the next Child Dedication Service on November 17 @ the Knoxville Campus. If your family has never attended one, there will be a Pre-Dedication Class on October 27 at 5:30P in the Fireside Room @ the Knoxville Campus. Sign up & get details at 2RC.tv/ChildDedication.

PRAYER REQUESTS	☐ I PRAYED TO RECEIVE CHRIST TODAY!	MID-WEEK TIMES
		RC Students (6-12 Grade) Wednesday 6:30-8:00P 2RC.tv/RCStudents
		The Well (Prayer & Worship) @ Knoxville Campus Wednesday 6:30-8:30P River Room 2RC.tv/WELL

NEXT STEPS

Learn more about these opportunities to explore, connect & engage at 2RC.tv/NextSteps

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LIVE IT OUT

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Putting The Bible Into Practice:

Reflect on Romans 12:9-13. Based on Paul's challenges, which of these are you doing well? Which is Jesus calling you to press into with the Spirit's help? Read John 17:23. What examples do you know of unbelievers being impacted by the way believers love each other?

Reflect on Romans 12:14-21. Which of Paul's challenges is the hardest for you personally? Why? Describe how you or others have blessed enemies. What does it look like practically to stand for justice in the midst of evil? What Biblical examples would you point to?

Why & how does 1 Peter 3:9-10, 12 motivate you? Read 1 Peter 2:15 & describe the last time you talked about your faith with an unbeliever? What led to the opportunity? How did it go?

Challenge:

Memorize 1 Peter 3:7-8, then live it out with the Spirit's power!



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