

A TOP 5 VERSE

Dear Friend:

Many people who follow the Lord have a favorite verse, mine is Matthew 6:33. It has been my favorite verse since I became a Christian. In my senior year in college, they said we could pick a favorite verse to go with our picture in the yearbook (I went to a Christian college). I did not hesitate, it was Matthew 6:33. Maybe John 3:16 is my second favorite verse, but after that I do not have a specific 3rd, 4th or 5th favorite. If I did, I think Matthew 19:26 would be in my top 5. Matthew 19:26 says this: "Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible". Wow, what a promise! I easily remember where this verse is found because the year my dad was born was 1926!

Think of all the times in your life where you have seen God answer prayer. Think of all the times in your life where situations seemed impossible and hopeless – but God brought you through. Let me share a couple life examples right now where people I know lean heavily on Matthew 19:26. First, Cathy - I have known her for forty years. She is going to the hospital on Monday, will go through rigorous prep, then be ready for the heart transplant she needs to stay alive. I can't imagine what is going through her (and her family's mind) but they are believing with God all things are possible. Let me tell you about Sue, a recent liver transplant recipient. She has had the transplant, but her body is rejecting the liver – not severely but there are concerns from her doctor. Sue believes that nothing is impossible with God.

Pray for a couple circumstances where God's miraculous powers will be seen, nothing is impossible so pray... Pray about the terrible 5 vehicle accident that happened on I-70. It seems nothing good can come out of that but pray, what seems impossible, that some-things good will come out of that. Impossible? Pray for the current 2 major wars to end. Pray for a revival, renewal, and growth of our church... NOTHING is impossible with God. The question is: do you and I believe it and live it?

In Christ's Love,

Pastor Mike

Prayer: Victims of the I-70 crash, Cathy Cooley (heart transplant), Midge Gathers (cancer), Glenna Stanley (pancreatitis)

Events: 4th Sunday Prayer – November 25th – 5:30pm-6:30pm

PS – There will be no In Touch next week, The office will be closed Thursday & Friday.