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Dear friend,

May I take just a moment to introduce you to a story that is very dear to my heart?

It's a story of hillbillies and simple folk, net casters and tax collectors. A story of a movement exploded like a just-opened fire hydrant out of Jerusalem and spilled into the ends of the earth: into the streets of Paris, the districts of Rome, and the ports of Athens, Istanbul, Shanghai, and Buenos Aires. A story so mighty, controversial, and head spinning that two millennia later a middle-aged, redheaded author from Texas would be writing a book that wonders:

Might it happen again?

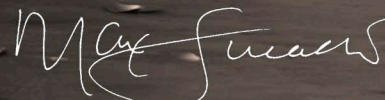
This is the hope of this book, *Outlive Your Life: You Were Made to Make a Difference*. Walking through the first twelve chapters of Acts, we see firsthand how a few faithful people can change the world. And we're asking, Lord, do it again.

These are devastating times: 1.75 billion people are desperately poor, natural disasters are gouging entire nations, and economic uncertainty still reigns across the globe.

We are given a choice—an opportunity to make a big difference during a challenging time. What if we did? What if we rocked our world with hope? **Will you join me in praying for a resurgence of compassion and outpouring of service?** Will you ask God to do it again in this generation?

Let's hear it for the difference makers. I'm thanking God that you are one of them.

All the best,



P. S. This book arrives in stores this fall, but I wanted you to have this advance copy. 100% of author royalties from all *Outlive Your Life* products will benefit children and mothers through World Vision and the James 1:27 Foundation. If you have time to read only one chapter, I suggest reading Chapter 10: Stand Up for the Have Nots. Any comments you might have can be sent to [mlucado@maxlucado.com](mailto:mlucado@maxlucado.com) or visit [maxlucado.com](http://maxlucado.com).



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