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Fred's Findings DG Fred Conger Coppell Lions Club



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It's May!

District Lions, on April 1st our district membership gain was a plus 32. But as of today, it is down to minus 17! We are in serious danger of being negative for the Lion Year! Let's get some new "quality" members into your club. Not just warm bodies. And club leaders, keep your Lions happy with service, fun social events, and Lion family comradery. With District help, it's your responsibility to grow your club, its leaders, and its service.

- If I have not yet visited your club, email me at fred.conger@verizon.net to find a date, location, and time. Time is getting short to accomplish my club visits. And check the District 2-X1 Web Site home page and calendar at www.lionsdistrict2x1.org for upcoming club and district events.
- *All clubs should have already held their officer elections and reported the results to LCI using the MyLCI application. If not yet completed, please do so ASAP! The updated info is needed by LCI and by the district to produce an accurate district directory.
- LCI is requesting that all clubs update and verify their member and club information on MyLCI right away. Why? LCI will be transitioning to a new and improved member interface application "Lion Portal" which will combine several current LCI databases into one, making access to club information

2021-2022 District 2-X1 Cabinet Officers

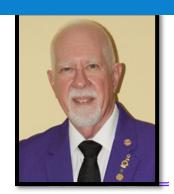
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simpler to obtain and easier to maintain. All Lions will find this new portal useful where the current applications are focused on assisting club and district officers. In addition, all club officers and Lions are being asked to have a unique email address so LCI can provide information tailored to every Lion's position. Sharing email addresses for multiple club positions will be a problem.

Notice that several clubs still have outstanding balances owed to LCI, District 2-X1 or both.

*Register and bring your club Lions and families to the District 2-X1 Picnic on April 30th starting at noon and ending at 4:00 pm. The picnic is again at Camp Burnett located at 3301 N. White Chapel Blvd. in Southlake, TX. There will be food, games, Karaoke, and dance music provided by my band the "Oakcrests". Check out the flyer in this issue. Please register the number of attendees from your club so we can provide enough food. Bring something that you would like to add to the burgers, veggie burgers, hot dogs, snacks, and cold drinks that the district and several clubs are providing.

*May brings the Texas Multiple District 2 Convention from the 18th through the 20th in Fort Worth. Thursday evening kicks off with an evening at Billy Bob's. Friday has the Texas Hall of Fame Luncheon and Texas Lions Charities Dinner. Saturday has the Necrology Service Breakfast, Opportunities for Youth Luncheon, and the MD-2 Governor's Banquet. During the day there will be service projects, fun, and interesting sightseeing excursions. Check out the registration form in this edition or register online at www.TexasLions.org or on the 2-X1 home page. Let's show the Texas Lions that District 2-X1 knows how to party!

LCI Mission Statement.

"To empower Lions clubs, volunteers, and partners to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian services and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and international understanding."

"Together We Can! & Together We Will!"



Prakash's View 1st VDG Prakash Gautam Plano Collin Nepalese Lions Club

Greetings to all the District 2-X1 Lions!

Some of the meetings/events that I attended in April 2023 were executive committee meeting, LS&TF board meeting, picnic organizing committee meeting, 2023-2024 goal setting and action plan meeting, district convention and a couple of clubs' activities. It is always good to meet/see fellow lions, and I enjoyed attending all these meeting/events.

We had a very successful District Convention on April 14- April 15 in Hilton, Richardson; kudos to Governor Fred Conger and his entire convention team for successfully wrapping up the convention. It was a wonderful experience meeting International Director Ken Ibarra, his spouse Lion Amy, and several fellow lions in the convention. Congratulations to Dallas Everest Lions Club President Dr. Vishnu Maya Upadhyay and her team for winning the Club of the Year award; as well, congratulation to Zone Chair Manuel Palavicini for wining the Lion of the Year award!

I thank each and every one of the election delegates who attended the convention and placed their faith in me by electing me as their District Governor for the year 2023-2024. I am truly grateful for the opportunity to represent Lions District 2-X1 as your next Governor. I am grateful, not because of the title that I was honored with, in the convention, but because of the opportunity that I have been given to represent an excellent group of service-minded people who bring smiles to the faces of people in need.

