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INVITE HIM TO READ THIS BOOK WITH YOU

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These are nuggets of gold that the Lord has shared with me in my Quiet Times in the past. He is leading me now to choose some of those nuggets to share with you. Invite Him to read this book with you and to give you understanding and revelation as you take this journey with Him. Let Him "sing a new song" in *your* heart in companionship with Him. Then you also can "declare His glory and His marvelous deeds".

FIND THE NUGGETS OF GOLD

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"Oswald Chambers used to speak of our Lord 'presenting the Truth in nugget form'; while later the apostles 'beat out the nuggets into negotiable gold'. The daily readings given here may be regarded as nuggets of spiritual truth, to be turned into coinage for daily living. The process involves not only prayerful meditation, but, as our author would insist, strenuous thought and spiritual concentration. May the Holy Spirit quicken and enlighten all who use this book." (From the prologue to Oswald Chamber's book *Still Higher For His Highest*)

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I have such a feeling of joy inside of me this morning, I keep wanting to thank the Lord for things as I see and experience them. It might be from all the impartation of things given to me this past weekend at the School of the Seers by James Durham and Michael Danforth. I reached out to receive many of the things they offered to us from the Lord: joy, peace, etc.

# ESTABLISHED

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The Lord brought to my mind what Graham Cooke taught in the DVD session 2 of *Mind of a Saint* that we listened to last Sunday. He said we have to battle to get something, and then we also have to battle to "establish" it in us until it becomes part of us, the Lord in us. He told us how he had to say every morning to the Lord that he was "walking in newness of life," over and over, until it was established in him.

My thought is that the Lord gives us something as a promise, and we receive it and battle to believe it. But then we don't keep repeating it over and over until it becomes established in us, so it leaks out and slips away. Then the Lord repeats the same thing to us and the process starts again. Therefore I realize why the Lord repeats and repeats the same things to us over and over. I think this explains why...so it will become "established" in us.

I see this is why the Lord is having me read Psalm 91 every day for a long time now – to "establish" it in me.

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#### RIGHT ALIGNMENT

When they speak against you they speak against Me, because you belong to Me. Every word is recorded in heaven.

That's what judgment is – bringing things into right alignment with My kingdom and My principles. It's making things right, bringing them into righteousness. It's justice. And I am justice just as much as I am love. It's all together in one package – the love, the justice, the righteousness, the goodness, the kindness, the wrath. It's all who I am. I am the Lord.

#### WALK WITH THEM

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Be a listener, encourager, interested in what's happening to them, intercessor, writer, give them My words – in other words just walk with them through whatever comes. I want you there for them. You have little idea how important this is, but I do. Pray when I tell you to pray. I will get your attention for that. This is a very precious time in their lives, and they need you as mother and friend.

Ask for the healing I want to give you, and freedom from pain that I want to give you today. You have previously asked for what YOU want; now ask for what I want.

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Sing a new song to the Lord! Let the whole earth sing to the Lord! Sing to the Lord; praise his name. Each day proclaim the good news that he saves. Publish his glorious deeds among the nations, Tell everyone about the amazing things he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 NLT)

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DRAW NEAR TO ME

Judge yourself rightly and I won't need to judge you.

Do this each day whether you "feel like it" or not - sit down and wait. Draw near to Me. There is so much to learn and I know you want to learn. This will enable you to make it through the days to come – and they will get brighter and brighter for you and for Beth – for what you do affects her.

We'll spend time every day together like this the rest of your life – even your eternal life.

A PLACE OF INTERCESSION

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This morning after awakening the Lord led me into a place of intercession greater and deeper than I've ever entered before. He led me in what to speak to Him, how to petition Him, scriptures and truths to declare before him, and what our relationship is that I can call upon.

This was regarding petitioning Him for two prayer requests. He instructed me to keep interceding and keep interceding as each one of my prayers went towards filling the "bowl" of my prayers of intercession for these two requests He wanted me to keep putting before Him. He is using this as a training example to train me in how to intercede His way. Then He will use this learning in me for more petitions in the future.

These are some of the ideas He had me declare and use to petition Him:

- That He is my God and I worship Him
- Jesus said all things were His and He was giving them to me...that all that the Father has is His and He was giving it to me
- Christ in me the hope of glory
- Calling on His glory to be manifested in healing me
- He sent forth His word and healed them (Psalm 107:20)
- Jehovah Rophe, the God who heals me (see Exodus 15:26)
- He is instructing me and teaching me in the way I should go (Psalm 32:8)

- By His stripes I am healed (1 Peter 2:24)
- He is my God and I worship Him
- This is the confidence I have in approaching God, that if I ask anything according to His will, He hears me, and if He hears me, whatever I ask, I have what I ask of Him. (see 1 John 5:14-15)
- That he took my pains and sorrows on Himself and I don't need to carry them anymore
- That God is love and that love is poured out on His children who belong to Him. I am His child. I am in His family. I belong to Him. All that He has is mine in Christ Jesus. I petition Him as one of His family, His child.
- I am one He has called and chosen, His elect.
- I stand before Him petitioning Him for healing to make them whole again and healed and able to function rightly.
- I am His friend. He has given me friendship with Him and I call upon that friendship for healing.
- He is teaching me how to intercede the way He wants me to learn. He is the Great Intercessor and wants me to learn how to intercede His way.
- I called upon His goodness, His kindness, His greatness, His mercy, and His great power to be manifested in me.
- The effective fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus. I am a righteous man and my prayer is fervent and effective. It avails much. (see James 5:15)

I love you My daughter and I want you close to Me and in fellowship with Me all the time just like this. Keep striving toward that goal, that closeness, all the time, from now on.

# DECLARE/DECREE

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I read in Dutch Sheets' book about declaring words the Lord gives you to speak for Him to situations, nations, and people. Then He gave me words to declare daily over those He has given me the authority to speak to and declare over. Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee: and the light shall shine upon thy ways. (Job 22:28 KJV)

I will give you the 'seeds' of My Word to establish and declare over them---your whole household – where you have authority to speak for Me. Be listening for the Word I give you and then declare it and speak it forth for Me.

I will give you separate scriptures for each of them. Keep listening for them. I know exactly what I want declared over/to each of them, and I have given you the authority to do this. This will be a testimony to Me - how I work.

MY TESTIMONY

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You are My testimony as to what it was like to live in the "time of great darkness" and how I led you (plural) to overcome. Your writing will tell the story – and how will future people know unless they hear or read about it?

WAY BEYOND ANYWHERE YOU HAVE BEEN

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The Lord led me to listen today to the CD by Michael Danforth when he spoke at CTC in March, 2014. Here are the notes I took as I listened:

- I have given you access to the storehouse of God. Job 38:22
- I am going to bring treasure out of the darkness
- It's not the absence of light, it's absence of "visible" light.
- A time will come when the Wailing Wall will come down He will bring people out of mourning.
- God is about ready to take an old government out of power and connect a new source
- The government of God is in you.
- God bringing people of kingdom government

- Jesus exhibited this life to us (kingdom government)
- Days of Noah. They were doing that (how they acted) while Noah was drinking in the good things of God. In that time God gave Noah a blueprint to build the ark.
- Give me the blueprint for the next season You have for me, Lord.
- Most of it was in his (Noah's) imagination. Noah had an image of what he was to build. He built it. He framed something up in God and entered into it. We are being given that now.
- God will seal you in that, and into another time and season.
- Coming into a time and spirit of longevity. Break spirit with death.
- Break covenant with "after I die I will do thus and so"...covenant with death.
- You have to come into the identity of who you are
- Give Him your womb spiritually.
- As he worships his body cells change, the sound affects him
- The Lord tells him he is singing to Him through me.
- Everybody has a mountain discover your mountain. It's a realm in the spirit you can come up to. Keep going back to it when something distracts you away from it.
- It's a place of habitation, not just visitation.
- Not predicting an outcome but *creating* an outcome like Ezekiel.
- See what it looks like in heaven and prophesy it on earth.
- He wants to use our imagination and give us an image of heaven and for us to function from there. Be a seer.

I wanted you to hear this (CD) today to bring you into a new expanded different place of looking at things and see potentials you haven't seen before. So listen to Michael's words as if they are from Me. I will use this for good in your life.

Way beyond anywhere you have been so far – that's what I now have for you. Ask Me for it and seek Me until you find it.

Healing and power and authority are in this realm I am giving you. It is your identity. Know that it is from Me and now is the time for it to begin to form in you. You are ready. All this has been training for what's coming.

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# STAND

As I followed the leading of the Lord in my Quiet Time, He led me to these Scriptures:

# Isaiah 7:9b – If you do not stand firm in your faith, you will not stand at all.

The thought that came with this scripture is that those who do not stand in faith in the Lord during these current times, will not stand at all.

Exodus 9:5 – The Lord set a time and said, "Tomorrow the Lord will do this in the land."

John 3:16 – For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son, what whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Whoever believes in Him shall have eternal life.

No one will come into My heaven who does not believe in Me.

John 5:11 – "The man who made me well said to me, Pick up your mat and walk.""

Those whom I choose to make well, I make well – if they listen to Me and follow Me. You are one of those I choose to make well. Pick up your mat and walk!

# TOTAL RECALL

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You need to read the TOTAL RECALL book soon to help you get total recall of what we (you and I) planned while you were in heaven before you came to earth for your training time. That is true. It does happen that way. You were known and chosen before the foundation of the world. I know this is hard for you to comprehend and understand, but I will give you more and more understanding now. I WANT you to understand now and walk in that understanding. I want you to know you are not alone in knowing about this total recall idea.

(Total Recall is a book by Michael Danforth)

Sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Sing to the Lord and praise his name; Every day tell how he saves us. Tell the nations of his glory; Tell all peoples the miracles he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 NCV)

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### BELIEVING

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When I awoke and was resting in bed before getting up the Lord began teaching me about believing. Here are my notes from then and from my Quiet Time with Him later:

If you believe; if you believe.

If you believe you will receive the promises. You must believe to receive. John 3:16. Doubt and unbelief cancel the effect of the promises given. Look up believe and study it today.

Doubt and unbelief are spirits that work for Satan. You must cast them out. They will try to return so be vigilant to continue to cast them out as often as needed.

Every time negative thoughts come into your mind – don't speak them. They are like poison. Choose by your will NOT to speak them. Choose to speak words of faith instead. Words of faith will counter those negative thoughts... MY WORDS – the Scriptures. What Scriptures Lord?

Isaiah 26:3 – Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee, because he trusts in Thee.

John 3:16 – whoever believes in Me shall have everlasting life. What IS everlasting life? Is it life as it is in heaven, as it is in My kingdom? Yes. So when you believe in Me – BELIEVE IN ME – you HAVE this everlasting life – and IT INCLUDES all My kingdom promises.

Doubt causes the promises to be ineffective – and that's what Satan does – tries to cause My promises (which I have the authority to give) to be ineffective through his spirits of doubt and unbelief. Those are major spirits you must battle and win over (overcome).

Romans 10:17 faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God. Speak out loud My Words of faith so you can HEAR them DAILY.

Do a word study on faith as well as unbelief. Then speak these aloud daily as I give them to you...the ones I show you to speak aloud each day.

SPEAK MY WORDS

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He told me to say this: "I take authority over that negative attitude in the name of Jesus. It is not of God but of the devil and you are speaking the devil's words for him. We are to speak the Lord's words for Him instead."

That's what you do in My kingdom – speak My words for Me through you. In that way you rule and reign with Me as kings and priests.

Speaking My words in your head is good. Speaking them out loud is better in most cases, but not all though. Let ME decide when to speak out loud.

# But he knows the way that I take; when he has tested me, I will come forth as gold. (Job 23:10)

He said I AM coming forth as gold in His hands that He can and will use for His kingdom work.

Unbelief is a whole step down the road from doubt. Doubts can be overcome by declarations of belief and who I am, but unbelief is sin and must be dealt with as sin...repent and confess as sin, ask forgiveness, and ask Me to fill that place instead with belief.

When we rule and reign with Him in the Millennium our directions from Him will be: complete, direct, immediate, and absolutely accurate.

This thought came - showing me how His directions coming now are sometimes not heard correctly, or are misinterpreted, or misapplied. He said THEN His communications and directions will be heard perfectly and accurately.

# FAITH AND BELIEVING

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Is faith and believing the same thing, Lord?

They are very closely related. Without faith, you can't believe. And faith IS a gift from God. So, in that sense, believing is a gift from God also.

He led me to do a word study on faith, believe, and unbelief. I am to ask Him which ones He wants me to speak out loud daily.

Here are the scriptures on "believe" that He wants me to place here today:

(Mark 9:23) "If you can?" said Jesus. "Everything is possible for him who believes."

(John 3:16 NLT) For God loved the world so much that he gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.

(John 11:40) Then Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?"

(Acts 16: 31) They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved—you and your household."

(Acts 27:25) So take courage! For I believe God. It will be just as he said.

(Rom. 10:9) If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by confessing with your mouth that you are saved.

(Rom. 10:14) But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him?

(Rom. 14:23) But if you have doubts about whether or not you should eat something, you are sinning if you go ahead and do it. For you are not following your convictions. If you do anything you believe is not right, you are sinning.

(1 Corinthians 15:2) It is this Good News that saves you if you continue to believe the message I told you

(Eph 2:8 NIV) For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God.

(Heb. 11:6) And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

What do You want me to declare each day, Lord, on believing?

I declare:

- I believe and I will see the glory of God. (John 11:40)
- I believe in Him and I have eternal life. (John 3:16)
- I believe in Jesus, therefore I am saved and my household. (Acts 16:31)
- I believe God, so it will be just as He says. (Acts 27:25)
- I believe in my heart and confess with my mouth I am saved. (Romans 10:9)
- I have the gift of faith and believing which is from God. (Ephesians 2:8)
- I have faith by His gift, and I please God. (Hebrews 11:6)

ACCESSING KINGDOM LIFE

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He is teaching me that eternal life is kingdom life – I have it now. It is sealed upon me. As He taught me about this I asked, "How do I access it and bring it into reality now?"

By faith. Do your computer file on faith today and we will talk more about this. I know you want to learn how to bring kingdom realities into the earth realm, and I want you to learn this too. I am putting that desire in your heart because that is what I want to teach you next.

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Sing a new song to the Lord! Sing it everywhere around the world! Sing out his praises! Bless his name. Each day tell someone that he saves. Publish his glorious acts throughout the earth. Tell everyone about the amazing things he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 TLB)

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### AUTHORITY IS THE ISSUE

#### Quotes from *Intercessory Prayer* by Dutch Sheets:

#### (pg. 41)

Jesus isn't *praying* for us; He is *interceding* for us so that we can pray. This is what is meant by asking "in His name."

(p. 50)

Hebrew word for intercession, *paga*, means "to meet." Intercession is not primarily a prayer a person prays, but something a person does that can be done through prayer.

Intercession creates a *meeting*. Intercessors *meet* with God; they also *meet* the powers of darkness.

Similar to Christ's, often our *meeting* with God is to affect another *meeting* a reconciliation. We *meet* with Him asking Him to *meet* with someone else. We become the *go-between*.....All of our praying intercession will involve one or both of these facets: reconciliation (with God) or breaking (with Satan), uniting or disuniting.

(pg. 126-7)

We don't birth anything spiritually; the Holy Spirit does. He is the birthing agent of the Godhead (see Luke 1:34-35; John 3:3-8). He is the power source of the Godhead (see Acts 1:8; 10:38; Luke 4:14, 18). He is the power behind Creation, which is likened to a birthing (see Gen. 1). He is the one who supplies power to God's will, giving it life and substance. He gives birth to the will of God. He is the one who breathes God's life into people, bringing physical and spiritual life (see Gen. 2:7; Ezek. 37:9-10, 14; Acts 2:1-4).

Concerning salvation, we call this the new birth or the new creation. Therefore, anything we might accomplish in intercession that results in a birthing would have to be something that causes or released the Holy Spirit to do it.

(pg. 139)

Most of my prayer was in the Spirit. I would simply say, "Father, I bring so and so before You now, asking that as I pray the Holy Spirit would be released to go hover around so and so, bringing forth Christ." Then I would usually just begin to pray in the Spirit. I saw immediate results. Maturity came quickly. Almost overnight bondages began to fall off. Victories occurred in their lives. It was remarkable.

(pg. 159)

The Lord shocked me with these words: Why are you begging Me to do this? You know My will in this situation. And the problem is being caused by a spirit of anger and violence. Bind it! Declare My Word and will into the situation.

(pg. 163-4)

Power never was and never will be the issue between God and Satan. Authority was the issue – the authority Satan had obtained through Adam. Jesus did not come to get back any power, nor to remove Satan's power. He came to regain the authority Adam lost to the serpent and break his headship over the earth.....What he lost was the right (authority) to use his power on those who make Jesus Lord. However Satan is a thief and a lawbreaker and will use his power or ability on us anyway if we don't understand that through Christ we now have authority over him and his power. Authority is the issue. Power does the work, but authority controls the power.

# CONFIDENCE IN APPROACHING GOD

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Matthew 9:29 Then he touched their eyes and said, "According to your faith will it be done to you"; and their sight was restored.

Lord, I ask You for the faith to believe You for the things You want me to pray for, for myself and for others.

I hear your prayer. I will answer it. You WILL receive this faith. It WILL be a gift from Me and not because of any greatness in you or glory in you. It will all be "of Me." Therefore any use of this gift MUST give the glory to Me. Are you willing to give Me ALL the glory? Yes, Lord.

I know you are. That's why I am willing to give you this gift...and it IS a gift. You have asked and I say "yes" to your request. You will begin to notice a difference soon.

Be sure to remember to ask Me what I, I, I, I want you to pray for each time you pray. That will assure you better results to those prayers.

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us--whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him. (1 John 5:14-15)

WATCHING TV

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The Lord wants me to quit watching TV except those times when He tells me I can. I have been watching evening national news lately and occasionally a movie along with Beth. So I agreed to check all TV viewing with Him from now on. An item on the TV news really bothered me during the night and I had to battle to get away from thinking about it.

#### YOU ARE BEING TRAINED NOW

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These are the notes I wrote during my Quiet Time with the Lord:

This is the selecting time, the choosing time, of all who belong to You, Jesus. Then, when You return to earth to rule and reign, Your Bride will come back with You to rule and reign under Your Kingship and authority. Everyone will live under Your ruling for 1000 years – and then You will turn it all over to the Father, who will come and live with these perfected ones in the new heaven and new earth.

This is right. I want you to see the WHOLE picture and where you fit into it now.

You are being trained now. Look at each day as a training event and ask Me what I want you to do and to learn that day.

I ask You, Father – what do You want me to do and to learn today?

Speak praises to Me throughout the whole day as you did just now when you sang to Me.

He had me place the blood of Jesus over my right arm and shoulder and over the places that had been inflamed - as protection. He said if the pain came back, we would to this again - and again - as needed.

As I sang and spoke, I heard and knew what to sing and say just before I did it. He gave me the words a few at a time in my mind.

He also told me the devil doesn't follow the rules and that he would try over and over again to return that pain/inflammation to me and try to fool me into accepting it. I am not to receive it, but speak (when it tries to return) that I don't receive that pain, and bind it away again.

