

# GOD'S ARMOR BEARER

for the Next Generation

TERRY NANCE



# ENDORSEMENTS

Terry Nance's book, *God's Armorbearer*, is an insightful look at a neglected ministry that needs desperately to be rekindled in the kingdom. I believe it is essential for every sincere Christian to read and apply. That is the reason I purchased 5,000 of them for use at our church, The Potter's House. I would simply be afraid to command any troops into battle who had not read it.

**Bishop T.D. Jakes**

This book has been a familiar friend to me ever since I was a young man. My father, Don Nori Sr., had me read this book to prepare me to serve the authors we were publishing. It became my foundation for how to work with the most anointed men and women of God in the Church today. Throughout my career, I have traveled with them and carried their bags and served them. This character-building book raised me to be an armorbearer, and it will do the same for you!

**Don Nori**

CEO, Destiny Image/Nori Media Group

Over the years I have given literally thousands of Terry's first edition of *God's Armorbearer* to Teen Challenge leaders around the world. It has always been an amazing book to train upcoming

leaders on what it means to be a servant and to know how to serve those you follow. I can say with extreme excitement that I feel Terry has once again captured the essence of what it means to be a servant leader with this generation. I would encourage you to not only read this book for yourself but to purchase one for every leader who serves with you. I am anxious to get this new edition in the hands of our Teen Challenge family globally.

**Jerry Nance, Ph.D.**

President, Global Teen Challenge

Pastor Terry Nance's first book, *God's Armorbearer*, was an inspiration and a go-to resource for my learning about servant leadership. I gave dozens of copies away to those I was training up to lead. For a time, this book was in almost every pastor's home I visited. The impact of Terry's revelation about armorbearers can without exaggeration sit on many leader's top-ten book list over the last 40 years. After living what he wrote about for many years now, Pastor Terry offers an update with fresh revelation. This book will no doubt touch new generations of leaders as they learn the ways of service and honor. And I hope it will encourage mature leaders to step up as mentors and coaches to bless coming generations. I highly recommend this book.

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God knew that in the right season author and pastor Terry Nance would be ready to write this timely book. Terry is known globally for introducing the biblical role of armorbearers in his bestselling volumes of armorbearer books. Terry is the right man to share what God has given to him for armorbearers for the next generation.

This revelation is thirty years old and reaching into the next generation. This is time-tested and proven to be essential for end-time harvest. Terry humbly addresses the confusion that some misguided individuals have taken with the armorbearer teaching. This clear, anointed book promotes servanthood and honor and not selfishness and greed. This book will not only bless you but properly equip you to fulfill the honorable roll of an armorbearer.

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Since early 1991, I have grown up under Pastor Terry Nance's ministry. *God's Armorbearer* made an enormous impact on my life by imparting a love for Jesus, His leaders, and His Church. Terry's new book is now calling forth the leaders of the Body of Christ to be filled with the love of the "Father heart of God" and to reach this nation and the world's younger generations. It's time for the leaders to be spiritual fathers and mothers and the armorbearers to be spiritual sons and daughters. Our collective hearts should be broken for and turn toward these—our

future leaders, our prodigal sons and daughters, and those in bondage to the spirit of the world! Chaos and dark demonic activity are determined to divide us from them, but we will run to them! Powerful, strategic, reformation, restoration!

Be blessed, moved, and transformed as you receive a great impartation of the love of our Father God through this book!

**Philip Blunk**

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## Endorsements

# *from* SPIRITUAL SONS *and* DAUGHTERS

*God's Armorbearer for the Next Generation* is a refreshing word inspired by the Spirit to release once again true unity in the Body of Christ. When embraced with an open heart, this book will ignite passion and restoration between leaders and servant-followers, dreamers and visionaries. I have had the privilege to learn and serve under Pastors Terry and Kim Nance for about three years, and they have truly set it upon themselves to both listen to and train me, as well as establish a culture for other elders and leaders to do the same. The result, for me personally, is a passion to carry the vision of what is truly my home church and a true love and armorbearer spirit for my leaders.