Thank you to all my fellow Lions for the faith you have placed in me; I welcome your thoughts, your suggestions, and your opinions. With all your support, I promise to do my best to further flourish our District 2-X1 and to take it to the next level. Our main focus in the year 2023-24 will be on membership growth and more service activities; as well, we will focus on more LCIF contributions and club officers' trainings. In the year 2023-2024, I plan to empower Region Chairs and Zone Chairs by delegating more authority and giving more responsibilities. Also, I plan to fully utilize the expertise of our Past District Governors (Governor's Advisory Council) by assigning responsibilities or active roles. Working together we can achieve



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more and build a successful district; and I am counting on each one of you in my journey.

I am still collecting names for next year's various service committee positions, If any of you have interest in serving the district service committees, please let me know; we will be happy to have you in the district service committees. Together we can do better and achieve more.

Our district is planning to hold two zoom training sessions for new club officers on June 17th and on June 24th; the details of the training will be finalized soon and will be emailed to all the club key officers. Please communicate this to your club's new officers and encourage them to attend the training.

Not all clubs have submitted their PU1 report (club officers report) yet; if your club has not submitted the report yet, please submit it online as soon as possible. This will help us to design and print the directory in time. Also, if any clubs want to publish their advertisement in our district directory, please contact 2VDG Radha Kaphle or me. The cost is \$100 for a full page.

Thank you to all the clubs that are reporting membership & service activities and paying the dues (LCI and the District) on time; it has been improved over the past months. However, I would like to remind submitting the reports and paying the dues on time to those clubs that are still behind.

Currently our district has a total of 1829 members, which is a net growth of 10 members in this Lions year. Our district has served 267,936 people, has completed 2,040 service activities, has contributed 63,848 volunteer hours, has donated \$780,926 and has raised \$237,372. This is encouraging; we are committed to continuing this trend in the coming months, as well.



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I would like to give you a heads-up that LCI is updating the digital tools you use as a Lion. LCI takes the functionality you have today with MyLion, MyLCI, Insights, and other tools and combining them into one cohesive and consistent experience – the Lion Portal. The transition will happen around the last month of this Lion year. Please visit Lion Portal | Lions Clubs International for more information. Also, I encourage all Lions to visit the District 2-X1 Web Site www.lionsdistrict2x1.org to know more about district activities. You can even navigate to the State Lions (MD2) and LCI sites from this district web site.

Finally, I ask each and every one of you to contact me or any of the District leaders, if you have any suggestions on how we can increase our membership or serve more people in a better way. Your suggestion may be a great tool to take our district to the next level.

With Best Regards, Prakash Gautam



Radha's Thoughts 2nd VDG Radha Krishna Kaphle Dallas Everest Lions Club

May 2023

Greetings fellow Lions,

As we move into the month of May, it's important to remember that we are in the second last month of the Lion Year 2022-2023. This means that each club has an opportunity to fulfill its goal to earn a club excellence award by fulfilling the criteria for the award.

If your club has not yet fulfilled the criteria, there is still time to do so. Some of the key criteria include growing your membership, reporting on service activities, donating to the LCIF and charities, taking officers and leadership training, and using social media to publicize your club's activities.

I want to take a moment to address a major issue that our district is currently facing, which is negative membership growth. As of the end of April, our district has seen a negative growth of 20 members due to the drop in the number of members. This is a concerning trend and highlights the importance of each club leader giving positive attention to this issue. It's not too late to bring in new members and help us achieve the district's goal for this year.

District Picnic-2023

We're thrilled to announce that our district picnic will be taking place on April 30th, and it's going to be a fantastic event filled with entertainment, fellowship, and the opportunity to connect with fellow Lions in one place.

We would like to encourage all members to invite potential new members and friends to the picnic, as it will be a great chance to showcase the positive impact that Lions have in our community and to highlight the benefits of being a member of our organization.

Let's come together for a fun-filled day and show our guests what it truly means to be a Lion. We look forward to seeing you there!