DON'T BE AFRAID

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After I awoke this morning the Lord began to speak to me about "don't be afraid." He reminded me that He told us not to be afraid of those who can kill the body, but not the soul. He basically said the body was just that which my spirit came to live in during my time on earth. My spirit came into that body when that body was a little seed, at the time of conception, which grew into a whole person. He said killing the body does not kill the spirit. The spirit returns to God if I belong to God through my choices while in the body.

He wanted me to get up and look up scriptures on "don't be afraid" especially Matthew 10:28. I had been thinking about those people who are being beheaded now in some Islamic countries and that this was mentioned in the book of Revelation as taking place during the time we call tribulation. I believe I am one who is to be raptured out of the earth, rather than die here, but He wants me to know that if I am killed here, I am not to be afraid of this, because I belong to Him, and I will immediately be taken to heaven and be with Him. It's not the body that is important; it is the soul. My soul belongs to Him.

He reminds me that "perfect love casts out fear." (1 John 4:18)

God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them. And as we live in God, our love grows more perfect. So we will not be afraid on the day of judgment, but we can face him with confidence because we live like Jesus here in this world. Such love has no fear, because perfect love expels all fear. If we are afraid, it is for fear of punishment, and this shows that we have not fully experienced his perfect love. (1 John 4:16-18 NLT)

# SCRIPTURES ON "DON'T BE AFRAID"

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Do not be afraid, for I am with you. (Gen 26:24)

Do not be afraid. Stand firm and you will see the deliverance the Lord will bring you today. The Egyptians you see today you will never see again. The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still. (Exodus 14:11-14)

Do not be afraid. God has come to test you, so that the fear of God will be with you to keep you from sinning. (Exodus 20:20)

See, the Lord your God has given you the land. Go up and take possession of it as the Lord, the God of your fathers, told you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged." (Deuteronomy 1:21)

Do not be afraid of them; the Lord your God himself will fight for you. (Deuteronomy 3:22)

Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you. (Deut 4:24)

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. (Joshua 1:9)

This is what the Lord says to you: "Do not be afraid or discouraged because of this vast army. For the battle is not yours, but God's...You will not have to fight this battle. Take up your positions; stand firm and see the deliverance the Lord will give you...do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. Go out to face them tomorrow, and the Lord will be with you." (2 Chronicles 20:15, 17)

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. (Psalm 23:4-5)

The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid? ... Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then will I be confident. (Psalm 27:1, 3)

I sought the Lord, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. (Ps 34:4)

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. (Psalm 46:1)

When I am afraid, I will trust in you. (Ps 56:3)

He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness will be your shield and rampart. You will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday. (Psalm 91:4-6)

But whoever listens to me will live in safety and be at ease, without fear of harm. (Proverbs 1:33)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight (or he will direct your paths). (Proverbs 3:5-6)

When you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet. (Proverbs 3:24)

Have no fear of sudden disaster or of the ruin that overtakes the wicked, for the Lord will be your confidence and will keep your foot from being snared. (Proverbs 3:25-26)

So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. (Isaiah 41:10)

For I am the Lord, your God, who takes hold of your right hand and says to you, Do not fear; I will help you. (Isaiah 41:13)

But now, this is what the Lord says—he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have summoned you by name; you are mine. When you pass through the waters I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze. (Isaiah 43:1-2)

Do not be afraid; you will not suffer shame. Do not fear disgrace; you will not be humiliated. (Isaiah 54:4)

Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you. (Jeremiah 1:8)

Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. (Matthew 10:28)

And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows. (Matthew 10:31)

And lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the age. (Mt 28:20)

Don't be afraid; just believe. (Mk 5:36)

Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. (Luke 12:32)

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. (John 14:27)

For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love and self-discipline. (2 Timothy 1:7 NLT)

God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." So we say with confidence, "The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can man do to me?" (Hebrews 13:5-6)

But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear; do not be frightened. (1 Peter 3:14)

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# NOTES I TOOK FROM *TOTAL RECALL* BY MICHAEL DANFORTH.

Pg 58 Jesus had to resist temptation and learn what it was like to be obedient in the flesh...

Is that what I am to learn to do Father while on the earth?

Yes My daughter – that is some of what you are to do, and to be content and accept what I bring you with peace and joy and praise and thankfulness.

Pg 66 I am on the earth to learn to allow the Spirit of God to rule in my heart and mind.

Pg 67 There is a difference in the breath of God sustaining life, versus the Spirit of God ruling in that life.

Pg 68 the Lord...forms the spirit of man within him...Zechariah 12:1

Pg 68 Michael Danforth says – the Spirit of God, the breath of God, the wind of God...can even take on form and become a man within a man. It is this spirit of a man who has the power to recall a world outside of time.

Pg 69 There is the person of the spirit within one in whom the Lord abides. There is the other you, the spirit you, and yes, at the beckoning of the Spirit, it is able to leave your physical body. Through the prompting of the Holy Spirit, you can travel the universe. You can engage with other forms of creation or other spiritual beings in heaven. You can do all this while your physical body remains alive on earth. This and so much more is part of the predestined design of God for your life.

> Sing to God a brand-new song! Earth and everyone in it, sing! Sing to God—*worship* God! Shout the news of his victory from sea to sea, Take the news of his glory to the lost, News of his wonders to one and all! (Psalm 96:1-3 The Message)

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AT HIS RIGHT TIME

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I awoke and the Lord and I started talking about the book *Total Recall*. He led me to read that book at this specific time for a reason. I asked Him to give me total recall of the plans He and I made before I came to earth to live them out. He agreed to do that and wants to do that. He said it is the right time for that to take place now.

He has shown me a few things in the past and has told me that those took place before I came to earth, so I knew of this area of revelation and desired to have more. He had shown me that certain people and I all knew each other before we came to earth – and that he brought us together here on earth at just His right time. He has also told me we will continue to work together from now on, and especially during the millennium, ruling and reigning with Him during that time.

#### THREE THRONE SCENES

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He had me read the three throne scenes in Isaiah 6:1, Ezekiel 1:1, and John 4:1. Then He had me picture them in front of my eyes. He said to focus on the vision given to John as that vision was of the time after the church is raptured, and is in heaven, and what is to take place after that. This is the throne room picture He wants me to carry and look at often as He leads me. He said the first seal would be opened after the church is in heaven, even though there are "precursors" of those seal events now.

FULLY KNOW WHAT HE WANTS

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A friend texted me about reading and praying Colossians 1:9 so I looked it up. It is a wonderful scripture to pray, and I felt led to pray it over others and me.

...Asking God that you will know fully what he wants. We pray that you will also have great wisdom and understanding in spiritual things so that you will live the kind of life that honors and pleases the Lord in every way. You will produce fruit in every good work and grow in the knowledge of God. God will strengthen you with his own great power so that you will not give up when troubles come, but you will be patient. And you will joyfully give thanks to the Father who has made you able to have a share in all that he has prepared for his people in the kingdom of light. (Colossians 1:9-12 NCV)

### BY HAVING FAITH

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I read Romans 4:16-22 today and was so impressed with it that I underlined it and mentioned it to a friend.

So people receive God's promise by having faith...Abraham believed God and continued hoping...He never doubted that God would keep his promise, and he never stopped believing. He grew stronger in his faith and gave praise to God. Abraham felt sure that God was able to do what he had promised. So, "God accepted Abraham's faith, and that faith made him right with God." (Romans 4:16-22 NCV)

DWELLING

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# I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you and watch over you. (Psalm 32:8)

Today I begin my time of having a 2-hour segment uninterrupted (from 8:00-10:00 am) as the Lord instructed me to do and arrange with others. I am really looking forward to this special time with Him.

I started to read Psalm 91. I said out loud the first three words (He who dwells) and choked up with the Spirit upon me. Then we went through the whole Psalm together, reading it out loud, with Him talking to me verse by verse.

He who dwells...(verse 1) I stopped choked up by the presence of the Holy Spirit.

That's what you are doing, you are dwelling.

Will rest in the shadow of the Almighty...(verse 1b)

That's where you are right now, Joan, resting in My shadow.

I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust." (verse 2)

And I have put that trust in you, Joan...it is My good and perfect gift to you...

His faithfulness will be your shield and rampart...(verse 4b)

I am faithful, Joan; you can count on Me. I am the same yesterday, today, and forever.

For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways...(verse 11)

You have had special angels (plural) assigned to you from the moment of your conception. I have millions of angels, Joan, and they are assigned to those who belong to Me. Yes, you knew who they were before you came to earth. They are with you now, Joan, and they are with you all the time. And they are with your two daughters...their own special angels (plural).

You will tread upon the lion and the cobra; you will trample the great lion and the serpent...(verse 13)

You are doing that every day as you follow My leading and instructions through life.

Because he loves me," says the Lord, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. (verse 14)

I have rescued you MANY times, Joan, and you know of some of them.

He will call upon me, and I will answer him... (verse 15)

Remember the time you called upon Me when your car slid off the road coming back from Marion?

And SHOW him My salvation...(verse 16)

You have seen it and you will SEE it even more in the future.

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O sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing to the Lord, bless his name; Tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! (Psalm 96:1-3 RSV)

WHY I SENT YOU TO EARTH

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And now I want to talk to you...

# He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all he created. (James 1:18)

And that's it, Joan. You wanted to know about why I sent you to earth. I wanted you to be a kind of firstfruits of all I created. That is one reason. There are others and I will tell you about them too, as you listen and write for Me.

Is that what You want me to deal with today? (why You sent us to earth)

Yes. Would you like to?

Yes. I would like to know the answer to that question: why did You send us to earth, Father? For what purpose did we come here?

#### Thou art worthy to be praised. (1 Chronicles 16:25)

Yes, I sent you to earth to praise Me. I sent you to earth to have fellowship with Me. I sent you to earth to become My earthly family in whom I can dwell. I sent you to earth to honor Me and worship Me and follow Me. I gave you My Word of Truth to follow. May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. (2 Corinthians 13:14)

You see -I wanted to pour out My grace on you, and pour out My love on you, and to have fellowship with you.

I also have plans for the Millennium and for using all My children and servants to work with Me and rule with Me during this time period. I sent you to earth to get you ready for that time.

I also have plans way beyond this current world and the Millennium world – but these you will get to know and understand later at the right time.

Consider it pure joy, my brothers, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith develops perseverance. Perseverance must finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything. (James 1:2-4)

You want us to become mature and complete, not lacking anything.

Yes I do.

I will be joyful in God my Savior. (Habakkuk 3:18)

Acts 16: 31 They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved—you and your household."

John 11:40 Then Jesus said, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?"

You sent us here so you could save us.

Yes, and to show and display My glory and who I am.

Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. (1 Thessalonians 5:16)

This is your will for us: be joyful, pray, give thanks.

#### Yes it is.

# John 3:16 (NLT) For God loved the world so much that he gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.

And you wanted to give eternal life to those who believe in You.

Yes. I have eternal life to give to those to whom I choose to give it, and I choose to give it only to those who believe in Me.

Eph 2:8 (NLT) God saved you by his grace when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.

You see, I am a Creator. I create things. I had a masterpiece I wanted to create and I chose to create it. I did it for My own pleasure. And you, My own children, are My masterpiece that I created. I am using this time on earth to perfect that masterpiece and have it display who I am, My glory. I have good things for My masterpiece to do which I have planned long ago, before the foundation of the world actually.

For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will. (Ephesians 1:4-5)

And he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, to be put into effect when the times will have reached their fulfillment—to bring all things in heaven and on earth together under one head, even Christ. (Ephesians 1:9-10) In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will, in order that we, who were the first to hope in Christ, might be for the praise of his glory. (Ephesians 1:11-12)

There you have it. That is My purpose for you. I made you to display My glory and for My pleasure.

And that is your word for today from Me. Go and enjoy this new day I have given you, knowing I love you and delight in you and that you bring Me pleasure in our relationship.

Thank You, Lord.

# REASONS HE SENT US TO EARTH

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- A kind of firstfruits of all I created
- To praise Me
- To have fellowship with Me
- To become My earthly family in whom I can dwell.
- To honor Me
- Worship Me
- Follow Me
- To pour out My grace on you
- Pour out My love on you
- To have fellowship with you
- Plans for us for the millennium
- For using all my children/servants to work with Me and rule with Me during this time period
- To get you ready for that time.
- Plans way beyond this current world and the millennium world
- To become mature and complete, not lacking anything.
- So you could save us.
- To show/display My glory and who I am.
- Be joyful, pray, give thanks.

- To give eternal life to those who believe in You.
- My own children are my masterpiece that I created
- I am using this time on earth to perfect that masterpiece and have it display who I am, My glory
- I have good things for My masterpiece to do which I have planned long ago, before the foundation of the world
- I made you to display My glory and for My pleasure.

DECLARE HIS GLORY

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In 1 Chronicles 16:8-36 I discovered the Psalm that David gave at the time he brought the Ark of the Covenant back to Jerusalem and had Asaph and his associates minister before the Ark. I especially noted verses 22, 24-25.

Do not touch my anointed ones; do my prophets no harm...Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples. For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods. (1 Chronicles 16: 22, 24-25)

Verse 24 about "declare his glory" is the same as in Psalm 96:3 that the Lord gave me years ago in regard to the many stories He had me write in books to tell about "His marvelous deeds".

# A DIFFICULT EXPERIENCE

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I had a difficult experience today (trying to have a root canal done on my tooth by an endodontist) due to having sleep apnea. Because of the sleep apnea I could not stand to have my head tilted back very far because I couldn't breathe that way. As I sought the Lord about this experience and what He wanted me to learn from this, I heard:

I am using this to bless you. I know it doesn't seem like a blessing to you right now, but it really is. Do you know you went through this at My leading? And you praised Me and thanked Me all the way through? And I gave you the courage to go through it? And you are stronger because of all of this? Receive that revelation from Me. I am doing good things through all of this. I will show you what to do next for that tooth.

Why do you have the sleep apnea? Could there be an emotional reason? Could it be because you are afraid to go to sleep, afraid to not be in control of things around you? Is it a trust issue?

Is it Lord? I really try hard to trust you each night before I go to sleep.

It goes back to the time your husband left you and you were left alone night after night with yourself and your two daughters to take care of. The fear ran deep during that time and you sought Me for comfort. I comforted you, but you still had fear.

I know you never liked being alone at night, even when you were younger. Why was that? What gave you such fear? Ask Me to reveal that to you and let's work together to get this healed in you.

This is going to take awhile, so we will work on it together, a bit at a time, until it is fully revealed.

This was not about what you wanted, but about what I wanted for you.

Your obedience matters also. Your obedience counts in My kingdom and helps prepare you for ruling and reigning with Me as one of My family/My bride/My servants. This was a HUGE test of your obedience as you REALLY, REALLY didn't want to go there, but you did out of obedience to Me. I AM VERY PLEASED!

Thank You Lord, that is a great comfort to me and gives me joy.

This is about training you, and your obedience to Me and My instructions. This was a good and a hard test. And you passed it!

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O sing unto the Lord a new song; Sing unto the Lord, all the earth. Sing unto the Lord, bless his name; Show forth his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the heathen, His wonders among all people. (Psalm 96:1-3 KJV)

#### STAY IN HUMILITY

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He gave me Jeremiah 29:11 and said we made plans before I came to earth - plans to train me and not to harm me.

"For I know the plans I have for you, " declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. (Jeremiah 29:11)

Do you feel very special because I asked for these 2 hours each morning?

Yes, I do.

You should because this is very special and I don't do this with everyone – only those I choose for this. All people have the opportunity to be chosen, but few get there and get to be. You are there, and I want you to know you are chosen by Me. Remember I said you did not choose Me, I chose you? I chose you, My daughter, and I love you with an everlasting love.

You are not better than others, just chosen. Stay in humility. Coming out of humility places you in great danger. Humility is great protection - as you receive My grace in humility.

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# A DREAM

In the dream I was meeting in Doug's office at church. It seemed like the church where I attended as a child. I talked to Doug about how I had dreamed about him and how each time I dreamed about him it involved spiritual things. I had my shoes off while in his office.

I knew I had been assigned to work in the kitchen helping make lunch for the church group, but I felt I needed to be talking to Doug instead and that was more important. Sometime while talking to him I was hit with a huge wave of feeling guilty because I wasn't helping prepare dinner for people and wondered how the other helpers were doing without me. But I felt strongly I needed to be talking to Doug instead.

I noticed his office had windows to the outside and people were leaving the morning church service and walking by. Someone was looking in and could see me talking with him. Then I saw that there was a door to the outside, and it was open, and anyone could walk in. Many people were walking by there.

I started putting my shoes on. I planned to go home, but ended up in a service being held in the sanctuary. I was thinking about getting up and leaving and what that would look like.

About the dream:

After I awoke the Lord reminded me that Doug represents Jesus in my dreams, as he played the role of Jesus in our Easter Pageants several times, and he is the most Spirit-led person in church leadership that I know, and he hears the Lord, and follows the Lord, and preaches His Word. He said this dream was from Him.

- 1. This dream involves spiritual things.
- 2. Doug represents Jesus, so I am talking to Him about spiritual things.
- 3. Shoes represent peace, sign of walking, protection for your walk
- 4. Putting shoes on represents preparing for a journey.
- 5. Having my shoes off in his office represents honoring Jesus.

- 6. Being in my childhood church represents His preparing me even as a child.
- 7. Being with Jesus, even when there was food preparation to be done, was even more important than working in the kitchen.
- 8. People could see that I was with Jesus.
- 9. There were windows and a door for others to see and come to Jesus. He was open to all who came.
- 10.I needed to leave church services and wondered what that looked like to others there.

Now ask Me what this dream means and what I want you to learn from it.

I ask You, Lord, what this dream means, and what You want me to learn from it.

Now this is the most important part, so listen carefully.

I want you to come to Me (to My office) every day, no matter what work projects are pressing on you, and spend time with Me. I want you to tell Me about what you dream and ask Me what it means.

You see, that means I am now going to give you dreams that I want you to tell Me about and ask Me to interpret for you. This is a new way you will now receive instructions – by dreams and visions, impressions and thoughts – all from Me. I will need to interpret all of these with you for you.

I want you to honor Me as you do this. Then I want you to put on your shoes and be prepared to go out on the journey I send you on.

This involves leaving formal church services, no matter what that looks like to others or what they think about it.

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This is an instruction dream.

HUMILITY

The Lord told me recently that humility was protection for me, and if I got out from under humility it was dangerous.

Ask Me every day to keep your mantle of humility on for protection and so you can see clearly.

I read something very similar in *The Final Quest* book by Rick Joyner, and He wants me to quote that here:

(pg. 50)

I could not make out what I was seeing because the glory shining from armor made it difficult to see into the darkness. I asked Wisdom if there was something that I could cover my armor with so I could see it. He then gave me a very plain mantel to put on. "What is this?" I inquired, a little insulted by its drabness.

"Humility" said Wisdom. "You will not be able to see very well without it."

Reluctantly I put it on and immediately I saw many things that I could not see before...

(pg. 51)

"What army is that?" I asked, "and how did they escape the battle intact?"

