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We bless God for enabling us see another month, may His glorious name be forever praised. It is our prayer that He who has begun a good work in us will perfect it until the day of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

We welcome you all to March edition of our monthly magazine tagged "BEHOLD I COME QUICKLY".

Our appreciation goes to God for the lives that were touched last month, we believe this month more people would be reached both at home and abroad.

Our topics for this month are ;

- 1.) "COME YE BLESSED OF MY FATHER"
- 2.) YOUR CONDUCT IS A REFLECTION OF YOUR HEART
- 3.) LITTLE FOXES (3) - THE TONGUE
- 4.) EVENTS AFTER THE RAPTURE

No 5. Is a Clarion Call to as many who wants their lives to count, it is tagged - EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY !! APPLY NOW!!

Kindly ensure you share this edition with someone, by so doing, you're also proclaiming the Lord's return.

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Health is wealth, pls stay safe and stay healthy.

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“COME YOU BLESSED OF MY FATHER”

(Matthew 25 vs 31-end)

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".....For I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me."**"Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me."**

Life is all about solving problems - hence, a temporary place of assignment. As far as the earth remains, there would always be a neighbour who is in dire need, hurting, hungry, naked and homeless.

In law, a neighbour is someone who is directly affected by your actions or omissions which you can reasonably foresee would likely injure him.

Biblically, he is someone you show mercy to, or have been ordained to rescue out of distress either far or near.

According to our text, the challenge of any group of persons or an individual regarded as a member of the body of Christ is Jesus' challenge. Each time any of the brethren is hurting, Jesus feels the pain and by all means looks for someone - a neighbour who could help fix the problem.

The righteous in the text saw other brethren in need, sick and desolate, they attended to them and were granted access to inherit the kingdom while those who ignored them were refused access and sentenced to hell. Why? Simply because of what they did or didn't do for Jesus respectively.

Jesus categorically told the righteous "I was sick you visited me, hungry and you fed me, naked; you covered me", they asked him "When did we do these for you?" He said to them, "Inasmuch as you did it for the least of these my brethren you did it for me."

They were just being good, they simply added good works to their faith - What a Balanced Equation !!. There's a great lesson to draw from this parable, when brethren are going through turbulent periods, Jesus' Himself is the one directly in pain. - "For we do not have an high Priest who is unable to empathise with us in our weaknesses. (Heb 4 :15 NIV). So many people today both in Church and the society at large are distressed, how much of these pains are we relieving Jesus of ?. When a child is sick, the mother feels the pain and wants relief for him, so is Jesus.

When someone smiles because they encountered us the Lord is happy and heaven applauds us ; For every rich man, there is a Lazarus to be laid at his gate for daily bread (Luke 16 : 19 - 21) and for every Church, there is an imprisoned Peter to intercede for, else he would be killed like James. (Acts 12 vs 1 - 5). Also, for every good Samaritan, there's an injured traveller to cater for (Luke 10 vs 25 - 37). For every king David, there is a crippled Mephibosheth to be shown kindness. (2 Samuel 9 : 1) ; For every Barnabas, there's a Paul to encourage. (Acts 13, 14). And lastly, for every Joseph, there is a famished and dying nation to preserve. Genesis 45 vs 4 - 7

Someone, somewhere, somehow, is ordained to smile through us. I am a channel to somebody, so are you. For some people, you might just need to intercede, counsel or encourage and their spirit would come alive. Men need to see Jesus and what He represents through us, for we are an extension of His arms to the Church and the world at large. Acts 10:38 says ; 'How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with Holy Ghost and power who went about doing good and healing all that were oppressed of the devil for God was with Him.'

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Anointing is not to show the world or the Church how good we are at preaching, it is primarily to do good. Our good works especially to someone who needs it could also go a long way to preach the gospel. The best and easiest way to present Christ to those who are aching, hungry or desolate is to meet their needs. People would easily follow the God who brought them out of their troubles. Everyone Jesus encountered had a better story to tell. How many people have a good story to tell simply because they met us?. Salvation / Faith in Jesus is important so also is good works. James 2 vs 26 says faith without works is dead.