Radha's Thoughts 2nd VDG Radha Krishna Kaphle Dallas Everest Lions Club

Congratulations:

Congratulations to Governor Fred Conger and the convention team for the successful District Convention held on April 14-15, in Hilton, Richardson. It was a pleasure meeting International Director Ken Ibarra, Lion Amy, and fellow Lions at the event. I felt so proud to be a part of this team and witness firsthand the passion and dedication that each member brought to the convention. Congratulations to all award winners, including the Dallas Everest Lions Club for being named the club of the year, with special recognition to President Dr. Vishnu Maya Upadhyay and her team, and to Zone Chair Manuel Palavicini for being awarded Lion of the Year. I also congratulate the 36 Grass Roots Lions award recipients for their outstanding contributions to our district.

Club Officers' information and the district directory:

Attention all Lions Club officers! If your club has not yet submitted your club officers' names, it's PU1 report for LY 2023-2024, please do so online as soon as possible. We will soon be collecting officer information to ensure that our district directory is printed accurately and on time. Don't forget that your club also has the chance to advertise in the directory for just \$100 per full page. Contact DGE Prakash Gautam or me to take advantage of this opportunity.

Lions' Engagements:

- Attended the 'Dallas Health Lions Club charter noon celebration on April 1st, 2023, congratulating Chartered President Lion Bilas Upadhyay and the entire team.
- Attended DG's Executive Committee meeting and convention planning meetings in April 2023.
- Participated in the "Goal setting and planning" meeting for LY 2023-2024, led by DGE Prakash Gautam on April 22, 2023.
- Worked on the District Grass Roots Lions Award nomination collection and documentation before the convention.
- Organized and participated in preparation and planning meetings for the district picnic, with coordination and support from ZC Nia Mackay PhD, Co-Chair of the picnic committee, and district team leaders.
- Also, involved in various Lions service activities within the home club, as well as some other clubs in the community.



Radha's Thoughts 2nd VDG Radha Krishna Kaphle Dallas Everest Lions Club

Announcements:

The Texas Multiple District 2 Convention is happening in Fort Worth from May 18-20, featuring events such as the Texas Hall of Fame Luncheon, and MD-2 Governor's Banquet. There will also be service projects, sightseeing, and fun activities throughout the weekend. Registration is available online at www.TexasLions.org

Finally, if you have any questions, or concerns about the district activities, upcoming projects and events, and reporting, please feel free to contact me or the concerned officers in the district.

Let us remember our shared humanity, And treat each other with love and dignity. For, in the end, it's not what we achieve, But how we treat others makes us truly believe.

Yours in service, SVDG Radha K. Kaphle rkkafle@yahoo.com Dallas Everest

GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP APPROACH GMA

April 29, 2023

We are on a journey to more service!

District 2-X1 is participating in Global Membership Approach to maximize our membership thereby maximizing our service to the community.

District 2-X1 Goals: Following are the district goals:

- Charter 3 new clubs
- Recruit 400 new members
- Drops to be below 300
- Serve 185,000 needy people in our community
- Net Membership Gain +100



How are we doing?

District 2-X1 has chartered two clubs. The Lumbini Specialty Club and the Dallas Health Club. The Charter night was held on April 1. We have a membership drop 0f -18

2-X1 Membership Status:	(April 29, 2023)
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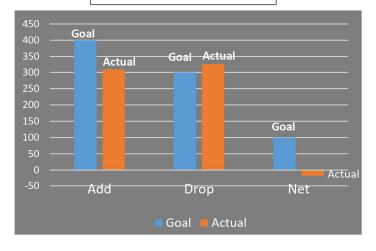
	This Month	This Year	
Opening Balance	. 1846	1819	
Added members	21	309	
Dropped Members	66	327	
NetGain/Loss	-45	-18	
Closing Balance	1801	1801	

MD-2 Membership Status Added members..... 2,599 Dropped Members...2,680 Closing Balance......22,246 Net Gain/Loss....... -81

We have added 309 members in the ten months and dropped 327

members. The district goal of +100 may be difficult to meet. But if all clubs can recruit at least one new member in the next two months, we can be closer to achieving our goal. Our district needs to contain the drops and need to focus on aggressive recruitment campaign to meet our goals.

