

Lesson for a Bride

A young bride planned to entertain some friends, but she lacked some of the things she would need. Consequently, she went to a neighbor to borrow them. After giving the items to her, the neighbor asked, "Is that all you want?"

"Yes, I think so," the young woman answered.

Then her neighbor, an experienced hostess, handed her some other articles and said, "But you will also need some of this, and that, and some more of these."

Later, the young woman remarked, "I was so thankful I went to someone who knew exactly what I needed and was willing to supply it."

Think about it. How well that describes God! Through the sacrifice of His Son, He has given us salvation, the means of eternal fellowship with Him. But that's not all. He also provides power through the Holy Spirit so that we can do His will. God sees beforehand what our needs are, and He provides for them.

Consider the implications: Without God's provision, what would our work in Life Care, Century Park and Life Care at Home be like? It is a frightening thought.

With His love, wisdom, grace and guidance, however, we are able to accomplish mighty feats of service to our customers, and, in return, receive the peace, joy and contentment that arise from doing His will.

And Abraham called the name of the place, "The Lord-Will-Provide." (Genesis 22:14)

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