Our society today is full of the less privileged, people for whose sake the Lord was here.

Back then in the early 20's at a particular spot, I used to see a beggar who knelt in the sun all day begging for alms. Each time I passed through that area, something pricks my heart and passion runs through my veins, I wondered what could be done to bring a change to his situation.

This passion grew more and more as I saw a lot of them sitting in the sun begging for alms. At a point I began to see beyond meeting their physical needs. I wondered aloud, "Will they go to hell because of their deformity? Is there nobody to talk to them about the love of Jesus?" After all God is the God of both the able and the disabled and His kingdom is meant for both.

Then one day I encountered a parable of the great supper in Luke 14 vs 12-24 ; A certain man invited able guests to supper but they turned down His invitation because they had careers to pursue, he therefore sent his servants to quickly enter the streets, lanes of the city and highways and bring in the poor, the maimed, the lame and the blind to supper.

That day I was convinced my earlier feelings were beyond ordinary passion but was a pointer to a vision God wants me to pursue. That was how we added BEGGARS' OUTREACH as part of our mandate at The Global Harvest Mandate as an NGO.

During these outreaches, we package food items for the less privileged, talk to them (interpreting in their language) briefly about Jesus' love and how He wants a better life for them here and in the world to come.

By God's grace, we're looking forward to having a relief home in some states where we'll house those who have responded to Jesus in faith and their vulnerable children, so they can experience and enjoy a better standard of life.

The righteous in the above parable were not given the kingdom because they were great apostles, teachers or pastors but simply because they added good works to their faith.

Jesus didn't have a pulpit to Himself all through His stay here. He moved from temple to synagogues, city to city, street to street doing good works and preaching the glad tidings to the poor.

DON'T STRUGGLE FOR PULPIT, STRIVE TO TOUCH LIVES.

WHEN LIVES ARE TOUCHED THROUGH US, ALTARS ARE RAISED FOR GOD IN THEIR HEARTS.

Then, on the reckoning day, Jesus will say to us, "COME YOU BLESSED OF MY FATHER, INHERIT THE KINGDOM PREPARED FOR YOU BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD".

Either of two things awaits man at the end of his journey on earth - A CROWN OR A CRY. May we never be among the people to whom Jesus will say; 'Depart from me you cursed' simply because of the good works they failed to add to their faith.

Remain rapturable as we meet again next month.

YOUR CONDUCT IS A REFLECTION OF YOUR HEART

OGUNSOLU TAIWO ELIZABETH



Proverbs 23:7 New King James Version- "For as he thinks in his heart, so is he..."

Proverbs 23:7 Amplified version- "For as he thinks in his heart, so is he [in behavior—one who manipulates]..."

Welcome to another edition on the HEART. In the last series on "Guard your heart", we were made to understand that we are a product of the thought of God's heart. Also, a man's thought determines his life so we need to filter what goes into our heart and get it sanctified and purified by the Word of God.

According to our anchor scripture above, as a man thinks in his heart that is who he is, that is, your conduct is a reflection of your heart. The thought of man is like a seed; whatsoever you sow, you shall reap. What goes on in your mind is what you live, either you live like a Champion or a Coward. The mind is so powerful that the Bible refers to it as a stronghold.

11Corinthians 10:4-5 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;) Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

When you permit unhealthy and immoral thoughts, you find yourself manifesting them because both good and evil behaviour or conduct streams from the heart. For instance, when you think fear, you become afraid; when you think faith, you become stronger; when you think victory, you become a champion, when you think defeat, you become defeated.

Let's take a study of some biblical examples of men who were defined by their thoughts.

