

"And many women who followed Jesus from Galilee, ministering to Him, were there looking on from afar, among whom were Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James and Joseph, and the mother of Zebedee's sons.

Matthew 27:55-56

After the Lord died and was buried, while the men were afraid and hid, the female disciples went to the tomb to anoint the Lord's body with perfume.

Matthew 27:61

"Mary Magdalene and the other Mary were sitting opposite the tomb."

When Christ rose from the dead, the first witnesses to the resurrection were women. But the male disciples did not believe the eyewitness testimony of the women.

Mark 16:1-9; Luke 24:1-12

Also, in these end times, when the Lord's second coming is at hand, women have a great role to play in hastening his second coming. We can hasten the Lord's second coming only by giving ourselves to the Great Commission.

"And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come."

(Matthew 24:14)

Before our Lord Jesus Christ was born in the flesh, when he was born, when he began his ministry, when he was on the way to the cross, and when he rose again after overcoming death; women have ministered to the Lord in a special way. In this day and age, the Lord expects the same kind of service from women.

The main purpose of this call to

"Women for the Mission"

is to help women embrace the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and honor the call of The Great Commission, despite the social, religious, and cultural challenges.

"From beyond the rivers of Ethiopia My Worshipers,
The daughter of My dispersed ones,
Shall bring My offering."
Zephaniah 3:10

**"Arise, shine, for your light has come, and
the glory of the Lord has risen upon you."**

Isaiah 60:1

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- Freedom (from negative influences)
- Networking / Community
- Praying (individually and in unison)
- To serve and be served
- To give ourselves



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Women have received from God the special gift and ability to conceive, care for, nurture, and bring forth God's purpose and thoughts into this world. God's greatest gift, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, came into this world from the seed of the woman. (Genesis 3:15)

As we look at the first coming of Christ, we read from God's Word that women played a major role even before the birth of Christ.

In Luke 2:36-38 we read that the prophetess Anna, from the time her husband died in her youth until she was 84 years old, served in the temple with fasting and prayer night and day. When Mary and Joseph brought the baby Jesus to the temple to present him to the Lord, and Simeon the priest blessed them, Anna spoke about him to all who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem (**Luke 2:38**).

Just as John the Baptist prepared the way for the Lord, so the prophetess Anna, for about sixty years, was in the temple, fasting and praying day and night, preparing the way for the Messiah, the Redeemer of Jerusalem.

"Now there was one, Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was of a great age, and had lived with a husband seven years from her virginity; and this woman was a widow of about eighty-four years, who did not depart from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day. And coming in that instant she gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all those who looked for the redemption of Jerusalem.

Luke 2:36-38

During the few years that our Lord Jesus Christ ministered on earth, there were many women who served the Lord wholeheartedly in various ways.

"Now it came to pass, afterward, that he went through every city and village, preaching and bringing the glad tidings of the kingdom of God. And the twelve were with Him, and certain women who had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities: Mary called Magdalene, out of whom have come seven demons, and Joanna the wife of Chuzza Herod's steward; and Susanna, and many others who provided for Him from their substance."

Luke 8:1-3

The Samaritan woman; was the key to the city that the Lord used to reach the entire city of Samaria; she became the spiritual mother of the entire city at once. The important thing is not to be a mother in the flesh, but to be a spiritual mother. She did not hide her pride, she glorified her Lord before all the people of the city.

"The woman then left her waterpot and went her way into the city, and said to the men, 'Come, see a Man who told me all things that I ever did. Could this be the Christ?' Then they went out of the city and came to him." John 4:28-30

Another woman we meet in the Gospel; anointing the feet of the Lord Jesus with precious ointment, wiping them with her tears and her hair, and kissing them, prepared Him for burial before his death, as he himself testified on her behalf.

"Then one of the Pharisees asked Him to eat with him. and he went to the Pharisee's house, and sat down to eat. And, behold, a woman in the city, which was a sinner, when she knew that Jesus sat at table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of oil, and stood at His feet behind Him weeping; and she began to wash His feet with her tears, and wiped them with the hair of her head; and kissed His feet and anointed them with the fragrant oil. (Luke 7:36-38)

The Gospel of Matthew, puts it thus:

"A woman came to Him having an alabaster flask of very costly fragrant oil, and she poured it on His head as He sat at the table. But when His disciples saw it, they were indignant, saying, "Why this waste? For this fragrant oil might have been sold for much and given to the poor. But when Jesus was aware of it, He said to them, "Why do you trouble the woman? For she has done a good work for Me. For you have the poor with you always, but Me you do not have always. For in pouring this fragrant oil on My body, she did it for My burial. Assuredly, I say to you, wherever this gospel is preached in the whole world, what this woman has done will also be told as a memorial to her."

Matthew 26:7-13

When our Lord Jesus Christ was carrying the cross and going to Golgotha, many women served him. (Matthew 27:55-56)