2-X1 Membership Status



The incoming Governor and the district team met last week to form goals for next year. A SWOT analysis has been conducted to identify the current strengths and areas for improvement. The goals are due to LCI by May 30.

Service: The district has served over 270,318 people, 64,614 volunteer hours, and 2089 projects. 81% of the clubs have reported on MyLion. Let us keep all our members engaged. Kudos to the district for exceeding our goals in service. On February 18 the district project 'Build a Bed' was highly successful with over 200 volunteers help build over 175beds. Great team effort. 50 clubs (81%) have reported their service on MyLion, the best in MD-2.

Leadership Training: Club Officers training was already held at 2-X1 LU in June 2022, with several Lion officers in attendance. Zone Chair training was conducted by GMA during State Convention with 35 Zone Chairs in attendance. As a follow up the ZC training was also held virtually. The goal of the district is to train as many Lions as possible to prepare them to be better Lions and serve the clubs and district in leadership positions. Officers training and new member orientation was also conducted during the Mid-Winter conference on January 21. Incoming officers training is planned for June. A zone chair training for incoming zone chairs is also planned during the State Convention in May 2023.

LCIF Donations: Total donations from the district amounted to \$54,443. Our goal is to raise \$45,000 and have surpassed it. We have about 36% clubs donating.

What's Next? - We still have several clubs with no membership activity and the need to encourage them to hold membership growth events, with the help of Zone Chairs.

- Provide assistance to the 10 clubs with less than 10 members.
- There are 11 clubs with no membership activity.
- District has several ongoing initiatives. The club rebuilding program PCC John Eads and IPDG
 Esme are working with Allen High Noon, Dallas Women's, Ferris and Richardson Host.
 Districtwide service projects have been successful for more membership engagement.
- Clubs to host membership events.

PDG Vinod Mathur, 2-X1 GMA Champion, MD-2 North Region Champion

2023 Diabetes Awareness Contest

"And the Winner Is"......

District 2X1 Lions Opportunities for Youth 2022-2023 Diabetes Awareness Essay contest judging was conducted on March 25, 2023. The topic this year is "Know Your Numbers, Complications, Treatments and Healthy Living".

In this essay, the Contestants research and wrote alternative ways physicians test for pre-diabetes, identify the different types of diabetes, some of the health complications caused by diabetes, identify medical treatments and lifestyle changes individuals may undertake to help them manage diabetes.

This year contestants were Vinay Upadhyay (Junior, Sunnyvale HS, Sunnyvale, TX) Mandip Chhetri (Senior, Uplift North Hills Preparatory, Irving, TX), both are sponsored by Dallas Everest Lions Club, and Shruti Sunkara (Junior, Plano East Senior School, Plano, TX) sponsored by Dallas Indian Lions Club. Selected judges for this contests were composed of:

- 1. MD, Psychiatrist, Medical Director
- 2. Instructor & Director of the Dept of Allied Health Program
- 3. Educator

All contestants will receive certificates to be presented at the District convention luncheon on April 15, 2023.

First Place winner is Mandip Chhetri. He will be awarded a \$1000 Scholarship to UT Austin, where he will attend this fall and will advance to the state LOFY contest. Certificate & \$500 scholarship award will be presented to the 2nd place winner Vinay Upadhyay. Shruti Sunkara , 3rd place will receive certificate . Congratulations to all contestants and to the sponsoring Club, Dallas Everest Lions Club and Dallas Indian Lions Club. We wish Mandip all the best on his next State contest.

Lion Gloria Mathur Chair Diabetes Awareness Essay Contest

2023 LOFY Contests' Winners

LOFY Contests committee received three contestants each for Diabetes Awareness Essay, Drug Awareness Speech, and Outstanding Youth Award contests. All contestants are Leos from District 2-X1; two were sponsored by the Dallas Everest Lions Club and three were sponsored by Dallas the Indian Lions Club and are members of the Dallas Metro Leo Club. Two contestants were disqualified due to failure to meet contests rules' requirement.