PETER

Matthew 14:25-33 But the ship was now in the midst of the sea, tossed with waves: for the wind was contrary. And in the fourth watch of the night Jesus went unto them, walking on the sea. And when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, It is a spirit; and they cried out for fear. But straightway Jesus spake unto them, saying, Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid. And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus. But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him, and said unto him, O thou of little faith, wherefore didst thou doubt?

In the Bible passage above, Peter discovered he could walk on the water and he did so, that is Faith! but the moment he began to conceive some negative thoughts in his heart, fear set in, his focus changed from Jesus to the middle of the sea where he was, immediately he began to sink. Thank God for Jesus! he would have ended his life in the sea.

JOB

Job 3: 25. For the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me, and that which I was afraid of is come unto me.

Before Job was afflicted, he had always nursed the fear of losing his possessions and wealth and his thoughts finally came to reality. You are a product of your thoughts.

LUCIFER

Isaiah 14: 12. How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations! 13. For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: 14. I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High. 15. Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit.

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Lucifer also referred to as Satan conceived in his heart to be equal with God, this led to pride and finally led to his doom.

JESUS CHRIST

Philippians 2: 5. Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: 6. Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: 7. But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: 8. And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. 9. Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: 10. That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; 11. And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Jesus Christ our perfect example has a pure and perfect mind and He was humble and obedient unto death therefore he was highly exalted by God. This same mind is what should be found in true Christians.

In the autobiography of the General Overseer of the Redeemed Christian Church of God, Pastor E.A Adeboye, he made it known that when he was still young, he would always admire the Village headmaster who was always welcomed with joyful celebrations and honour whenever he visited the Village. From then, he had nursed the thought to be like the headmaster when he grew despite the fact that he had no shoes then and his family was the poorest in the Village. Today he has a PhD and he is also a man of God with honour. He finally became a product of his thoughts.

2 Corinthians 5: 7. (For we walk by faith, not by sight:)

Finally, whatever you picture yourself to be in your heart is what you manifest outwardly. That is why King Solomon said he had seen Princes walking on foot and servants riding on horses. The goodnews is that everything about God's Children has been predetermined and ordained by Him - God's thought towards us is of good and not of evil (Jer 29 : 11) therefore always have good thoughts towards yourself no matter the circumstances around you, let God's Word, Covenant and Promises be your anchor even in the overwhelming flood.

REFLECTION

Philippians 4: 8. Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

Let your thoughts be guided by the Word of God and you can be sure of a fulfilled life.

If you are yet to accept Jesus who alone knows every intention of a man's heart and can transform a man's life, please pray to Him to save your soul and guide your heart towards holiness and righteousness. Amen

PRAYER

Father, please let my thoughts be guided by your Word, Covenant and Promises, help me to trust in you always and help me to live a victorious life in Jesus name. Amen.

LITTLE FOXES (3) - The Tongue

ADEFIOYE CLINTON BENJAMIN



Proverbs 21:23 (NLT)

Watch your tongue and keep your mouth shut, and you will stay out of trouble.

INTRODUCTION:-

For the past two months we've been discussing about little foxes which are the things that are almost unnoticed in the life of a person but creeps in to spoil the vine(soul) and we also speak of different ways that little foxes generate in the life of a person and by the Help of Holy Spirit we have been able to expose some little foxes so today, we're going to talk about THE TONGUE as a little fox and ways we can ensure that the tongues doesn't cause us trouble or make us miss our Glorious abode in the Holy City (New Jerusalem).

The tongue is one of the smallest organs in the body yet a major determinant in the life of everyone, it produces the words we speak and every word we speak either make or mar us physically or spiritually. (Prov 18:21)

And the tongue is a flame of fire. It is a whole world of wickedness, corrupting your entire body. It can set your whole life on fire, for it is set on fire by hell itself. James 3:6 (NLT)

The scripture in Proverbs 21 : 23 is absolutely correct because there are countless examples of people, both in the bible and the world around us, who brought destruction upon themselves because they could not tame their tongues

It's true that the devil is lurking about looking for whom to destroy but are we aware that no man not even the devil knows your thought except God but once you speak you give the world and even the devil chance to know what's inside of you because it's written that out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks and it's so sad that we have so many people and even believers whose tongues are not tamed and still utter ungodly, abusive and sensitive words.

