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“Thy word is a *lamp* unto my feet and a *light* unto my path” Psalm 119:105

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Dear Lamplight Family,

We are pleased to share with you the exciting things that God is doing through Lamplight Ministries in many different countries. Praise the Lord. We are grateful to you for your prayers and for your financial support that enables us to help many people around the world.

**COMMENTS FROM PEOPLE WHO HAVE  
BEEN HELPED BY OUR PUBLICATIONS**

If you would like to see the effect of your prayers and your contributions, please visit our website at [www.lamplight.net](http://www.lamplight.net) to see comments from people in more than 40 different countries who have been helped by our books and Scripture cards. You can order our publications from our website, from our Post Office box or the 800 telephone number at the bottom of this page.

NOTE: We receive testimonies from people in many countries. We very seldom mention the names of people who give us comments. Now or in the future that person might be persecuted because someone saw his or her name online sharing a Christian testimony.

**AN INMATE IN A FEDERAL PRISON IN FLORIDA LED HIS TERMINALLY ILL FATHER TO JESUS CHRIST THROUGH *EXCHANGE YOUR WORRIES FOR GOD'S PERFECT PEACE*.** This man said, “I needed *Exchange Your Worries For God's Perfect Peace* desperately. I have been on a spiritual high ever since I read this book. Even though I am in prison, my wife and I have a better relationship. I got worried about my father who has inoperable cancer. He lost fifty pounds in a few weeks. He may not last long. I told my father that we have been apart for many years and that I have found the Lord Jesus through your book. My father now has received Jesus as his Savior. Thank you for helping me to trust and not worry anymore.”

**A WOMAN FROM THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS (AN ISLAND OFF THE COAST OF AFRICA) SAID THAT *EXCHANGE YOUR WORRIES FOR GOD'S PERFECT PEACE* TOUCHED HER DEEPLY.** This woman said, “I normally read a lot, but when I read your book, *Exchange Your Worries For God's Perfect Peace*, I wanted to copy down every verse and every comment. This book has deeply touched me. It has been particularly useful as I am by nature a person who worries a lot. I came from a poor family and, because of the financial difficulties that my parents had to face, I developed a worrying nature. I am always worried about the health of my children and about how my husband and I will pay for their studies in the future, etc. When I read your book, I came to understand that I need to keep God's Word in my heart and that God will take care of me and my family in the future. I am asking God every day to help me to release everything to His everlasting arms and to stop

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worrying. I thank Lamplight Ministries for the wonderful work that you are doing. I will pray for your ministry.”

**A WOMAN IN CALIFORNIA SAID THAT SHE WISHES SHE HAD READ *GOD’S INSTRUCTIONS FOR GROWING OLDER* MANY YEARS AGO.** This woman said, “I have just finished reading *God’s Instructions For Growing Older*. What a blessing this book is. I wish I had read it when I was in my fifties (I’m 73 now). This is a great book for any age adult. Thank you so much for writing this book. Could you please send a copy to my friend at the enclosed address?”

**A PASTOR IN GHANA SAID THAT HE OFTEN USES *WHAT DOES GOD SAY? TO PREPARE HIS SERMONS*.** This pastor said, “Your book, *What Does God Say?*, is a must read. This book is a manual for every serious believer. Every pastor needs it. It is easy to understand material. I often use this book to help in preparation for my sermons. I am blessed.”

## COMMENTS FROM JACK HARTMAN

We have experienced a delay with *You Can Hear The Voice of God*. We hope that this book will go to the printer soon. We may or may not be able to get the book in print during the time between Christmas and New Year’s. If not, we believe that it will be in print early in January. We will send an autographed copy to every person who has contributed to the cost of this book. If you would like to order a copy of this book, please use the coupon at the end of this newsletter.

I am excited about our next two books. We are on the third draft of *Enter Into God’s Presence*. I have written the first two drafts. Judy is adding her writing expertise to Draft #3. She will do the same on Draft #4. Our goal is to have this book in print by June of 2013.

I have finished the first draft of *God Is Always With You*. We have never written a book quite like this one. We believe that this book will encourage many people. We even have chapters on overcoming loneliness and dealing with grief. I am very pleased with what I have written so far. Praise the Lord. Our goal is to have this book published by the end of 2013.

Our next book tentatively will be titled *Give Your Problems To The Lord*. I have started on the first draft of this book. The Bible gives specific instructions on how to give your problems to the Lord. Very few Christian books have ever been written on this subject.

I am working on several other books. As I have grown older and my energy level has decreased, I am significantly *increasing* my writing time. My writing time in November was the most for any month in 2012. It may have been an all-time high. I am certain that I am in the center of God’s will during these final years of my life.

**JUDY AND I ARE STILL THREE PAYCHECKS BEHIND FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.** We thank each person who sent a contribution to make up for our missing paychecks. We now have received contributions to make up almost three paychecks. However, our other contributions have fallen behind far enough so that we have had to give up subsequent paychecks. We thank each person who has prayed for us and sent a contribution to meet this need.

We are not holding back on sending books to needy people around the world. In fact, we soon will send out a large mailing to people in Third World countries offering them a free copy of *You Can Hear The Voice Of God*. Please pray that God will provide the \$3,000 shortfall on our salaries in the near future. Thank you and God bless you.

