



SIDEWALK CHALK

One of the best things about summer is being outside all day. Long days, lots of sun, and un-normal routine makes for a few great months. One thing I've found to be extra fun is playing outside with the grandkids, blowing bubbles, watering everything, and using sidewalk chalk. I don't

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remember my parents letting me do that on their driveway. My kids, on the other hand, really enjoyed it. But we didn't leave it there very long. But something about the grandkid's chalk “Art” doesn't get washed away very quickly. Actually, I don't think we've EVER rinsed it off the driveway, but instead, simply let it wear off over time. I love driving home, pulling into the driveway, and seeing all the scribbles. I love how it looks, but more than that, I love the memories it brings back. It just reminds me of the time they spent with us, and it makes me smile. I don't care if it looks dirty, it's staying there. The colors remind me of their “presence” with me. I know that probably sounds silly. When your own kids are small, finding army men under the couch or cotton balls in your couch seemed somewhat annoying at times. Now, I love it. It's all just little reminders of how much I love spending time with them. Being in their presence simply brings me delight ... there's no other way to say it.

I believe the Lord “delights” in being with His kids in much the same way. He delights in being in our presence.

He loves to hang out with us. He loves to talk to us, He loves to hear from us, He just ... loves ... us. On the other hand, we can “delight” in Him as well. There are two familiar verses that still bless me every time I read them. Zephaniah 3:17 says, “The Lord your God in your midst, the Mighty One will save: He will rejoice over you with gladness, He will quiet you in His love, He will rejoice over you with singing.” He delights in us!!!! And then in Psalm 37:4, David said “Delight yourself in the Lord, and He shall give you the desires of your heart.” He delights in us, we delight in Him. A whole lot of delighting going on, just by being in each other's presence. I pray that you daily, and intentionally, spend time in God's presence and He promises He will be there, spending time delighting in you. Our obedience to Him are like those “art” projects in my driveway, they are simply signs of our love towards Him, our joy in being in His presence. Psalm 119:7 (NLT) says, “As I learn Your righteous regulations, I will thank You by living as I should.” And just as Harper and Owen's sidewalk art lasts for a long time, reminding the world they were here, our “works” will also last forever, reminding the world that He is here, and He's alive! David also said in Psalm 145:10-13, “All Your works shall praise You, O Lord, and Your saints shall bless You. They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom, and talk of Your power, to make known to the sons of men His mighty acts, and the glorious majesty of His kingdom. Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.” God, and His love, remains forever.



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Sun-Dried Tomato & Bleu Cheese Burgers

from allrecipes.com

"These hamburgers combine ground beef with sun-dried tomatoes, blue cheese, Worcestershire sauce, and dry mustard. These are best on the grill for great flavor."

Ingredients

- 3 pounds uncooked lean ground beef
- 1 cup diced sun-dried tomatoes
- 4 ounces blue cheese
- 1/2 cup minced fresh chives
- 1 tablespoon steak sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon hot pepper sauce
- 1/4 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 12 hamburger rolls

Directions:

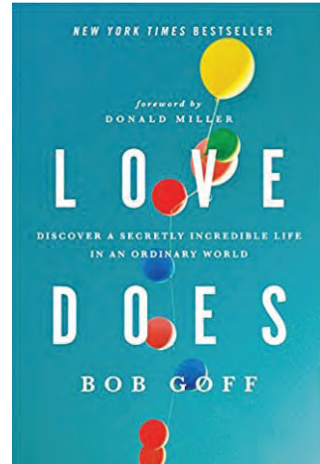
- In a large bowl, mix the ground beef, sun-dried tomatoes, blue cheese, chives, steak sauce, hot pepper sauce, Worcestershire sauce, black pepper, salt, and mustard. Cover and refrigerate for two hours.
- Preheat an outdoor grill for high heat. Gently form mixture into twelve equally-sized patties.
- Grill burgers for five minutes per side, or to desired doneness. Serve on rolls.

Enjoy!

Book Review

From

Barb Costley



Love Does by Bob Goff is an incredibly sweet and inspiring book about lessons drawn from Goff's life. Each chapter is a story about his whimsical, meaningful, and adventurous life. As Bob has become a legend and, "the world's best kept secret," we get this amazing glimpse into Bob's life and what it means to put love into action. It is hilarious, light, and fun to the point of having to put the book down for a full belly laugh and/or pick up the phone to read this paragraph to someone out loud because it is just so funny you can't believe he actually did that!