James 3:2 says, "We all stumble in many ways. If anyone is never at fault in what he says, he is a perfect man, able to keep his whole body in check."

The truth is, you can't tell me you are a believer if you still lie, curse, abuse, communicate corrupt words or get involved in filthy talks because it's clearly stated in the scripture.

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Ephesians 4:29a NIV

"Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths,". And another scripture also says God hate liars and also that all liars will find their part in the lake that burns with fire so please if you still indulge in lies and filthy talk i will plead with us by the Mercies of God to repent so we don't perish.

James 1:26 NIV

If anyone thinks he is religious and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his heart, this person's religion is worthless.

The implication here is that we all mess up with our mouths, that one of the smallest parts of our bodies which is the most difficult to manage, we are in a world where most people spiritual life, Career, marriage and breakthrough has been aborted by the word they speak and sometimes most things we say got distorted and taken out of context and are now used against us.

CONCLUSION :

By God's grace next month we would examine how do we tame our tongues, till then let's avoid careless talk and be conscious that every word we speak, will be accounted for on the last day.

Prayers :-

- 1.) Set a guard, O Lord, over my mouth; keep watch over the door of my lips! Psalm 141:3
- 2.) Father Please Help me to keep my tongue from evil and my lips from speaking deceit. Psalm 34:13
- 3.) Father every word that i have spoken which has brought destruction in my (mention every area that has been affected) please let it be reversed by your mercies in Jesus name. Prov 18:21
- 4.) Father Please Help me not to speak when am to keep quiet in Jesus name. Prov 10:19
- 5.) Father Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer. Psalm 19:14



EVENTS AFTER THE RAPTURE

I Thessalonians 4 : 16 – 18

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The Rapture as described by the Bible is “the catching up of the saints of God, the true followers of Christ will be caught up to meet with the Lord in the air. At this climatic event, “Rapture” only the true believers who have confessed and forsaken their sins, have received Jesus Christ as their Lord and personal Saviour and their names have been written in the God’s book of life will be caught up with Christ in the clouds.

Having established what rapture is and those that will be able to make it i.e the Rapturable Christian as discussed in the February Edition, it is expedient to dig a little deeper to know what will happen after the saints have been raptured, hence our topic, “EVENTS AFTER THE RAPTURE”.

As was expressed by a hymn writer, “when we all get to heaven, what a day of rejoicing that will be, when we all see Jesus, we’ll sing and shout the victory”, then we will see Jesus face to face at rapture, this will give us direct access to behold the face of our Lord Jesus. Also , we shall be reunited with our loved ones who has passed unto glory earlier, there will be no more sorrow, sickness, sadness, nor suffering, our God will wipe every tears from all our faces. Isaiah 25 : 8, Revelation 21 : 4.

To celebrate this great reunion, Christ will organize a dinner which the bible referred to as “Marriage Supper of the Lamb”, Revelation 19 : 9. The Lamb here refers to Jesus Christ the “Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world” John 1 : 29 and the Bride of Christ is His Church Revelation 21 : 9 comprising of the true followers of Jesus Christ. This Marriage Supper of the Lamb will be the great celebration of the Church being united with Jesus till eternity.

Subsequent upon this great celebration will be what is called the “Judgement Seat of Christ”, where every one will appear to receive rewards for all our deeds, 2 Corinthians 5 : 10, I feel this should spur us to do more than we are doing in good works like giving, evangelising, showing of mercy, helping the helpless e.t.c for there awaits us in heaven great rewards for all our works.

