



DAY 9 | May 9, 2020

Scripture

“For God’s gifts and His call are irrevocable.” — ROMANS 11:29

Inspiration

Once in a while you come across a verse that is profound in its simplicity; the idea that the gifts God provides us and the call He places on our lives are irrevocable is mind blowing. **What the verse is really saying is that God provides us gifts — individual, personal, specific — in the form of talents, skills and even passions, and then directs us to use those gifts for a purpose that we and only we have been built to carry out. That’s the “call.”**

So, they are linked together — our personal gifts from God and the call upon our lives — and they’re irrevocable. We don’t get to reject them. We don’t get to choose how or when to use them. And we certainly don’t get to choose the circumstances within which we carry out our unique purpose. We all have this combo of gifts and call. And in this pandemic, we see it playing out in the people all around us who freely apply those gifts to the challenge in front of us. What a blessing to see that play out right in front of us.

Real Blessings

“Dr. Greenwell has been a blessing to us during all this. It is nothing short of divine intervention that he came to us when he did. His gifts and talents are the perfect fit for Wellspring and he came in God’s perfect timing.”

— LYNN MAURER
Executive Director
Home Health & Hospice

Prayer

HEAVENLY FATHER, your gifts to us come in so many ways, sometimes at unexpected times in our lives. And we’re so very grateful for them. In fact, you love us so much that you’ve woven personal gifts right into the fabric of our beings — gifts, talents and skills, which not only make up who we are, but also represent the possibilities that lie within us as we serve your people.

Thank you for those gifts, and the call you’ve placed upon us to use those gifts in ways that, combined with the gifts of colleagues, allow us to make a big impact in our communities.

Help us to apply those gifts each and every day to the best of our ability, and in so doing, fulfill the irrevocable call upon our lives. **AMEN.**