**Michaela Cozad**

This book is a fresh word for the Body of Christ and a very powerful and insightful guide to being an armorbearer for your pastors and leaders from an author who continues to serve as an armorbearer himself. Being around Pastor Terry Nance

and his ministry has changed my life and has shown me how to be an armorbearer. He has personally invested his time to pour into my life, and it's more than an honor to serve as an armorbearer for someone like Pastor Terry Nance.

**Jason Allen**

My first time picking up Pastor Terry's book, *God's Armorbearer*, I was volunteering for a disaster relief mission group. Little did I know, at the time, God would ask me to serve Pastor Terry as well as his wife on staff at their church. The words on the pages of his book taught me to honor and serve my leadership to the best of my ability. What a privilege that God choose me to serve under the armorbearer.

Through the years, Pastor Terry and Mrs. Kim became my spiritual parents. As you read the words in this book, let them flow into your heart. Pastor Terry's words will truly change the dynamic in your church. This book is meant to bridge the gap between the generations, to allow this generation to be heard, and for the older generation to be honored.

Being Pastor and Mrs. Kim's armorbearer was great, but being a spiritual daughter was so much better! They value my opinion, they take the time to listen, and they allow me to be creative and flow with vision. Because they take their time to listen and build relationship with me, I want to honor them even more.

If you will allow the words in this book to be written on your heart, they will change not only how you serve but how you lead!

**Erica Hale**

I met Pastor Terry while waiting tables at Hideaway Pizza. I was at a very broken point in my life, with a broken heart and terrible church hurt. He and a few others were my very last table of the night. They had asked to pray with me, gave me a prophetic word, and invited me to their church. I was shocked to find out Pastor Terry was the author of *God's Armorbearer*. It was a book my previous pastor had me read years earlier and it changed my life! After reading it, I dedicated myself to bearing the armor of my leaders with honor and integrity. After leaving that church, the relationship that I had with the pastor had dwindled and I had felt like an orphan.

Pastor Terry and several other spiritual mothers and fathers took me in and helped me surrender the hurt and offense that I held in my heart for so long toward my previous church and church leaders.

Healing pierced my heart whenever Pastor Terry said this: "You're a daughter of mine. True fathers give their children the freedom to come and go as they please. You can leave and you will still be my daughter."

*God's Armorbearer for the Next Generation* brings healing to those like me who simply want the freedom to be the sons and daughters of the generation that came before us without fear of being disowned or forgotten.

**Taylor Raborn**

I have been sitting under the ministry of Pastor Terry Nance and his lovely wife, Kim, for about seven years. We can say

without a doubt they are the real deal. My husband Eric and I first got a glimpse into the heart of my pastor through the first *God's Armorbearer* book—and then when he came to us saying he was going to write one for our generation, we were thrilled! We laughed and cried through reading this as the Holy Spirit used it to minister to us in ways we hadn't even known we needed! This book will bring healing to so many young people in ministry as it has brought healing to us. To God be the glory!

**Eric and Jeannie Miller**

*God's Armorbearer for the Next Generation* is an amazing book! It's a must read for the Body of Christ and I am confident that it will break barriers and challenge you as a follower of Jesus no matter what church you serve in. I encourage you to read this book as it gives insight on how to bear one another's burdens, bridging the gap between age groups and honoring one another in all things. I believe the goal is becoming so desperate to understand each other for the sake of the gospel that in the process we develop a passionate desire to carry it beyond the four walls of the church, as well as the generations to follow. I am sure this will be the outcome of a future armorbearer who takes the time to read this book and applies it to his/her life.

Pastors Terry and Kim Nance are such wonderful spiritual parents! They especially spend time in fellowship, listening to us and dreaming with us. Really, we are the same age at heart

and that makes it so easy to be ourselves and who God has called us to be together. Even if we are still in the process of what God is doing in us, our spiritual parents are cheering us on, praying for us, and supporting us in any way they can. If we have a God dream, they want to hear it. And if we are dealing with unforeseen circumstances or even hardships, they thank the Lord for our provision, pray for us, help us, lend an ear and listen, and normally end the talk with a good laugh or two. Most importantly they are pouring truth and love into us, helping us in ministry, and believing with us for the next big things in our lives! What else could be better? I would choose to serve them over and over! I am so proud to be one of their spiritual daughters and I love them dearly.