"That is Pride," explained Wisdom. "That is the hardest enemy to see after you have been in the glory. Those who refuse to put on this cloak will suffer much at the hands of that most devious enemy."

"Only the soldiers who wear this cloak will recognize your authority"

(pg. 53) "You have taught that there was no armor for the backside, which meant that you were vulnerable if you ran from the enemy. However, you never saw how advancing in pride also made you vulnerable."

(pg. 54)

"How could those who were so strong, who have been all the way to the top of the mountain, who have seen the Lord as they have, be so vulnerable?"

"Pride is the hardest enemy to see, and it always sneaks up behind you," Wisdom lamented. "In some way, those who have been to the greatest

heights are in the greatest danger of falling. You must always remember that in this life you can fall at any time from any level."

(pg. 55)

"When you think you are the least vulnerable to falling is in fact when you are the most vulnerable. Most men fall immediately after a great victory," Wisdom lamented.

"How can we keep from being attacked like this?" I asked.

"Stay close to me, inquire of the Lord before making major decisions, and keep that mantle on. Then the enemy will not be able to easily blind side you as he did those."

"You only have true strength to the degree that you walk in the grace of God, and 'He gives His grace to the humble' No evil weapon can penetrate this mantle, because nothing can overpower His grace. As long as you wear this mantle you are safe from this kind of attack."

(pg. 56)

As I walked past these angels, they bowed to one knee and showed me great respect. I finally asked one of them why they did this, as even the smallest was much more powerful than I was. "Because of the mantle," he replied. "That is the highest rank in the kingdom."

"You are clothed in the grace of God. There is no greater power than that!"

"But there are thousands of us all wearing the same mantle. How could it represent rank?" I asked.

"You are the dreaded champions, the sons and daughters of the King. He wore the same mantle when He walked on this earth. As long as you are clothed in that, there is no power in heaven or earth that can stand before you. Everyone in heaven and hell recognizes that mantle. We are indeed His servants, but He abides in you, and you are clothed in His grace."

CONTENT

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When thoughts come I am to ask, "Is this from You Lord?" If not, bind it, rebuke it or take it captive to Jesus.

I saw two pictures:

(1) Jesus holding my hands and walking backwards leading me on the path of life/righteousness/holiness, and

(2) Jesus as a Shepherd walking through a pasture area in a valley in the mountains, and me as a little lamb walking beside Him on His right.

I was led to look up scriptures on "content"

I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do everything through him who gives me strength. (Philippians 4:11-13)

Godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that. (1 Timothy 6:6-8)

Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." (Hebrews 13:5)

## A DREAM

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In this dream I noticed what time it was. It was a few minutes before 8, about 7:58 or so. I suddenly realized I was supposed to start school at 8 and the children would be there. I wasn't there yet, and I wasn't prepared with what to teach them.

It was a panicky feeling and I wondered what to do. Should I take time to call ahead and say I would be late, and that would make me even later? Or should I just hurry and get there as quickly as possible? I chose to do that, and hurried to find my car.

This part of the dream I have had many times...suddenly realizing I was supposed to be at work teaching, and not being prepared, and not being there on time.

It's two minutes until the new beginning comes, the resurrection, the new era in your life. That's what the 2 minutes before 8 means.

You don't know what to do with the situation in the new era yet. You don't feel prepared because you don't know or understand what you are to do there.

You feel like you are late, but you're not. You are just not there yet.

You looked at this dream in earthly terms from your past experience, but it refers to what's coming in your new era/new experience – so you see it's a good dream. You don't need to panic.

You are in your car, your ministry place, coming towards the new experience – the resurrection from the earth (Rapture).

So don't be afraid whenever you have this dream again. Just know it is good, and it is close, and I will take you there and show you the way, and train you as to what you are to do when you get there. It is all in My hands, so you don't have to "plan ahead" or "know ahead."

See, that's why I wanted you to finally interpret this dream – so you wouldn't feel bad about it or fear it. It is really My gift to encourage you.

I now see that this dream shows that there is a very short time left before the Rapture/resurrection of those who belong to Jesus and that I don't know what I will do after I get there - but that I don't need to fear that – only trust Him to take me there, and show me the way, and show me what to do after I get there. I remember He said, "I am the Way" when a disciple asked Him how he could get to where He was going since he didn't know WHERE He was going.

O sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing to the Lord, bless (affectionately praise) His name; Show forth His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations,

His marvelous works among all the peoples. (Psalm 96:1-3 AMP)

A DREAM

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In this dream I watched 3 different teachers work with their students at the beginning of the time when they met with them. One had every student spending time meeting every other student in her group. Another one allowed her students to all sleep while she worked. The third one I don't recall how she did hers. The point of the dream seemed to be the teacher who had every student begin to know every other student in her group from the very beginning. This seemed to be the best way as shown by this dream.

Beth said (when I told her the dream) the sleeping students made her think of churches where the people are sleeping like the foolish virgins.

I want to talk to you about this dream. This is one I gave you to indicate that there are many different styles of working with people in the ministry. Remember that what the world honors is not necessarily what I honor.

The one teacher who impressed you in the dream was the one who got all her students to get acquainted with each other and start learning to accept each other.

That refers to how I want My people/My church to function – get to know one another and accept each other and thereby learn how to help each other as needed.

## SINGING TO THE LORD

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When I was singing to the Lord in worship I heard this:

When you get to heaven you will sing and praise with My angels.

I love to sing with a choir.

I put that in you because that was part of our plan before you came to earth. Therefore I placed you in Jefferson School where Mrs. Jaycox would teach you singing, and in High School where Mr. Guthier would take you further, and at Manchester College where Mr. Halloday and Mr. Holsinger would take you further, and in Boston Chorus Pro Musica where Mr. Patterson would take you further, and in Calvary Baptist Church where Gary Smith would take you further.

Thank You Lord.

I arranged all that so you could sing My praises while on earth. It was not coincidence that you got that vision of Me at CFO during the singing.

You not only minister to Me while singing to Me like now, but you break things open in the spirit realm.

There will be nothing hampering your singing voice up here in heaven – and you will sing in beautiful harmonies like you heard with Michael Danforth.

SEVEN WHITE DOVES

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Beth sent me this text this morning:

- B On my way to work, I saw a flock of seven white doves fly across the highway in front of me! They were a brilliant solid white. I looked twice and confirmed they had the same shape as doves. I believe HE told me that they were, indeed, white doves.
- B Would you pray and see if He confirms that? And if so, what does it mean?
- J Wow! Amazing! Like PKD had with doves coming to his place. I didn't know there were white ones here. I hear - they WERE doves and were a sign. I hear - ask Him to tell you what it means.

- B Ok thanks for the confirmation. I'll be praying about that. I already asked Him early to tell me what it means.
  - Dove: Holy Spirit, God is with me and saving me in His Ark, peace and new life.
  - White dove: special revelation knowledge
  - White: pure, without mixture, unblemished, spotless, righteousness, blameless, truth, innocence, associated with light, victory, completion
  - Seven: complete, all, finished, rest, perfection, perfection in the Spirit

# THE FULL MEASURE OF MY JOY

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I love you with an everlasting love -a love so great it will take eternity to grow in understanding it.

You have a tiny piece of that love inside you - as a seed that's growing. My kingdom is a kingdom of love, and nothing but love will enter it. No hate is allowed there, no bitterness, no strife, no negativity, no depression – only joy.

It is a kingdom of pure joy. That's why I said – "That your joy may be full." There is a fullness of joy that is coming, but not on this earth at this time. But IT IS coming. You can count on it. "For the joy set before Him."

It won't be very long yet until you enter it fully. Now you get a foretaste when you are with Me.

Enter into the joy of the kingdom prepared for you. And it is prepared for you. I did that – prepared it for you to share it with you – as giving is part of love and part of joy.

"I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them." (John 17:13) To him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy-- (Jude 24)

A DREAM

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Beth and I were in a church setting in a room with a group of people. We all were watching something on a screen. I got a message from the Lord and tried to write it down. A lady came and wanted to talk to me, but I asked her to wait until I wrote these thoughts down. The thoughts were three steps He wanted me to take: Look up scriptures regarding (1) how He is in us, (2) His authority, and (3) what He told His disciples they could do. The idea was that He wanted me to see and know and believe that I had the authority to speak healing to my own body.

In another scene Beth and I were singing something over a microphone to the people in the room. First I started, and then she joined me singing in harmony.

Is that how You want to get me healed, Lord? You have told me many times that when it was the right time, I would be healed of many things I have been asking You to heal me from?

Yes, this is another step along the way towards your own personal healing, which I will teach you first, and then towards giving that healing away to others only as I lead you. Do this scripture study today. Right here, right now.

The screen showing something I hear means God was giving revelation. The lady trying to talk to me, whom I asked to wait so I could write down the words He was giving me, represents how I must not allow anyone to interrupt what the Lord is showing me. The scene regarding Beth and me singing together represents that we will be worshipping together.

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SCRIPTURES ON JESUS BEING IN ME

On that day you will realize that I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you. (John 14:20)

The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. (Romans 8:16)

Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit lives in you? (1 Corinthians 3:16)

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. (Galatians 2:20)

For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. (Ephesians 1:4)

In love he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will... (Ephesians 1:5)

And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus. (Ephesians 2:6)

And Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. (Matthew 28:20)

I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you and watch over you. (Psalm 8:32)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will direct your paths. (Proverbs 3:5-6)

Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits -Who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases. (Psalm 103:2-3) "But I will restore you to health and heal your wounds," declares the Lord. (Jeremiah 30:17)

I will bring health and healing to it; I will heal my people and will let them enjoy abundant peace and security. (Jeremiah 33:6)

But for you who revere my name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings. And you will go out and leap like calves released from the stall. (Malachi 4:2)

SCRIPTURES ON JESUS' AUTHORITY

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Surely he took up our infirmities and carried our sorrows...But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon him, and by his wounds we are healed. (Isaiah 53:4-5)

For the Word that God speaks is alive and full of power [making it active, operative, energizing, and effective]; it is sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating to the dividing line of the breath of life (soul) and [the immortal] spirit, and of joints and marrow [of the deepest parts of our nature], exposing and sifting and analyzing and judging the very thoughts and purposes of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12 AMP)

All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. (Matthew26:64-28:20)

...how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him. (Acts 10:38)

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. (Hebrews 13:8)

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen. (Ephesians 3:20)

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. (1 Peter 2:24)

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. News about him spread all over Syria, and people brought to him all who were ill with various diseases, those suffering severe pain, the demon-possessed, those having seizures, and the paralyzed, and he healed them. (Matthew 4:23-24)

The words that I say to you are not just my own. Rather, it is the Father living in me, who is doing his work. Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me. (John 14:10b)

I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. (John 14:8)

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SCRIPTURES ON WHAT HE GAVE HIS DISCIPLES AUTHORITY TO DO

If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish and it will be given you. (John 15:7) If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free. (John 8:31-32 NIV)

"Have faith in God," Jesus answered. "I tell you the truth, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart but believes that what he says will happen, it will be done for him. Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." (Mark 11: 22-24)

So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. (Luke 11:9-10)

And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it. (John 14:13-14)

I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one. (John 17:22)

We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. (Romans 12:6)

Therefore you do not lack any spiritual gift as you eagerly wait for our Lord Jesus Christ to be revealed. (1 Corinthians 1:7)

But we have the mind of Christ. (1 Corinthians 2:16)

And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his likeness with ever increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit. (2 Corinthians 3:18)

We live by faith, not by sight. (2 Corinthians 5:7)

And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. (2 Corinthians 9:8)

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. (Ephesians 1:3)

He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. (Philippians 1:6)

It is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose. (Philippians 2:13)

I can do everything through him who gives me strength. (Philippians 4:13)

God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:19)

God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." (Hebrews 13:5)

But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. (1 Peter 2:9)

You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world. (1 John 4:4)

This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us--whatever we ask--we know that we have what we asked of him. (1 John 5:14-15)

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart. I will be found by you," declares the Lord. (Jeremiah 29:11-14)

He called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal every disease and sickness. (Matthew 10:1)

Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God, trust also in me. (John 14:1)

I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Son may bring glory to the Father. You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it. (John 14:12-14)

I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them. I have given them your word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I am of the world. My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified. (John 17:13-19)

My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. (John 17:20-21)

I have given them the glory that you gave me... (John 17:22)

Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you. Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive anyone his sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven. (John 18:36-20:23)

HEALING

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He wants to teach me how to pray for my own healing. That's why He gave me that dream and had me write out those scriptures. He said that desire was in me and He put it there...and He is now going to teach me how. This will bring about the many healings He has promised me that would come to me at the right time. Now is the right time.

Just pray WHAT I tell you to pray WHEN I tell you to pray it – and it will work. It's that simple. I am the Healer. My words bring forth healing, not your words. It's that simple. So wait until I tell you.

He reminded me that Kathryn Kuhlman said she didn't do the healing; she just had to wait until the Holy Spirit showed up to do it. And He reminded me of Todd Bentley who would "see" before a meeting where he was to spoke just who was to be healed, and he was just to speak out what the Lord showed him.

DREAM

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The setting of this dream seemed to be inside a building somewhere not identified. There was a woman there who seemed to be my boss or someone in higher authority than I was. She had beautiful hair fixed in a nice looking hairstyle...shaped nicely around her face. I noticed her hair was silvery to some degree. Then she decided to cut her hair off shorter. I watched her pull her hair back in preparation for cutting it. I wondered how she would look in such a short hairstyle...like cut off just below the ears.

• Hair: covering, covenant, wisdom and anointing, to be covered and protected

- Gray: wisdom
- Haircut: putting away tradition or bad habits, repenting of bad attitudes, removing or breaking covenants or religious traditions
- Unknown woman: angel, yourself
- Head: authority, thoughts, mind

Is she me Lord?

Yes, she represents you. This shows you have a degree of wisdom, but not total yet. It shows you are protected and covered and anointed. It shows we have a covenant together – you and I. It shows you are in the process of putting away old thinking, old patterns of action, wrong attitudes. This is part of the process I have been telling you about that you are going through right now to prepare you to pray effectively for healing for yourself, and eventually others. This IS taking place now, My daughter. You are processing through this change. This dream affirms that.

OVERCOMING

I sang praise to Father, Jesus, and Holy Spirit. I thought how they were one, in unity, and how Jesus came "from the Father," and how Holy Spirit was sent "from the Father" too.

Someday in eternity you will be in unity with us as we 3 are.

I created you as a spirit. I placed you in an earthly body so you could grow and overcome. Overcoming is what you're here for.

How do you overcome, My daughter? By praising Me through all situations.

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Sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Sing to the Lord, praise his name; Proclaim his salvation day after day. Declare his glory among the nations, His marvelous deeds among all peoples. (Psalm 96:1-3 NIV)

## HIS NAME

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Today the Lord taught me a lot about His Name.

Now go forth in My Name, My child, for I am with thee and I will always be with thee. My Name is who I am. My Name is My power and My authority to use that power.

Jesus and I are One. So when you speak in Jesus' Name, you speak in My Name too. You may use them interchangeably.

When Jesus spoke about the name I gave Him as protection, He was also speaking about His own name that He then gave to you - for your protection. It is ALL POWERFUL. Nothing is greater or stronger or has more authority than Jesus or Me.

This is what My teaching is about today – My Name.

THE SECRET PLACE

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As I took communion this morning, and also later during my Quiet Time, and I focused on Jesus to thank Him for His body being broken for me and for my healing, I heard Him say:

This is the Secret Place. And it is a Place, Joan, a Place in Me that you enter as you focus on Me like this. You can feel it when you get there. It is the place of peace that Graham Cooke talked about.

I am your peace, so when you enter this Secret Place, you enter and feel My peace upon you. Secret Place is a good name for it because it is a secret from most people. Not many people know about this place or how to enter it, but you do. This was determined before the foundation of the world – this place in Me that you would learn to enter when you lived your earth life.

This Secret Place is where I spent My time with My Father, just like you spend your time with Me. I listened to Him and talked with Him, just like you and I do. I got up early in the morning to get away from people, so I could have this special private time with Him. I still listened to Him, and heard Him, throughout the day, just as you do with Me, but I wanted and needed that private time in the mornings with just Him and Me.

## HIS THOUGHTS

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He had me sing Psalm 92:1-5 to Him. When I came to "how profound your thoughts" He asked if I wanted to know His thoughts. I said yes.

These are My thoughts, My daughter. I love you with an everlasting love, a love so great that you cannot comprehend it, but only rest in it – assured that it exists and it rests on you.

These are My thoughts – that I love you with an everlasting love, a love that will never end and will last forever and ever without ceasing. It includes My being with you all the days of your life, and being with you throughout the Millennium, and forever in eternity.

You want to know what I'm thinking? I'm thinking about the time soon to come when I will come and live on earth with all My people and you will all be in My heavenly Jerusalem, the mansions I have prepared for all of you.

I am thinking of the joy set before Me, and also the joy set before all of you who belong to Me. I rejoice in knowing that's soon coming for you, and for your children.

I rejoice in the relationships that are being formed now on the earth among My people who will live together with Me forever and enjoy each other's friendships. I am thinking about the kingdom prepared for all of you before the foundation of the world.

I am thinking about those who are yet to come into My kingdom who don't even know about Me yet. They are treasures in My heart and they will come to Me too, at the right time and place. Remember I keep saying, "Timing is everything." And it is. To be done right, things must come about at just the right time. That is the way My kingdom works. And I determine the timing, not you. You may ask for things in the timing you think is best, but I make the final decision about the timing.

What am I thinking about? I am thinking about this marvelous world, which I created for My own pleasure, and how pleased I am with it. I am pleased with My people and I enjoy their fellowship every day. I enjoy YOUR fellowship every day...just as you enjoy Mine.

WORDS

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The Lord explained to me about Rhema words from Him, conversation words from Him, and logos words...

- Rhema words: words He gives me for me to speak forth to activate a change in what it's spoken to.
- Conversation words: our talking throughout the day
- Logos words: the bible.

# A DREAM

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In this dream I could see words of instruction given by the Lord. It seemed like they were given in different colors and the colors were significant to understanding what the words meant.

In this scene I was in Beth's room as a child, although it wasn't a familiar room. A man was there, an unknown man, who seemed to perhaps be fixing

something. There were quite a few things strewn around on the floor, which I felt needed to be put away. I went over to her bed to make it up, and found she was in the bed asleep.

- Words: (see pen/pencil): tongue, indelible words, covenant, agreement, contract, vow, publish, record, permanent, unforgettable, witness
- Colors: many aspects of what Jesus (Light) is like, and who He is (as a prism)

This is about your witness about Me. It is multi-colored and has many facets of meaning.

- Child: oneself or herself, character or behavior reveals something about oneself or one's child, innocence, purity
- Daughter: child of God, ministry that is your child in the Spirit, look at similar character traits in yourself
- Bed: rest, salvation, meditation, intimacy, peace, covenant
- Bedroom: place of intimacy
- Unknown man: angel, oneself, or demon, God's messenger, Jesus

This was about you. You are in a place (room) with Me and I am watching you as you do things and as you sleep – these represent day and night. You and I are in a place of intimacy and you are "as a child" before Me. You walk in innocence and purity as a child, and you rest in Me. This is a good dream and a good thing.

