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WELCOME ADDRESS



Welcome to the July Edition of Behold I Come Quickly monthly magazine.

We're indeed grateful to God the Father, God the Son and especially God the Holy Spirit who has made His oil to consistently flow into and through our pens. "There's a spirit in man, and the inspiration of the Almighty gives him understanding". Thankfully, this has been our testimony all the way. May His name be forever praised.

This month by His grace we shall be accessing the following topics :

YOUR GIFT AND YOUR ALTITUDE (You Will Be Rewarded - Series 7)
WALKING WITH GOD - (Part 7)
THE LOVE OF GOD
WALK IN THE SPIRIT (Part 3)

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YOUR GIFT AND YOUR ALTITUDE

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Matthew 25 vs 21

His lord said unto him, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.'

Genesis 41 vs 39 - 41

And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, 'Forasmuch as God hath shewed thee all these, there is none so discreet and wise as thou art:'

Thou shalt be over my house, and according unto thy word shall all my people be ruled: only in the throne will I be greater than thou.

And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, See, I have set thee over all the land of Egypt.

Altitude is commonly defined as the height of an object above the sea level.

Geographically, it is referred to as the vertical elevation of an object above a surface.

In spiritual laws, there is a direct link between the gifts of a man and the height he attains in destiny fulfillment. The story of an Hebrew boy (Joseph) in Genesis 41 is a proof to this law. He was imprisoned but he didn't allow the prison walls to lock up his God-given talent. It found expression because he kept the right attitude even in the midst of hurts. He was a master over his circumstance. Instead of sinking in self-pity, he put his gift to use until he was called upon to interpret and unravel a national puzzle which eventually created the seat of a prime minister for him in Egypt. His divine assignment was to preserve Nations, however, the fulfillment of this assignment was locked up in the proper use of his gifts.

Gifts and talents are divine endowments; they represent God's investment in our lives and how far He is willing to take us if we are faithful to Him in trading with them.

YOUR GIFT AND YOUR ALTITUDE

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In our last edition, we said those servants were sales boys, but they ended up becoming rulers. No vote was required or casted to qualify them for this new position other than their sense of responsibility and faithfulness.

They started small but ended big. The choice of what to do with the gifts and talents in their care brought them to the hall of greatness. Wow! How they ended was simply their choice!

CONCLUSION

Your Giftings and Your Altitude are directly proportional to each other.

Gifts and talents are divine elevators. Your permanent position and status are dependent on them here and hereafter.

Stay Awake ! Stay Active !! Stand Tall !!!

WALKING WITH GOD (PART 7) (DISOBEDIENCE DESTROYS)

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Bible Text: Proverbs 29:1 AMP

He who hardens his neck and refuses instruction after being often reproved (corrected, criticized), Will suddenly be broken beyond repair.

INTRODUCTION

Disobedience is a destroyer! Many souls have been destroyed as a result of not heeding to instructions. Disobedience can either be physical or spiritual.

One of the tactics the devil uses to destroy people is to induce them to disobey God. The devil knows that God hates sin, so he aims at breaking the connection between man and God through the sin of disobedience.

In our world today, the devil has blindfolded many, even the elect, and caused them to wander away from the path of righteousness through the act of disobedience.

May the Holy Spirit give us insight as we study the life of Jonah in Jesus name. Amen

DISOBEDIENCE OF ONE MAN

J**onah 1:1-3**

1. Now the word of the Lord came to Jonah the son of Amittai, saying,

2. "Go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim [judgment] against it, for their wickedness has come up before Me."
3. But Jonah ran away to Tarshish to escape from the presence of the Lord [and his duty as His prophet]. He went down to Joppa and found a ship going to Tarshish [the most remote of the Phoenician trading cities]. So he paid the

fare and went down into the ship to go with them to Tarshish away from the presence of the Lord.

It's a great thing to be able to hear from God but disobeying Him is disastrous. Jonah was a Prophet called by God. He hears from God.

At a point in time, God called Jonah to go to a great City called Nineveh to warn them against impending danger. Jonah gave in to the lies of the devil on the assignment and started running away from God's presence.

It is absurd for a man to think he can run away from his Creator. It the biggest lie ever! Taking account of the book of Jonah chapter one, the ship Jonah boarded to convey him to Tarshish nearly wrecked in the raging sea. God hurled a great wind toward the sea, and there was a violent tempest on the sea so that the ship was about to break up. The sailors and everyone on the ship became afraid because the tempest was indeed violent. The traders on the ship started offloading their merchandise into the sea just to save their lives but the situation worsened. Jonah was busy

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sleeping down the ship while danger was looming over his head unknowing to him. When the people cast lots, it fell on Jonah. Until Jonah was thrown into the sea, the tempest persisted.

