



Cumbria Bible Challenge

Testimony Three

Finding Answers

Mother Teresa

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Mother Teresa was a nun who lived in Calcutta, India. She spent her life serving people who were very poor. She lived in a house with 300 younger women who were training to serve as she did. One day a girl who worked in the kitchen came to her.

“we have a big problem”, said the kitchen girl. “we have no flour to make the chapattis (flat breads) for lunch. How will we feed everyone?”

Instead of picking up the telephone and asking for help, Mother Teresa said to the kitchen girl, “Go into the chapel and tell Jesus we have no food. That’s settled. Now let’s move on. What’s next?”

Ten minutes later, the doorbell rang. A man who had never visited before stood on the door step.

“Mother Teresa, “he said, “we have just been informed that all the teachers at the city schools are going on strike. The children have all gone home and we have 7,000 lunches spare, can you help us use them?”

Mother Teresa prayed for her needs, she trusted that God would answer her prayers. She didn’t worry about anything.

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