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CHARIS RELATIONSHIP UNIVERSITY:

GOD the Father is the author of all relationships, and He created them for our enjoyment. Through these lessons of inspired teaching, you will see that you can have godly healthy relationships. These lessons will also help you identify, expose and be set free from the lies that have pervaded our society. Join us to explore timeless biblical truths with experienced instructors from Charis Bible College who boldly shed light on pertinent issues that many shy away from. You will learn how to avoid common pitfalls and enjoy godly relationships. You will also get nuggets of wisdom on how to mentor the next generation and create a family culture you can be proud of.

Come join us every Sunday morning at 9:00 for Relationship University, and then join us for Sunday morning Worship at 10:30



Reminder:

Mid-week Bible study, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. "Living in the Balance of Grace and Faith"



A message from Pastor Deborah:

Jesus The Greatest Gift Ever Given

"For unto us a child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. 7 Of the increase of His government and peace There will be no end, Upon the throne of David and over His kingdom, To order it and establish it with judgment and justice. From that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this." Isaiah 9:6-7

A child has been born—a Son is given—This child wasn't like any other child, because He, Jesus, was already a Son who was not created but was given. God's Spirit was wrapped up in human flesh and was given to all those who would believe and receive Him. The Spirit of God who created the whole universe humbled Himself came down off His royal throne to be with you and me. He was the Word of God who lives and abides forever. He became flesh and blood to inhabit a virgin and be born in this world, so He could then willingly lay down His own life and die for you and for me. Jesus was the great Servant King for you and me. Jesus was and is the Wonderful Counselor. Jesus is a marvelous advisor—He is the answer to all our troubles and He came to be wisdom for us, through His Holy Spirit and through His Holy Scriptures. Jesus is the one and only Mighty God. Jesus was born to be your Hero. He came and destroyed every work of the devil, went to the cross and bore the curse of sin, sickness, and death, once and for all. Jesus rose from the dead where now He is seated in victory over all



the powers of darkness and has relinquished His power, dominion and authority to all those who have put faith in Him. Jesus was born to be your Prince of Peace. The greatest gift we could ever have here on earth is peace from God. Jesus brought peace to all mankind to settle the wrath of God to man once and for all, for those who receive Him. No more judgment, or penalty for your sins, just grace, peace, righteousness, and love for all those who BELIEVE! Enter into the grace and peace of God, anytime and anywhere, and allow the peace of God, the Prince of Peace rule and reign in your heart. Love came down from heaven for you to bring you everlasting life, and joy unspeakable forevermore. Jesus was born for you and me, celebrate Him now and in the coming New Year the greatest gift ever given! Amen!



Did you know that an eagle knows when a storm is approaching long before it breaks? The eagle will fly to some high spot and wait for the winds to come. When the storm hits, it sets its wings so that the wind will pick it up and lift it above the storm. While the storm rages below, the eagle is soaring above it.

The eagle does not escape the storm. It simply uses the storm to lift it higher. It rises on the winds that bring the storm. When the storms of life come upon us - and all of us will experience them - we can rise above them by setting our minds and our belief toward God. The storms do not have to overcome us. We can allow God's power to lift us above them.

God enables us to ride the winds of the storm that bring sickness, tragedy, failure and disappointment in our lives. We can soar above the storm. Remember, it is not the burdens of life that weigh us down, it is how we handle them.

As we move into 2026, let us remember the story of the eagle. The Bible says, "Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles." Isaiah 40:31. Let us move forward with faith and strength. The Lord goes before you and establishes your steps. Be steadfast, do not grow weary, for what is planted in faith will bear fruit in its season.



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