

DARE TO DREAM!



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Scripture: Phil 4:13 "I can do ALL things through Christ who strengthens me"

Food for thought: Wake Up and Work your Dream!

Almost half way into 2011 and how time flies. I love this time of the year because the weather is lovely, no goose bump – skin and a perfect time to reflect and push into motion that thing that you promised yourself on the 1st of January 2011 you would achieve, without fail! The million dollar question is "How far are you in achieving your dream/goal/vision for 2011?"

How big is your dream? And where is God in all this? Check....have you limited the greatness of God by the size of your dream? If your dream doesn't scare or challenge you, then your dream is too small. David Allen Hubbard, former president of Fuller Seminary said 'the only institutions or people that have enough resources to perform their tasks are those with small visions or small dreams' ...ouch! So beginning of the year... through prayer & fasting, I purposely asked God to bless & equip me for my **BIG DREAM**.

I realised when i dream I have to be ignorant of the current surroundings, circumstances and any limitations at that particular moment. My dream had to have the power to take me from my current circumstances and propel me to places i never imagined I would go. Same for you. You can dare to see things that other people are not seeing. Oh yes you can!!

A vital lesson I learnt was a dream is birthed: When you receive a vision and the Lord gives you an instruction - **Acts26:16**. When you have a night vision **Genesis28:12-16**. This is when the Lord visits you whilst you are asleep and you have a divine dream. **1Samuel16:12** and **Joshua14:6-12**. Through a prophetic word.

Your dream has got the capacity to change your status. The word of God has got the ability to discern the dreams of the heart.

So I made a decision to have long-range goals to keep me from being frustrated by short-range failures. I stopped making excuses that people are not helpful in assisting me to achieve my dreams. I came to realise that a successful person is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks that others throw at her. No more excuses I just had to “do it”

Then I got a wakeup call “No dream **EVER** comes **TRUE** until you **WAKE UP** and go to **WORK**” My alarm bell went off and I had one of those “dah” moments! So i have been working and working on that thing, I am excited at what God’s about to do. How about you?

One last encouragement woman of excellence, when you count the stars, begin with yourself and when see an eagle see U. Don’t disqualify yourself for crying out loud! Please do not sit on your dreams, go out there and do something remarkable! Pursue that God given dream. Re-ignite your hunger to achieve and dare to fight for your dream!

Looking forward to your great testimonies.

Love

Mercy