**Mandie Allen**



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# INTRODUCTION

**W**hat is an armorbearer? That was the question I asked the Holy Spirit the night He spoke to my heart: “I want you to serve your pastor as an armorbearer.”

The answer to my question was found in First Samuel.

*And Jonathan said to his young armor-bearer, Come, and let us go over to the garrison of these uncircumcised; it may be that the Lord will work for us. For there is nothing to prevent the Lord from saving by many or by few. And his armor-bearer said to him, Do all that is in your mind; I am with you in whatever you think [best]. ...Then Jonathan climbed up on his hands and feet, his armor-bearer after him; and the enemy fell before Jonathan, and his armor-bearer killed them after him (1 Samuel 14:6-7,13 AMPC).*

An armorbearer was one who prepared the weapons of his leader, listened to the heart of his leader, and fought alongside

with complete trust in the direction of his leader's guidance. This message from the Lord sent me on a 23-year journey to follow my leader through the good, the challenging, and the heartbreaks of ministry. All this comes as we walk together through the seasons of ministry.

Now God is calling a new generation of armorbearers to stand with their leaders for a new fresh revival of His presence. If this is to happen, reformation needs to come. My desire is to release this armorbearer spirit into this now generation. What I have discovered is this new generation is crying out for relational leaders and not just positional leaders. I call this the Malachi Reformation.

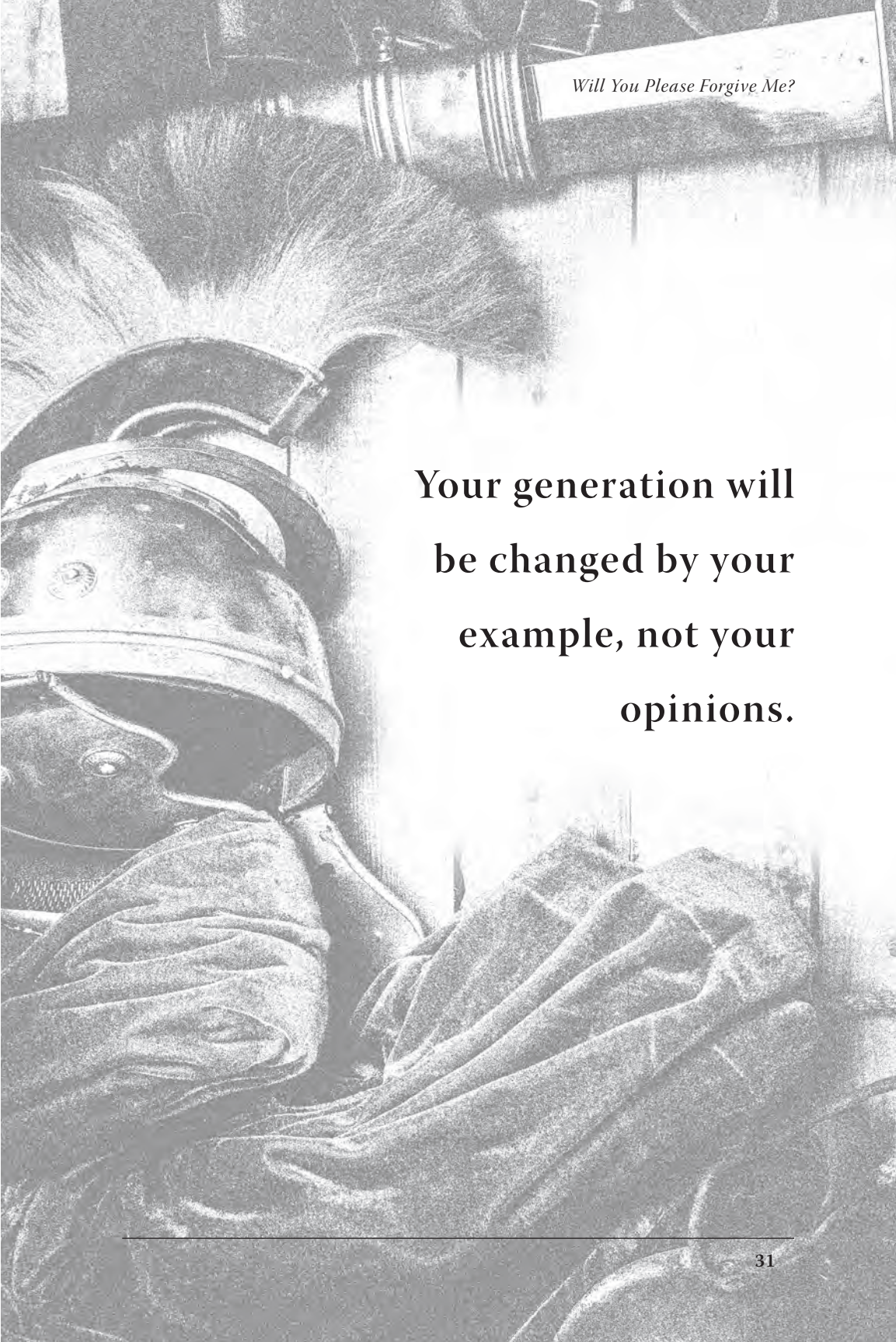
*Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord. And he will turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers, lest I come and strike the earth with a curse (Malachi 4:5-6).*