We selected judges based on the topic of the contest and judges' background experience and trainings. We are very fortunate this year to have four judges who are members of the local Toastmasters International. For the Drug Awareness Speech contest the judges were: Catalina Garcia, MD (Anesthesiologist, Toastmasters), Dana Morgan (Substance Use Disorder Recovery Evangelist and Interventionist), Lion Rick Grinter (Toastmasters member), and Lion Hon. Carol Donovan JD (Mediator, Toastmasters). For the Outstanding Youth Award contest the judges were: IPDG Esmeralda Rodriguez (retired educator), Lion Floyd Daigle (MD-2 IT Chairperson/Webmaster), Lion Bobby Allen (Private Business), Lion Alison Allen Grinter JD (Mediator, Toastmasters), and Lion Sydney Allen (IT, Digital Marketing). For the benefit of those who don't know what the Toastmaster is, the Toastmasters International is a nonprofit educational organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of clubs. For the first time, all, but two judges, are active members of various Lions Clubs, one of them is from out side of District 2-X1.

Judging was held simultaneously on Saturday, March 25, 2023. Two contests held via Zoom were Drug Awareness Speech contest (from 10 AM to 12 PM) and Outstanding Youth Award contest (1 to 3 PM). Parents of contestants were allowed to observe the contestants' presentation. First and 2nd Place winners received scholarship (payable to the university/college they will attend) in the amount of \$1,000 and \$500, respectively. Monetary prize should be used within 2 years after winning.

Winners for Diabetes Awareness Contests were Mandip Chhetri (1st Place, Senior, North Richland Uplift Academy), Vinay Upadhyay (2nd, Junior, Sunnyvale HS)-both sponsored by the Dallas Everest LC, and Shruti Sunkara (3rd, Junior, Plano East HS), sponsored by the Dallas Indian LC. Winners for the Drug Awareness Speech contest were Vinay Upadhyay (1st Place), Mandip Chhetri (2nd), and Sneha Kar (3rd, Senior, Plano East HS), sponsored by the Dallas Indian LC. For Outstanding Youth Award contest 1st Place went to Vinay Upadhyay, 2nd Place to Mandip Chhetri, and 3rd Place to Sripoorna Modugula (Junior, Texas Academy of Math and Science, Denton, TX.)

Leo Mandip, 2022-2023 President of District 2-X1 Leo Clubs, received the award certificates and scholarships at the 2023 District Convention, Saturday, April 15, 2023 at the Award Luncheon program. He will attend Texas A&M University in the Fall. Since Leo Vinay was in Philadelphia, PA for a Leadership Training that day, his parent, Lion Dr. Vishnu Maya Upadhyay DNP, accepted the award certificates and scholarship for him. The 3rd winners award certificates and commiseration gifts were presented to the sponsoring club representative at the Convention. All First Place winners will advance to MD-2 State contests, (two will be held via Zoom) on Saturday, May 6, 2023.

Congratulation to all winners, their family, and their sponsoring Clubs. We're all wishing them the best on their next endeavors.











Dallas Everest Lions Club Wins Lion of the year award for 2022-2023

During the district convention held on April 15th. Governor Fred Conger announced the winner of lion of the year award. Dallas Everest Club was jubilant

when its name was announced as the winner. This is the third time in 6 years Dallas Everest Lions Club has received



DeSoto Lions Club Flower Beatification Project for Ernie Roberts Park



DAWN Project Continues Making Impact in the Communities

The City of Dallas County Commissioner John Price had invited the "DAWN" project to partake in the Community Health Fair at BSWHWC at Juanita Craft Health & Wellness Rec. Center last Saturday March 18th from 10:00 am - 2:00pm. The DAWN project was asked to partner with Dallas County Commissioner John Price, Parkland and Dallas PD with anticipation of at least 300 people.

Our role (DAWN Project with BSWHWC) included (A1C, Kidney Function test, Cholesterol, Lipid, Blood Pressure) screenings we provide with Baylor, plus vision screening, massage therapy, diabetes and nutrition workshop.

