Blood Work

I went for a couple of routine medical tests at a hospital called Holy Cross. While waiting, I was intensely and enthusiastically reading a book about the Holy Spirit that I had been studying for the past 10 days.

I had one test and then I was in another waiting area for a blood test. I continued my studying, as I was waiting to be called back. The tech called my name and I put my book away and sat in the lab chair that was right near her desk. She was writing up the information for the tests.

In the past, I used to have my worship music queued up for blood work to keep me relaxed. This time, because I have been released of so many fears and anxieties in the past year, I did not even think to do that. As I sat there, I began to hear music coming from her phone. I did not recognize the song, but I knew it was worship music.

Oh, my goodness. I began to praise God that He was making His presence known to me in that room in such a big way. He was providing worship music for me.

The next thing I knew, the song had changed. Her phone was on K-Love and the song was “Holy Spirit You are Welcome Here.” So not only did God give me music, but of all songs it was that one, as I had been studying my book on the Holy Spirit. I began speaking to the tech.

I told her I did not want to interrupt her, but I had to share what was happening. She stopped what she was doing, and I got out of the chair and walked over to get my book to show her. She was amazed at God’s timing and as excited as I was. I asked her if I could take a short video of her phone playing this song. So there we were. I still had not had my blood drawn, and we were working on the video. It was an awesome moment in that room that day.

I feel so blessed that this is how God communicates with me throughout the day. He began this many years ago, but since I prayed consistently and intensely for the past year to have Him more in my heart than in my mind, He has gradually answered that prayer by allowing us to communicate even more.

He never ceases to amaze me. I get excited because I get to share what I call my WOWs with some like-minded friends, and they share theirs. And here I am today, able to share it with all of you.

I love that we have a God who hears us whenever we choose to call on Him. He tells us in Jer. 29:12 “Then you will call on Me, and you will come and pray to Me, and I will hear your voice and I will listen to you. I believe there is a constant dialogue that can go on if we choose to join Him.

I love being able to give God the glory that He so deserves. I am so grateful that we have such an awesome, loving, personal God, who cares so much about each and everyone of us, and who speaks to each of us in the spiritual language we understand. How great is our God!!