The apostle Paul said we have ten thousand instructors in Christ but few fathers. The Church is full of instructors, but not spiritual fathers.

So where are we now in this season? God is calling the pastors to become spiritual fathers and mothers and the armorbearers to be sons and daughters. With this new revelation from God for today in my heart, I brought together a group of Millennials to my home who are sons and daughters in the ministry. This first chapter is what they had to say.

I pray that revelation of this truth will connect with the hearts of spiritual leaders, causing the Body of Christ to become one.





*Will You Please Forgive Me?*

**Your generation will  
be changed by your  
example, not your  
opinions.**



## WHAT IS AN ARMORBEARER?

**H**allelujah! Healing and restoration is here now for the Church. The Holy Spirit is ready to impart the spirit of an armorbearer back into your life. Now we have to get into the truth of what the Holy Spirit is leading us into. We have to deal with some challenging issues, but now we have hearts to hear and ears to listen and obey. Let's look at ourselves and be willing to ask some difficult questions.

The Lord said He would not despise a broken and a contrite heart (Psalm 51:17). Through my own brokenness and love for the local church, I can truly pray that we all become armorbearers together, true warriors for Jesus.

How many books have been written about servant leadership or Jesus the Servant Leader? Needless to say, tons. Now, how many books have been written about Jesus as the Servant Follower? I have never run across any. Here is a truth—you have to build servanthood into your Christian foundation. You will never rise to the level of a leader until you first learn to follow.

The Bible says this about our Master Jesus: *"So Jesus explained, 'I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself. He does only what he sees the Father doing. Whatever the Father does, the Son also does'"* (John 5:19 NLT). Jesus, the Son of God was totally submitted to His Father. He never did anything unless He cleared it with His Father.

Now, how do we measure up to that? Have we submitted our lives and ministry to the spiritual men and women (God's elders) He has placed around us to speak into our lives? Hang on! I know the word "submitted" is not a politically correct word to use anymore. So let's use the word "yielded" to help us all adapt, even though God says submit. The word "submit" means to yield your soul and emotions. Again let's remember we are to model Jesus.

I'm going to share my personal struggles in this area later, but I want to proceed with this in mind: *the Bible is the infallible Word of God and is the absolute final authority in every decision I make.* That truth has to be foundational in our lives. If we don't believe that, then we are left to making choices based on our fallible opinions, which will not bring us into Kingdom living where Jesus is Lord.

