

Discover your potential



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Dear friend,

I am convinced that God has given to every person His unique potential to live a meaningful, impactful and great life. Unfortunately, many people live under their potential and they are not aware of their capacities and gifts. When we discover our God-given potential and live according to it, we can have the most satisfying and exciting life.

It is amazing that God does not look at us according to who we are today, but according to who we may become. He always sees the potential hidden inside of us. He sees future and the life we may live, if we follow Him.

Our Bible school's vision is to train people to live with God-given potential serving Christ in the power of Holy Spirit in every area of life. When we use our potential in serving Christ, then God equips us to live and serve in the power of Holy Spirit and this is one of the most exciting way to live. This gives value, essence and meaning to our lives, not only on this earth, but also in perspective of eternity.

I believe that Bible school graduates are going to be leaders and coworkers in churches and church planters on upcoming years. Also, I pray that God would raise up people, who go out and are influential in society, showing the way.

People may look differently on Bible school. But foremost it is environment, where God prepares

students to live alignment with their God-given potential and calling. The Bible school has done its best so that lectures in classrooms and internship on planting churches may challenge students so they develop and grow more mature.

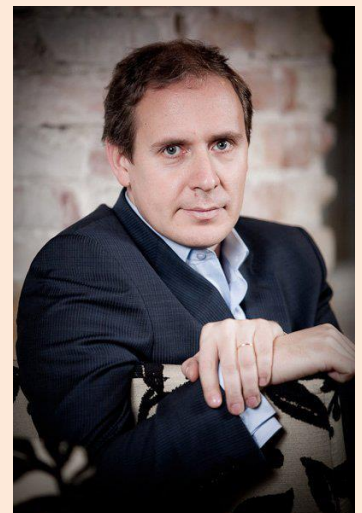
I encourage you to take one year off and devote it to God. Decide and I believe you won't have to regret, because what you can get from this time, will carry you for the rest of your life.

About a year ago, I encountered one elderly entrepreneur from Norway in Toompea church café, who was randomly visiting our church service. While talking, I mentioned about our plans to launch Bible school and his eyes filled with tears. He spoke with great respect what Bible school had been given to him.

Who he was now, 50 years later, was thanks to Bible school.

Welcome to Bible School!

Bishop Ago



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What is the Bible School?

Vision

We want to see people trained to live their God-given potential serving Christ in the power of Holy Spirit in every area of life.

Mission

We train student through teaching, practical training and guiding.

Purposes

1. To train and send out students to live with the mission of God.
2. To help churches to fulfil the Great Commission.
3. To change the world through motivated people who are sharing good news of Jesus everywhere
4. To embrace a holistic view of life

Values

Safe and challenging
Christ-like character development
Honesty and trustworthiness



Amazing time

IN FINLAND

With Christmas at hand, the bible school went for a trip to Finland. Very generously, friends from the Pentecostal Church of Tampere offered us a stay in their facilities an hour drive from Tampere in the forest by some lakes. It was a perfect way to go on Christmas vacation.

Early Monday morning, the 19th of December, students, teachers and Ago's wife Maire, jumped into our minivan which climbed still half asleep into the ferry to Helsinki with Ago behind the wheel and five hours later arrived in Tampere pleased by special Finish doughnuts and more coffee enjoyed on the road.

In Tampere, Senior Pastor Usko met us in the church and led the way for us to the place we would stay. We were overwhelmed with the generosity him and other pastors showed us. On Tuesday, youth pastors Jarkko and Joonas showed us around in their impressive church which had an elegant and intriguing ceiling and a very musical congregation having a dozen of bands. Afterwards, they gave us for coffee and cake in a café nearby in the city center.

Besides experiencing the city of Tampere and the church, our trip included sauna (obviously) and shopping last Christmas presents and Finish liquorish (which was mostly a good experience for Rodney only). We also had feedback sessions where the students gave very valuable feedback the school program since September. We cooked food, ate together, and enjoyed the cozy wooden house in which we stayed. On Tuesday evening, we had a Christmas feast with great food, a spontaneous drama play performed by the teachers and Christmas gifts which we gave to each other.

One highlight of the trip was the life stories that each student and teacher had prepared. We all presented our life stories to get to know ourselves and each other better. It was an interesting, enlightening, and vulnerable experience as each would share both exciting and difficult stories from life.

Wednesday, the 21st, we headed back to Tallinn happy and ready for vacation. We had a wonderful time in Finland and are very thankful to our Finish friends.

Simon Graf

One student's story

Leili Kattai (54) is a nice and caring lady from Võru. Thanks to her humor and at times strange questions, she creates a joyful atmosphere into our classroom. While you are listening to her stories, you may think that she is a character from some adventure story. The following is how she found her way to Salvation Army and to Bible School.

When I was 49-years old in 2011, I participated at 10-days Estonian Defence League forest trip. My sister called and told me that at our neighbor's place someone had committed murder. As I arrived back home I didn't get any sleep because of overstress and what had happened to our neighbors. I thought then that I would turn on the Elmar radio station, as usual. When things are hard, I usually listen to music to feel better. As I turned on the radio, it rustled horribly. Then I found some unknown radio station and I went to bed.

I heard this beautiful music from radio, but I didn't know I was listening to Family radio (Estonian Christian radio station). I really liked one Finnish song "My Jesus, my savior", that became my favorite song. There was prayer request broadcasting on the radio. I thought, what an interesting broadcast. Now I couldn't change the radio station also, because I wanted to hear my favorite song again.

So as the time passed, I always turned on the radio to listen for that particular song, and from time to

time it streamed. Half a year went by and finally I heard about Salvation Army, Inge Ojala and also about a support person training, which attracted my interest. With my friend, I went to find Salvation Army. As we entered there was that sweet smell of soup. My friend went home, but I stayed. I ate the soup and heard that they were going to meet again at 6 p.m. I showed up there too. This was how I started to attend. This has been exciting.

Coming to Bible school has been some kind of miracle for me. I think there's reason for it. Summer before Bible school I had so much work. During that time, I was working at 5 different workplaces. I imagined that the next work I go, is resting from previous one. From one place to another I bicycled. I prayed every morning that bicycle wouldn't break, otherwise I could not make it.

One night, after a busy day, I opened my computer and found the Bible school. I completed the application, at the same time thinking, let's see what is going to happen. After sending it I forgot about it. Two weeks before September, Ago called and told that I am the student of Bible school.

But for me to come to Bible school those jobs ended. This was miracle. My school started on the 5th of September in Tallinn and my last shift ended the evening before in Võru. Life is a roller coaster, you just don't know what's going to happen.

Leili Kattai

You can help us!

Your donation changes lives!

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