



Hello Pastors, My Brothers in Christ!

Do you ever feel like the days have shortened? Do you have times so many issues press for your attention that you feel like you can barely focus on the ministries of the church?

I have exciting news for you! Help is available! Right in your own church and community is an army of men waiting for the call. You may ask “what army”? It is the sleeping army of men that is waiting for the signal to shake off their slumber and move into action. But they need to hear the bugle blow the Reveille, to awaken them.

You and your men’s ministry director have that bugle. But neither of you can blow it alone. Statistics show that when the father is on fire for God and attending church, 95% of the time, his family is there as well. The best way to reach the families is through our dads.

It is up to you to rally the men to the cause. Men need a vision. They need a purpose and a plan of action to pursue. A goal needs to be identified and the men will strive to reach that goal.

It is up to you and your director to pray and meet together and give your men God’s vision for your church and the part they can play in that vision. You might light that fire.

Men who serve in war together become more than soldiers; they become a “band of brothers”. They identify their enemy. They ready their weapons. They watch each other’s back. They sacrifice themselves for the good of the unit. Just as they need each other, you and your men need each other. So, I am asking you to meet with your men’s ministry director and get on the same page; determined to build a “band of brothers” and ignite the fire in the hearts of your men. Wake them up. Call them into action for the Kingdom of God.

Our war is real and more intense than ever. It is time to rally the troops. We must become a “band of brothers” to win the battle for the souls of men and their families before time runs out.

Together, with the power of God, we can do it. If I or any of the conference leaders can help you, just give us a call. We want to be a part of your “band of brothers” too.

His for the Kingdom and *ready for war*.

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**Please do not forget our Fall Men’s Advance, September 17th and 18th at Falcon, NC.
Please call Ronnie Basden @ 252-523-8380 or David Nesbitt @ 252-902-9985.**