A DREAM ABOUT OVERCOMING THROUGH WORSHIP

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I had a dream and this is the interpretation:

This is about the end times we are now in. It is a call to reach out to others and teach them about the Lord, His coming, and to get ready for the Rapture. It is a call to look for those who will be "children" and receive the instruction about God and worship, which I have in me to share with others. It is also a call to the "child" in me to move in worship, praise, cheerfulness, joy, admonishing, edifying, prophesying, ministering in the gifts of the Spirit to others.

There, that's the real key, Joan, a call to the child in you to move in worship, praise, cheerfulness, joy, admonishing, edifying, prophesying, and ministering in the gifts of the Spirit. That is what the dream is all about – the essence of the dream. That is the message I wanted to get to you today. It is a call to overcome all the difficulties you deal with each day and rise above them all to that place of worship and praise. Will you do this, My daughter? Will you aim toward this goal?

Yes, Lord, I choose to do this. I will work at being an overcomer who praises You and worships You through all the rest of my days, no matter what difficulties they hold.

This came to me as I was typing out the dream, BEFORE the interpretation came...

This is just as much an overcoming time as your time of living by faith five years was, or your separation and divorce time was. It's just a different kind of overcoming. This time it's overcoming your aging difficulties: pain, stiffness, fatigue, etc. It still needs to be overcome. And that is by focusing on Me, praising Me, drawing near to Me, walking with Me all the days of your life, no matter what comes to you during those days.

## THANK YOU JESUS

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Good morning, Father. Merry Christmas, Father. Thank You for the birth of Your Son which we celebrate this day. Thank You, Jesus, for coming to earth and showing us the Father and revealing the Kingdom of the Father to us. Thank You, Jesus, for dying for us so we could live eternally with You. Thank You for taking all our sins upon You, Jesus, and for taking those stripes for our healing. I honor You both and worship you today.

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#### PLANTED IN THE HOUSE OF THE LORD

This scripture comes to my mind today as I ponder what the Lord is showing me and how He is using me during this time in my life:

The righteous will flourish like a palm tree; they will grow like a cedar of Lebanon; planted in the house of the Lord, they will flourish in the courts of our God. They will still bear fruit in old age, they will stay fresh and green, proclaiming, "The Lord is upright; he is my Rock, and there is no wickedness in him." (Psalm 92:12-15)

## A DREAM

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I had a dream about my learning new things about the Lord while being in the midst of many other types of people. What does this dream mean, Lord?

It means you are involved with other people, some of whom are sleeping and some are working. It means you have new revelations to study, think about, and plan how to share with others, and this is exciting to you. You feel like that palm tree that is flourishing in the house of the Lord. That's why you thought of that scripture to look it up.

It means there is fruit to be harvested and notice it was children who were doing the harvesting while their parent slept. It shows those asleep and those awake and working.

Are these all parts of me, all the people in the dream, or do they represent others, Lord?

They represent others. They show the many different aspects of the people around you and what all they are doing. You function in the midst of this/them.

What do You want me to learn from this dream, Lord? Did You give it to me?

Yes, it was from Me. I want you to learn how to relate to many different elements/people around you and realize they are all there. The main thing I want you to learn is about your excitement about the discipleship material you have been given to learn about, and learn how to share it with others AS I LEAD YOU. But this must be done in the midst of all the things other people are doing.

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Sing a new song to the Lord! Let the whole earth sing to the Lord! Sing to the Lord; praise his name. Each day proclaim the good news that he saves. Publish his glorious deeds among the nations, Tell everyone about the amazing things he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 NLT)

#### I WILL ANSWER YOU

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My desire today was to see Him in such a way that I did not fear the things that come, to see Him as Light, Salvation, and Stronghold. I felt I needed to "see Him" in a greater way in order to walk in this. He began to guide me to scriptures to answer my question about how to do this. He started me with Jeremiah 33:3...

Pray to me, and I will answer you. I will tell you important secrets you have never heard before. (Jeremiah 33:3 NCV)

The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid? (Psalm 27:1)

Teach me your way, O Lord; lead me in a straight path. (Psalm 27:11)

Who, then, is the man that fears the Lord? He will instruct him in the way chosen for him. (Psalm 25:12)

Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your paths; guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long. (Psalm 25:4-5)

The Lord confides in those who fear him; he makes his covenant known to them. (Psalm 25:14)

One thing I ask of the Lord, this is what I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple. For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling: he will hide me in the shelter of his tabernacle and set me high upon a rock. (Psalm 27:4-5)

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty. (Psalm 91:1)

He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness will be your shield and rampart. (Psalm 91:4)

If you make the Most High your dwelling—even the Lord, who is my refuge—then no harm will befall you, no disaster will come near your tent. (Psalm 91:9-10)

"Because he loves me," says the Lord, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. He will call upon me, and I will answer him." (Psalm 91:14-15)

"God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble." Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. (1 Peter 5:5-6)

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up. (James 4:10)

He guides the humble in what is right and teaches them His way. (Psalm 25:9)

He...gives grace to the humble. (Proverbs 3:34)

This is the one I esteem; he who is humble and contrite in spirit, and trembles at my word. (Isaiah 66:2b)

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light. (Matthew 11:28-30)

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. (Eph. 4:2)

The greatest among you will be your servant. For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted. (Matthew 23:11-12)

Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. (Matt. 18:4)

With humility comes wisdom. (Proverbs 11:2b)

These are the answers I got:

- Fear the Lord
- Humble myself
- Make the Most High my dwelling
- Come to Him
- Love Him
- Call upon Him
- Dwell in His shelter
- Rest in His shadow
- Dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life
- Gaze upon His beauty
- Seek Him in His temple

Do these things and you won't be afraid.

A SEASON OF OVERCOMING

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Today is a good day, a day to remember. You will see what I mean. Expect the best and it will come to you. You belong to Me, so I give My best to you. Know this is true. What you are going through is My best for you right now. It is a time/season of overcoming. Overcoming will bring you great rewards later on in My kingdom.

You are going to rule and reign with Me so I am preparing/training you for that too. We will continue to be "partners" forever in My kingdom. This is true. You will see it unfold. Expect it. Joy in it. My kingdom is a kingdom of righteousness, peace and JOY in the Holy Ghost.

## SPIRITUAL COMMUNICATION

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I read this in Rick Joyner's book The Final Quest pp. 124-5

I began to sense a communication that was going on of which no human words could articulate. I thought of the apostle Paul's comments about his visit to the third heaven where he had heard inexpressible words. There is a **spiritual communication** that greatly transcends any form of human communication. It is more profound and meaningful than human words are able to articulate. Somehow it is a pure communication of the heart and mind together, and it is so pure that there is no possibility of misunderstanding.

As I looked at someone in the room I began to understand what he was thinking just as he had been able to understand me. When I looked at the Lord I began to understand Him in the same way. We continued to use words, but the meaning of each one had a depth that no dictionary could have ever captured. My mind had been freed so that its capacity was multiplied many times over. It was exhilarating beyond any previous experience.

It was also obvious that the Lord was enjoying being able to communicate this way with me as much as I was with Him. Never before had I understood so deeply what it meant for Him to be the Word of God. Jesus is the Communication of God to His creation. His words are spirit and life, and their meaning and power far exceeds our present human definitions. Human words are a very superficial form of the communication of the spirit. He made us able to communicate on a level that far transcends human words, but because of the fall, and debacle at the Tower of Babel, we have lost this capacity. We cannot be who we were created to be until we regain this, and we can only attain it when we are freed in His presence.

As I read about the unique **spiritual communication** in heaven, the Lord began to teach me that, in some degree, we have this communication with Him while we are on earth. He said we call it: revelation, word of wisdom, word of knowledge, understanding, counsel, prophecy, and "just knowing" something.

He asked if I wanted more of this now, and I said yes and asked for more. He said it came by the Holy Spirit, and meant being more filled with the Spirit. He indicated that this communication came to William Branham, to Kathryn Kuhlman, etc. as they waited on the Lord to show up in their meetings and then this special communication came to them.

ARE YOU ROOT-BOUND?

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As I sat in my quiet time chair this morning I saw the plant which Beth and I transplanted over the weekend from a small plastic plant holder to a larger ceramic planter. We had loosened the root-bound roots from the tiny plastic container and placed them into this large planter and gave it new enriched potting soil below and around it, gave it water, then placed it in an area where it gets light as needed also. It was starting to have leaves die previously due to being root-bound. As I looked at it I heard the Lord say:

Are you root-bound?

I asked Him if I was, and heard:

No, but if you were, what would cause it?

The answer I heard was:

Being out of alignment with Me, with My ways, with My thoughts, with My actions.

If you were (root-bound) what would be the visible signs?

Lack of peace, quietness, confidence. Speaking words not from Me.

How would a person get free of being root-bound?

Let Me transplant them to a new place of kingdom living like it talks about in Psalm 92, good soil, space to grow and learn, water, light, air.

Good soil = My word Space = My kingdom Water = My Spirit and Word Light = Jesus Air = Holy Spirit

The righteous will flourish like a palm tree, they will grow like a cedar of Lebanon; planted in the house of the Lord, they will flourish in the courts of our God. (Psalm 92:12-13)

#### WINGS LIKE EAGLES

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The mysteries of the kingdom are Mine, and I will give them to you – all I want you to have. They will come by spiritual communication like you read about in Rick Joyner's book. So you will find intriguing and interesting ideas coming into your head, your thoughts, and I want you to notice them, pay attention to them, and write them down. Then you and I will talk about them and what they mean. Will you do that? Yes, Lord, I will.

Wait. Wait upon the Lord. They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall rise up with wings like eagles.

The thought comes that eagles go up very high and see the world from a much higher perspective.

Yes, you will rise up like an eagle into the third heaven, and I will meet you there, and I will show you things you have never seen nor thought of before.

I set you aside for learning, Joan. You are a learner. I made you that way. I want you to function in that way on the earth, and then write what you learn so it will be recorded on earth and in heaven. Do you want to do this?

Yes, Lord.

And that's why you and I will be meeting more and more at your computer desk, where you can write what I say, as I say it.

Whenever I say, "go to your computer, I want to talk to you," then you will know what this means.

That's why I had you set aside 2 hours every morning to talk with Me. You may ask Me each morning – do you want me in my quiet time chair, or do you want me at the computer – and I will answer you. This will be our "secret place" from now on.

Your body will be taken care of on earth by My angels while your spirit is up here with Me. This is the beginning of a new era in your life. We will call this your heavenly encounter era. It will come while waiting on Me, but only as I lead you.

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#### PREPARATIONS FOR A RACE

The setting of this dream seemed to be a place where Doug was doing preparations for running a race. I was there helping him get ready.

Doug symbolizes/represents Jesus to me, so I believe in this dream He is showing me He is getting prepared to run a race. The thought that comes is that this race is the end time harvest in America. The preparations are being done now and I get to help Him with that.

This fits with watching Rinehart Bonnke last night talking about how God is going to save America like God is saving Africa, and He used RB to work that salvation. I watched a video of thousands and millions of people stretched out as far as I could see in his meetings, and heard reports of many millions being saved. RB is now doing crusades in America. He said he was going to Houston, and Chicago, and that he would come to Kansas City.

Yes, you and I are working together to do preparations for this great revival in America. You will participate in that, and indeed you are participating in it right now, as you pray what I give you to pray on a daily basis.

You are My intercessor and writer for the great end time harvest in America. I have appointed you unto this, and prepared you for this...also T and B. All three of you will participate in this mightily. T thinks in terms of going overseas, but I will use him mightily here in America for My end time revival here. And he will be in constant contact with you and B as he does this, just as he is now. All you three have been going through has been preparation for this time – for such a time as this.

> Sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Sing to the Lord and praise his name; Every day tell how he saves us. Tell the nations of his glory; Tell all peoples the miracles he does.

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(Psalm 96:1-3 NCV)

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## RINEHART BONKKE

Last night I watched Rinehart Bonkke speak at the One Thing Conference held by IHOP in Kansas City at Bartle Hall. He said this last night: "Faith will remove every mountain that doubt creates."

He also told how God gave him revelation on how the Word and Spirit work together. He told how he read Genesis 1:1

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty; darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters. And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. (Genesis 1:1-3)

He explained how he realized that the Spirit was hovering over the deep, but the Spirit didn't do anything until God spoke His Word (Let there be light). The Word of God and the Spirit worked together and there was light.

This morning as I was pondering this, I thought also that Jesus is the Word of God, and Jesus said He was the "Light of the world".

As I listened to how RB functioned and spoke to the crowds as an evangelist, I thought that he did it similarly to Kathryn Kuhlman, Benny Hinn, and William Brannon. They would all tell the people about Jesus and God, what they are like, and speak forth the words the Holy Spirit was giving them, until the Lord Himself came and worked miracles to the people. William Brannon used to say, "He is here." RB said last night the Lord would even come and interrupt his sermon and begin healing the people.

Another thing RB talked about is the teamwork/partnership between intercession and evangelism. He compared it to an explosive (i.e. dynamite) and the detonator. The evangelist is the explosive and the intercessor is the detonator. Each needs the other to be effective.

RB also told a story about how he was guided to the home of George Jeffreys in London, and received George's mantle, then learned later that day, when he arrived back in Germany, that George Jeffreys had died. RB said he didn't get George's anointing, as he was already anointed, but George's mantle.

This morning I read the story of the Jeffreys brothers (Stephen and George) from England in the book *Pioneers of Faith* pg. 94 by Lester Sumrall. They were both great and anointed evangelists. He said Stephen lost his power because no one had taught him not to touch God's gold or His glory. He said George lost his anointing because he read false material in a book about England being the lost tribe of Israel and began to preach that.

If you speak My Word, I will carry it out. If you don't speak My Word, I won't carry it out. And how do you know what is My Word that I will carry out? You listen to Me. My sheep hear My voice and they follow Me. You are My sheep. Listen and follow Me. Remember the fan and turkey tail saying "follow Me."

The Lord was reminding me about two "vision pictures" He gave me many years ago. One was the picture of a fold-out fan that had the words "follow Me" on one of it's pieces. The other was a "vision picture" of a turkey with its tail spread out fan-like, and on one of the tail feathers it said, "Follow Me."

#### SEED

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I pondered what I heard yesterday from the CD by Bill Cloud titled "And on the third day". In that CD Bill talks about the third day in Genesis 1:9-13 when *God spoke to seeds* to come forth from the earth. He said the seed was already in that soil on earth, but was called forth by His words on the 3rd day. Then He spoke this to me:

Every seed I've planted will grow and bear fruit of what I've put in it. But the timing and experiences to break open that seed is different for each person. Remember – every branch that is Mine must bear fruit or it is broken off and burned. (John 15:2,4,6). If a person refuses to bear fruit for Me, this is what will happen. They have a choice. But it will take lots of breaking for some to sprout and grow.

He had me read and declare the words of the Lord in Genesis 1:11.

Then God said, "Let the land produce vegetation: seedbearing plants and trees on the land that bear fruit with seed in it, according to their various kinds." And it was so. (Genesis 1:11)

THE INVISIBLE THINGS OF GOD'S PURPOSE

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The Lord led me to pick out several books that He might want me to read. Today He said to begin reading one of them: *The Secret Place* by Dr. Dale Fife. I read the recommendations by many people in the front of the book, and read the preface by Joseph Garlington. In that preface Joseph mentions Dale's life's call on page 16. It struck a common cord with me, and I wanted to put it here in my journal...

His life's call: to "see" the invisible things of God's purpose and to credibly communicate them to those who cannot initially see "*unless someone guides* [them]" (Acts 8:31)

## GOD IS LOVE

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Today the Lord talked to me about love. He reminded me that God is love. Then He had me look up the scripture in 1 Corinthians 13 and read what He says about love and what it is. As I read verses 4-7 He had me replace the word "love" with the word "God".

Love (God) is patient and kind. Love (God) is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It (God) does not demand its own way. It (God) is not irritable, and it (God) keeps no record of being wronged. It (God) does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love (God) never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance. (1 Corinthians 13:4-7 NLT)

God is love. (1 John 4:16a)

MANY PEOPLE DON'T GO THROUGH REPENTANCE

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Today I picked up the book by John Bevere called *The Voice of One Calling*. I pulled it out from among books I set aside to read sometime. I started to read it about 8:00 a.m. It was wonderful. It fascinated me. The main topic was about repentance and how many people don't go through repentance now when they give their lives to Christ. I kept reading it until I finished. This was what the Lord led me to do today rather than what I usually do in my quiet time.

#### THY WORD

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Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. (Psalm 119:105)

I felt the Lord leading me to look up "Word" in the Concordance as He had some guidance for me in His word. I looked up "word" and "words" and looked through the listing. As He brought my attention to a scripture listed there, I looked it up. First I was drawn to Psalm 19:7.

The instructions of the Lord are perfect, <u>reviving the soul</u>. (Psalm 19:7 NLT)

I felt like I needed to have my soul revived and this was a word for me. I needed the instructions of the Lord. Then, as I read on, I noticed Psalm 19:14 and felt it applied to me.

May the words of my mouth and the <u>meditation of my heart</u> be pleasing to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer. (Psalm 19:14)

I confessed that the meditation of my heart might not have been pleasing to the Lord as I had fearful thoughts about some health issues, and this concerned me. Then He said to me:

You may come to Me with your questions and I will answer them.

PEOPLE DO NOT LIVE BY BREAD ALONE

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He humbled you by letting you go hungry and then feeding you with manna, a food previously unknown to you and your ancestors. He did it to teach you that people do not live by bread alone; rather, <u>we live by every word that comes</u> <u>from the mouth of the Lord</u>. (Deut. 8:3 NLT)

Hold firmly to the <u>word of life</u>. (Philippians 2:16 NLT)

For the word of God is <u>alive and powerful</u>. It is sharper than the sharpest two-edged sword, cutting between soul and spirit, between joint and marrow. It <u>exposes our</u> <u>innermost thoughts and desires</u>. (Hebrews 4:12 NLT)

But don't just listen to God's word. You must <u>do what it</u> <u>says</u>. Otherwise, you are only fooling yourselves. (James 1:22 NLT)

Heaven and earth will disappear, but <u>my words will never</u> <u>disappear</u>. (Matthew 24:35 NLT)

But if you remain in me and <u>my words remain in you</u>, you may ask for anything you want, and it will be granted! (John 15:7 NLT)

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SPEAK THE WORD

What did Jesus do?

Jesus died to set us free.

When he died, <u>he died once to break the power of sin</u>...So you also <u>should consider yourselves to be dead to the power</u> of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus. (Romans 6:10-11)

You suffer because of sin and its power, right?

Jesus broke the power of sin, right?

You are to consider yourself dead to the power of sin, right?

How do I do that?

Speak the word. And speak it over and over until it takes root and grows in your heart.

As I spoke the "word" above the Lord touched me so strongly I couldn't speak for a long time, as His "word" washed through me.

HIS WORD

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I read through the meditation on His Word that He gave me yesterday and added another scripture to it: Psalm 119:11.