*If Jesus walked into your church right now and desired to be a member, He would go to the pastor and ask what He could do to serve and be a blessing to that church.* Think about that statement for a moment. The responsibility rests on us as church members. Let's remember Ephesians 5:1 (NLT), *"Imitate God, therefore, in everything you do, because you are his dear children."* That is a two-way street. But what we are dealing with here is being a true servant-follower.

**Armorbearers are sons  
and daughters of God  
who awaken to fulfill  
their ministry and  
serve their leader.**

Our present culture is a demonic, rebellious antichrist culture. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and other social media sites promote violence and rebellion against authority. My children were taught by the public school system to question all authority. Thank God they knew better than to believe that falsehood, because Jesus is the head of our home. But let's be honest, pastors and leaders right now are almost dying under the load of carrying the responsibility of the church.

Across the board in the United States, local church attendance as well as finances are down. The accepted theology in today's culture is that the church is unnecessary and declares, "I'm not about to submit to or trust someone or give anyone the opportunity to take something from me." This ideology is a demonic assignment that Jesus will break through with the renewal of revival and the armorbearer spirit. The truth is, you must do both—submit and trust—to move, grow, and win in this present age.

Jesus set the example for us—and His Spirit is calling us back to holding up the arms of our leaders, even if we get a smell of BO! The love of Jesus and the Spirit of servanthood, the armorbearer, is being released now into the Body of Christ. True spiritual joy was released in me as I felt a group of Millennials embrace me and take my arms and hold them up in prayer. Even now they are choosing to surround my life as armorbearers, fasting and praying for me as I write this manuscript. I'm not just their leader, I have become a spiritual father in their faith.

My prayer is that the Holy Spirit will melt our hearts as we read through these pages and learn how to serve and bless one another

as Jesus did. Always ask yourself this question, “What would Love do?”

“Brother Terry, you said that in the last chapter.” Well it bears repeating. What would Love do? That’s our standard. We have no option. We are mandated to live that way—as Jesus lived.

## **Armorbearer Revelation**

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Let me digress here, and tell you how the revelation concerning the armorbearer came to me. I was in my third year serving as an associate pastor. One evening in 1983, at the age of 26 years old, I felt a prompting to get alone with the Lord. My wife, Kim, and I had been reminiscing about all the things God had done in our lives to that point. We had just concluded the first graduation of our Mission School, and seven families were about to head across the ocean on the adventure of their lives for Jesus. They were moving to other countries to preach the Kingdom of God and to establish ministries.

We were so excited and so young, and we knew God was fulfilling a dream in our hearts. I had recently returned home from a trip through Asia where I had been for three weeks with Lester Sumrall and thirty other leaders. I was truly thankful to be included and privileged to travel with him. In the 1950s, Brother Sumrall had cast the devil out of a girl in the Philippines who was actually being bitten by devils. Through this incredible deliverance, a revival was ushered into the nation. Hundreds of thousands had

been saved. The story will make your jaw drop at the awesome power of God flowing through this man.

Kim and I were working in a great church and running with a vision God had placed in my heart for the world. God was definitely fulfilling this vision, allowing me to be in the company of some of God's greatest men and women of faith. We took a moment that night and began to praise God for the beautiful favor He had placed on our lives. Suddenly I heard in my heart, "Pull away now to seek Me!" So, I went into our living room and began to pray. Then I was quickened in my spirit to read the story of David and Saul. I knew the Lord was ready to reveal something to me.

As I began to read, I came to First Samuel 16:21: *"So David came to Saul and stood before him. And he loved him greatly, and he became his armorbearer."* Suddenly the Lord quickened the word "armorbearer" to me. He said, "I have called you to be your pastor's armorbearer." At first I thought I was just hearing things, but I knew I was under a very heavy presence of God and I was receiving a mandate for my life. I quickly said out loud, "What in the world is an armorbearer?"