In this book, Bob shows us what it is like to give hands and feet to love in action. It has an effect that will make you want to refocus your life and energy on what is most significant ... loving others. "It doesn't just invite you to respond with your God-given potential, it invites you to become part of what God can do beyond your potential."

I highly recommend picking up this book and getting lost in its pages, at least for just a short time. You will emerge from this with a new look on life and a desire to turn each day into a meaningful and whimsical one, and to make faith simple and real, allowing God's love to flow through us.



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Riding, Resting, and the Ruckus

I like riding the bus (I never thought I'd hear myself say that!) But, here in China the buses are cheap, efficient, and they go all over the city. In the morning, the buses are full of older Chinese. They get to ride for free. Most of them aren't going anywhere, they just ride because it's free and it's something to do. I'm convinced they don't even know where the route goes, or care. They are just along for the ride. They chatter amongst themselves as they ride – it's a social gathering. But eventually, many of them will fall asleep. Lulled to sleep by the lumbering vehicle, nothing seems to wake them. Not the loud speakers making announcements, the doors clanging open and shut, nor the crowds of people getting on and off the bus with all their various bags, carts, and boxes. It doesn't seem matter how many stops the bus makes, or how much ruckus there is, they are content to ride/sleep knowing that at some point the route will take them home.

I hope to be more like that in my life, not worrying too much about the road I'm traveling on my life's journey, or how many stops I may have to make along the way. Just enjoy the ride. I can rest knowing that my Driver knows both the route and my final destination. He will get me home safely.

Proverbs 3:6 "In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths."

For updated prayer requests and pictures visit: www.bamboopandas.wordpress.com



"LET'S
WORSHIP
THE SON"

LADIES
SUMMER
NIGHTS

Join us as we meet together to focus on Jesus, the "SON" who shines brighter than the summer sun! Acts 2:42 tells us that in the early church, the disciples ***"continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers."*** We've decided to do the same, so we'll be meeting once a month to follow their lead. We look forward to spending time with you as we worship the Lord in music, the Word, and in fellowship! Mark your calendars and invite your friends and neighbors! For more info, contact Kelly at 951-677-5667 or email kbell@calvarymurrieta.com.

JULY 18TH

A Night of Worship through the study of His Word.

AUGUST 15TH

A Night of Worship through fellowship with our sisters in Christ.



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• Tyler & Mical Updates •

This update introduces you to the last two ladies we worked with from the Seed Center back in Chiang Mai. In the following updates, we will start sharing our students' stories with you. You are in for a treat! The hard part for us will be, which of the powerful 60 stories will we have time to share with you?

Meet our friend Nang Jing Boon (pictured with Mical above, lower right)

Jing Boon was born in Shan State in 1994. Due to the fighting in her village, her family was forced to move to Thailand when she was 5 years old. She is the middle of three children. Her parents worked to grow trees in the forest for the government and are still farmers today. Fortunately for Jing Boon, she was able to study in the Thai school and worked hard to finish her high school education. In addition to her studies she would help her parents work. In 2011, she applied for the SSSNY program in Chiang Mai and was accepted! After she graduated she started working for Shan Youth Power and taught Thai and English in the construction camps. Now she teaches at the Seed Center as well to the local migrant workers at night. Her dream is for migrant people to have rights in Thailand. Since she doesn't have government ID it has been hard for her to get jobs and study after high school.

Meet our friend Nang Pong Boon (pictured with Mical above, left)

Poung was born in Shan State in 1993. She is the middle of three sisters and is also from a farming family. Her village was threatened by the fighting when she was 3 and her family fled to the Thailand border. Poung and Jing Boon actually met when they were just kids! She went to a Thai school for two years before her family moved inland to Chiang Mai. She was unable to attend more school after the move because the family needed for her to help work. She was a housekeeper and a nanny and earned 50 THB a day (\$1.47). She joined the Shan Youth Power program and worked with them for two years. In 2012, she studied hard and was able to get into the SSSNY program herself! It was there that she learned about Burmese history and all her country was going through. That program inspired her to continue to help her community.

SYN told her about the Seed Center. As a result, she now teaches Thai to migrant workers twice a week and in the construction camps three times a week. She loves the opportunity to improve the lives of the Shan people in Thailand. She says that the Shan people who know English or Thai will have opportunities to earn more money, get better jobs, and qualify for more schooling. Her dreams are to travel, meet new people, and for Burma to change. She hopes that Burmese people can live without fear. She has extended family back in Shan State, but she cannot travel back to their home due to the lack of ID cards and permission.

