



A Small Key Opens A Big Door

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I remember rushing home once, anxious to get inside. I reached the door and turned the knob...locked! I checked my pocket...no key! I banged on the door trying to get in to no avail. So close, but nothing I could do would budge that big steel door. I needed the key. So small, but powerful.

Did you know that you hold the key that opens the door to great power?

The origin of your **Life Mission** comes from Jesus' answer to the trick question, *“Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?”* Jesus responds saying to fully love the Lord is first priority and to *‘Love your neighbor as yourself’* next. Pursuing your Life Mission is an act of love, first for the Lord, then for your neighbor.

Excited, with a newly minted Life Mission, we set out to help others overcome. Yet it's much like me trying to get through that steel door. Nothing will move without the key...a small key, unique to you.

This is no ordinary key. In fact, though it is immediately available, we prefer to keep it hidden. We'd much rather use our strength, trying to break the door down.

Using your key requires taking a risk.

Jesus himself demonstrates use of the key for us. In the garden of Gethsemane, preparing for death on the cross, he goes off to pray. Deeply troubled he asks God to relieve him of the impending suffering. Remember, this is Jesus Christ, the savior of the world and mighty king we're reading about! Why do the scriptures share this? Think of what happens inside of you when you read and consider Jesus' struggle in relation to your own life. We see Jesus acting human, fully committed to his mission yet showing weakness. Jesus' vulnerability allows us to connect to him with our own struggles as we pursue our Life Mission. Powerful!

Vulnerability -- the small key that opens big doors.

Paul amplifies this:

"Although he was crucified in weakness, he now lives by the power of God. We, too, are weak, just as Christ was, but when we deal with you we will be alive with him and will have God's power." The Apostle Paul in 2 Corinthians 13:4 (NLT)

We can only accomplish our **Life Mission** by being vulnerable with others. This opens the door for the power of God to come alive in yourself and others. Your vulnerability must be authentic of course, but also aligned with your Life Mission. Remember God's Boomerang -- God fulfills your Life Mission in you first so that you can lead others. Everything is triggered by your vulnerability.

How can you increase your vulnerability? Your effectiveness in fulfilling your Life Mission depends on it.

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“Fulfilling my Life Mission requires vulnerability with others about my journey.”

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