# Thy word have I hid in my heart that I might not sin against Thee. (Psalm 119:11)

The Lord told me to do a scripture file on the Word. So I plan to do that today.

I looked up Psalm 119:1-7 and made a list of 7 names used for His Word listed there:

- 1. Instructions
- 2. Laws
- 3. His paths
- 4. Commands
- 5. Decrees
- 6. Commands
- 7. Regulations

## A QUIET MEADOW

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As I prayed and communed with the Lord, He said this to me:

You are not a powerhouse, Joan. YF is a powerhouse. You are a quiet meadow. You are like a peaceful walk in the meadow with Me. This is why you like quiet peaceful aloneness with Me – and YF likes dancing and shaking and singing. I like My peaceful meadow and I like My powerhouse. They are different aspects of Me—of My character. And you are good for each other.

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Sing a new song to the Lord! Sing it everywhere around the world! Sing out his praises! Bless his name. Each day tell someone that he saves. Publish his glorious acts throughout the earth. Tell everyone about the amazing things he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 TLB)

#### I WILL LEAD SOMEONE TO YOUR WRITINGS

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You are a scribe-prophet—one who hears Me and writes down what I say (like Dale Fife and John Bevere)...a "hearer" who writes for

Me. What you write is just right for someone out there, and I will lead that someone to your writings. And that's why I want you to put this on the world wide web.

A COOPERATIVE PARTNERSHIP

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My prayers today are a mixture of the Holy Spirit and me...i.e. I will pray something (like Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done) and after that the Holy Spirit prays in tongues through me. I pray, He prays. I pray, He prays. It is a cooperative partnership.

# SOME WILL BE CUT OFF FROM THE LORD

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I thought about the idea that some "servants of the Lord" will be cut off from Him. That thought had come to me earlier this week too and I looked up scriptures on it. Today I remembered Matthew 25:29-30 and compared it to John 15:2, 6 and saw that both talked about some who would be cut off and thrown into the fire. The characteristics of these people seem to be that:

- 1. <u>they don't produce fruit</u> (John 15:2)
- 2. <u>they don't remain in him</u> (John 15:6)
- 3. they don't use what the Lord gave them (Matthew 25:29-30)

He cuts off every branch of mine that doesn't produce fruit. (John 15:2)

Anyone who does not remain in me is thrown away like a useless branch and withers. Such branches are gathered into a pile to be burned. (John 15:6)

To those who use well what they are given, even more will be given, and they will have an abundance. But from those who do nothing, even what little they have will be taken away. Now throw this useless servant into outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. (Matthew 25:29-30)

GOD'S WISE PLAN

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Last night I began to read again the book *Angels On Assignment* by Charles and Frances Hunter – the book telling the story of Roland Buck and his being visited by angels. As I read, I was impressed to note this scripture to put in my book *Nuggets of Gold*.

Our words are wise because they are from God, telling of God's wise plan to bring us into the glories of heaven. This plan was hidden in former times, though it was made for our benefit before the world began. (1 Corinthians 2:7 TLB)

# THE MYSTERY OF GOD

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This morning I thought of the story of Jesus and the rich young ruler. Then He spoke saying:

If you love someone, you'll do what's best for him...i.e. the rich young ruler.

I looked up and read 1 Corinthians 1:30; 2:7, 9, 12, 16b, and later 1:24

But to those called by God to salvation, both Jews and Gentiles, Christ is the power of God and the wisdom of God. (1 Corinthians 1:24 NLT)

God has united you with Christ Jesus. For our benefit God made him to be wisdom itself. Christ made us right with God; he made us pure and holy, and he freed us from sin. (1 Corinthians 1:30 NLT)

The wisdom we speak of is the mystery of God—his plan that was previously hidden, even though he made it for our ultimate glory before the world began. (1 Corinthians 2:7 NLT)

"No eye has seen, no ear has heard, and no mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love him." (1 Corinthians 2:9 NLT)

And we have received God's Spirit (not the world's spirit), so we can know the wonderful things God has freely given us. (1 Corinthians 2:12 NLT)

But we understand these things, for we have the mind of Christ. (1 Corinthians 16b NLT)

I pondered these scriptures and then said, "I ask You to tell me these wonderful things You have given us." So He began to speak these things to me:

Freedom from guilt Freedom from wrath Freedom from the power of sin Freedom from sickness and disease Freedom from wrong thinking Freedom from what the world is going to experience Freedom from the wages of sin (death) Freedom from grossness, harshness, beastiality Freedom from all things not of Me Freedom from darkness and blindness and deafness

AM I TO SHARE IN YOUR SUFFERING TO HELP OTHERS?

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Could it be I am to share in Your suffering to help others?

That's the way I work. That's My economy of heaven. You want to have love? My love? No greater love can a man have than to lay down his life for his friends. Who are your friends? Those who belong to Me. He brought to my mind my friends.

Could it be your suffering is used for their good? Yes it can be.

How can that be?

That's what you don't understand. But I have been trying to tell you through Paul Keith Davis and directly. It can be.

Would you give me scripture for that?

Yes. Listen.

He had me look up "suffer" in my Scofield Study Bible in the Concordance, in the Selected Topics, and in the Annotations.

Yet it was the Lord's will to crush him and cause him to suffer. (Isa 53:10a NIV)

He then began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, chief priests and teachers of the law, and that he must be killed and after three days rise again. (Mark 8:31 NIV)

Did not the Christ have to suffer these things and then enter his glory? (Luke 24:26 NIV)

He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. (Luke 24:46 NIV)

The apostles left the Sanhedrin, rejoicing because they had been counted worthy of suffering disgrace for the Name. (Acts 5:41 NIV)

Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory. I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. (Romans 8:17, 18 NIV)

If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. (1 Corinthians 12:26 NIV)

For just as the sufferings of Christ flow over into our lives, so also through Christ our comfort overflows. If we are distressed, it is for your comfort and salvation; if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which produces in you patient endurance of the same sufferings we suffer. And our hope for you is firm, because we know that just as you share in our sufferings, so also you share in our comfort. (2 Corinthians 1:5 NIV)

For it has been granted to you on behalf of Christ not only to believe on him, but also to suffer for him since you are going through the same struggle you saw I had, and now hear that I still have. (Philippians 1:29 NIV)

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, and so, somehow, to attain to the resurrection from the dead. (Philippians 3:10 NIV)

So do not be ashamed to testify about our Lord, or ashamed of me his prisoner. But join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God, who has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace. This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time. (2 Timothy 1:8 NIV)

But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because he suffered death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. In bringing many sons to glory, it was fitting that God, for whom and through whom everything exists, should make the author of their salvation perfect through suffering. (Hebrews 2:9-10 NIV)

Because he himself suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted. (Hebrews 2:18 NIV)

To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps. (1 Peter 2:21 NIV)

However, if you suffer as a Christian, do not be ashamed, but praise God that you bear that name. (1 Peter 4:16 NIV)

## WHAT KIND OF SUFFERING

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What kind of suffering, Lord?

Any suffering because of Me.

The enemy targets you and attacks you because of Me, right? Then any attacks he brings you because of Me causes you suffering because of Me. Therefore that suffering can be used to benefit others as well as yourself. That's the way my heavenly economy is. Just like My own suffering was used to benefit you and others, your suffering is too.

As to who benefits from your suffering, you will not know that until you come up here and join the great cloud of witnesses. They now know how others are benefiting from their suffering, and they are watching for the results of those benefits to you.

THE AGREEMENT OF THE WORD AND SPIRIT

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The Lord told me how His word spoken to me through the Holy Spirit and His word to me through the Word in the Bible are to agree. Therefore it is right that I ask Him to show me in the scripture what He speaks to me personally by His Spirit. It is called *the agreement of the Word and Spirit*.

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WAYS SATAN CAUSES THE SAINTS TO SUFFER

The Lord led me to look up and list the ways Satan causes the saints to suffer.

Perverts the scriptures – Matthew 4:6 Opposes God's work – Zecheriah 3:1; 1 Thessalonians 2;18 Hinders the gospel – Matthew 13:19; 2 Corinthians 4:4 Works lying wonders – 2 Thessalonians 2:9; Revelation 16:14 Appears as an angel of light -2 Corinthians 11:14 Is the father of lies – John 8:44; 1 Kings 22:22 Is deceitful – 2 Corinthians 11:14; Ephesians 6:11 Blinds – 2 Corinthians 4:4 Ensnares – 1 Timothy 3:7; 2 Timothy 2:26 Tempts – Matthew 4:1 Sends fiery arrows – Ephesians 6:16 Accuses – Job 1:6 Torments – 2 Corinthians 12:7 Lies – John 8:44 Tricks – Ephesians 4:14 Deceives – Revelation 20:3, 7 Disguises – 2 Corinthians 11:14

HEALING

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Today I spent time with the Lord talking again about healing. I was led to look up and write down various times Jesus healed others and what He said. Also I looked up scriptures that had the word heal or healed in them. I added these to the document on healing called "Healing Scriptures to Declare".

# I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. (Psalm 119:11)

By His wounds you are healed. (1 Peter 2:24)

He sent forth His word and healed them. (Psalm 107:20)

"I am willing," he said. "Be healed." (Matthew 8:3)

I will come and heal him...Go back home. Because you have believed, it has happened. (Matthew 8:7, 13)

Be encouraged, my child! Your sins are forgiven...Stand up, pick up your mat, and go home. (Matthew 9:2, 6)

Daughter, be encouraged. Your faith has made you well. (Matthew 9:22)

Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. (Romans 10:17)

For I am the Lord who heals you. (Exodus 15:26)

He heals all your diseases. (Psalm 103:3)

(Healing is the children's bread) (Matthew 15:26)

AT THE NAME OF JESUS EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW

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As I read through my various scriptures from different sections of the Bible, I came to Philippians where I read chapter 2. I stopped at verses 9-11 and sang that section from the song we often sang at camp years ago.

He is Lord He is Lord He has risen from the dead, and He is Lord. Every knee shall bow Every tongue confess That Jesus Christ is Lord. Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. (Philippians 2:9-11)

CORRIDOR

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I read from the book *Angels on Assignment* by Charles and Frances Hunter about the Pastor in Boise, Idaho - Roland Buck.

The Lord taught me through Roland Buck that there is an area, like a corridor, where some people come when they are clinically dead. From there they can be brought back to earth or taken on as the Lord chooses. Some people may see hell and some may see heaven while in that corridor. Roland said this was where he was when the Lord took him to heaven while his body was still at his desk on earth, and then he was returned to his desk. When he returned, he saw the back of his head and his body at his desk.

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Sing to God a brand-new song! Earth and everyone in it, sing! Sing to God—*worship* God! Shout the news of his victory from sea to sea, Take the news of his glory to the lost, News of his wonders to one and all! (Psalm 96:1-3 The Message)

#### AN ARMY OF INTERCESSORS

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I read from Dale Fife's book *The Secret Place*. I learned that it was very dangerous to try to learn about the mysteries of God by our human initiative, but that we must wait until the Lord reveals them. I also learned about how important intercession was to chop down the trees of deception that hold

people hostage in the forest of deception. Dale saw an army of intercessors praying and worshiping near that forest of deception.

THE ECONOMY OF HEAVEN

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*I've saved them up for centuries - the debts owed by Satan for what he's done to My suffering servants – and they will all be paid back during this end time season – during this "great day of the Lord".* 

Just like you save up money for something you want to purchase, and then use it all at once for that purchase.

And that's what I've done with YF. I will use what he has suffered to purchase his wife and children – and many others I will send him out to save. You will see.

You've prayed and prayed and not seen the results. Well, you will see the results – from the great cloud of witnesses. I'm telling you a mystery to encourage you and comfort you.

This is the economy of heaven, of the kingdom.

I see that economy in:

- 1. Canaanites: He saved up the sins of Canaanites until their cup was full, then gave them over to the Israelites to destroy.
- 2. Amalekites: He told Saul to destroy the Amalekites totally.
- 3. Israel: He waited until Israel's sins reached a certain level, then gave them over to Nebuchadnezzar.
- 4. Joseph: He stored up his great sufferings and in 1 day made him ruler in Egypt under Pharaoh.
- 5. Jesus: Great suffering brought redemption to world
- 6. Paul: Great suffering brought revelations and blessings to others
- 7. John: Great suffering brought GREAT revelation.
- 8. Forgive us our debts <u>as we forgive</u> our debtors.
- 9. With the <u>measure you use</u>, it will be measured to you.

10. Give and it shall be given unto you.

It's justice and it's judgment.

#### SEND FORTH YOUR WORD

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This is the prayer the Lord had me pray today for friends who need their relationships healed:

Send forth Your word and heal their relationships with each other and with You.

Yes My daughter. I say yes to you. The fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much. (James 5:16b) That's what I wanted declared this morning. Now expect results.

There is only one way their relationships can be truly healed, and that's to be in right relationship with Me first. Now I, the Holy Spirit, will go forth and carry it out.

A THEME ABOUT RESCUING HIS PEOPLE

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As I began my Quiet Time reading today, the Lord said to go to page 132 in my NLT Bible. I went there and read it and didn't find anything that He was drawing my attention to especially. Then He said since I was obedient to that, now to go to page 932. There I found myself in Jeremiah chapter 39. The chapter dealt with the fall of Jerusalem and how Jeremiah was rescued by Nebuchadnezzar's orders to the captain of the guard. The orders were to find Jeremiah and treat him well and see that he was safe. So the captain found him, released him from chains (where he had been put along with other prisoners), gave him money and food, and told him he could go with him to Babylon and he would treat him well, or he could stay in Israel and live where he wanted. Jeremiah was rescued!

Because you trusted me, I will give you your life as a reward. I will rescue you and keep you safe. (Jeremiah 39:18 NLT)

The Lord said to me that this was for YF as He is the same yesterday, today, and forever. He showed me that Jerusalem had sinned, but Jeremiah spoke the truth and trusted the Lord.

Then I read my regular portions from sections of the Bible, whatever happened to come next. As I did, I began to see the recurring theme about God rescuing those who are His and who trust in Him.

I read in Exodus about Moses and turning water into blood – part of the process God used to rescue His people from the Egyptians.

I read in Daniel and it was the story of how Daniel was put in the Lion's den and God protected and rescued him.

My God sent his angel to shut the lions' mouths so that they would not hurt me, for I have been found innocent in his sight. And I have not wronged you, Your Majesty...not a scratch was found on him, for he had trusted in his God. (Daniel 6:22, 23)

He [God] rescues and saves his people; he performs miraculous signs and wonders in the heavens and on earth. He has rescued Daniel from the power of the lions. (Daniel 6:27)

Next I read Psalm 68 and found it also talked about how God rescues people in verse 6b and 20.

He sets the prisoners free and gives them joy. (Psalm 68:6b)

Our God is a God who saves! The Sovereign Lord rescues us from death. (Psalm 68:20)

I also read Psalm 91 today, as I try to every day, and it talks a lot about God rescuing those who love Him.

He will rescue you from every trap. (Psalm 91:3)

The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name." (Psalm 91:14)

So over and over I saw the theme of rescuing those who trust in Him. And YF has trusted in Him, and waited on Him, and been obedient to Him. I eagerly expect the Lord to now rescue him from being a "prisoner" due to his situation. I believe he is about to be set free! PTL!

# I WILL KEEP YOU SAFE

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Today I read about Moses and how God used him to approach Pharaoh and warn him of frogs, and flies, and then sent them. He also sent gnats. Amazing events!

Then I read about Daniel's visions of various beasts and what they stood for in world history. Again amazing events!

Then I read in Mark about Jesus asking His disciples about who people say He is, and Peter saying He is the Messiah – and Jesus told them NOT to tell people that. Then He told them what was coming for him through the Jewish rulers – death. Then He would be raised from the dead.

Then I read about Paul taking the Good News to the Thessalonians.

Now I want to talk to you, so just listen.

Just as I saved the Israelites in Goshen from some of the disturbances, but not others, so I save you from some of the disturbances in the world today, and not others. I pick and choose. You just follow Me and let Me lead you through whatever comes. I know the way, and I am the Way.

I will do that today – lead you through whatever comes to you – and I will keep you safe and make you prosper in the midst of it all.

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## A MUSTARD SEED

Today the Lord gave me a new thought for me - a revelation. I was thinking about Jesus telling us that the Kingdom of God was like a mustard seed, the tiniest seed of all, planted and growing until it became like a tree in which the birds made their nests. I have always thought of this as an external thing – outside of me – His kingdom growing in the world. And I do think it means that.

But today the thought came that it also refers to His Kingdom growing inside of me. It starts as a tiny seed, and grows, and grows, until it reaches full maturity in me. At that time others can receive nurturing from and through me.

It reminds me of a dream He gave me a long time ago of seeing a large bird with a large back on which there were many nests of small birds.

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O sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing to the Lord, bless his name; Tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! (Psalm 96:1-3 RSV)

GIVE IT OUT TO OTHERS

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Today I read back over a vision the Lord gave me in 2004. This is the vision:

The Lord had me go to the upper room and unplug the phone and shut the door for a "deeper" quiet time this morning. I saw a vision of a bluebird flying over my head from left to right. It was carrying something like a seed in its mouth.

Bird represents the Holy Spirit

Blue represents Spiritual gift, divine revelation, or heavenly visitation Seed represents the Word of God.

Then He explained the vision to me like this:

So the bluebird represents that I am sending My Holy Spirit to fly over your head with a gift, revelation, and/or visitation that will implant My Word into you better for it to grow. After it is implanted and full grown, <u>I will tell you when to give it out to others</u>.

Today (2015), as I read this, I realize that is what the Lord is doing right now, through the books He is having me write (*Nuggets of Gold*). He is telling me to give out the words He has given me. This is amazing to me! Thank You, Lord!

## THY KINGDOM COME, THY WILL BE DONE

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As I began my Quiet Time with the Lord, He had me read the list of scriptures about His Word, which are printed out and sitting near my chair. The first thing He had me write down today after the day and date was: Thy Word.

Then He gave me Revelation 16:11 to look up and read:

Then the fifth angel poured out his bowl on the throne of the beast, and his kingdom was plunged into darkness. His subjects ground their teeth in anguish, and they cursed the God of heaven for their pains and sores. But they did not repent of their evil deeds and turn to God. (Revelation 16:10-11 NLT)

That's what's happening in the kingdom of darkness right now – and it is great <u>darkness</u>, <u>cursing</u>, and <u>unrepentance</u>.

I MUST pour out My judgment for I am a just God. I MUST. It is coming.

You are pouring out Your heart to me.

Yes, I am pouring out My heart to you.

How do You want me to pray about that, Lord?

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

I prayed it...Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

THAT'S why I have had My people pray that for centuries. I have stored up ALL those prayers and I will release them now as judgment against the kingdom of darkness. That is My plan and I am letting you know. Pray for My plan to be fulfilled.

I pray for Your plan to be fulfilled, Heavenly Father.

And declare it.

I declare it is done.

You are My intercessor, so <u>listen</u> and <u>follow Me</u>.

Yes, Father.

Open your mouth and I will fill it.

I opened my mouth and tongues poured through it.

Do this all day today (tongues) whenever it comes to mind.