However, while believers are receiving rewards and rejoicing In heaven, there will be a time of Great Tribulation here on earth, where there will be one – world government, one – world economy, and one – world religion, headed by the one whom the Bible call the Anti-Christ 1 John 2 : 22. During his rule on earth, hell will break loose and God will pour out His anger and judgement upon the earth, Revelation 16 :1, 19 :15. It will be difficult for anyone to buy and sell Revelation 13 : 17 – 18 or able to make any transaction whatsoever without the mark of the beast (666). Please note that whoever receives the mark is doomed and condemned forever. Revelation 14 : 9 – 11, 19 : 20. Believers who are left behind will suffer a great deal in the hands of the Anti-Christ, the more reason why we must strive to make it at rapture.

The great tribulation will be terminated with the battle of Armageddon, Revelation 16 :16 when all nation of the world will come together to fight against the Nation of Israel with the intent to wipe it off the surface of the earth. At this time, Jesus will return via Mount Olive with His true believers to step into the stage of mankind history and will totally destroy the Anti-Christ armies and his followers together with all who seek to destroy Israel and Jerusalem, this will be centered in the valley of Megiddoin in Isreal. This battle is called “The Battle of Armageddon Zechariah 14 : 4 - 5 it shall indeed be the war that will end all wars.

To be continued



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY! APPLY NOW!

OPEYEMI VICTOR O.

A sister once shared with me how God specifically spoke to her concerning an untapped employment opportunity during prayers. This was after years and years of searching endlessly for a corporate employment, without any meaningful headway; and when she couldn't take it any longer, she started praying determinedly about 'the problem'. It was therefore during one of such intensive prayer sessions that God spoke to her and said "It's not like you're unemployed, it's only that you want to choose whom your employer should be." Hah! It was as though a terrible cloak of confusion was suddenly lifted off her heart. Beginning from that moment onward beloved, her eyes of understanding were opened and today, she's doing great exploits for the kingdom of God as one of God's own employees.

If there's anything to be understood from this Christian sister's experience, it is that God Almighty Himself is in the business of employing people as labourers (employees) in His vineyard. We can find evidence of this in the book of Matthew 20: 6 - 7; And about the eleventh hour, he went out and found others standing idle, and said to them, 'Why have you been standing here idle all day?' They said to him, 'Because no one hired us.' He said to them, 'You also go into the vineyard, and whatever is right you will receive.' (New King James Version).

Now this is not to say that everyone would end up as pastors or preachers, no! However the idea being communicated here is that irrespective of one's secular profession or employment, they can still make themselves available for the master's use; and the beautiful thing about this is that as many as would sign up for employment with God (either on a part-time or full-time basis) would be handsomely rewarded and compensated as declared in the book of Heb 6: 10; For God is not unrighteous to forget your work and labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name... Praise be to Jesus.

It is therefore against this backdrop that The Global Harvest Mandate Outreach uses this opportunity to announce to all that vacancies are now open to anyone and everyone who would love to be employed of God as propagators of the gospel of the Lord. Depending on their unique giftings and availability, these people can function in different offices and in diverse ways, using varying tools. For instance, those who can use their financial power or their intellectual power, as well as those who can make good use of their technical skills or professional skills as worthy tools in the hands of the Great Porter for the expansion of the master's kingdom are very much welcome.

Apart from this, we are also in need of distributors of our monthly magazine code-named 'Behold I Come Quickly'. These distributors can either serve as physical copy distributors of the magazine or digital copy distributors (proper guidance will be provided for those who indicate interest)

Finally, anyone who wishes to make themselves available for the master's use in any capacity as a strategic partner is free to apply.

Therefore beloved, what have you got to offer God? How much longer would you wait before you do that which you know is right in your heart? Wait no further. Just go on and apply for this vacancy now. Remember that it pays to work for God than it does to work for men.

Please feel free to visit our website: www.theglobalharvestmandate.org to fill out our membership form or drop your WhatsApp line in the space provided for such there and one of our officials will get in touch with you as soon as possible.

Stay focused, stay safe; and God bless you. Shalom!