Many lives have been destroyed; many generations have been consumed because of one man's sins. Of a truth, the since of the first woman on earth (Eve) led to the fall of man.

On the account of Jonah's disobedience, innocent traders' lives were endangered, they had to lose their merchandise in other to lighten the ship and they had to make an urgent but painful decision to throw Jonah into the sea.

There is a need to count the cost of disobedience to God before treading on the path. The saddest consequence is that it affects innocent lives.

The sin of disobedience is like a slow poison that if not detected and treated on time, might lead to the end of the fellow.

OUR WORLD TODAY

God has given everyone the power to choose. As a result, some people choose to live care-free lives characterized by lust of the flesh, lust of the eyes and the pride of life. They act contrary to God's commandments and refuse to yield to His voice. The consequences of this act of disobedience is now replicating not just in the life of the offender but generations thereafter.

CONCLUSION

One man's disobedience can endanger innocent people's lives; therefore, there is a need to count the cost of disobedience before acting it.

We shall conclude the story of Jonah and lessons learnt in the next series.

REFLECTION

Think of those areas where you have disobeyed God's commandments and call upon Him with a repentant and genuine heart to save yourself and others from danger.

PRAYER

Father, forgive every of my act of disobedience to You, reverse every danger that I have brought upon myself as a result and help me to always obey You from now henceforth in Jesus name! Amen!

THE LOVE OF GOD

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For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believes in him should not perish but have everlasting life (John 3:16).

It is not uncommon to hear people declare their love for one another and it goes to depict the extent of affection they have towards one another. It is worthy of note, though, that this kind of love has limitations. There are certain extremes that a person might not be able to reach for another person, despite the love. But the Love of God was sacrificial to give His only begotten son to save the world from sin and death. To give us salvation which was the redemption package of God to man.

This love of God can not be debated or argued, God's love is the birthing of our salvation. There is a strong assurance and insurance for those who receive this special love of God that they would not perish but have eternal life and never taste the death that is prepared for any soul that sins. The best way to reciprocate the love of God is to accept Jesus into your life as your Lord and savior.

When we begin to study the love of God, we are amazed at the magnanimity of God's love. The love of God is incomparable, for what man there is, that can sacrifice his only begotten for sinners? Yes, for liars, cheaters, fornicators, idolaters, the list can go on and on.

The Bible says in Romans 5:8 'But God commends his love towards us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.' In other words, while we were yet in our sins, still in our dirt, He sent Jesus Christ to purchase our freedom with His own life and seal it with His blood. He made salvation available to all. He paid the price for our salvation, even before we submitted. Love so great and incomparable.

The love of God is perfect love in display. It does not discriminate between old and young, male or female.

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Galatians 3:28 makes us realize that 'There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus'. The love of God beckons to all man to come and join the family. He says in Revelation 3:20.....'Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.' He is calling today, listen to the voice of love (God).

To you who is already a part of the family, His love teaches to walk in love. He causes His love to be shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost (Romans 5:5) and we thus exude the love of God to all. Demonstrate this love you have received from God by loving God and the things of God passionately from your heart completely. Never forget this Mark 12:30 And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment.

Walking in the Spirit (Part 3)

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(Continued from previous edition)

We have been studying this topic for the past two editions, so kindly read up for further understanding. God bless You!

Our first text was taken from the book of Galatians 5:16, which reveals the benefit of walking in the spirit and also the

secret of living above sin; it says - "This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh."

This is worthy of note as we journey through this life, even unto eternity.

Our continuous walk with the Holy Spirit will yield a lot as we have considered in the previous editions.

Furthermore, as we walk in the spirit, our minds will be constantly renewed, worldly things will cease to take a hold on us and we will discern the will of God for us. **Romans 12:2 says – "Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and**

acceptable and perfect."

Also as we walk with the Holy Spirit, we will always walk in freedom. Romans 8:2 reveals that – **"For the law of the** Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death".

You can never go wrong when you take a walk with the Holy Spirit. I believe these words are finding expression in your daily life as a Christian and I trust the Holy Spirit to continue to minister them to your heart in Jesus Name.

So Join us in the next edition as the Holy Spirit helps us to shine more light on this teaching.

God Bless You!

Be a Wise Youth! Jesus is coming soon!

Stay Blessed and Take Charge!

See you in the next edition!