## Inriching Women Enriching Women

## A Private Audience!!

An audience is a formal meeting between a head of state and another person at the invitation of the head of state. We are familiar with the phrases 'audience with the queen' or 'audience with the pope' and these are indeed rare and special. Such a visit commands a personal and private communion so singular that it is savoured for a very long time. A private audience is relished and enjoyed at our beckoning as recall is instant and can be lived at ad infinitum. Personal visits are meant to inspire, enrich and encourage the invitee, although in past times this was not always the case.

'A hostile world! I call to God, I cry to God to help me. From His palace He hears my call; my cry brings me right into His presence – a private audience!'

David, the psalm writer gives us insight and hope when it comes to knowing God and how He responds to us. (Psalm 18:6 MSG) God's palace is not off limits to us and more than that, we don't have to wait for an invitation! Even though thousands, possibly millions of people are cramming in for a private audience with Him...there is still room for you and me. How fantastic is that! Whatever is happening in your world to make you become anxious, afraid, despairing, not knowing which way to turn, remember a private audience awaits you! The 'come' invitation is permanently open.

Affectionately, Judith