The health fair consisted of COVID 19 & flu vaccinations, HIV/STI, TB screen and more. Parkland Mobile Screening /Testing units provided vaccinations (Covid 19 & Flu shots), mammograms, HIV, STI screenings, & TB screening as well. Informations on breast health, burn prevention, poison prevention, etc. were provided by Parkland and Methodist hospital and other vendors that participated. Radio station 97.9 provided music and entertainment. Dallas County Commissioner John Wiley Price, Dallas Police, Sheriff Chief Brown, Channel 4 reporter, 97.9 The Beat and other Dallas County leaders were at the event.

Thanks to the participating Lions clubs, Midlothian LC, Duncanville LC, Dallas South LC White Rock LC and DFLC for their contribution in making this event highly successful, and meaningful! This was a great opportunity for the DAWN project to continue making a difference and making impact in the community.













For all Fort Worth convention information,

follow our Facebook page (Facebook/ Texas Lions Convention 2023) for the latest updates on schedules, events, activities and more! **To register,** use the registration forms included in this brochure, or visit www.Texas-Lions.org to register online.

To advertise your business, product or event

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Texas Lions 2023 State Convention

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REGISTRATION FEE FOR EACH ATTENDEE, (including Lions/guests age 17+ years)	\$35	\$35	\$35		\$35 X attendee(s) = \$
COMPLETE MEAL PACKAGE (includes all 5 meals and welcome event below)	\$180	\$200	\$220	Circle attendee A and/or B	
THURSDAY, 5/18 • 6:00 p.m. Billy Bob's Texas Welcome Party • Cash Bar	No Charge	No Charge	No Charge	Circle attendee A and/or B	No Charge
FRIDAY, 5/19 • Noon** Texas Lions Hall of Fame Luncheon	\$30	\$35	\$40	Circle attendee A and/or B	
FRIDAY, 5/19 • 7:00 p.m.* Texas Lions Charities Dinner	\$50	\$55	\$60	Circle attendee A and/or B	
SATURDAY, 5/20 • 8:00 a.m.* Necrology Service Breakfast	\$25	\$30	\$30	Circle attendee A and/or B	
SATURDAY, 5/20 • Noon* Opportunities for Youth Luncheon	\$30	\$35	\$35	Circle attendee A and/or B	
SATURDAY, 5/20 • 7:00 p.m.* MD-2 Governor's Banquet	\$60	\$65	\$70	Circle attendee A and/or B	
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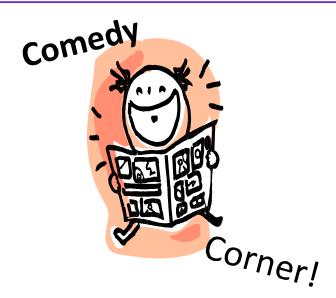
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QUESTIONS? Send an email to TexasLions2023@gmail.com or call DG Vince Rosen at (817) 307-0563 or PDG John Paul Burnett at (817) 729-0111.



Why did Darth Vader turn off one light?

He prefers it on the dark side.

If you have an item for the *Lions*Link, please email it to:

biu101@yahoo.com

no later than 20th of the month inclusion in the next edition!



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Lions Code of Ethics

TO SHOW my faith in the worthiness of my vocation by industrious application to the end that I may merit a reputation for quality of service.

TO SEEK success and demand all fair remuneration or profit as my just due, but to accept no profit or success at the price of my own self-respect lost because of unfair advantage taken or because of questionable acts on my part.

TO REMEMBER that in building up my business it is not necessary to tear down another's; to be loyal to my clients or customers and true to myself.

WHENEVER a doubt arises as to the right or ethics of my position or action towards others, to resolve such doubt against myself.

TO HOLD friendship as an end and not a means. To hold that true friendship exists not on account of the service performed by one to another, but that true friendship demands nothing but accepts service in the spirit in which it is given.

ALWAYS to bear in mind my obligations as a citizen to my nation, my state and my community, and to give them my unswerving loyalty in word, act and deed. To give them freely of my time, labor and means.

TO AID others by giving my sympathy to those in distress, my aid to the weak, my substance to the needy.

TO BE CAREFUL with my criticism and liberal with my praise, to build up and not destroy.