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## SUPER NATURAL HELPS<sup>2</sup>

THE HELPS MINISTRY

The PLACE of **HELPS**:1 Corinthians 12:18;28

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And God hath SET some in the church, first apostles, secondarily prophets, thirdly teachers, after that miracles, then gifts of healings, HELPS, governments, diversities of tongues." 1 Cor 12:28 KJV



**WE SAW**, last edition (tvb 172 Apr-June 2025), that your HELPS Duty is SUPERNATURAL [Above nature; that which is beyond or added to nature, often so considered because it is given by God...]

God's nature is SUPERNATURAL. HELPS is given by God. This is what makes your HELPS Duty a SUPERNATURAL SERVICE!

### The PLACE Of Your HELPS Duty

According to 1 Corinthians 12:18, But now God has SET the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased.

And in 1 Corinthians 12:28, He SET the Ministry Gifts and HELPS ➡

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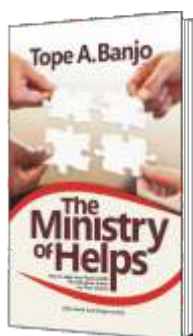
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## Child Of God, Your HELPS Duty Is SUPERNATURAL Service. Expect SUPERNATURAL Results To Show Up!

in the Church / Body of Christ;

And God hath SET some in the church, first apostles, secondarily prophets, thirdly teachers, after that miracles, then gifts of healings, HELPS, governments, diversities of tongues. (KJV)

The New King James Version uses **APPOINTED** instead of SET.

God's APPOINTED PLACE for the HELPS is a POSITION of Duty; supporting the Ministry work of the Minister (Apostle, Prophet, Evangelist and Teacher) and the Church work of the Pastor. God has invested divine POWER in the HELPS for effective PERFORMANCE of this Duty as required.

The word SET in 1 Corinthians 12 verses 18 and 28 is from the Greek word **tithemi**. It means 'To place,' which is, 'To put someone in


deliberately.' The word 'Place' here implies, 'to recruit or match an appropriate person for a job.'

God put the HELPS in a particular Place, especially carefully and deliberately, by recruiting or matching appropriate Born-Again Believers-in-Christ into the HELPS for the job required for Ministry work and Pastoral work!

1 Corinthians 12:18 and 28 encompass three important things about your HELPS Duty:

- 1) HELPS applies to all members of the Body of Christ.
- 2) Do not look down on your HELPS Duty.
- 3) Your HELPS Duty is a place of honour in God's sight.

It might amaze you to know that the Ministry of Our Lord Jesus was performed with HELPS and HELPERS as work base before His Crucifixion and after His Resurrection and Ascension in Acts 1 (Acts 1:15-23). We will go further in these 3 important things next edition. I hope you'll join me in **tvb 174 Oct-Dec 2025**.

Until then, make the most and the best of your HELPS Duty. Be a blessing through your SUPERNATURAL Service in HELPS! 

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# Spiritual Service REQUIRES & INCLUDES LOYALTY!

[58]But Peter followed Him at a distance to the high priest's courtyard. And he went in and sat down to see the end. Matthew 26:58

**F**our significant things happened in Matthew 26.

**ONE:** Our Lord Jesus confronted Judas about betraying Him. Judas did not deny it or repent (verse 25).

**TWO:** Our Lord Jesus told Peter that he would deny Him thrice before the rooster crows. Peter vowed he would never deny Him (verse 34).

**THREE:** That night, Judas Iscariot brought a crowd to arrest Our Lord Jesus, AFTER betraying Him with a kiss (verse 48-49) ...But Peter followed Him at a distance to the high priest's courtyard. And he went in and sat down to see the end. (verse 58)

People confronted Peter, "You also were with Jesus of Galilee" but Peter denied knowing Him (verse 69-74)!

Your Spiritual Service **REQUIRES** and **INCLUDES YOUR LOYALTY** from your heart to God Almighty. Regardless the trouble, maintain your **LOYAL** stand!

