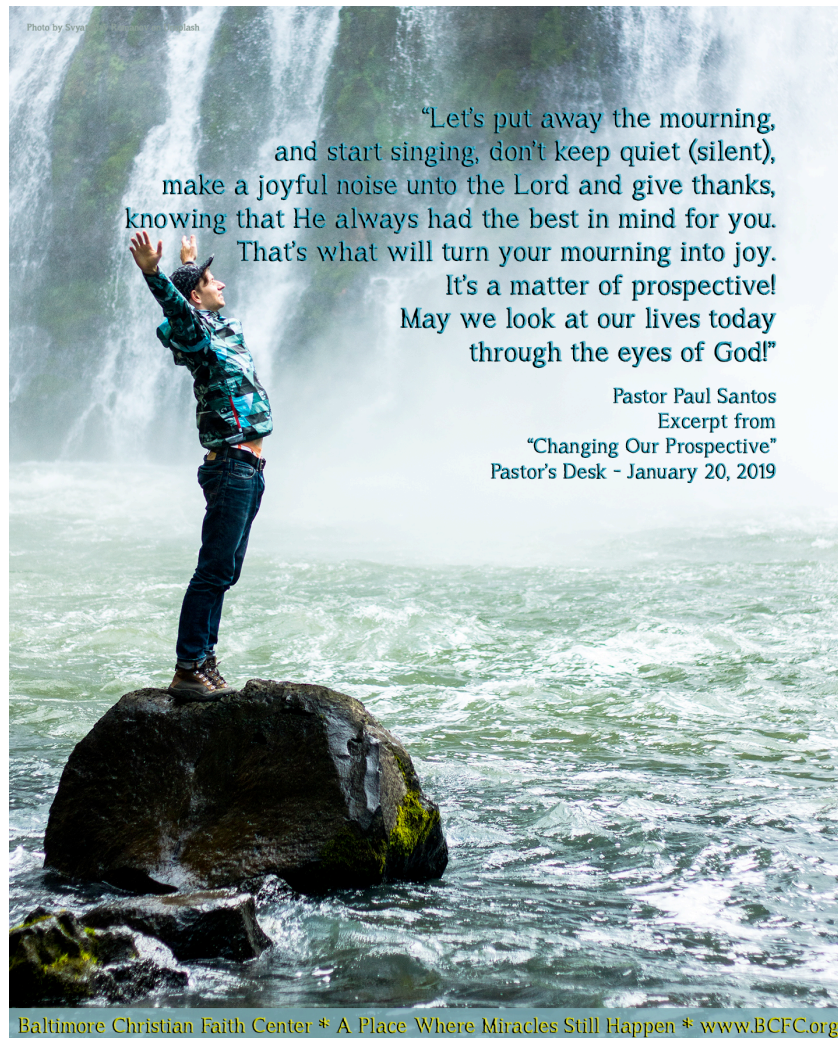


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How often have we found ourselves asking Jesus to fix things in our lives? To take away all the aches and pain of the moment because we want life to be really happy and joyful? Sometimes we may think that real joy and happiness comes from a trouble-free life. If we have ever come to that stage in our lives, I believe that Jesus wants to change our prospective.

Listen to these words: Psa. 30:11-12 "You have turned my mourning into joyful dancing. You have taken away my clothes of mourning and clothed me with joy, that I might sing praises to You and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give You thanks forever!" (NLT).

You know, He can change anything He wants and sometimes He will, but many times He wants to change our way of thinking (prospective) about life. What if He wants us to realize that He'll be with us always till the end; even in the midst of discomfort? And what if He wants us to set aside mourning and grief, and start dancing, no matter how ugly things may look? Knowing that "He will never leave us nor forsake us?" I think that's how He turns our mourning into dancing. Life will be sweeter and more satisfying because we have mourned! He does not prevent our mourning, just transforms it into joy.

"So what's the bottom line then preacher?" Let's put away the mourning, and start singing, don't keep quiet (silent), make a joyful noise unto the Lord and give thanks, knowing that He always had the best in mind for you. That's what will turn your mourning into joy. It's a matter of prospective! May we look at our lives today through the eyes of God!

In His service,
Pastor Paul Santos