Yes, Lord.

IN MY SIGHT

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As I sat at my computer and prepared to write, this came to me:

There are some people who "feel" everything (who manifest visibly being touched by My Spirit). There are some who are like you and "feel" (manifest openly) very little. But you are both equal in My sight and equally important in carrying out My kingdom work.

You feel because someone is anointed and can prophesy and pray effective prayers for healing, and gets hit with My spirit in very visible ways, that that makes him greater in My kingdom than you. But that is not true. You are all equal in My sight. And you all get to sit with Me on My throne and rule and reign with Me.

## ACHES AND PAINS

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I talked with the Lord a long time again this morning about the many aches and pains I am trying to endure. He again assured me that

- 1. These are from the enemy
- 2. He is allowing them for a purpose
- 3. One purpose is for me to be an overcomer
- 4. Another purpose is for Him to use them somehow to minister to others as I share in Jesus' sufferings as Paul said he did.
- 5. He told me to Praise the Lord out loud whenever I feel pain, etc that bothers me.

MY PLAN

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#### If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. (John 15:7 NIV)

I talked to the Lord about this verse as I read it today and said to Him that what I asked for (healing of my body) was not granted, so I wondered if I didn't remain in Him, or if His words didn't remain in me, or what. Then He began to talk to me about that:

*It was granted – just not in the amount you wanted.* 

*I gave you enough healing to keep you going, but left enough need to keep you dependant on Me daily.* 

This is the period of time for you to write and pray – for Me. You are My scribe and My intercessor. If I healed you completely, you would be running to the stores, the bank, etc. So I heal you partially – enough for you to write and pray – for Me. This is My plan. This is My purpose. Will you agree to it?

Yes, Lord!

Your daily bread will be your healing too – enough to do what I want you to do and to fulfill My purposes.

PUBLISH ABROAD WHAT YOU HAVE WRITTEN

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As I read from the book *The Secret Place* by Dale Fife today, the Spirit touched me mightily as I read certain portions. The first and second paragraphs especially touched me.

(p. 198)

"I have made you the incense," He said. "Now you have become one of the vessels I have chosen. There are others whom I have also called here to be commissioned to carry this holy burden. I will disperse you and the others throughout the earth. As My Spirit anoints you, you will be used to impart this incense of prayer. It is the cry of My heart for the world and the church."

(p. 199)

"I will send you to people and peoples, to cities, towns, and nations. Declare My Word. Publish abroad what you have written with the golden writing instrument. Above all else, pour out the holy incense of the prayers of My heart!

(p. 200)

There was something distinctly different about me now! A transformation had taken place; I was completely covered with finely ground, golden powder. It was the holy incense that Jesus had sprinkled upon me in the throne room. The prayer of His heart had become part of me. I felt my heart blazing with the urgency of impassioned prayer! The Holy Spirit was igniting the incense from Jesus' heart; I was His living censer.

(p. 201)

The Lord had explained the significance of this rope to me many days ago. "It represents My Word," He had told me.

"I must teach you something very important," He began. "Notice that the rope is coiled around the beam at the top of the well. The length of the rope determines the depth that can be reached in My well, but your heart is like the crossbeam! --- This crossbeam is essential; it provides a means for the rope to be unwound and then retrieved. The more of My Word that is gathered and hidden in your heart, the deeper your revelation and intimacy with Me will be. When the Scriptures are deposited in your life as a result of diligent study and memorization, they become available to Me. I use them to draw you deeper into the well of My presence.

(p. 202)

"Have you noticed that when we take our Enoch walks together, the Scriptures are more real to you? Haven't they become more alive to you than ever before?"

"This is because the degree of intimacy we are sharing enables the Scriptures to be understood at a much greater depth of revelation. You must continuously store the Scriptures within your heart. They are spiritual words that will enable you to enter into the well of My presence and move deeper into the mysteries and revelation that I have for you."

The More you read and study the Bible in the days to come, the closer I will draw you to Me. Even greater revelation will flow out of our intimacy as we walk together. Communication releases intimacy!"

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O sing unto the Lord a new song; Sing unto the Lord, all the earth. Sing unto the Lord, bless his name; Show forth his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the heathen,

#### His wonders among all people. (Psalm 96:1-3 KJV)

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WOMEN

The Lord brought to my mind the woman with the issue of blood who touched Jesus' robe and was healed. Then He brought to mind the widow woman with the bent back who gave all she had in offering to the Lord, and Jesus healed her. Then He brought to my mind the woman who was out of money and was told to gather jugs for oil...then all of those jugs were supernaturally filled with oil, which she could sell and use the money to live on. Then He brought to mind the woman who had many evil spirits (Mary Magdalene), which Jesus freed her from.

He was drawing to my attention WOMEN who responded to Him. They were used to bring Him (God) glory.

He brought to my attention that each of these women suffered some great difficulty and looked to Jesus (God) for help. Then they were used to display His glory – the glory of the Lord. *But they did suffer greatly first* – one by a bent back, one by bleeding, one by needing food, and one by evil spirits.

He indicated that each of these women was born on earth at the precise time she was to come. Each of the women was in agreement with Him ahead of time that she would be used to bring Him glory while on earth. He said He foreknew them before they came to earth - that they would respond to Him and believe in Him.

PLANTINGS

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Then He began to show me that these women (mentioned above) were His "plantings" in the earth, like in the story of the wheat, which He said He planted in the field of the earth. He said they were His before the foundation of the world and He planted them here. He also said He foreknew who would NOT respond to Him and would not choose to follow Him. So when they were born on earth, they were open to the devil planting his evil thoughts and ways in them - not because it was forced on them, but because they continued to be susceptible to evil and under wrath by not choosing to believe in and follow Jesus.

I had often wondered about Jesus' story of the wheat and the tares, and how the devil could plant the tares in the field of the world. What did "plant" mean in that situation? How could the devil plant people? This revelation helped answer that question for me. Thank You Lord!

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MELODY OF LOVE

I started my Quiet Time by singing a song to Father:

I love you Lord, and I lift my voice, To worship You, O my soul, rejoice, Take joy, My King, in what you hear; Let it be a sweet, sweet song in Your ear.

Good morning Heavenly Father. I come with a song for You.

Good morning, My daughter. I have a song for you too.

Then the song came into my mind and I sang it...

In my heart there rings a melody, There rings a melody, with heaven's harmony. In my heart there rings a melody, There rings a melody of love.

Verse: I have a song that Jesus gave me It was sent from heaven above There never was a sweeter melody, It's a melody of love.

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BECAUSE OF WHO HE IS

(Quote from book *The Man Who Talked With Angels* by Sharon Buck White, p 55, about her father, Roland Buck, when his baby son died)

Instead of feeling any bitterness toward God, daddy squared his shoulders and declared that he was serving God because of who He was, not because of what He did.

Then tonight, as I was listening to Sid Roth interview John Bevere, John said that same idea. This was the second time in a few days that I heard that. I felt the Lord wanted me to notice that, and wanted me to agree with that for myself also. And I did.

I WILL RESCUE YOU

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As I was reading Psalm 91:11-12 the Lord revealed to me that this was what kept me safe during many of the stories I shared in my book: *His Marvelous Deeds*. Like when our airplane didn't catch fire in the engine, or like the time when we did have engine fire and made it safely into Marion airport, or like when my car slid off the road on the way back to Indianapolis from Marion. He said His angels did this – kept me safe.

For he will order his angels to protect you wherever you go. They will hold you up with their hands so you won't even hurt your foot on a stone. You will trample upon lions and cobras; you will crush fierce lions and serpents under your feet. (Psalm 91:11-13)

The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name. When they call on me, I will answer; I will be with them in trouble. I will rescue and honor them. (Psalm 91:14-15)

### GUIDANCE

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The Lord went ahead of them. He guided them during the day with a pillar of cloud, and he provided light at night with a pillar of fire. This allowed them to travel by day or by night. And the Lord did not remove the pillar of cloud or pillar of fire from its place in front of the people. (Exodus 13:21-22)

As I read this the Lord said He is the same yesterday, today, and forever (Hebrews 13:8). He brought to my mind how He guides me all the time. But my guidance is BY HIS SPIRIT. It is an inward guidance, whereas theirs was an outward guidance.

PRAYING HIS WORD

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These were the scriptures that stood out for me today as I read various portions of the Bible. I prayed many of these for special people as led by the Lord.

The Lord is my strength and my song; he has given me victory. (Exodus 15:2 NLT)

Your right hand, O Lord, is glorious in power...you overthrow those who rise against you. (Exodus 15:6-7 NLT)

Lead me to the towering rock of safety, for you are my safe refuge, a fortress where my enemies cannot reach me. Let me live forever in your sanctuary, safe beneath the shelter of your wings! (Psalm 61:2-4 NLT)

You have given me an inheritance reserved for those who fear your name. (Psalm 61:5) I will...transform the Valley of Trouble into a gateway of hope. (Hosea 3:15 NLT)

And God will use this persecution to show his justice and to make you worthy of his kingdom, for which you are suffering. In his justice he will pay back those who persecute you. (2 Thessalonians 1:5 NLT)

May he give you the power to accomplish all the good things your faith prompts you to do. (2 Thess. 1:11b NLT)

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QUESTIONS I HAD

I sought the Lord for answers regarding questions I had. He had me read Habakkuk. I read the whole book and underlined many places. I especially noted: Habakkuk 2:1-3, 3:3-4, 13, 17-19. I learned through that reading that there will come a time when He makes things right. Habakkuk had to wait for the Lord's timing to come and set things right. The Lord reminded me Habakkuk was a man just like me, and he had his questions also which he sought the Lord about.

I will climb up to my watchtower and stand at my guardpost. There I will wait to see what the Lord says and how he will answer my complaint.

Then the Lord said to me, "Write my answer plainly on tablets, so that a runner can carry the correct message to others. This vision is for a future time. It describes the end, and it will be fulfilled. If it seems slow in coming, wait patiently, for it will surely take place. It will not be delayed. (Habakkuk 2:1-3 NLT)

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#### NUGGETS OF GOLD VOLUME 4

#### ANGELS

I have been reading the book *The Man Who Talked with Angels* by Sharon Buck White. She is the daughter of Roland Buck who is the man I read about in the book *Angels On Assignment* by Charles and Frances Hunter. He was visited by angels 27 times from 1977 on.

Sharon was instructed by the Lord to write this book about her father, who was a pastor in Boise, Idaho, after he died. It is a very interesting and fascinating book to read and gives a marvelous description of a godly man. Today as I read more in this book I read about the four types of angels that Roland learned about during his visitations. These quotes are in Roland's own words:

(Quote from *The Man Who Talked With Angels* by Sharon Buck White, pp 143-4)

"Gabriel then shared with me that God has four different kinds of angels. There are ministering angels who live among the people. They ride in our cars, live in our homes, and are camped about us all the time. Their orders from God are to take care of us. They look just exactly like a human being. The only way you would know them would be if they disappeared in front of your eyes, or if you saw them do some super-human feat. There are more of these on the earth than there are human beings. Since they do not dwell in heaven, they do not have the glow that emanates from the angels who live in heaven.

"The next group of angels is the worship angels. Their function is to worship Jesus. When I was taken to heaven I saw these angels in action, and it was one of the most beautiful sights I have ever seen. These are the only angels with wings. There are six sings, however, they don't really look like wings because they are a filmy material. The worship angels put two wings over their faces as they bow down. There are two more that drape around their feet like a bride's train, and two short ones on their back. The cherubim and seraphim are a very high order of these worship angels, but they have the same type of wings and the same function. Lucifer was the archangel of the worship angels before his fall.

"The third type is the great warring angels. These angels come from the presence of God and therefore a strong glow radiates from their skin and

clothing. I never get used to their presence although I am not afraid. The heavenly radiation from them saps my strength, and I start to fall until they touch me and pick me up. Then I am strong again. After they have gone there is such a tingling sensation in my legs that for some time afterward I do deep knee bends and run in place because there is such power it is hard to handle in these earthen vessels. Michael is the archangel of all the warring angels.

"Then there are the special forces which include the messenger angels God uses to bring announcements and messages to the world. They also work in various ways in the unfolding of God's plan. The messenger angels also dwell in the presence of God, and glow with that special heavenly radiance.

"Gabriel is the archangel of the messenger angels and his chief purpose is in the unfolding of God's plan, and in the closing of one chapter of time, and the opening of another. Every time he has been referred to in the Bible he has brought announcements of a new day dawning. After he told me what his function was, it made me wonder what he is doing down here now. Could it be that another chapter is about ready to close and another one open?"

O sing to the Lord a new song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Sing to the Lord, bless (affectionately praise) His name; Show forth His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples. (Psalm 96:1-3 AMP)

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CONTINUE GROWING

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You will always be a young bride to Me. I will always see you that way while you are on earth, even as you age. And when you come up here and be with Me in heaven, you will be changed into that young bride and be that forever! You will never grow old again in your body. However you are mature in one way – in your relationship with Me. That has matured and will continue to mature – that growth will never end. It will continue after you leave this earth, and will keep growing as you know Me more and more. You are currently at the young child's stage of knowing Me. There is so much more to know that you will continue growing in the knowledge of Me throughout all eternity.

# LISTENING TIME

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Come away, My beloved, I want to talk to you.

Know that I love you, and I will love you and protect you through this whole time.

Wait for the Lord's timing

As I prayed the Lord's Prayer, I prayed: Give us this day our daily bread (and burst into tears due to His touching me)

I AM YOUR DAILY BREAD and you must come and get Me every day!

I sang in tongues and in English. This is one of the songs He brought to my mind to sing to Him:

O rest in the Lord, wait patiently for Him And He will give thee thy heart's desires O rest in the Lord, wait patiently for Him And He will give thee thy heart's desires. Commit thy way unto Him, and trust in Him Commit thy way unto Him, and trust in Him And fret not thyself because of evildoers.

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# THE FALL FEASTS OF THE LORD 2015

Today I pondered a long time about what may come in September with Rosh Hashanah (September 13), Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement), and when Jubilee begins. I wonder what all will happen during those important times of the Lord. I learned that the year of Jubilee begins on the Day of Atonement that is September 22 on my calendar. It may begin that day at sunset and continue until September 23 at sunset.

I read through some of Perry Stone's Rapture Revelation study guide. I read 2 Thessalonians 2 about our being gathered together unto the Lord. Then the Lord gave me instructions for today:

Today I want you to work primarily on My Nuggets 4 book as your work project. Put that ahead of all other work projects you have on your household agenda. I want you to be My scribe today and work on that book. Will you?

Yes, Lord. I will.

# THE SHELTER OF THE MOST HIGH

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Today the Lord taught me about the shelter of the Most High. He led me to many scriptures that tell us about His shelter.

Those who live in <u>the shelter of the Most High</u> find rest in the shadow of the Almighty. This I declare about the Lord: He alone is my <u>refuge</u>, my <u>place of safety</u>. (Psalm 91:1-2a NLT)

But the godly will flourish like palm trees and grow strong like the cedars of Lebanon. For they are transplanted to <u>the</u> <u>Lord's own house</u>. They flourish in the <u>courts of our God</u>. (Psalm 92:12-13 NLT) The Lord reminded me that He has me completely surrounded by a bubble of His protection. He showed this to me in a vision many years ago. He now compares this bubble to His shelter around me.

Enter his <u>gates</u> with thanksgiving, go into his <u>courts</u> with praise. (Psalm 100:4 NLT)

The Lord is my <u>fortress</u>, protecting me from danger. (Psalm 27:1b NLT)

One thing I ask of the Lord—the thing I seek most—is to live in the <u>house of the Lord</u> all the days of my life...For he will conceal me there when troubles come; he will hide me in his <u>sanctuary</u>. He will place me out of reach on a <u>high</u> <u>rock</u>. (Psalm 27:4a-5. NLT)

What are You trying to show me Lord?

That there IS a place of safety and protection. These are words to try to describe a spiritual idea/concept. You call it a house, or a fortress, or a shelter, or a strong tower. I call it a hedge of protection provided by My angels.

For he will order his angels to protect you wherever you go. (Psalm 91:11 NLT)

The one on whom I place My name has the protection of My angels.

The Lord says, "I will rescue those who love me. I will protect those who trust in my name. (Psalm 91:14 NLT)

The name of the Lord is a <u>strong tower</u>; the righteous run to it and are safe. (Proverbs 18:10 NIV)

Holy Father, you have given me your name; now protect them by the power of your name so that they may be united just as we are. During my time here, I protected them by the power of the name you gave me. (John 17:11b-12a) It's a spiritual tower. It's a spiritual hedge. It's a spiritual protection. I showed it to you in a vision as a bubble completely surrounding you, and you couldn't get outside of it.

LISTEN TO ME

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Come, My daughter, and listen to Me. I want to share some things with you. Your prayers may be in your thoughts, or whispered, or spoken out loud. The situation or circumstance determines which way is best at that time. But I hear your prayers at all times and in all ways.

I want you to know that I am having you write these books (Nuggets) and they are My work in and through you. I will use these books to bring Me glory and to bring many into greater understanding of who I am and how I work in you (and therefore them).

I love you My daughter. I want you to know that today. After this I want you to ask Me each day whether I want you to sit in your quiet time chair or at your computer where you can type what I speak to you.

# WRONG TIMING

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Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will direct your path. (Proverbs 3:5-6)

The Lord used that same scripture recently to comfort me when I was upset because what I heard Him tell me would happen that day, did not happen. This is the scripture He gave me to help me through dealing with that. <u>He</u> <u>said I got the message right, but not the timing.</u> I told the Lord I want to hear You more clearly, distinctly, plainly and know it is Your voice and not mine. He said, *"Ok, ask for that."* So I asked for that. When I asked for a scripture I heard to use Habakkuk 2:2-3

Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a herald may run with it. For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay. (Habakkuk 2:2-3)

GROWN AND ENCOURAGED

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Today we listened to Paul Keith Davis in the first DVD of his "Sons of God and the Seven Spirits of God" series. This follows his "Days of Noah" and "Tabernacles" series. It was excellent as they all have been. This whole series touches something in Beth and me, some seed the Lord planted in both of us, and we are grown and encouraged by them.

# FOLLOW ME CLOSER

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I had a dream in which I realized I needed to draw closer to the Lord – that I was feeling more distant from Him. In the dream I called out to Him to come closer. I also dreamed that I was trying to cleanse myself.

So this morning I drew close to the Lord in my QT and asked to be cleansed of all not of Him. I talked with him about this.

The last several days I have been getting quite irritated with some things. To help this - this morning the Lord told me to sit in the quiet time chair many times a day and connect in closer with Him. He said:

You want to know how to persevere through the frustrating times with these things? You must follow Me closer as the day goes on and your patience wears off. ~~~~~

FOR ALL ETERNITY

The Lord talked to me today about how our friendship/relationship will be even greater when I get to heaven. He said the atmosphere of heaven would be His love, His joy, and His peace. I could see myself walking in heaven on a grassy area with beautiful surroundings, fresh air, sunshine, and peace. He, the Holy Spirit, said He is working in heaven like He does on earth to talk to me and share with me...and it will be as good, and even greater in heaven. I so enjoy our conversations in the morning as we sit and talk together. He said He desired that fellowship and still wanted it to continue when I came up to heaven.