**FOUR:** "Peter remembered the word of Jesus who had said to him, "Before the rooster crows, you will deny me three times." So he went out and wept bitterly. (verse 75) Peter acknowledged his error and disloyalty to Our Lord Jesus. And repented!

**BELOVED:** As a Minister, Pastor, Leader or Worker, your Spiritual Service **REQUIRES** and **INCLUDES YOUR LOYALTY** from your heart to God Almighty. Regardless the trouble, maintain your **LOYAL** stand from this minute!

May God Bless You Richly!!

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# Be A Supernatural Leader!

**O**ur HELPS Cover message closed saying, "...the Ministry of Our Lord Jesus was performed with HELPS as work base before His Crucifixion and after His Resurrection and Ascension in Acts 1."

Before Our Lord Jesus' Crucifixion and Resurrection, His disciples were His HELPS ministry. After His Ascension in Acts 1:9-11, [and before Matthias was included] they continued functioning as Supernatural HELPS Leaders of His Ministry Work!

## HOW DID THEY DO IT?

**THEY LIVED, WERE LED AND ALSO LED THE BELIEVERS BY GOD'S WORD AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT!**

This was their work style in choosing a new Apostle to replace Judas in Acts 1:15-26!

From Acts 1:16, Apostle Peter began discussing the need to replace Judas Iscariot the betrayer (Matthew 10:4; John 18:2,5). His PLACE of HELPS Leadership Duty, as an Apostle, was important in God's plan (Mark 3:13-19). Their Scriptural basis was Acts 1:17, "for he was numbered with us and obtained a part in this ministry"; [21]"Therefore, of these men who have accompanied us all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, [22]beginning from the baptism

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of John to that day when He was taken up from us, one of these must become a witness with us of His resurrection." (Acts 1:21-22) And in Acts 1:26, [26]And they cast their lots, and the lot fell on Matthias. And he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

Regardless his status before Acts 1:26, MATTHIAS was divinely chosen and set as Apostle number 12. And there's more!

Next edition tvb 174 Oct-Dec 2025, we will discuss more on Be A SUPERNATURAL Leader (2). By God's Grace, we will see more scriptural evidences of how the 12 Apostles functioned as Supernatural HELPS Leaders. We look forward to having you here!

Please continue to SERVE WELL. Like Apostle Matthias, Your HELPS Leadership Duty will be divinely rewarded!

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# Supernatural Leadership!

**[32] And they came to a place which is named Gethsemane; and He said to His disciples, "Sit here while I pray."  
Mark 14:32**

**O**ur Lord Jesus functioned in **Supernatural Leadership** work style during His three years of Ministry Work.

## THE LORD'S SUPERNATURAL LEADERSHIP

What He did at the Garden of Gethsemane is ONE evidence (See **Matthew 26:36-56, Mark 14:32-41, Luke 22:39-54**). He took Leadership initiative to pray alone despite Peter, James and John's non-response to pray with Him at Gethsemane. He also protected His disciples from Judas the betrayer and the crowd (**John 18:4-8**).

## THE APOSTLES IN SUPERNATURAL LEADERSHIP

Every disciple, except Judas Iscariot, continued His Ministry Work beyond His Resurrection and Ascension in Jerusalem and beyond by imitating the Lord Jesus'

**Your Supernatural Leadership, Functioning Supernaturally Alongside Your HELPS Leaders And Workers, Will Achieve And Sustain Your Desired Results!**

**Supernatural Leadership work style!**

**Supernatural Leadership** through **Living And Being Led By God's Word And The Holy Spirit** became the Apostles' **Daily Work Style!** Bible records from Acts of the Apostles through to Revelations provide abundant evidences of scripture-based Lifestyle and Ministry Work that imitated Our Lord Jesus.

## MAKE SUPERNATURAL LEADERSHIP YOUR DAILY WORK STYLE!

Our Lord Jesus' **Supernatural Leadership**, functioning supernaturally alongside His Disciples, has sustained His results until today.

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# Why Do You Do What You Do?

**W**hy do you want to be close to your Pastor? Is it for Service or just personal recognition? Are you the type who gets recognition from your Boss through eye service or heart service?