I knew I just read something about Jonathan and his armorbearer, so I went back to the story in First Samuel:

*Then Jonathan said to the young man who bore his armor, "Come, let us go over to the garrison of these uncircumcised; it may be that the Lord will work for us. For nothing restrains the Lord from saving by many or by few." So his armorbearer said to him, "Do all that is*

*in your heart. Go then; here I am with you, according to your heart” (1 Samuel 14:6-7).*

I thought my heart was about to explode as I read that. Then again the voice of the Lord came to me, “You will lay down your vision and take up the vision of your pastor. You will support and serve him to the best of your ability. You are to take the vision of the house as your own.”

Now you may think that I should have rejoiced in an incredible way and said, “Thank You, Jesus, for that glorious assignment!” But I didn’t. I fell to the floor and began to cry out, “What about *my* vision? What about the vision I had in a field at 21 years old when You showed me the nations of the world? Just exactly what are You going to do with that?”

He then spoke peace and grace into me and said, “Terry, if you will run with the vision of your pastor, I will take you places you never dreamed you could go. I am not asking you to do something that I didn’t do Myself. I laid down My desires and fulfilled my Father’s dream and can you see what My Father did for Me?”

I wept like a baby for over an hour. I repented, yielded, and responded to the call. Some would say, “That’s great, but that was for you.” I would say let’s allow Jesus to declare who it is for.

*Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others (Philippians 2:3-4).*

*Who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross. Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name (Philippians 2:6-9).*

We are called to be armorbearers and carry someone else's shield. But let's start with carrying the vision of your local church. I had a phone call one day and the person accused me of trying to take an Old Testament office and bring it into the New. I explained that the armorbearer is not an office, but the same attitude Jesus modeled in Philippians 2. We are all called to be armorbearers in the likeness of Jesus.

What does an armorbearer do? In Old Testament days, he was responsible for carrying his master's shield into battle. He had the awesome responsibility of seeing to the safety of his officer. God was sure getting my priorities in order at that time in my life. It is my prayer that as you read this book, He will do the same for you. We have to change in order for God to breathe new life and usher in a real revival in the Church.

We live in a world that seems to know very little about laying down one's life for another. A full understanding of this concept is vital for Christians, especially if we know we have been called into the ministry.

**It is never about God  
lining Himself up with  
us; it is always about  
us lining up with Him.**

Recently my 20-year-old daughter, McKenna, came home and said, "Dad, we have to talk." She's an intern at Youth America and Church of the Harvest in Oklahoma City. She said, "It's a Dad and daughter talk on the back porch."

Well, I knew this was serious. We headed to the porch and she began to pour her heart out to me about ministry. She said, "Dad, God has called me to the ministry."

Wow! The very thing I had refused to encourage to happen in her growing years, has come to her. I was not going to put my call on her because I knew God is the only One who can call someone to ministry. I made a decision that my kids would always come before my ministry.

I told McKenna that day on the porch how proud I was of her. I told her I knew she had been a real armorbearer to the ministry in Oklahoma City, and was glad she represented Jesus and her parents so well. She didn't mind carrying their shield and protecting her leaders. They knew she was committed and a tither to their church. She had also won several leadership awards. We were so proud of the Christian woman she had become.

Today, instead of offering ourselves to serve others, we in the church often expect others to wait on us. This is particularly true of our attitude toward the man or woman of God in our lives.

We will never flow in the anointing of Elisha until we have learned to serve an Elijah. Look carefully at the calling of Elisha to Elijah as his servant: "*Also you shall anoint Jehu the son of Nimshi as king over Israel. And **Elisha** the son of Shaphat of Abel Meholah you shall anoint as **prophet** in your place*" (1 Kings 19:16).