I will continue to relate to each one who belongs to Me just as I am communicating with them now, only freer and clearer and better. I relish this communication. That's why I created mankind – to have fellowship together with Me. Why would I stop that when you get to heaven?

He said He would NEVER leave me or forsake me, and that is for all eternity.

I will never leave you nor forsake you. (Joshua 1:5b)

THE TENT OF MEETING

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During my quiet time this morning, as I came into connection with the Lord and we began to talk He said this to me:

You are in the Holy of Holies – the place on earth where I come and meet with My holy people – those set apart and cleansed by My blood. You don't have to come up into heaven to meet with Me – just come into the Holy of Holies where I come – just like I did for Moses – the tent of meeting Me.

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ARK OF THE COVENANT

While I was reading in Exodus 25 today the Lord began to teach me about how the Ark of the Covenant was the place where His priests met with him, and Moses met with Him. He compared this to now, with me, in that He is now inside me and His laws are inside me. He showed me that the Ark had the wings of the two cherubim over it, and tied that to His wings covering me in Psalm 91:4. He showed me that He had Moses put the commandments inside the Ark, and He has me put his commands inside me, in my heart.

Have the people of Israel build me a holy sanctuary so I can live among them. (Exodus 25:8 NLT)

I will meet with you there and talk to you...From there I will give you My commands for the people of Israel. (Exodus 25:22 NLT)

He will cover you with His feathers. He will shelter you with His wings. (Psalm 91:4 NLT)

RESURRECTED BODIES

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Today the Lord and I talked about what it will be like for us when we get our resurrected bodies and are like He was when He returned after His resurrection. He revealed that we would be like that after the rapture - the catching away of those who are alive when He returns for us, and the resurrection of those who have died that belong to Him.

He revealed that we would be known and seen during the Millennium by humans - just like people saw Him when He appeared on earth after His resurrection. There will be a quality about us that will be seen by others, perhaps a glow, or something. We will have the same abilities as He did: appear and disappear in different places, and have power that we don't now have. And we will be able to communicate with Him somehow like He did with His Father. We will be recognized as having authority. ~~~~~

# DECEPTION

When people are deceived, they are deceived into thinking that evil is good, and good is evil. Isn't that what you see over and over on the news? Isn't that what you see in L? Thinking evil is good?

Isn't that what happened to Eve? She was tricked into thinking evil (eating from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil) was good. She decided with her own thinking what **she** thought was good instead of judging it by what **I** said was evil/wrong.

That which **I** call evil is evil; that which **I** call good is good.

# A PORTAL DIRECTLY INTO MY HEART

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Our Father who art in heaven

You open something up when you pray those words directly to Me. Did you know that?

No I didn't, Lord.

You open a pathway, a portal directly into My heart, directly into My hearing. You know why? Because Jesus gave you those words, and what He said was directly from Me. It was what I gave Him to tell you.

It was anointed with power to open something (a pathway) directly to Me - IF it is said TO ME, not just repeated without knowing Me or recognizing Me. That's why you hear Me answer you when you pray those words and focus on Me and wait for Me to answer you.

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# THY KINGDOM COME

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

When you pray that, you open to Me the authority to bring My kingdom on earth. You know why? Because I gave man authority over the earth.

And you call for Me, by your authority, to bring My kingdom there. So it is very important to pray that as often as I lead you to. That's why I often tell YF "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done."

## ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS LISTEN AND FOLLOW ME

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I will share some things with you that I don't even want you to write down, because I don't want them revealed into the atmosphere, into the spiritual realms, right now. So listen, but don't write unless I tell you to.

All you need to do is listen to Me and follow Me. Share with others what I tell you that you may share with them. Hold back whatever I tell you to hold back.

And work with yourself to persevere in patience in relationship to them.

Don't lose faith in Me. You may at times lose faith in them, but don't lose faith in Me. I know what I'm doing. They are in My hands, not yours.

MY LAST WORDS FOR OTHERS

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This is a good day, My daughter. I want you to write that down. It is sunny and pretty outside, and it is sunny and pretty in your heart.

I read 2 Timothy, the whole book, today. I know it was Paul's last word to Timothy, and it was very poignant. Then the Lord told me that the books I am working on now (*Nuggets of Gold*) are like my last words for others who will read them. They hold the nuggets, the jewels, the treasures of things the Lord has taught me over my years of journey on earth with Him. They are the legacy I leave for others. That is why He is having me spend so much of my time during my final days on earth working on these books.

# COME, LORD JESUS, COME

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I started out my Quiet Time with the Lord by singing to Him. I sang the song that came into my mind at the beginning of that time: "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling". Then I sang in tongues for a while and eventually sang the song: "Even So, Come, Lord Jesus, Come" by Terry McAlmon.

Even so, come, Lord Jesus, come Even so, take Your bride away How my heart longs to be with You, my Lord Even so, even so, come, Lord Jesus, come.

You ministered to Me and I ministered to you today – as you sang to Me and praised and thanked Me. It was mutual love and mutual expression of that love.

DAILY SCRIPTURES TO DECLARE

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I am to read these scriptures out loud over myself daily and declare them.

When He died, He died once to break the power of sin...So you also should consider yourselves to be dead to the power of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus. (Romans 6:10-11)

Set a guard, O Lord, over my mouth; keep watch over the door of my lips. (Psalm 141:3)

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Your sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer. (Psalm 19:14)

The Lord is my light and my salvation—so why should I be afraid? The Lord is my fortress protecting me from danger—so why should I tremble? (Psalm 27:1 NLT)

But you, O Lord, are a shield for me, my glory and the One who lifts up my head. (Psalm 3:3)

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MARY MOTHER OF JESUS

I heard that a friend was to have "the ministry of Mary mother of Jesus" so I asked:

What does that mean, Lord? "the ministry of Mary mother of Jesus"?

What did Mary do for Jesus, My daughter? Think about it.

She allowed the Holy Spirit to birth in her what God chose her to carry. She yielded herself completely to Him to do as He chose. She took the rebuff of people around her for being pregnant with what God gave her to carry. She humbly carried My Son for Me and delivered Him forth so others could see Him too. She nurtured My Son and took care of Him and helped Him and protected Him as He grow up. She did all this in love and humble service for Me.

Then she watched as I was humiliated and beaten and crucified by the people I came to help. She never complained or cried out that she didn't want what I had given her to carry. That was her ministry...to love Me and serve Me the way I chose her for.

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#### IN THE DAY OF TROUBLE

# Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord. (Psalm 27:14)

#### For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling; he will hide me in the shelter of his tabernacle and set me high upon a rock. (Psalm 27:5)

Psalm 27:14 was the scripture the Lord brought to my attention this morning as He gave me the words in my mind during Quiet Time. As I looked up Psalm 27, then He directed me to memorize verse 5 as He indicated I would need to know that by memory in days to come and would need to quote it and stand on it.

RIGHTEOUSNESS

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The Lord has been emphasizing righteousness in my life. This morning these thoughts were coming about righteousness:

He leads me in righteousness.

He leads me in the path of righteousness for his name's sake. (Psalm 23:3)

I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus.

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. (2 Corinthians 5:21)

The Lord gives me a robe of righteousness.

I delight greatly in the Lord; my soul rejoices in my God. For he has clothed me with garments of salvation and arrayed me in a robe of righteousness. (Isaiah 61:10) His kingdom is righteousness.

The kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost. (Romans 14:17 KJV)

Righteousness is what Adam had before the fall. Jesus came and restored that righteousness to us who belong to Him.

PARTNER

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The Lord says I am to be a prisoner for Him. I am to give up all rights and independence, and depend completely on Him as to what to do and when. I gave up my own rights and agreed to be His prisoner, servant, and partner.

Do you want to be My partner, My daughter?

Yes, Lord.

I know. And you are.

Put Your desires in my heart, Lord, for all things <u>You</u> want me to do with You.

And I WILL do that as you wait on Me and listen to Me. Then we will accomplish all I want to accomplish. This is training for the Millennium.

#### WATER INTO WINE

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I read in John 2:1-12 about the wedding at Cana when Jesus turned the water into wine.

The master of the banquet tasted the water that had been turned into wine...he called the bridegroom aside and said, "Everyone brings out the choice wine first and then the cheaper wine after the guests have had too much to drink; but you have saved the best till now." (John 1:9-10)

Yes, I am saving the best until last as in this story. The water represents thirst and the wine represents joy. There will come, and already is coming, a great thirst - and as the thirsty ones drink of the water I give, it will bring great joy.

This is the time of the last days. I have saved the best until last. Of all the wonderful stories and events you have heard, this will top them all...a double portion, the former and the latter rain.

You will be a part of this. My Bride, My Church, will be where this happens - the wedding. The wedding is the time of publicly making a commitment to one another. This is what will be happening. Then, when My Bride is all gathered up, I will bring her to be with Me for the marriage supper of the Lamb. (John 14:1-3; Rev 19:7-9)

AN INSTRUCTED TONGUE

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"The Sovereign Lord has given me an instructed tongue, to know the word that sustains the weary. He wakens me morning by morning, wakens my ear to listen like one being taught." (Isaiah 50:4)

Yes, I have given you an instructed tongue, an instructed mind, and I will waken you morning by morning to listen to Me and write what I teach you.

You will be used by Me as a writer-prophet. All the other was preparation for now.

"I will stand at my watch and station myself on the ramparts; I will look to see what he will say to me, and what answer I am to give..." Then the Lord replied: "Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a herald may run with it. For the revelation awaits an appointed time...it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay." (Habakkuk 2:1-3)

#### TRUSTING

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My question to the Lord this morning: How do I pray, and ask others to pray, about the medical things discovered in the ultrasound last Thursday and reported to me yesterday by my doctor?

The Scripture He brings to my mind is Proverbs 3:5-6:

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will direct your path. (Proverbs 3:5-6)

This is a lesson in trusting.

I am to pray for the ability to trust Him completely in all of this. And He *will* direct my path - to the right doctor, the right treatment, the right timing.

I am to pray that He is my Healer and for Him to heal me any way He likes. That can be through direct miraculous intervention or through medical treatment - as *He* wants to use this for *His* purposes.

DISCIPLING OTHERS

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This Scripture is for me today:

"Make known among the nations what he has done, and proclaim that his name is exalted. Sing to the Lord, for he has done glorious things; let this be known to all the world." (Isaiah 12:4-5) This is what Discipleship Training is doing. Most people at my church would not seek to know Him deeper and more without discipling in Sunday School and Discipleship Training. Discipling others is very important. Each one - teach one. Encourage each person to disciple another person who is younger in the Lord, and to continue learning himself, and to find a mutual Christian friend/prayer partner.

#### DRAW WATER

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"With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation." (Isaiah 12:3)

I am to *draw* water from You each day. This is to be my joy and my delight, spending this time with You.

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### SPIRITUAL RENEWAL TIME

I feel impressed to read biographies of great people of Christian faith. I also feel impressed to begin memorizing more Scripture as the Lord guides me to the passages He wants me to memorize. I also feel impressed to journal more again. It's a time of spiritual renewal for me.

# CUT LOOSE FROM THE PAST

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"The wonders of God for a different tomorrow require the consecration of the people...they were to cut themselves from the past and anything else that would hinder their absolute devotion and expectation....For us, this means being cut loose from the past which binds our capacity to imagine what God can do." (*Lord of the Impossible,* Lloyd Ogilvie, p 98)

What are the things I need to cut myself off from in the past?

- 1. Expecting to do it myself. (I now expect the Lord to do it.)
- 2. Expecting to be limited by how much or what He will do for me.

- 3. Expecting things to happen through certain people.
- 4. Being suspicious of things I don't understand.
- 5. Expecting things to get worse as I age instead of better.

I cut myself off from these things!

HELP DEALING WITH MY CAR SITUATION

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#### A STORY

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"Lord, I need a new car! My old car is not reliable anymore and I need something I can depend on. But how am I going to buy one? I don't have the money and I have never bargained for a car before in my life. I always had help from someone else to take care of my car situation. Will You help me?"

And help me, He did! Suddenly one day I received a totally unexpected check in the mail. God's perfect timing! My daughter, Beth, and I made plans to look at cars and gather information on buying or leasing a new one. She had leased a car previously for herself so she knew how to do this. Together we arranged for me to lease a car using the surprise check to get that arranged.

Then I needed to sell my old car - again something I had not experienced before. I felt totally inadequate and sought the Lord for guidance. He said He guided us not to trade in my old car so He could give me "another lesson" of walking by faith. Now I was to trust Him to take me through the steps of selling this old car.

He guided me to revise my estimate of its value, as it was worth more than I had thought. He also said He would guide me through the rest of the way in selling it. I thought I was to call used car dealers and see who might be interested in looking at it. So I called dealers and found 3-4 who would look at it and see what they would offer for it. I visited one after work and he made me an offer, but I thought I should check some other dealers before making a final decision.

Well, God led me all the way! Praise the Lord! He did it again! He is so good and so faithful!

As I drove the old car for estimates I decided to go to one dealer first since he was opening earliest. When I got there I saw a sign that said he would open at 8:30 (which it was then) so I waited for him to come. As I waited I noticed the reflection of their sign in the window of a restaurant next door. And in the reflection I saw, on top of the car dealer's sign, there sat <u>three</u> <u>doves</u>! God had used doves as a sign to me for many years, so I believed that was a sign from Him saying this was the right place.

The owner was very kind and gentle, not pushy (which I rather expected from used car dealers). He offered me quite a lot more for the car than a dealer yesterday offered...and I accepted it. He wrote me a check and I signed the title over to him. Then he took the plates off for me and even drove me home! It took me a total of 1 1/2 hours to sell the car, get the title arranged, get my money, have the plates taken off, and get back home! I was so grateful to God it was done, and went so well and quickly. I considered this one of *His Marvelous Deeds* in my life.

#### "...but the righteous will live by his faith." (Habakkuk 2:4)

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A WINTER TIME OF MY SOUL

These are ideas that came to me regarding the discontent, restlessness, depletion, and emptiness I have been dealing with:

- It's a time of change
- My soul is malnourished, needs nurturing
 - 1. Music is missing I need to give and receive it
 - 2. Art (beauty) is missing; I'm not doing anything artistic or feeding my need to see beautiful things
 - 3. Love and affirmation are missing; I need to feel what I spend my time doing produces growth and good in people's lives. Also I need to give and receive love.
 - 4. Fragrance I need beautiful fragrance around me, it nourishes me
 - 5. Learning I need something new to be learning

- God has a deeper revelation for my knowing Him, and who He is in me, and how He wants to function in me (His perfect, beautiful plan for me)
- I am in a winter time of my soul, but spring is beginning to peep through
- I yearn for the fulfillment of all the above in part here on earth as through a glass darkly, and completely in heaven

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# GENEROUSLY

The Scripture I'm impressed with as pertaining to now:

# Whoever sows generously will also reap generously. (2 Corinthians 9:6)

As I generously gave my earthly treasures to Him and His plan for me, He is now giving generously to me. He brought me surprise money to get a new car. He gave me the gift of a plane ticket to visit my sister in Florida. And He enabled me to finish making a debt payment today.

He will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. You will be made rich in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion...(and this) will result in thanksgiving to God. (2 Corinthians 9:10-11)

He is truly making "grace abound to me." (2 Corinthians 9:8)

#### THINGS JESUS WANTS FOR ME

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These are things Jesus wants for me:

- Have the full measure of His joy within me (John 17:13)
- Have His Word (John 17:14)
- Protected from the evil one (John 17:15)

- Not of this world (John 17:16)
- Sanctified by the truth God's Word (John 17:17)
- Sent into the world (John 17:18)
- Others believe in Him through our message (John 17:20)
- We may all be one in Christ and Father (John 17:21)
- Given the glory that the Father gave Jesus (John 17:23)
- Brought to complete unity (John 17:23)
- To be with Jesus where He is and see His glory (John 17:24)
- Continue to make the Father known to us (John 17:26)
- Jesus be in us (John 17:26)
- The love Father has for Jesus may be in us (John 17:26)
- Protected by the power of Father's name (John 17:11)
- We may be one as He and Father are one (John 17:11)
- Prays for me, for I am Father's (John 17:9)
- Not perish but have eternal life (John 3:16)
- Live by truth and come into the light (John 3:21)
- Serve Him, follow Him, be with Him (John 12:26)

YOUR FIRST CALLING

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# "He who pursues righteousness and love finds life, prosperity and honor." (Proverbs 21:21)

You're beginning to think the ministry at your church is your calling. No. Your ministry to <u>Me</u> is your first calling. Your ministry to your church is secondary to this. I want you to spend time with <u>Me</u> daily. What I'm interested in is the personal intimate relationship with Me...more than what you do.

Jesus wants me to love Him <u>fervently</u>. I am to carefully <u>guard</u> and <u>nurture</u> my relationship with Him.

I want you to handle the blessing I'm bringing. Don't leave Me because you don't <u>need</u> Me anymore. I'm warning you before the blessing arrives, Joan. Don't let it take you away from Me -- and *don't let your ministry take* <u>My</u> place in your life. (I want you with *Me all morning, remember?)* Work on that!

I want you to know you're going to have to fight a battle for this, My daughter -- for our relationship and our time. Fight it! It's worth it!

Satan is trying every way he can to win you from Me and this is one way he's going to try. I will pray for you -- that Satan not win. He won't; but you will have to recognize the battle and fight it.

#### KNOWING WHERE WE ARE IN RELATION TO GOD

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"When we can fully answer this question, knowing where we are in relation to God, we will have been fully restored to Him. We can only know the answer to this question when we are in His presence." (Rick Joyner, *The Final Quest*, p 126)

This is about learning to know where I am with Jesus, and to bring me out of hiding, out of darkness and into the light.

What we do on earth to come closer to Him brings us closer to Him when in heaven.

He wants me to spend the rest of my time on earth drawing closer to Him, taking off the "veils" of hiding who I really am, getting cleansed and pure before Him—and in this way getting to "know Him." That is a desire of my heart for years that He put in me.

Now this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. (John 17:3)

If I take on some more service, I would spend lots of time dwelling on it. That was ok before, but now I am to do the above—find out where I am in relation to God. Yes, Lord, this is what I want to do!

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#### INSTRUCTIONS

Who am I right now in relationship to the Lord? How am I to live these days? These are good instructions from Proverbs 2:1-6...

- Accept His words
- Store up His commands
- Turn my ear to wisdom
- Apply my heart to understanding
- Call out for insight
- Cry aloud for understanding
- Look for it as for silver, search...as for hidden treasure
- Then you will understand the fear of the Lord and find the knowledge of God.

### CATCH ON FIRE

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I dreamed about 2 box shapes like: _____ [____]

I foreknew they were going to catch fire. It seems that what I was doing was making plans what to do when it happened and before. It was almost like the 2 shapes were vehicles that could move - like buses. The feeling was one of "knowing" not "fearing."

Understanding: The small box shape represents my church and the large box shape represents the universal church. The Holy Spirit is going to set them both on fire. I don't yet know what I am to do about it beforehand or during it. I think I am to pray and ask what I am to do.