## COMMENTS FROM JUDY HARTMAN

Beloved Lamplight family,

**WE CELEBRATE OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST WITH YOU.** He is the answer to every question. Let us worship and adore Him.

**OUR MISSION IS TO SEND BOOKS TO THE NATIONS.** “Oh! Our dearly beloved Judy Hartman, we thank you very, very much for responding to our email. We are based in Nigeria West Africa. We came to know Jack Hartman and his ministry through his written books which we have read from our ministry library. They have so much inspired us, but they are now very old and dirty due to the rough handling of the people that comes to read in our ministry library. Indeed our ministry's purpose is basically on evangelism or reaching out to the people through books by means of people coming to read the great books from great authors like Jack Hartman. Indeed we are doing this on no profit making. In fact, the Lord has been blessing lives through this vision. We are just after the spiritual nourishment of the people and also to reach out to those who cannot afford to buy books but they have interest in reading. We want to tell you that with exception of none, Jack Hartman's books have benefited us so much. We are sure that the Lord will accomplish His purpose for which these books were written in the lives of the people even as they continue reading them. Thank you and God bless you once again as we look forward to receive from you soon in Jesus' name. Amen. God bless you, Judy. (We sent two boxes of books to this pastor in Lagos, Nigeria. We will report back the lives changed through the Word of God in the books). Thank you for helping with prayer and postage☺

**OUR NEWEST BOOK, *YOU CAN HEAR THE VOICE OF GOD*, IS READY FOR YOU!** I have had quite a time keeping up with Jack this year. He is writing ninety miles an hour! We completed our second book in 2012 this month! We wrote it so that no one would ever feel alone. We wrote it for whoever wants to be closer to God as we desire every day. You can order it at: 1-800-540-1597, on our website: [www.lamplight.net](http://www.lamplight.net), or through the mail (see our address above). We will send it on its merry way to you☺ Do let us know if it speaks to your heart.

**COME SPEND TIME WITH US ON:** [twitter.com/judyannhartman](https://twitter.com/judyannhartman). I'm new at twitter, but I have so many interests that I would enjoy sharing. I will include posts on recipes, what is going on in our organic square foot garden, little daily musings, and what's going on with our daily writing. You can “follow me” and we will have a lovely time together.

**CHECK OUT MY RECIPES AND HEALTH TIPS AT:** [www.giving77.wordpress.com](http://www.giving77.wordpress.com). You can see that I am learning how to use the social media. I have so many interests and want to share them with anyone who has the same interests, such as organic gardening, creating healthy meals, getting the best exercise for the heart (rebounding), natural horsemanship, missions, Bible study, memorizing Scripture, learning Spanish, learning to play gospel songs on the keyboard, tennis, jogging, and golf for starters. So, join me on this blog (the first blog has recipes for banana ice cream, banana green smoothies, and creamy tomato soup) and on twitter☺ I'll be looking for you☺

**A MAN FROM NORTH CAROLINA CONTACTS US REGARDING GANG ACTIONS UPON THEIR HOME.** I prayed with him and discussed the situation. I also

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asked him how he first found us. He said that he came across *Trust God for Your Finances* in a used bookstore many years ago. He said that applying God's principles in the book have absolutely worked in his life. He said that Jack is an anointed writer who imparts God's truth in a way that is easy to grasp. Please pray for this man and his family that the whole situation will be resolved and that there will be no more gang action touching them in any way. Please also pray for every gang member to be reached with the gospel of Jesus Christ and to be set free from all bondages. Thank you for praying.

**FIND OUR BOOKS AS E-READERS ON SMASHWORDS.COM.** We have received requests for our books as e-readers. Please go to [smashwords.com](http://smashwords.com) and search for 'Jack Hartman.' A list of available books will come up. Right now, *Effective Prayer*, *Overcoming Fear*, *A Close and Intimate Relationship with God* and *God's Joy Regardless of Circumstances* are available on [smashwords.com](http://smashwords.com). More are coming soon. You can purchase these e-books for downloading on your Kindle, Nook or any e-reader device.

**A REMINDER TO HAVE ALL OF YOUR IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS TOGETHER.** We have recently created a family trust to make our passing orderly for our heirs. We both foresee many years of vitality but know the wisdom of having all of our desires defined and our finances ready to pass on easily without probate. We realized that we have always tithed each month here on earth and that we want to tithe whatever we leave behind when we go to be with the Lord. We made certain that we have living wills and that we have stated someone to be a power of attorney if we ever need someone to take over for either of us while we are still here. The end of the year is a perfect time to see that everything is in place. We encourage you to do the same☺

**THANK YOU FOR HELPING US TO SPREAD THE GLORIOUS NEWS!** *"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace,"* (Isaiah 9:6).

We love you. Please contact us if we can be a blessing to you in any way☺

With you we are blessed to be a blessing, Genesis 12:1-3



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\_\_\_\_\_ I will commit to invest \$ \_\_\_\_\_ monthly into Lamplight Ministries as I am able.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ copies of *You Can Hear the Voice of God*. The price is \$16 for 1 book, \$10 per book for 5-9 books and \$8 per book for 10 or more books. These prices INCLUDE shipping and handling.