

haunting me--- of devastation rushing through my thoughts as I contemplate beginning chemo in a few weeks--- moving silently about the house... the almost empty house... dragged, dog-eared, crinkled, not quite done, bedraggled... anything but resplendent... not even resembling resplendent.

Yet, He says, "Yes, you are resplendent in My flowing robes of holiness."

Lord, even in my rage, my questioning of You, even in my ugliness of heart, smallness of soul, eyes on myself????

Yes, My child. Put on My flowing robe. Stand resplendent!"

How Jehovah God, how?

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*Then the time came when the risk it took ---
To remain tight in a bud was more painful ---
Than the risk it took to bloom. – Anais Nin*



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HeartCry Prayer Letter and Calendar

Stand Resplendent!



*"Shout Bravo! To His famous Name,
lift high an offering and enter His presence!
Stand resplendent in His flowing robes of
Holiness." 1 Chronicles 16:29*

Definition: **Resplendent: attractive
and impressive through being richly colorful
or sumptuous; to shine; to glitter; a striking
brilliance**

This morning, I stumbled upon this
verse...quite by accident...and I read this and
the command struck me with power!

"Stand resplendent."

I felt anything but resplendent:
morning breath, matted hair, crusty eyes,
boxes stacked high around the room, waiting
on a moving van... The night had dragged on
with thoughts of what--- no, rather of Who
will hold me together--- with spoken words

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Bishop's Prayer List

- For the Strategic Planning process – may the Lord direct us with clarity so that we will follow Him with courage.
- For the development of the agenda for National Conference 2010.
- For the Stationing Retreat that launches the process of pastoral assignments for this coming year. Pray for “fit and flourish” appointments!
- For the NC Finance Committee as they prepare the 2011 budget.
- For churches to be intentional in disciple making and leading people to Christ.
- For several churches that are moving closer to birthing a daughter congregation a reality. Intercede for church planting.
- For our International churches as they make the transition toward greater financial self-sufficiency. Direct monetary support through our GMC is being stepped back.
- For Conference Minister-elect, Gordon Lewis, as he prepares for his mid-year transition into office. For outgoing Susquehanna CM Fred Moury, as he makes himself available for his next season of ministry.



Church Planting Prayer List

- That God would raise up new church planters.
- That God would help us recognize new planting locations.
- That God would help churches and church members recognize their role in church planting.
- That God would surround our planters with necessary spiritual and social fellowship.
- That God would release the resources needed for church planting from our people.
- That God would help churches which are fertile to move toward birthing new churches.
- That God would guide the CPC as it cares for and resources our planters and church plants.
- That God would protect our planters and their families.
- That God would meet the daily needs of our planters and their families.
- That God would infuse our people with a passion for the lost, a passion that could fuel church planting initiatives.

Global Missions Prayer List

- For the Missionaries and missionary families located in 12 different countries.
- For the Annual Conference meetings of the EC Church in Liberia.
- For the Church Planting project with Tomoyuki & Jessica Abe in Japan.
- For the International EC churches as they receive less funding from GMC.
- For the Missionary Candidates trying to raise enough funds to get to their field of service.
- For the GMC as we continue to engage in strategic planning.
- That God would raise up local Mission Mobilizers to help rebuild the grass roots of our mission movements.
- For the Centenary Celebration scheduled May 2010 with the EC Church of India.
- For the short term Mission Committee as we restructure.
- For the Global Ministries Commission members and administration.