Elijah was to anoint Elisha as prophet in his place. Wow! Elisha is about to be introduced to the prophetic ministry of Elijah, who was one of the greatest prophets who ever lived. I bet when he anoints him, Elisha will start prophesying all over the place. He will bring the glory into the services before Elijah even gets up to preach. Elisha will increase while Elijah decreases. So here we go with the transfer of the anointing:

*So he departed from there, and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen before him, and he was with the twelfth. Then Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle on him. And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah, and said, "Please let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to you?" So Elisha turned back from him, and took a yoke of oxen and slaughtered them and boiled their flesh, using the oxen's equipment, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and followed Elijah, and became his **servant** (1 Kings 19:19-21).*

Hold on for a minute! I thought God said He was to anoint Elisha to be a prophet. But the Bible says Elisha rose up and became Elijah's servant. Here is the road for all fulfillment in ministry. You must always travel with the heart of a servant, an armorbearer. You will never fulfill your calling with any other attitude.

Jesus said, "*There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends*" (John 15:13 NLT). It is not difficult to claim we

are submitted to Jesus, but the question is, are we submitted to another human being? That's a different story.

Here is another truth: *You are never really submitted to someone until you can submit when you disagree.* The purpose of this book is to minister healing between the leaders and the armorbearers, and to release a new revelation of relationship. It is a whole lot easier to yield to one another when we have done our best to establish some kind of relationship.

My pastor understood the calling and anointing on my life, and it was his desire to see that calling fulfilled. On the other hand, I understood my God-given duty to stand with my pastor and help him fulfill the vision God had given to both of us, and to fully submit myself to him.

There is a great fear today among many pastors that their associate ministers are out to steal the sheep from them. Some of that is insecurity of the pastor, but some of it is just flat true. As a result, there is little or no trust between the pastor and the armorbearers, no flow between them. I believe God has people prepared as armorbearers for every pastor and Christian leader. Someone to stand strong with you in the ministry, to complement and complete.

In the Kingdom of Jesus there are only Kingdom builders, not empire builders. Empire builders have built their ministry around themselves out of fear, or simply from ego. What will happen when an empire builder is gone? Empire builders are seasonal but Kingdom builders are generational.

Where would we be today if Jesus had not poured Himself into the twelve disciples? What would have happened if, on the day He

**Armorbearers are  
called to complete,  
not compete.**

ascended to the Father, there had been no one there to see Him go; no one to take up His ministry on earth?

Ask every pastor and spiritual leader this vital question: If you were taken off the scene today, where would your ministry be tomorrow? Most would have to admit that it would suffer. Jesus' ministry increased and multiplied because there were armorbearers standing with Him.

## **Armorbearer Definition**

Before beginning a study of the actual Scriptures in which the word *armorbearer* appears, let's consider its original meaning, which must be firmly established if the true idea of the term is to be fully understood.

The word *armorbearer* is listed eighteen times in Strong's Concordance. All of the references are from the Old Testament. Each of these listings is referenced by two numbers, indicating that the word was originally translated from two Hebrew words.

As noted, the word *armorbearer* in the King James version of the Bible was translated from two Hebrew words. The first is *nasa*, or *nacah* (naw-saw). This is a primary word meaning "to lift." It has a great variety of applications, both figuratively and literally. Some of the more interesting applications are to: accept, advance, bear, bear up, carry away, cast, desire, furnish, further, give, help, hold up, lift, pardon, raise, regard, respect, stir up, yield. The second Hebrew word is *keliy* (kel-ee), which comes from the root word *kalah* (kaw-law), meaning "to end." Some of the applications

of this root word are to: complete, consume, destroy utterly, be done, finish, fulfill, long, bring to pass, wholly reap, make clean, riddance.

From these two Hebrew words, we can see the duty of the armorbearer was to stand beside his leader to assist him, to lift him up, and to protect him against any enemy that might attack him. If we in the Church are not assisting, encouraging, and protecting our leaders, something is wrong.

Moving into Chapter 3, I talk about what pastors are looking for in armorbearers, and what the armorbearers are looking for in their leaders.

My prayer is that we all open our eyes to see how much God needs us to come together at this time and bring this revelation into the current culture.

When I examine my life right now, I'm not in the same place I was thirty years ago in ministry. I picked up my book one day and said, "Lord, am I still an armorbearer?" I heard a big, "Yes! You have just moved into a different position. You are not the armorbearer serving your pastor, you are now the armorbearer serving your city."

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