



He Won't Let Us Go

"I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand." John 10:28

Julio was biking across the George Washington Bridge—a busy, double-decked thoroughfare connecting New York City and New Jersey—when he encountered a life-or-death situation. A man was standing on a ledge over the Hudson River preparing to jump. Knowing that the police wouldn't arrive in time, Julio acted quickly. He recalls getting off his bike and spreading out his arms, saying something like: "Don't do it. We love you." Then, like a shepherd with a crook, he grabbed the distraught man, and with the help of another passerby, brought him to safety. According to reports, Julio wouldn't let go of the man, even after he was safe.

Two millennia earlier, in a life-or-death situation, Jesus, the Good Shepherd, said He would lay down His life to save and never let go of those who believed in Him. He summarized how He would bless His sheep: they would know Him personally, have the gift of eternal life, would never perish, and would be secure in His care. This security didn't depend on the ability of the frail and feeble sheep, but on the sufficiency of the Shepherd who'll never let one be snatched "out of [His] hand" (John 10:28–29).

When we were distraught and feeling hopeless, Jesus rescued us; now we can feel safe and secure in our relationship with Him. He loves us, pursues us, finds us, saves us, and promises to never let us go.

By: Marvin Williams [Taken from odb](#)



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Watch the [Parallel Service](#) online with **Pastor Geert Tap**

Announcements / News

- **Harvest Thanksgiving.** Although the Covid-19 pandemic has cast a shadow over this year's traditional arrangements for the Harvest Festival, One Vision is hosting a Covid-safe drive through food donation point in the BUC car park on Sunday 4th October from 10am to 5pm. We have a lot to be grateful for – come join us and give generously to those in need.
- **Parallel** is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom service on Saturday 3rd October at 11am. Meeting ID: 832 2765 9255, Passcode: 718084. Pastor Geert Tap will be preaching, and the sermon is entitled 'One Foot in the Castle'.

hubs, we want to support such children and bring a little bit of happiness to them this year. [Your virtual gift box](#) will allow our hubs to respond and help. Each virtual box is valued at £10. [Please donate a virtual gift box today!](#) www.adragiftbox.org.uk

- **Women's Ministry** meeting on Saturday 3rd October from 3-5pm. Join us on Zoom ID: 2509665133, Password: 243467 as Florence Allen applies her spiritually guided scientific and mathematical knowledge to a miraculous story in the Bible.
- **Prayer Meeting** on Wednesday at 7pm. Join us on Zoom. ID: 86332812854, Password: 063944
- For information about **Earliteen Sabbath School**, please email: Uchejbc@yahoo.co.uk
For information about **Junior Sabbath School**, please email: spcjuniorss@gmail.com
For information about **Primary Sabbath School**, please email: hkbrown49@gmail.com
For information about **Kindergarten Sabbath School**, please email: kindergartensabbathschool@yahoo.com
- **The adult Bible study** will change its time of meeting from this Sabbath to 3-4pm. Young people's **baptismal class** will be Friday's 5:30-6:30pm from today, 15th September. If you would like to join in via Zoom, please email Pastor Terry at TMessenger@secadventist.org.uk to get details.
- **Cradle Roll Programme for August Sabbath** at 9:45am on [Youtube](#) and [Facebook](#). New video coming on Saturday.
- **DBS Checks and Update.** All those who require a DBS check should contact Uche Ademuyiwa by email (db@stanboroughpark.org) as this can be completed virtually.
- **Generation COVID - [Virtual Gift Box Appeal 2020](#)**
- **The flower display** - The Lockham family contributed towards the flower display today in remembrance of Erma, who died on 2nd July and whose birthday would have been yesterday, 2nd October. We all look forward to the great harvest when Jesus will bring together all who trust in Him.
- **Lockdown News #6** [read here](#)



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Watford Community Harvest

BY ONE VISION AND ADVENTIST COMMUNITY SERVICE

4TH OCT | **STANBOROUGH PARK** | **10 FROM**
SUNDAY | **BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE** | **AM**
 | ST ALBANS ROAD, GARSTON, WATFORD, WD25 | **5 TO**
 | | **PM**

ONE VISION IS HOSTING A COVID SAFE DRIVE THROUGH FOOD DONATION POINT AT STANBOROUGH PARK. COME JOIN US AND GIVE GENEROUSLY TO THOSE IN NEED.

BRING YOUR FOOD GIFTS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO LOCAL CHARITIES IN WATFORD.

BIBLE STUDIES

with Pastor Terry Messenger

EVERY SABBATH 3-4PM via Zoom

If you are thinking of becoming a more committed Christian then this series would be ideal for you!

If you are interested in joining please contact Pastor Terry TMessenger@secadventist.org.uk

online **PRAYER MEETING**
Wednesday 7pm via Zoom

Join us and be encouraged by a beautiful message.
 Zoom Meeting ID: 863 3281 2854 Password: 063944

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Welcome to Cradle Roll Sabbath School

THE POWER of PERSEVERANCE

Pastor Terry Messenger - Saturday 26th September 2020
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The Power of Perseverance

Cradle Roll Sabbath School
3rd video of September

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