



## Refresh & Refresh @ Night 2014-2015 MAGNIFY His Holy Names

God tells us in His Word that His name is a place of refuge and a source of help.

"The name of the LORD is a strong tower; the righteous man runs into it and is safe." Proverbs 18:10 (ESV)

"Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth." Psalm 124:8 (ESV)

God often demonstrates these truths by revealing one of His various names to His people at a time when they are in great trial or crisis. He moves in a specific way on their behalf, which reveals an attribute of His character and hence His name.

For example, God doesn't **tell** Abraham that He is *Yahveh Yireh*, "The LORD Will Provide." He instead **provides** a ram to substitute for Abraham's beloved son, Isaac, as the required sacrifice. Thus, He reveals Himself to Abraham as the One who provides, resulting in Abraham's great praise of *Yahveh Yireh*.

In Refresh 2014-2015, we will study numerous names of God found in His Word as He reveals Himself to His people. We will not be memorizing a list; we will be experiencing His ways. And we pray the results will be the same. We, like Abraham, will *Magnify*. And then we will discover refuge, help, and safety in His name.



## **Mentoring Moms**PARENTING WITH PROVERBS

If you were asked to describe your goals for parenting, how would you answer? Many thoughts would fill your mind as you think about this serious question. Proverbs is written to help train our sons and daughters in common sense and wisdom. However, it is difficult

to think of ways to teach these truths. This curriculum is designed to do just that. The goals for this year are for both mothers and children:

## For moms:

- 1. To have a consistent time of reading Scripture.
- 2. To memorize one Proverb each week while reviewing all others.
- 3. To teach "wisdom exercises and projects" to their children of every age.

For the children: To train children through activities in common sense and wisdom so that they may learn to fear the Lord and make wise moral choices as teens.

There will be a mentoring mom at each table to listen, pray, and share both successes and failures with you. We are looking forward to an exciting journey together this year as we anticipate what God will teach us!



**Renew** *Gideon* DVD study by Priscilla Shirer

God can use your weakness!

Do you feel overwhelmed? Inexperienced? Intimidated? Insufficient? Too old? Too young? Too invisible? Too afraid?

Gideon's story involves far more than a wet fleece and a battle won with 300 soldiers. His epic victory actually tells us of one man's struggle with insecurity. If you have trouble accepting your limitations, this study will help you see how God can use your weakness to unlock His strength. Yes, Gideon can attest—weakness is a gift. Join Priscilla for a Bible study that will open your eyes to a brand new perspective on yourself, your God, and . . . Gideon.

