

2022 RETREATS

Women in Leadership

A TWO-DAY EVENT FOR LEADERSHIP TRAINING



COUNTRY CAMP SPRING 2022

Welcome!

Dear Friends,

Welcome to Women In Leadership - a new event for those who have chosen to think bigger, enlarge their heart, and take their influence for Jesus seriously.

While the world touts EQ as their secret for successful leadership, God has an EQ version that is far superior in results. Which should you choose? Girls, this is like buying shoes. Choose both! Welcome to EQ².

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Your EQ² Hostess



Burchisms...

- Leadership is influence.
- If you're too big to serve, you're too small to lead.
- Preparation is never wasted time.
- Big people talk about ideas. Average people talk about problems. Small people talk about people.
- Keep your wounds clean.
- Take the high road first.
- One example is worth a thousand arguments.
- Don't compare your chapter two to someone else's chapter twenty.
- Be inspired, not intimidated, by others' success.
- One example is worth a thousand arguments.
- If you want to lead the orchestra, you'll need to turn your back to the crowd.
- Leaders don't make excuses. They make a difference.
- Don't compare. Don't compete. Don't complain.
- God will take a leader out of their comfort zone, but never out of their grace zone.
- Don't hire people unless the batteries are included.
- Be a Barnabus. Pursue a Paul. Train a Timothy.
- To go where you've never been, you've got to do what you've never done.
- Put the Word in you when you don't need it, and it will be there for you when you do need it.

Burchisms submit to the three-time rule. ie.,

"Pastor Joe said ..."

"A great man once said..."

"The Lord told me..." :)

Some Burchisms are original, while others have become ours over our decades of ministry.

What Is EQ?

“Beloved, I wish above all things that you prosper and be in health, even as your soul prospers.” III Jn. 2

Research confirms that it is your EQ, not your IQ, that causes people to connect with your vision. Emotional Quotient refers to a person’s ability to recognize, interpret, and regulate emotions. This ability is significant for your role as a leader and also contributes to the development of healthy relationships.

Conflict Resolution Styles

You are the Childrens’ Ministry Director, and Sunday church begins in fifteen minutes. What does your text say to the nursery worker who went to the beach?

- A) Where are you and who do you think is helping with these 13 babies today?
- B) Hey, I wish you had texted me, but enjoy your beach day.
- C) I didn’t text her at all and “volun-told” my cousin.
- D) No text, but I updated our volunteer policy to require a no-show text and reward two months of faithfulness with a free Sunday.
- E) Let’s do lunch and decide what we can do to support our nursery workers better. It’s my treat!

Which Animal Are You? (Conflict Resolution Style)

- 1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____ 4) _____ 5) _____
Lose-Lose Lose-Win Win-Lose Win-Win Win-Win-Win

The Powerful Pause

Self-control, a fruit of the Spirit, is known in the secular world as self-regulation. It involves taking a **pause** between a **feeling** and an **action** - taking the time to respond appropriately, not react emotionally.

An Admonition To All Leaders

Preachers! Teachers! Authors! Songwriters! When preparing your sermons, focus on these ten Christian foundations. Especially as “*deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons*” begin to infiltrate the Church, train yourself to judge every blog, song, podcast, and ministry by listening for these anchors of truth.

- The Fatherhood of God
- The Attributes of God
- The words of Jesus Christ
- Salvation by the Blood of Jesus
- The Name of Jesus
- The Trinity
- The Indwelling Spirit in the Believer
- The Inspiration of the Scriptures
- The Authority of the Believer
- The Church’s Role in the Kingdom

The Bible Teacher’s Checklist

*“Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, **rightly dividing** the word of truth.” II Tim. 2:15*

_____ Does it reflect an attribute of Father God? Ex. 34:6

_____ Is it a foundational Christian doctrine?

_____ Is it scriptural or primarily motivational?

_____ Does it reflect the Finished Work of Jesus Christ?

_____ Are you stuck on one topic or preaching the whole counsel of God?

_____ Does your conclusion include a demonstration of the Word or a call to action?

_____ Does your closing include the spirit of faith, a demonstration, or a call to action?

Keep the main thing the main thing.

Excerpt from TBI’s Leadership School
Pastor Rachel Burchfield



Reflecting on your past and preparing for your future is a needed discipline for leaders. Oh wait! You're not a leader at this moment. You're a daughter. A daughter of the Most High. Zoom out from your busy world for a few minutes and focus on you. You and your Father. You and your Lord.

- 1)** Write a special memory you have about the moment you gave your life to Jesus Christ?

Read Ph. 1:6

- 2)** Circle the word that describes your first year of following Jesus.

Forgiveness Freedom Finally felt loved Purpose

Read 1 Jn. 4:19

- 3)** What are you worried about today that will matter in 40 years?

Read 1 Pet. 5:7

- 4)** It's time to dream again! What would you do if you knew you would not fail?

Read Ph. 2:13 and Prv. 16:3



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