Why do you want your husband to help at home? Is it because...

- You feel he is 'enjoying' by lifting up his legs, watching television or reading a newspaper while you 'bear the kitchen heat'?
- You are lazy?
- Or despite your efforts, the housework is still too much and you need help?
- You love having him by your side while

working?

Do you ask God for things knowing in your heart that your reasons are wrong? Do you indulge in manipulation?

To have greater and longer lasting influence, and reward from God, let your MOTIVES be right in all you do.

Ephesians 6:6-7 says, "...not with eye service, as men pleasers, but as bond servants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, with goodwill doing service, as to the Lord, and not men."

And James 4:3 says, "You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures."

In conclusion, "...Whatever you do, do it heartily, as unto the Lord and not to men, knowing that from the Lord you will Receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ." [Colossians 3:23-24].

God bless! **VAB, Lagos** *vab*

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## FAÇADE:



**M**any folks settle for **Façade** in their Business practice. They believe that a **Façade** is a smart way of making the right impression on others about their Business.

**Façade** is, 'A deceptive outward appearance.' (<http://wiktionary.org>). It is 'A showy misrepresentation intended to conceal something unpleasant.' (WordWeb)

It only brings unnecessary pressures that negatively influence Business. Avoid it in your



## FAÇADE: Between Business Skills & Tricks

### Invest in HONEST Business behaviours. HONESTY SHAPES AND KEEPS BUSINESS PROFITABLE!

Management.

#### FIRST IMPRESSION Or FALSE IMPRESSIONS?

Many devise deceptive ways of presenting the right front. They know how to 'smile on the phone', to sound friendly and pleasant to customers.

Some use the right office décor to tell Customers that they are successful. Some show they are really busy by delaying Customers 30 minutes for a mere 5 minute inquiry! Some work on a crowded office desk to show they are doing a lot!

#### DANGER: Like Make-Up, FAÇADE IN BUSINESS Hide BUSINESS WRINKLES!

Avoid Façades. They make everyone on the outside think that all is well in your Business WHEN REALLY IT IS NOT. Façades block off help and support THAT OTHERWISE WOULD HAVE RUSHED TO YOUR AID!

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## BUSINESS START-UP RESOURCES

### Success Comes Through Goals!

Success in life only comes from setting and attaining Goals!

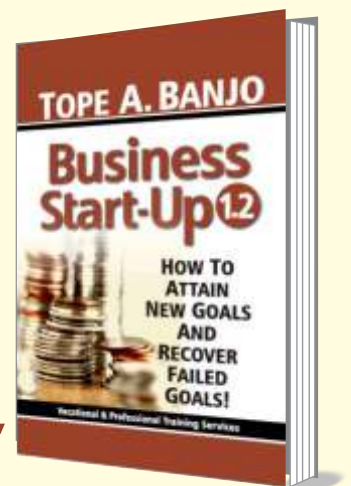
Truth is, whatever **your Goals** were in your past, whether conscious or unconscious, they were the major Determiners of whatever Status you have in life today.

#### Goals Determine Your Status!


Your current Status is a result of your conscious or unconscious Goals in your past. For some readers, this might be a painful reality, but it's a fact. Regardless whatever any other person has done or refused to do for your success, you have always been the final decision maker of your own life's outcomes.

In the same way, **your current Goals will be the definite Influencers of whatever Status you attain in your future!** You too can

**"...Your Current Goals Will Be The Definite Influencers Of Whatever Status You Attain In Your Future! "**



position your life and future for better results. **You can have a better Business, a happier marriage, a more productive government, etc.**

To attain your desired future, the Goals you set today should positively motivate your waking up early enough every morning. They should positively influence how busy you get at certain productive activities during the day. They should support your healthful rest every night in readiness for another positively productive day! 

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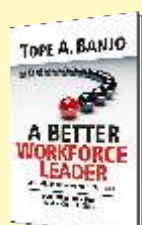
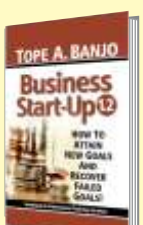
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