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Bringing Worship to the Workplace

Just Get Up My Brother

By Bro. Darryl Williams

Proverbs 24:16 ASV

For a righteous man falleth seven times, and riseth up again; But the wicked are overthrown by calamity

As we survey the landscape of our current dysfunctional financial markets, we can see the ebb and flow of its ups and downs. Yet one major observance that should not be overlooked is that no matter how numerous and long the downs of the market may be the market always rises again.

Men of God I would like to challenge you to have the mindset of Solomon, the writer of Proverbs and display the same resiliency that our markets show. You may ask what is that challenge? The challenge is that if you fall down rise back up again.

Men of God know this; God calls you for leadership. Being the head and having a leadership role are most times synonymous. This means you cannot give into the pressures of

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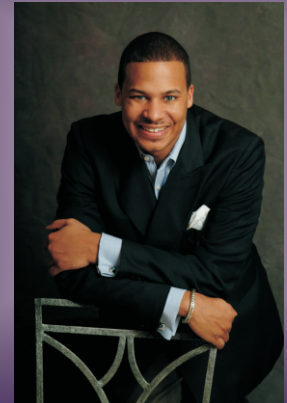
By David Mainor

Hello PL members and guest,

Giving thanks to God, for it is truly by his Grace and Mercy I am here. There are many things I could tell you about myself and my initial thought was to do so, but I will tell you this: I have had many things in my life that could be considered a success and others a failure, but, the one aspect that has been constant in my life is that God has been good in all of it. For, it is only through his presence that he has made me realize some things that had eluded me for quite sometime. One of the greatest gifts he continues to give me is the *Power of Victory*. He has allowed me to serve as a Powerlunch volunteer, which has truly been a blessing for me to be with my brothers and sisters serving and to feel his presence. I know that, no matter what is going on during the

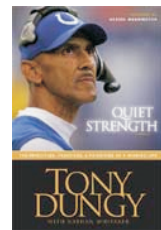
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your current circumstances. Situations such as foreclosure, bankruptcy, dwindling 401K's and job losses are sometimes felt as if you were punched by Mike Tyson. Have you felt like you were punched? This punch can put you on the matt of life to be counted out! Know this; you have not been KO or TKO, but only put on the matt that you may regain your senses, coordination and strength to rise and continue the fight. The enemy may try to take you out, but God has empowered you to be VICTORIOUS. Rise up and fight again.

God has given us the power we need to be victors in each fight. People of God, we cannot fight from the matt. Paul lets us know in Romans 8 that if God be for us then who can be against us. This is a reassurance that we have the victory. Rise up and continue to fight that we may be the victors and not the victim.

Power Lunch continue to rise up for God, your family, your church, your community and whatever else God has given you authority over. Men of God I implore you to rise up and win the fight. We need you. God needs you!

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week, whatever struggles in any facet of my day, God has a word at Power Lunch every Wednesday that will keep me close to him. Power Lunch has allotted me the opportunity to meet some great people. I am so thankful. I am able to fellowship with such a wonderful groups of people committed to serving the lord. It gives me great weekly pleasure to be involved in this service. I am excited sharing the message with family and friends, telling them the good news of the lord. Through this ministry, God has stepped in and showed me how his work is done. The manifestation is with this ministry. Rev. Watley's service to God, and his continued spiritual word that this life is not about you but having God in you, is a blessing in itself.

I am a man of few words. I would be remised, if, I did not thank Reverend Watley, the guest Pastors, the volunteer staff and all the wonderful brothers and sisters who attend Power Lunch. Your spirit, presence, love and kindness is shown.

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