These stories are short, but powerful for a few reasons. These girls have the SWEETEST personalities and a deep love for their people. They dedicate their lives to helping others. They do not make much money working at Seed. Since they know English, they could be trying to get better jobs and earn more money (Aka- the American way), but they are content to earn little, while helping others. We are inspired by their hearts and passion. Pray for these sweet friends to discover Jesus and the saving grace He gives.

2017 Marriage Getaway

Weekend Theme:
LOVE & RESPECT

When: September 22nd – 24th

Where: La Quinta Resort

Cost: \$365/couple (Early Bird Special)
after August 1st - \$390



Special Speakers:
Emerson and Sara Eggerich



Friday Night
Comedy Night
Barnes and Minor

Sponsored by:

North Coast Calvary Chapel, Daybreak Church,
Grace Chapel, the Mission Church, RdR Church,
Vista Calvary Chapel, theMovement and more...

Register Online at:
www.theMarriageResource.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Family Night Wednesday - July 12th, 6:30 pm

Children at Risk Meeting - July 16th, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm in the Agape Room

Ladies Summer Series - July 18th and August 15th, 7:00 pm

Family Movie Night - July 27th, 6:00 pm

Harvest Crusade - August 18th-20th

REAL Tuesday - September 26th, 7:00 pm

Reasons to Rejoice Bible Study - BEGINS October 10th

BIBLE STUDIES and GATHERINGS

ADOPTIVE SUPPORT GROUP

**2nd Tuesday of every month
at 7:00 pm, church office.**

Call the church office at 677-5667.

M.O.M.'S (MOMS ON A MISSION)

On Summer Break, will resume in September.

"REASONS TO REJOICE" WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Resumes October 10th.

Call Cindy Chapman at 677-5667.

LADIES CHRISTIAN BOOK CLUB

2nd Wednesday at 11:30 am. Call Debre': 764-0408

3rd Thursday at 7:00 pm. Call Susan: 290-9753

WIDOWS MIGHT MINISTRY

1st Tuesday of every month from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm.

Call Darla at 714-501-7478.

REAL TUESDAYS

Resumes September 26th.

Call Kelly at 951-677-5667.

SUNDAY NIGHT OF PRAYER

**1st Sunday of every month at 6:30 pm.
In the Agape Room.**

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES



The Sound and Powerpoint Ministry is in need of ladies to assist with services.

Please contact Richard at 813-6026.

Interested in being part of the Welcome Team on Sunday mornings or Wednesday evenings?

Call Donna Hansen at 551-6594.

Nursery helpers needed for all services and Wednesday nights on a rotating basis.

Call Tony Schaffner at 677-5667.

Meals Ministry needs volunteers to prepare meals for those in need.

Call Cindy Chapman 677-5667.

If you'd like to be a part of the Prayer Chain, please call Kristyn at 677-5667.

Article Submissions: If you would like to submit something to the Women's Newsletter; poems, recipes, devotions, ideas, tips, etc., please email submissions to kbell@calvarymurrieta.com

Check Out

<https://www.facebook.com/freeandfunforkids/>

A FB page that helps moms be aware of various activities, resources, and FREE events for kids of all ages!



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	1
2 CHURCH 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM NIGHT OF PRAYER 6:30 PM AGAPE ROOM	3 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	 FOURTH OF JULY	5 CARE MINISTRY 5:00 PM BIBLE STUDY • 7:00 PM	6	7 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	8
9 CHURCH 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM	10	11	12 LADIES BOOK CLUB 11:30 AM • 764-0408 CARE MINISTRY 5:00 PM FAMILY NIGHT • 6:30 PM	13	14 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	15
VBS WEEK 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM						
16 CHURCH 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM CHILDREN AT RISK 3:00 PM-5:00 PM AGAPE ROOM	17	18 LADIES SUMMER SERIES 7:00 PM GUEST SPEAKER: GAIL MAYS	19 CARE MINISTRY 5:00 PM BIBLE STUDY • 7:00 PM	20	21 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	22
<u>23</u> 30 CHURCH 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM	<u>24</u> 31	25	26 CARE MINISTRY 5:00 PM BIBLE STUDY • 7:00 PM	27 FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT 6:00 PM	28 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	29