



Welcome to Miss Curly's space

What a month this has been! Where does one begin? Oh this is soooooo exciting! Have you ever heard about blessings? Well, one right after the other has been sent to Kingdom Kidz this past month. My curls are bouncing all over the place. In fact, this puppet is just plain bouncing!

Donna and Curly

Now mind you I'm only sharing what Miss Donna (Bridge), General Manager, has shared with others. And this isn't gossip! It's the facts and only the facts! No one could make this up! It's downright unbelievable you might say! Amazing you might call it! Only if one is walking by faith could one understand how this all happened. Here at Kingdom Kidz they are called "God Stop Moments". So read on carefully! Don't miss one of them!

As you may (or may not) know, Kingdom Kidz Inc. is a 501c3 nonprofit organization. They are not affiliated with a church or denomination. That means the monies which they receive must come from fundraising, grants, donations and programs. Believe me, it is a walk of faith! Every day Miss Donna and Miss Lisa (Derr) can be heard praying and seeking God for wisdom to make decisions about paying bills and being good stewards of what God has given to them. Many days a check or phone call is just what is needed! God is never late! Oh my curls may become a little straighter because my faith is being "stretched". But God always comes through.

If you have seen their van lately, you probably thought it had some kind of disease on the hood and roof. It's been like that for almost 2 years. After receiving an estimate to repaint both, the decision was made to not go ahead because the money wasn't available. Last month someone approached Miss Donna and asked her if the van was looking like this for a reason. She replied, "Well, we don't have the money to fix it." This person offered to have it repainted as a blessing to Kingdom Kidz. When the hood was finished, the van was driven to another garage for the roof to be fixed. While in the garage, it was inspected and needed brake lining. Another person took care of both of these tasks. What a blessing! You see, we hadn't asked them to do it because the cost was unaffordable. God laid it on their hearts to do it! In fact, one of the men at the garage thanked us for the work we do and the difference we are making in people's lives! Isn't that just like God? The van is beautiful and every time Miss Donna gets in, she gives thanks and asks God to bless these people!

And HE wasn't done! Several days later a person came into Miss Donna's office and said he and his wife would pay for the variance to build a shed at our building to store some items. Now Kingdom Kidz could never afford that variance, but God laid it on the hearts of this couple. Isn't that just like God? It was another blessing! My curls got tighter!

There's more! God sent a young lady to us this past week to share how God could bless us through Thrivent Financial. What an amazing way for us to receive

some financial and volunteer support! Plans are already in the works for our "Friends of Kingdom Kidz Fundraiser" (November 4). Miss Donna and Miss Lisa had never heard of this. Truly it was another blessing from God! His way of supplying what our nonprofit needs! The curls are getting tighter and the bouncing a little higher!

This past Sunday Kingdom Kidz presented a Rally Day program at a church in a nearby community. Following the service a man approached Miss Donna and asked for a business card. When asked if he also wanted a brochure, he replied, "Oh no, I just want to send you some money." The presentation had blessed him and he wanted to bless us. Another blessing from God! Can I bounce any higher?

Then there are the words of encouragement and thanks that come at programs, in the mail, on Facebook, by email, or on the phone. One blessing after another that lets Kingdom Kidz know they are to "keep on keeping on" - don't give up! God sees our hearts and the passion we have. What blessings could He have for us in the days ahead? Who would have thought that puppets could teach people about being thankful for the blessings of each day? That just makes my curls bounce, bounce, bounce! It reminds me of the hymn, "There Shall be Showers of Blessings". And Kingdom Kidz has received those showers abundantly!

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