This is not in the great distant future; it is soon. What you are to do is wait before Me, day by day, and listen to get My instructions for that day...and be obedient to them.

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### CHOOSE TO THINK CHRIST'S THOUGHTS

A quote from *Praying God's Word* by Beth Moore, p 6

Then what makes the Word such a powerful stick of dynamite to demolish strongholds?

We take our thoughts captive, making them obedient to Christ, <u>every time</u> we choose to think Christ's thoughts about any situation or stronghold instead of Satan's or our own.

What are Christ's thoughts? The Word of God revealed to us.

For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does. The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we talk captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ. (2 Corinthians 10:3-5)

#### MY VISION/MY CALL

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I can go as far as I can see in my "vision." I can see in my vision spending more and more time listening to the Lord, sitting at His feet (as Mary did) and learning from Him. As I hear the secret desires of His heart, I can share in those dreams and pray for them. This is what I am to spend my time doing rather than "things" (like giving out tracts, soup kitchen, etc). My call is to build a deep and <u>abiding</u> relationship with the Lord.

A TEST

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(Quotes from *A Prophetic Vision For the 21st Century* by Rick Joyner)

(p. 108)

"This whole age is a test. The entire church age is for the bride to prove her devotion and faithfulness by overcoming an evil world and to learn the responsibility that will enable her to reign with Christ. God does not test us so we can fail, but so He can see where to place each of us in the authority of His eternal kingdom."

(p 110)

"We are told that "the gates of hell shall not prevail" against the church. (Matt. 16:18) These gates are the enemy's access points into our lives, our congregations, our cities, and our nations. The church has the authority to shut those gates - they <u>cannot</u> prevail against us."

(p 12)

"We must take a stand for God's kingdom by resolutely maintaining our position in Christ. This position is always demonstrated by the fruit of the Spirit. Whenever we can endure the often trying and unfair encounters of life without compromising our position in love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control, we are extending the limits of the kingdom of God."

#### THE VISION

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I had a vision. This is the vision and the interpretation the Lord gave me:

The Vision

I saw pray-ers kneeling at the front of the sanctuary of my church, in front of the platform. I only saw their silhouettes and they were aqua blue. A rose-colored light surrounded them. Four people were taken up into the air above the congregation, met together, and changed into a ball of fire. This ball started moving around inside the sanctuary in an arc to come down and touch someone, then went up in another arc to some other part of the sanctuary to come down and touch someone else. It kept doing this over and over, faster and faster, touching more and more people. Each time it went in the arc through the air it left a trail of silver dust, like a jet trail in the sky. These trails increased and increased inside the sanctuary. The ball of fire kept going faster and faster until it exploded - so light and silver dust filled everywhere.

The Interpretation

It has been revealed to me that the places this Holy Spirit Ball of Fire touched down represent places in the world where He is touching people mightily and has been for many of the last several years. It represents 'people groups' He is visiting with revival around the world. It is being fulfilled worldwide. The silvery dust left wherever the Holy Spirit goes represents the 'glory' that shows as He works in us and upon us, His Church.

The 'explosion' represents the Rapture when the Bride is translated in the air to meet with Jesus. As the work of the Holy Spirit in revival goes faster and faster touching more and more people, it will climax with a giant 'explosion' of great power, might, and glory as Christ takes His Bride to be with Him.

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#### KEEP WALKING AND CONTINUE ON

#### TWO RECURING DREAMS

In dream #1 I am to do some sort of performance, like be in a drama, or play a French horn solo on stage. I don't know my part, lines, or how to play the solo. The time for the performance comes closer and closer and I don't prepare and get more frustrated and fearful about having to give the performance when I am not prepared. I have had this type of dream quite a number of times and in various forms over several years.

I dream #2 I am in a city or place that is unfamiliar to me. I don't recognize the streets although I keep looking for something familiar so I can find my way. I am not sure where I am going or how to get there. I walk and walk looking for the way. Sometimes I am afraid of the people along the way afraid they will harm me. This dream also comes in different places/circumstances but is basically the same form or idea...and is frustrating to dream.

In Jack Deere's book THE BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO THE GIFT OF PROPHECY he says: Humble people pray. Praying is one of the most

practical things we can do, both to get revelation and to understand it. God told Jeremiah, *"Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know"* (Jer. 33:3). How much revelation do we forfeit simply because we do not ask God to tell us *"unsearchable things"*? How much revelation do we fail to understand because we do not ask God to reveal its meaning? p. 92

(And I asked God to tell me great and unsearchable things I do not know)

Then Jack talks about the purpose of symbolic language on p 94-95. He says: To sum up this section, symbolic language conceals truth from the proud, reveals the most profound truth to the humble, and jars us awake when we are tempted to use God rather than love him. It impacts our emotions. This is especially true of dreams and visions, which are often symbolic rather than literal...the symbols of dreams and visions may frighten us out of our lethargy (see Job 33:15-18). Because they do, God uses pictures and symbols to intensify our feelings.

The phrase above, which kept bringing me to tears, is: "reveals the most profound truth to the humble". I felt God impressing me to write these two dreams (above) so He could reveal the profound truth to me as I humbled myself, sought Him, and listened to Him.

If I had to interpret those two dreams in the natural, I would say they show: I feel something is coming for which I am not ready or prepared, and I am not getting ready. And the other dream means I am lost, don't know where I am going, don't know how to get there, am walking in unfamiliar territory, and am afraid of the people and unknown along the way. This natural interpretation is most distressing to me.

#### **INTERPRETION**

But the Lord says:

These are My words to you, My child, about those two dreams. You are entirely dependent on Me in your life for what's coming, for getting ready, for the performance of what I want you to do, for how to get there, and for where you are going, also for keeping you through the fearful situations that might come. You are entirely dependent on Me - and that is exactly what and where I want you to

be. This is part of My preparation of you - to get you totally dependent on Me and totally humble so that you know nothing and can't do anything to bring about what I am doing in your life or with you. My purpose for you is totally unknown and you are totally unprepared...at least in your physical eyes...and in your emotions.

This is part of the "preparation" I am taking you through just now, while you wait for Me to reveal and lead you to what is coming for you. It is exactly what I want for you right now. In your spirit you know this and it comes to you in your dreams.

This is because I want to use you, and I can only use you with this preparation getting you ready for what I want/plan to do.

Keep walking in this direction you are now going in relationship with Me and I will get you to the performance/place where I want to get you. Leave it in My hands. Trust Me.

#### APPLICATION

Continue on as you are going, trusting Me completely to bring about My plan for you in My time, to totally empower you and prepare you, and to use you for My mighty purpose for you.

WAITING AT MY DOORWAY

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Blessed is the man who listens to me, watching daily at my doors, waiting at my doorway. For whoever finds me finds life and receives favor from the Lord. (Proverbs 8:34-35)

This is what He wants me to do for the rest of my days.

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#### GREATER INTIMACY WITH HIM

I am to listen to the Lord and what He guides me to do and be obedient to that.

The Lord says if His choice for me is to live the rest of my days in peace and happiness, not in battle and struggle, that I should accept that in faith from Him, and be thankful for it. It does not mean I am wasting my time here on earth. He is still using me in the ways He chooses, and I am to be content with that.

And that IS what He is saying to me. Right now what He wants for me is to develop greater intimacy with Him - and that comes through praying, talking, and communing with Him - and that is happening in my life now.

This is what I really will want to have developed when I get to heaven.

### WATER OF LIFE

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Be a "Keeper of the Springs" for those around you each day. Keep cleaning out the springs of life with truth. Share the truth whenever you hear/see "pollution" as wrong attitudes, gossip, lies, misunderstanding, incorrect information. Keep the clean water of life flowing in your own life and others."

I am the wellspring of life. I give clean pure crystal clear water to you each day. Be daily cleansed yourself and share the cleansing with others.

EVENTS WE CAN'T CONTROL

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(The Best of Peter Marshall, by Catherine Marshall, p 81)

"The only happy way to deal with them (events we can't control) is the way of faith...faith in the purposes of God, faith in the presence of God, faith in the promises of God, faith in the power of God to deliver us in any trouble."

# FAITH FOR HEALING

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(Surprised by the Power of the Spirit by Jack Deere)

(p. 125) "Jesus asks them, 'Do you believe that I am able to do this?' (Matt 9:28) Jesus' question not only underscores the importance of faith for healing but also tells us something about the nature of faith. Faith in God for healing means believing that he has the ability to heal.

(p. 126) (Matt 8:2) "if you are willing."

"The faith that God requires for healing is not a psychological certainty that he is going to heal us or those we pray for. It is faith in his ability to heal and in his good will to heal. It is confidence that God loves his children and regularly heals them."

(p. 128) "I cannot produce a psychological certainty (knowing) for healing in individual cases. When I do have it, it is a gift from God that can only be received, not manufactured."

(p. 128) (Mark 9:23) "Jesus replied that 'everything is possible for him who believes.' This is a principle that Jesus consistently taught (Matt 21:21-22). Jesus does not put any limitation on what we may ask God to do. Why should I limit God?"

(p 129) "Three characteristics of faith:

1. Faith in Jesus' ability to heal is also faith that he does heal.

2. Faith in Jesus' desire to heal is not to be equated with psychological certainty. He will heal when we don't have psychological certainty.

3. Faith does not put restrictions on God's ability to act on behalf of his children, for ' everything is possible for him who believes.'"

(p. 120) "Reasons God Heals:

God heals out of compassion and mercy.

God heals to glorify himself and his Son.

God heals in response to faith. God heals in response to his own promise.

CRITICAL SPIRIT

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Show me what You want to teach me through the situation with B and his critical spirit, Lord

Isn't it this same critical spirit you were fighting against in your dad, your husband, and former authority figures such as principals?

Is it, Lord?

Yes, so let's learn how to deal with it.

- 1. Forgive them
- 2. Pray for them
- 3. Thank Me for them

# THE ESSENCE OF ALL LIFE IS LOVING GOD

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(Surprised by the Power of the Spirit by Jack Deere)

(P. 191) "More than anything else, a passion for God has to be guarded and cultivated or we will lose it. I find that almost every good thing in my life is all too ready to compete for my time and intimacy with God. The essence of all of life is loving God and then loving his people. (Matt 22:36-40)"

(p 196-201) To develop a relationship with Jesus after you commit your life to Him:

- 1. Set aside a regular time to be with Him daily so you can get to know Him. Read His Word daily.
- 2. If a barrier comes in the relationship, through sin, confess the sin and trust in Jesus' blood to take away the guilt from that sin.

3. Put your confidence in Jesus' ability to lead you, not in your ability to follow.

(p. 210) To develop passion for Jesus: ask for it. "Father, grant me power from the Holy Spirit to love the Son of God like You love Him."

(p 201-202) "Passionate love for God is the key to power."

(p. 203) "People who have Mary's passion for the Lord Jesus can move him in a way that others cannot. Passion for Jesus gave Mary access to the power of Jesus."

A REALM OF OBEDIENCE

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(Surprised By the Voice of God by Jack Deere)

(P 102-3) "There is a realm of obedience called 'careful to do everything written in it' (Josh 1:8). The only people who will enter that realm of obedience are those who meditate on the Law day and night."

#### LESSONS

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(After the 9-11 attack on the twin towers in New York and on the Pentagon)

What are we supposed to learn from the disasters Tuesday, September 11, 2001?

- Too much caught up in the realm of daily life.
- Not seeking Me and taking time out for Me.
- Focusing each one individually on self and not on unity, togetherness, each other
- I have brought your people together in a new way. Your country will never go back to being the way it was again.
- I love you, My daughter, and I love your country, and I love your people. Through it I will send forth My end time harvest.

But I had to get the people ready to look to Me and to each other in a new way. I am using this to start that process.

• Things will not go on as they have been before. I am doing something new now.

ROSH HASHANAH AND THE SHOFAR

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Rosh Hashanah:

- Begins with day of "blowing" of shofar
- Time to follow blowing was atonement
- All 'servile' work was to cease, day of rest
- All thoughts were to turn to the days ahead
- Blowing of shofar was a memorial to what not known
- It reminded Israel the 7th month had begun

Shofar:

- Used in battle of Jericho
- Will sound with advent of Messiah
- Will sound at time of ingathering of the exiles of Israel to their place
- Signal assembly of Israelites to war
- Watchmen on walls blew warn danger
- Start of Jubilee year (slaves and indebtedness free)
- Accession of new king to throne
- Reminder that God is sovereign
- Lord will blow it on day He delivers His people from attacking heathen armies
- A memorial of God's faithfulness to Abraham when he was to sacrifice Isaac and God provided a ram

FIND A GROUP OF PEOPLE

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(Surprised By the Voice of the Spirit by Jack Deere, p 167)

"I made up my mind that I was going to find a group of people who felt the same way I did. We would come together to meet Jesus, to hear him and be healed by him, to worship him, to be equipped for ministry, and to bring gifts to build up one another."

UNIFIED BY MY SPIRIT

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Whoever has My Spirit <u>will</u> be unified. Whoever does not have My Spirit will fight against the unity I am bringing about. And you will be part of the unity, My daughter, that comes from Me.

The unity of My Spirit will travel all over the world and bring peace among My people with one another. And they will rise up as a mighty giant to show the world who I am and My power and glory in mighty feats of boldness.

And I will come and take My people away after this has happened, and everyone has a chance to see and choose.

I am with you and will be with you to the very ends of the earth.

I love My people and want them with Me and out of this wicked world.

Then the anti-Christ will reign for a time but it will be short and awful.

#### DREAMS

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Dream #1. I was testing children to see how well they swam. I tested two who "swam like adults" in deep water. The mother said she just assumed they would be able to, so she just put them in deep water to begin with. Those two were going to go to another school, so I was writing a note to say test them "as adults" for swimming. This mother seemed to have had <u>many</u> children she taught - not just the two I saw...surprisingly many.

Jesus is as a mother teaching children (Christians) to function in the pool of life (people) "as an adult" (mature). I am surprised how many Jesus has taught.

Dream #2. I also saw a group of us packing to go. I was slower or behind the others in getting the packing done.

Packing to go: getting ready to leave this earth in the rapture. Some others have gotten ready, or been organized for the trip, sooner than I. (I see some of these on TBN (Praise The Lord show) telling about how they anticipate the rapture soon - any day it could be.

Dream #3. I saw myself go in a gym (which had a beautiful wood parquet floor) and walk near the edge around the corner to the stairs, which led up to the pool.

The pool is the place where those mature Christians are swimming. To get to that pool you enter the beautiful gym (place), go along the edge, around the corner to the stairs going up. The beautiful room represents Me - life with Me. You must "go around a corner" (turn from the ways of the world) and "go up" (enter a higher realm) to get to the pool (place of being with other Christians of maturity in Christ). That's what you desire to do as you see them on TBN.

Dream #4. I also saw a small group looking at materials and discussing those, but I wasn't included - they waited until I left.

There are things going on (spiritual) you are not to be a part of. That group does them, but not you. (Rick Joyner, etc)

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#### PURPOSE IN LIFE

I want some people to be intimate with Me and you are one I've picked. I've trained you in how to be since you were a little child. I've brought you close with dreams, visions, Scripture, journaling, prayer, communicating with Me moment by moment, asking, seeking, knocking, and putting that desire in your heart - all this through the Holy Spirit. <u>And this is your purpose in life!</u> You wanted to know your purpose. It's to be close and intimate with Me, sharing each moment, each happening together.

That's why I gave you so many instructions on <u>listening</u> (Gordon Binning), <u>visioning</u> (Creative Silence), <u>journaling</u> (MasterLife), <u>experiencing</u> (Experiencing God), and <u>following</u> (fan and maze pictures). This is something you are to <u>be</u> rather than something to <u>do</u>. <u>Doing</u> is loving Me, communicating with Me, worshiping Me, etc. <u>This is your purpose</u>; you <u>are fulfilling it daily</u>. I am pleased. It's what I've trained you to do. It's the dream/desire I've put in your heart. There are some I've called just to be with Me - and you are one. Be content with that.

Read this whenever you have doubts (not from Me!) about fulfilling your purpose in life.

# ESCAPING OF THE RIGHTEOUS

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Types/shadows/parallels in Old Testament of Rapture:

Moses represents <u>dead saints</u> raptured.

Enoch represents <u>living saints</u> translated

Elijah represents <u>Jewish remnant</u> (144,000) caught up mid-trib, (Revelation 7)

Escaping of the Righteous:

Heb 11:7	Heb 11:31
Gen 18:25	Luke 21:21
Gen 19:22	Dan 11:41
Gen 19:29	Rev 7:3
Exo 12:23	Ezek 14:13-14

3's: significant events happen Hosea 6:1-3 (3rd day), Exodus 19 (3rd month), Jesus arose (3rd day)

DREAM ABOUT THE HARVEST

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Dream:

I was sitting in a single file row of people who were (practicing) to play the accompaniment to some performance (probably singing). We weren't given time to warm up our instruments but just began rehearsing. I was in front of the row and couldn't see those behind me as in picture:

|           | me | facing front |
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| conductor |    |              |
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I couldn't see the conductor except when I turned my head to the left and back for a quick glimpse. I had a French horn but I wasn't playing it. I didn't have music script. What I did have, instead of music, was a paper with #'s of the sections/pieces we were to play. There were 9 numbers.

Out front of me, in a large open space, a field, a singer started singing with us.

Interpretation:

- *Horn* prophecy, last trumpet i.e. rapture
- *Performance* His kingdom coming, His will being done, on earth as it is in heaven. It's the harvest of Jesus' kingdom work in His people
- *The page with numbers* This is a picture to tell me "what time it is" prophetically (i.e. #'s of events) Nine is the number of harvest.
- *My sitting position* I am "out in front" i.e. living now. Not knowing my role uncertain of times
- *Others behind me* lived previously and are watching from heaven
- *Singer* (we are to accompany) is the Holy Spirit and He has begun His song

- *His song* represents the "final days" before the rapture
- *Open field* ahead means I see nothing and know nothing about what's next only to accompany the singer; "the fields are white unto harvest. Pray to the Lord to send workers into those fields."
- *Holy Spirit's* song He sings; all of us in orchestra go with Him, accompany Him. He leads! He has begun His "final" song for the Church the last days Church
- *Conductor* (Jesus) goes through whole song with orchestra and leads them to the very end. I only get quick glimpses of Him, but He is still conducting it all

I was uncomfortable sitting there, very visible, and not participating. But the Lord showed my that I AM participating in these ways:

- 1. As a part of His orchestra (past and present), just being in it, letting Him conduct, letting Him sing.
- 2. Being aware of His work and timing
- 3. Getting brief glimpses of Him conducting
- 4. Hearing His song
- 5. Seeing the open field
- 6. Wanting to do what He has me here to do
- 7. Praying for the harvest

The Scripture He gives me regarding this:

The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged. (Deuteronomy 31:8)

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Sing a new song to the Lord! Let the whole earth sing to the Lord! Sing to the Lord; praise his name. Each day proclaim the good news that he saves. Publish his glorious deeds among the nations, Tell everyone about the amazing things he does. (Psalm 96:1-3 NLT)